Country: United Kingdom

Organisation: Arts and Humanities Research Council

Note: This addendum to the T-AP Recovery, Renewal and Resilience in a Post-Pandemic World (RRR) Call for Proposals contains funding agency-specific information **for UK applicants applying for funding from AHRC**. Please see the T-AP website (https://transatlanticplatform.com/) for links to the main Call for Proposals.

AHRC's Remit
The UK part of the proposal must be within AHRC's remit. If your proposal falls under the Economic and Social Research Council's remit, please see ESRC's addendum on the T-AP website for further information.

AHRC's subject remit page can be found here.

Please ensure you identify in your Intention to Submit form which UKRI Research Council (AHRC or ESRC) you are applying to.

Who can apply
Higher Education Institutions that receive grant funding from one of the UK higher education funding bodies are eligible to receive funds for this Call. Independent Research Organisations (IRO) and Research Council Institutes are also eligible to act as lead organisation.

Standard AHRC contractual eligibility guidelines apply for this call. Prospective applicants must either be employed by the Research Organisation submitting the proposal; or if not employed by the submitting organisation, have an existing written formal arrangement with the organisation confirming that the research will be conducted as if you were an employee; or be scheduled to move to the submitting organisation before the proposed start date of the grant. For further information, please see section 2 of the AHRC Research funding guide.

Prospective applicants who are at a cultural institution or a Research Council Institute but are unsure if they are eligible should consult UKRI's list of eligible independent research organisations (IROs) and the list of eligible Research Council Institutes. If your organisation is not on that list, you are not eligible to apply; however, you are eligible to act as a project partner for a lead organisation in the UK. Please note IROs and Research Council Institutes can also act as project partners for the lead organisation in the UK.

Named project partners may include UK organisations, or where there is a clear rationale, overseas organisations that are not based in T-AP member countries. UK Research Organisations are not eligible to be included as project partners. Equally, a UK research Organisation is not eligible to a project partner on another T-AP members application. University museums and galleries may participate as project partners provided that they are working with a Research Organisation other than or in addition to the Research Organisation with which they are formally linked.

An organisation should only be named as a project partner if a significant and specific contribution is being made (either in cash or in kind) to the project, for example; a contribution towards costs of developing an exhibition, expertise, staff time, use of facilities etc. These contributions should be clearly identified within the 'Cooperation Partners' section of the proposal. Project partner contributions are treated as additional to the fEC of the proposal, therefore they will not need to be costed under the usual cost headings and won't need to be included in the Final Expenditure Statement.

Funding guidance

AHRC is making a total of £1.7m available for the RRR call. The maximum funding per awarded project is £310,000 at 100% Full Economic Costs (fEC). Please note in accordance with UKRI's standard funding model, AHRC will fund 80% of the fEC of eligible costs for the UK team participating in successful proposals to this call (apart from those items which are eligible to be funded at the exceptional rate of 100%).

The AHRC budget requested in your proposal should represent the exact funds being requested from ARHC. You are required to enter 100% and 80% values in the AHRC budget form.

International Co-Investigators

Researchers who are *not* based in T-AP member countries may participate in the project as Co-Investigators or Project Partners, where there is a clear rationale for doing so. Non-academic partners (e.g. business, civil society sector, industries) may participate as project partners only.

UK-based applicants who are submitting under AHRC subject remit should refer to AHRC's international Co-investigator policy. Costs for international Co-Investigators from other countries can be included in accordance with this policy where it can be demonstrated that they will add value to the project.

If your proposal includes an international Co-Investigator(s), their institution must submit a Head of Department Statement.

This section must include the following information:
- What the international co-investigator is bringing to the project and why they are best placed to conduct the research
- How they will deliver the project's objectives
- How their institution will support them during the lifetime of the project
- Assurances that their contract will be in place for the duration of the project.

Eligible costs

The UK team requesting funding from AHRC must prepare a budget detailing costs and the requested amount. The budget template for submitting costs can be found on the T-AP website. Applicants are encouraged to consult the AHRC Research Funding Guide for information about eligible costs that can be requested for UK applicants.

Please note that no grant associated doctoral studentships linked to a UK team will be funded under this call. If eligible graduate students are employed as Research Assistants, please make their role in the project clear within your Justification of Resources.

Post-Award Information

Successful projects will be invited to submit via UKRI's Joint Electronic Submissions system (Je-S). This is a formality and any such projects will not be subject to further peer review or other assessment. The submission route will be confirmed when the project decision is conveyed to you.

Award holders in the UK will be required to submit outputs, outcomes and impacts that arise from AHRC's funding through the Researchfish system. More details on Researchfish are available on the UKRI website here: https://www.ukri.org/funding/information-for-award-holders/research-outcomes/

Applicants may be asked to share findings and case studies directly with AHRC and T-AP members to help design future opportunities for this platform and contribute to communications activities.

UKRI-funded researchers are expected to comply with the UKRI open access policy on research publications and outputs.

Contact
For queries about this Call such as eligible activities and costs or remit of the Call for UK Arts and Humanities researchers, please contact AHRC at enquiries@ahrc.ukri.org.

Applications must be submitted by 12th July 2021 via the online submission system SAGe: www.fapesp.br/sage, hosted by the Sao Paulo Research Foundation (FAPESP).