ANNEX 1: Guidance for JeS application process

Important: Applicants should ensure proposals are submitted to their Je-S submitter/approval pool well in advance (a minimum of 5 working days) of the published deadline. This enables institution checks to be carried out before final submission to BBSRC.

This text is designed to provide guidance on the JeS application process and follows the same format as the JeS application form. Please fill in each section as described:

- 1. Navigate to the <u>Je-S Login Site</u> and login using your existing user name and password.
 - All applicants should have JeS login details as these are required to apply for a BBSRC research grant.
 - If you do not have a JeS username and password you will need to <u>register with</u> JeS.
 - 2. In the **Account** section select **Documents**, then under the **Create** section select New Document.

Add New Document

- 1. **Select Council:** Select BBSRC using the dropdown menu.
- 2. **Select Document Type:** Select Standard Proposal using the dropdown menu.
- 3. **Select Scheme:** Select International Workshops from the dropdown menu.
- 4. Ignore the **Select Call/Type/Mode** option and Select [**Create Document**], this will take you to the main Document Menu.

Document Menu

Please note that the order of this scheme on JeS is different to the order used on standard BBSRC applications. It was changed to reflect the information required for this scheme. Once you have completed each screen, select save and then next to move to the next section.

Project Details

- 1. **Organisation:** Select an organisation using **Select Organisation** (opens a new search window).
- 2. **Department:** Select a department using **Select Department** (opens a new search window).
- 3. **Your reference:** Insert a personal reference to differentiate this application from other proposals you may be submitting through JeS (20 character limit).
- 4. **Project Title:** Insert a Project Title (150 character limit).
- 5. **Type:** Please ignore this field as it is not required for this scheme.
- 6. **Start Date and Duration:** Use the drop down menus to select a start date. Note this **must** be within the next financial year. Select duration in **months**. Note that the minimum duration that will be accepted by JeS is one month, therefore input '1' even if the workshop lasts for only a few days.

Applicants

- 1. Select Principal Applicant
- 2. Select Add New Principal Applicant Item

- 3. **Name:** Select the Principal Applicant using **Select** (opens a new search window).
- 4. **Post will outlast project?:** Check the appropriate box to indicate if the applicants post will outlast the proposed workshop. If the applicants post will not outlast the project, details must be given in the 'case for support' of how this project will continue.
- 5. If this is a joint application between two or more BBSRC grant holders select <u>Co-Applicant</u>. Add Co-Applicants in the same manner as described for Principal Applicants. All Co-Applicants **must** be registered with JeS.

Related Grants

- 1. Select Add New Related Grants Item
- 2. **Reference Number:** Fill in the reference number of the BBSRC Responsive Mode Grant, Institute Strategic Priority Grant, David Philips Fellowship or other BBSRC grant with which this project is associated.
 - Note that some grants, such as RCUK fellowships and certain specialist infrastructure grants may not be accepted by this field.
 - In this case, leave this box blank and clearly state your grant title, start and end dates and reference number at the start of the 'Case for Support'.
- 3. Save your selection and repeat the process for any further BBSRC grants relevant to this project.

Workshop Host Country

Use this free text box to input the host country for the proposed workshop. *Please use the country names listed in* **Appendix 1** *i.e. United States, not USA or America.* Applications with incorrect country names will **not** be accepted.

Project Partners

- 1. Select Add New Project Partners Item
- 2. Select an organisation using **Select Organisation** (opens a new search window).
 - If the organisation is not found select [Add New Organisation] and fill out required fields.
- 3. Select a department using **Select Department** (opens a new search window).
- 4. Select the contact using **Select Contact** (opens a new search window).
 - If the contact is not found select [Add New Person] and fill out required fields.
- 5. Enter the contribution of this partner to the project (each partner **must** have an associated contribution).
 - The contribution can be 'directly' in the form of cash, equipment / materials,
 - The secondment of staff or other. Alternatively it can be 'indirectly' in the form of use of facilities, staff time or other.
 - Each contribution **must** be given an associated value, however this value can be set at 0 if it is difficult to quantify.
 - The information provided in this section will be used to evaluate the contribution from other sources.
- 6. Save your selection and repeat with the remaining project partners.

Objectives

Use the text box to provide a succinct overview of the proposed InternationalWorkshop objectives (1000 character limit. Applicants should list the main objectives (in bullet point form) of the proposed International Workshop. These objectives will be displayed on the BBSRC website and in BBSRC publicity and should therefore be concise and free from jargon and abbreviations.

Resources

- 1. This section is used to detail the costs of the proposed collaboration.
- 2. Select Travel and Subsistence.
- 3. Click Add New Travel and Subsistence Item
- 4. Destination and Purpose:
 - For travel items enter the country, city and institution (if applicable) of destination, the method of transport and the reason for travel e.g. flights to Washington, US x3 to attend meeting at National Institute for Health.
 - For subsistence items enter the country and city (if applicable) where subsistence is required and the length of time subsistence is required.
- 5. Overseas destination?: Check this box unless this travel item is exclusively within the UK.
- 6. Total £: Enter the total cost of this activity in £.
- 7. Save your selection and repeat for the remaining travel and subsistence items.
- 8. Select Other Directly Incurred Costs.
- 9. Select Add New Other Directly Incurred Costs Item
- 10. **Description:** Enter a description, location and reason for the directly incurred cost e.g. venue hire for workshop in Beijing.
- 11. Amount: Enter to total cost of this activity in £.
- 12. Save your selection and repeat for the remaining directly incurred items.

Resource Summary

This is a reference section which can be used to view the total cost of the project. No editing is required.

Attachments

- 1. Select Add New Attachment
- 2. **Document type:** Use the dropdown menu to select the document type.
- 3. Filename: Use [Browse] to select a file.
- 4. **Description:** Enter a description of the attachment which allows differentiation between documents of the same type.
- 5. Select save to upload the document and repeat for any additional attachments.
- 6. Note that applicants **must** include a Case for Support, which **must** contain the following sections:
 - The main scientific objectives.

- Summary of previous contacts or links with proposed partners.
- Objectives and Benefits. Include details of how the workshop will assist inachieving the main objectives and how the collaboration will be taken forward after the workshop.
- <u>Statement of added value</u>. Indicate the benefit of the proposed collaboration to UK science and in particular, the relevance to your current BBSRC funding.
- <u>Proposed Participants</u>. As an appendix, applicants should include in their case for support (where possible) a list of all proposed participants, including their country and institution.

A short proposal letter **must** be included in the application.

CVs and publication lists are **not** required; however applicants may wish to include any particularly pertinent recent publications. The case for support should be a pdf file of **no longer** than three sides (not including appendix) of single spaced 11pt Arialtext.

7. A Letter of Support (maximum one page) from, for example, the proposed collaborators may also be included, but is **not** mandatory.

Notes and Comments

There is no need to provide additional notes and comments with this type of application.

Submit Document

Once you have completed all the above sections, select Submit Document from the top menu. Note that this will first validate the document to determine if there are any critical errors which will prevent the submission of the application to the approverpool.

If the validation is successful select [**Submit Document**] to transfer the application into the approver pool. Once a proposal has been submitted, the application process is complete and the proposal can no longer be edited.

Contact

Note that BBSRC staff cannot access ongoing applications within the JeS system and will therefore be unable to assist with issues directly relating to JeS.

If you require help with your JeS application, please contact:

The JeS helpdesk

Email: <u>JeSHelp@rcuk.ac.uk</u> Tel: +44 (0) 1793 44 4164 Appendix 1

Afghanistan Czech Republic

Aland Islands Democratic People's Republic of Korea

Albania Denmark
Algeria Djibouti
American Samoa Dominica

Andorra Dominican Republic

Angola
Anguilla
Antarctica
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina

East Timor
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea

Argentina Equatoria
Armenia Eritrea
Aruba Estonia
Australia Ethiopia

Austria Falkland Islands (Malvinas)

Azerbaijan Faroe Islands

Bahamas Fiji
Bahrain Finland
Bangladesh Former USSR
Barbados France

Belarus French Guiana
Belgium French Polynesia

Belize French Southern Territories

Benin Gabon
Bermuda Gambia
Bhutan Georgia
Bolivia Germany
Bosnia and Herzegovina Gibraltar

Botswana
Bouvet Island
Brazil
British Indian Ocean Territory
British Virgin Islands
Gibraltar
Greece
Greenland
Greenada
Grenada
Guadeloupe

Brunei Darussalam
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burma
Cambodia
Guam
Guatemala
Guernsey
Guinea
Guinea
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau

Cameroon Guyana Canada Haiti

Cape Verde Heard Island and McDonald Islands

Cayman Islands

Central African Republic

Holy See (Vatican City)

Honduras

Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China
Christmas Island
Cocos (Keeling) Islands
Honduras
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Colombia Iran (Islamic Republic of)

Comoros Iraq
Congo Ireland Isle
Cook Islands of Man
Costa Rica Israel
Cote d'Ivoire Italy

Croatia Ivory Coast (Cote D Ivoire)

Cuba Jamaica Cyprus Japan

Paraguay Jersey Peru Jordan **Philippines** Kazakhstan Pitcairn Kenva Poland Kiribati Portugal Kuwait Puerto Rico Kyrgyzstan **Qatar**

Lao People's Democratic Republic Republic of Korea

Latvia Reunion Lebanon Romania Lesotho

Russian Federation Liberia Rwanda

Libyan Arab Jamahiriya Saint Barthelemy Liechtenstein Saint Helena Lithuania Saint Kitts and Nevis

Luxembourg Saint Lucia Macau Saint Martin Madagascar

Saint Pierre and Miguelon Malawi Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Malaysia Samoa Maldives San Marino Mali

Sao Tome and Principe Malta

Saudi Arabia Marshall Islands Senegal Martinique Serbia Mauritania Seychelles Mauritius Sierra Leone Mayotte Singapore Mexico Slovakia

Micronesia, Federated States of Slovenia

Moldova Solomon Islands

Monaco Somalia Mongolia South Africa

Montenegro South Georgia and the South Sandwich

Montserrat Islands Morocco Spain Mozambique Sri Lanka Mvanmar Sudan Namibia Suriname Nauru

Svalbard And Jan Mayen Nepal Swaziland

Netherlands Sweden **Netherlands Antilles** Switzerland New Caledonia

Syrian Arab Republic New Zealand Taiwan Nicaragua

Tajikistan Niger Tanzania, United Republic of

Nigeria **Thailand** Niue

The Democratic Republic of the Congo Norfolk Island The former Yugoslav Republic of

Northern Mariana Islands Macedonia Norway Timor-Leste Oman

Togo Pakistan Tokelau Palau Tonga Palestinian Territory, Occupied

Trinidad and Tobago Panama

Tunisia

Papua New Guinea

Turkey

Turkmenistan

Turks and Caicos Islands

Tuvalu

Uganda

Ukraine

United Arab Emirates

United Kingdom

United States

United States Minor Outlying Islands

United States Virgin Islands

Uruguay Uzbekistan

Vanuatu

Venezuela

Vietnam

Wallis and Futuna

Western Sahara

Yemen

Zambia

Zimbabwe