

Preserving our planet's resources for future generations is a major global challenge, and digitalization is a central key to it.

Robots are supporting sustainable agriculture, newly developed sensor technology is helping to monitor tree health and artificial intelligence helps to sort valuable waste. The digital age holds great potential for sustainability!

Once again, the German Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF) is looking for highly motivated and talented young scientists from all over the world to find solutions to these urgent issues and contribute to achieving the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

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How can digitalization contribute to a more sustainable future at a time when global climate change is challenging our current economic system and way of life?

How can we protect and preserve our environment through digital tools and approaches?

If you want to work on answering these urgent questions, take part in our Digital GreenTalents Award and connect with the German Digital GreenTech community.



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Who should apply?

- Are you a young scientist with high potential for sustainable development?
- Does your (planned) PhD research contribute to a more sustainable planet through the use of digital technology?
- Are you ready to work with sustainability and digitalization experts in Germany?

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We challenge you to convince our expert jury and become one of the 20 Digital GreenTalents of 2025!

What does the Digital GreenTalents Award 2025 include?

RESEARCH STAY IN 2026

Come to Germany in 2026 for a fully funded research stay to take your research and career to the next level. Spend up to three months at a German institution or company of your choice and advance your professional career.

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Join an enriching experience at the Digital GreenTalents SpringSchool. Engage in insightful discussions, gain valuable knowledge and be part of a community passionate about shaping a sustainable and digitally empowered future.

MENTORING PROGRAM

Participate in the Digital GreenTalents mentoring program, specifically tailored to the sustainability industry, and keep up with current trends and topics. Get help that's just right for you to fit into the German research community and the green tech job market.

DIGITAL GREEN TALENTS NETWORK

Become part of the unique global Digital GreenTalents network. Our active alumni network covers the entire spectrum of sustainability science and digitalization. Exchange ideas with like-minded people and find new project partners!

Please submit your online application before June 6, 2025 02.00 p.m. CEST.

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