

INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED STUDIES

**IAS Octagon Small Grants Fund**

**LONDON’S GLOBAL UNIVERSITY**

**APPLICATION FORM 2023-24**

**Personal Details**

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| First name:       | Surname:       |
| Department:       |
| Email:       |
| I am a research student [ ]  / early-career researcher [ ]  (the fund is only open to these groups) |

**Event Proposal**

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| Title:       |
| Date(s) of activity:       |
| Proposed activity (e.g. overview of activity, intended participants and audience):       |
| How is the activity interdisciplinary/ cross-departmental?       |
| How does the activity involve graduate students?       |
| How does the activity showcase A&H or SHS research?       |
| How does the activity help to build research autonomy and leadership skills for the applicant(s)?      |
| How does the activity engage with staff and students at other institutions?       |



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**Budget**

* **Up to £1500 is available per application.**
* **Applications may either fully fund an event or be linked to other applications for outside funding.**

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| Expected no. of attendees       | Expected total cost:       | Amount requested from Octagon Small Grants Fund (up to £1500):      |
| Breakdown of likely costs (e.g. refreshments, travel expenses):      |
| Alternative sources of funding applied for/secured (including amounts):       |

Octagon Small Grants funds are claimed **after** the research activity has taken place. In most cases, **your department** pays any upfront costs, which are then refunded via an internal transfer of monies after the event. **All monies must be spent and claimed by 31st July 2024.**

Please mark to confirm you have discussed this with your department: [ ]

Please confirm who in your department the IAS should liaise with to refund costs incurred.

Dept admin name or email address:

Please email your completed form to Lucy Stagg (lucy.stagg@ucl.ac.uk)