



WICID

WARWICK INTERDISCIPLINARY RESEARCH CENTRE FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Warwick Interdisciplinary Research Centre for International Development:

Funding Support Scheme

WICID aims to connect researchers and support funding bids for cutting-edge, interdisciplinary and global south research. Such research may be connected to the four organising themes of WICID: gender, health, governance, and mobility. We will also support research funding bids on alternative themes.

The WICID Funding Support Scheme is open to researchers at the University of Warwick who demonstrate they meet the criteria outlined below.

Our funding support takes two forms:

1. Providing funds of up to £1,500 to support the development of an external funding bid.
2. Providing funds of up to £1,500 to support the development of a research idea, where a common working theme has been identified by a group of researchers and where a speculative bid can be prepared in advance of a specific call.

Funding Support Scheme 2021 – 2022

For the academic year 2021 - 2022 WICID is able to make 3 grants of up to £1,500 each (total fund £4,500).

Application guidelines:

1. Funds can be spent in the following ways: a workshop or other such activity bringing collaborators together in the same place; hiring a research assistant or funding bid consultant to help in the preparation and writing of the bid; any other activity directly related to the funding bid preparation and which would otherwise not be possible.
2. The project should provide value for money – a justification of resources should be provided.
3. Report back - Recipients of funds are to submit a 500 word description of what the funds were used for and evaluation of the activity within 2 weeks of finishing the project.
4. A commitment to writing a blog about your research idea and its importance for international development/global south studies, which we can disseminate to our networks through our blog, Think Development.

Applications should include the following:

1. 250 max. words on the theme and targeted funding scheme.
2. 250 max. words on the consortium and collaborator bios.
3. 250 max. words on the details of activity and funds required.
4. Timeline for the project including for submission of external bid.

Submissions should be sent to the WICID administrator: WICID@warwick.ac.uk

Criteria for Decisions

Does the project:

1. Relate to an interdisciplinary and/or interdepartmental project at the University of Warwick that addresses an aspect of International Development
2. Raise the profile of the work of WICID at Warwick either through academic publications in the field of International Development OR contributes to our impact agenda (i.e. the work has an effect on the economy, society, culture, public policy or services, health, the environment or quality of life, beyond academia)
3. Have potential for an external funding bid.



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