

## Context

The IBU Research Grant Programme is designed to support established researchers in exploring diverse aspects of biathlon, contributing to its growth and development. The Grant has been crafted to encourage and facilitate research dedicated to advancing the understanding and development of biathlon. We welcome applications from research institutions and individual academics in various priority fields annually identified by the IBU Research Grant Working Group (RGWG).

## Research Topics

Physiology, Biomechanics, Psychology, Performance Analysis, High-Performance Pathways, Long Term Athletes Development, Anthropometry, Recovery, Prevention, Nutrition, and other areas agreed by the IBU Research Grant Working Group.

## Applicants

Eligible applicants include individual university professors, lecturers, and research fellows who have completed their doctorate and hold an academic or research appointment/affiliation covering the grant period.

## Funding

The level of funding, with a maximum of €10.000 for individual grants and €20.000 for joint applications, is decided on a case-by-case basis by the IBU Research Grant Working Group, totaling a budget of €50,000 for the 2024/2025 cycle.

## IBU Research Grant Working Group (RGWG)

The RGWG, consisting of academic and wintersport experts, will review the applications and makes a suggestion to the IBU Executive Board which shall make a final decision.

## Dates:



### Application Deadline:

31 March 2024

### Funding:

Individual Grant (max. € 10.000), Joint Applications (max. € 20.000)

### Application:

via IBU Scope (needs registration)  
[IBU Knowledgebase \(ibu-scope.com\)](https://www.ibu-scope.com)

### Further information

on terms and conditions:

[International Biathlon Union - Inside IBU Research Grant \(biathlonworld.com\)](https://www.biathlonworld.com)

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