Opportunity name: NERC large grant outlines: March 2024

Meeting Date: 12 & 13 June 2024

Application Reference	Project Title	Research Organisation	Outcome
25045	NERC-NSFGEO Gypsum GENIE	University of Bristol	Unsuccessful
25493	The Greening Of The Earth: The Carbon Cycle and Climate Feedbacks.	University of Nottingham	Unsuccessful
	AquaGuardAI: Delivery of an AI-Powered Sustainable Multi-Stage Water		
25904	Treatment Device for Efficient Removal of Pharmaceuticals	Robert Gordon University	Unsuccessful
26829	Tracing the Chemistry of Life across the Great Oxidation Event	University of St Andrews	Successful
27044	NERC/NSF Study of East African Air Quality (SEAQUAL)	University of York	Successful
	Tracking predators and prey: a path to sustainable biodiversity in agricultural		
27900	landscapes	University of Aberdeen	Unsuccessful
	The role of pollution on freshwater contamination and its contribution to	London School of Hygiene &	
28219	disease burden in Uvira, Democratic Republic of the Congo	Tropical Medicine	Unsuccessful
29634	Stability and Future Capacity of Fjord Carbon Storage	University of St Andrews	Unsuccessful
	Enhancing the Assessment, Management, and Restoration of Freshwater		
30058	Catchments through Digital Twinning	Cardiff University	Unsuccessful
	NERC large grant: Microplastics in the Arctic Ocean - sources, cycling and		
30198	biological impact (ArcPlas)	National Oceanography Centre	Unsuccessful
	Were Oligochaetes Responsible for Making the Worlds' Old Rainforests Largely		
30389	Disappear? (WORMWORLD)	University of Bristol	Unsuccessful
	Integrating taxonomy and ecology to determine tropical tree diversity and	Royal Botanic Garden	
30551	climate vulnerability	Edinburgh	Unsuccessful
30754	Quantifying transitions in tropical mega-delta carbon [Delta-C]	Newcastle University	Unsuccessful
30756	Artificial Skyglow and the Ecology of Moonlight: Impacts in the Sea (ArtEMIS)	Aberystwyth University	Unsuccessful
	Beyond roots to shoots: linking urban forest function, ecosystem services and		
30809	biodiversity across the city-scape	University of Sheffield	Unsuccessful
	GREENIAND: Glacier retreat expands the niche for arctic nitrogen fixing		
30887	diazotrophs	University of Liverpool	Unsuccessful

30894	CALibration and Impact of Ionospheric Plasma State Observations (CALIIPSO)	British Antarctic Survey	Unsuccessful
		UK Centre for Ecology &	
31096	TipEWS Early Warning Signals for Environmental Tipping Points	Hydrology	Unsuccessful
31116	Evolutionary Ecology of Sociosexual Behaviour in Macaques	Imperial College London	Successful
	Physical drivers, biological impacts and socioeconomic consequences of	Marine Biological Association	
31446	Extreme Climatic Events in the northeast Atlantic	of the United Kingdom	Unsuccessful
	Marine sediment movement: particle-scale physics to field-scale flows bridged		
31626	by rheology and multiscale modelling	University of Glasgow	Unsuccessful
31686	Space Transportation: Ozone Impacts and Climate (STOIC)	University of Leeds	Unsuccessful
	Metocean Climate Change Monitoring using Advanced Remote Sensing for		
31697	Offshore Wind Power Expansion	University of Surrey	Unsuccessful
	NERC-NSFGEO Hydroclimate2k: Global hydroclimate reconstructions for the		
32210	Common Era	University of Nottingham	Unsuccessful
	FLUX: The evolutionary demography and epidemiology of "endemic" wildlife		
32307	disease	University of Exeter	Successful
32712	Oak genomics, climate change, and woodland food webs	University of Oxford	Unsuccessful
	Current and Future Emissions of Africa Wetland Methane (CurFEW): bridging		
32806	local to continental scale to quantify key Earth System Feedbacks	University of Edinburgh	Successful
	Evaluating the effects of seaweed sinking and deposition in the Caribbean		
32929	(SeaSINC+)	National Oceanography Centre	Successful
	Transforming dust-climate projections using albedo-based dust emission		
33106	modelling	Cardiff University	Unsuccessful
	High-resolution HydrOlogy dynamical and AI Digital twins for drought and flood		
33233	mapping and impacts in a changing climate (H2O-AID)	University of St Andrews	Unsuccessful
	Biogeochemical Interactions of Ocean Alkalinity enhancement in Shelf Seas		
33287	(BIOAIkSS)	University of Portsmouth	Unsuccessful
33521	Vulnerability and resilience of mesophotic coral ecosystems to climate change	University of Plymouth	Successful
	Tripartite analysis (microbial, chemical and physical) for the determination of	University of the West of	
33540	soil health on a global scale(TADS)	Scotland	Unsuccessful
	Neanderthal & Early Modern Human Energetics, Ecologies & Landscapes		
33592	(NEMHEEL)	University of Southampton	Unsuccessful

	Rapid and robust prediction of biodiversity and carbon recovery in Neotropical		
33614	rainforests	Royal Botanic Gardens Kew	Unsuccessful
33706	Future of island multidimensional megadiversity	Royal Botanic Gardens Kew	Unsuccessful
	EDGE: Quantifying Escalating Disruption of Global Biogeochemical Cycles by		
33736	Hydrological Extremes	Lancaster University	Unsuccessful
33742	ForestFire: Wildfire, global wood security, and conservation	University of Cambridge	Unsuccessful
33936	Viralis vitalis: Soil viral biodiversity and role in regulating microbial function	Bangor University	Successful
34133	Genome Diversity in the UK Flora, Fauna and Fungi	Natural History Museum	Unsuccessful
	Expecting the unexpected: understanding 'dangerous' volcanic eruptions		
34255	(INQUISITION)	University of Bristol	Successful
34266	Deep Earth learning: a modern re-evaluation of Earth's Interior	University College London	Unsuccessful
	Climate warming accelerates positive feedback through more efficient		
34603	methane production - ClimMeth	University of Warwick	Unsuccessful
34638	Forest Resilience Digital Twin Demonstrator (FReDo)	Forest Research	Unsuccessful
	Causes and consequences of Arctic Atlantification: Stronger storms impact ice,		
34791	ocean and ecosystems	Bangor University	Unsuccessful