



## **Call for interdisciplinary research projects for funding under the UvA IP theme Fair and Resilient Societies (FRS)**

The IP theme Fair and Resilient Societies focuses on a fair way to advance the wellbeing (in the broadest sense) of all citizens in a stable society.

### **Steering committee**

This IP theme is managed by a steering committee. Prof A.H. (Agneta) Fischer (FMG) and Prof R.M.W.J. (Roel) Beetsma (EB) are chair and vice-chair of the Fair and resilient society Steering Group.

The steering committee further consists of Prof. dr. R.J.A. (Roger) Laeven (EB), Prof. dr. J.E. (Judith) Rispens (FGw), Prof W.G.J. (Jan Willem) Duyvendak (FMG), Prof U. (Ulle) Endriss (FNWI) and Prof T.J (Tessa) Tessa Roseboom (FdG).

Christina Feray-Ceulemans (FMG) supports the steering group as a Theme manager.

### **Goal**

Within this theme, the main objective is to initiate research and teaching collaborations in the field of fair and resilient societies within the university.

### **Sub-themes**

In the field of fair and resilient societies, UvA collaborations are already taking place. Within three sub-themes, however, the steering committee expects new initiatives and wants to create larger groups of collaborating researchers within the UvA. These sub-themes are:

- 1 Inequality and technological progress (e.g. digitisation, robotisation). We define technological progress in the most general sense, which includes all types of innovations and inventions.
- 2 Migration
- 3 Social crises and polarisation

### **Seed grants call and activities in 2022**

Summer 2022, the steering committee provided ten seed grants to encourage new research collaborations. In November 2022, a networking event was organised for UvA staff working in the field of fair and resilient societies.

### **Call seed grants and midsize projects 2023 focused on three sub-themes**

For the 2023 call for seed grants and midsize projects, the steering committee of Fair and Resilient Societies is pleased to invite UvA researchers to submit projects that fall under the three identified sub-themes:

1. Inequality and technological progress,
2. Migration
3. Social crises & polarisation

### **More information**

More information about the call, deadline (24 February 2023) and FRS can be found here:

<https://www.uva.nl/en/about-the-uva/about-the-university/strategy/theme-based-collaboration/theme-based-cooperation.html>