

**Imperial Global Connect Fund – Application Form**

*In the interests of fairness, please note:*

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* *You must not include additional documents or appendices in your submission.*
* *Sections marked \* must be completed.*

1. **Lead applicant \***

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| Name: |  |
| Email: |  |
| Position: |  |
| Department & Faculty: |  |
| I confirm I have read the [Imperial Global Connect Fund Guidance](https://www.imperial.ac.uk/media/imperial-college/administration-and-support-services/international-relations-office/public/Imperial-Global-Connect-Fund-Guidance.pdf) in full. | |
| I confirm that I am a current employee of Imperial College London, and that my employment contract does not end before the end date of my proposed project. | |

1. **Co-applicants**

Please give details of any co-applicants (either internal or external to Imperial). You may duplicate the table if you have more than two co-applicants.

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| Email: |  |
| Position: |  |
| Organisation: |  |
| Department & Faculty: |  |

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1. **External partners (outside of Imperial)**

Please state which external partners (if any) will be involved in the project. Please add extra rows if you have more than one partner.

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| Organisation name: |  | Location (City & Country): |  |

1. **Project focus \***

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| Please select which theme(s) your project falls under: | Interdisciplinary research consortia and convergence science  Innovation and enterprise activities  Education and student experience |

1. **Geographic scope \***

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| What is the geographic scope of your project? (Please state the countries / regions involved.) |  |

1. **Timeframe \***

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| Proposed start date: | DD/MMM/YYYY |
| Proposed duration (months): |  |

1. **Project plan \***

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| Project title (max 50 words): |  |

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| What are the goals of your project? What impact will it have? |
| Max 300 words |

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| How will you carry out the project? Please explain what activities your project will entail, including key milestones. |
| Max 200 words |

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| How will your project align with the themes of the Connect Fund and support Imperial Global’s international hub activities?  Please refer to the ‘Selection Process and Criteria’ in the [Guidance](https://www.imperial.ac.uk/media/imperial-college/administration-and-support-services/international-relations-office/Imperial-Global-Connect-Fund-Guidance.pdf). |
| Max 600 words |

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| Is this project supporting a new collaboration or existing collaboration? Please describe briefly. |
| Max 200 words |

1. **Alignment with broader strategies \***

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| How will your project help allow Imperial to meet its [equality, diversity and inclusivity ambitions](https://www.imperial.ac.uk/equality/governance-and-leadership/strategy/)? |
| Max 200 words |

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| How will your project align with Imperial’s [Sustainability Strategy](https://www.imperial.ac.uk/media/imperial-college/about/sustainability/Imperial_Sustainability_Strategy_2021-26.pdf)? Please note:   * All travel for in-person engagement must be justified by its alignment with programmes offering sustainable, long-term benefits. * Preparatory and exploratory engagement should be conducted online wherever possible to minimise environmental impact. |
| Max 200 words |

1. **Funding requested \***

Please include a thorough justification of the requested budget, including a detailed breakdown of costs (e.g. airfares, number of nights of accommodation and rate per night).

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| **Item** | **Details and Justification** | **Cost calculation** | **Total (GBP)** |
| Events & workshops (e.g. venue costs & catering) |  |  | £ |
| Travel, accommodation, and subsistence |  |  | £ |
| Proposal development to target external funding opportunities (e.g buyout of staff / student time) |  |  | £ |
| Student support costs (e.g., bursaries). |  |  | £ |
| Research consumables (up to 10% of the total budget) |  |  | £ |
| Small project-related equipment |  |  | £ |
| Other costs |  |  | £ |
| Total Funding Requested (GBP) | | | £ |

1. **Match funding \***

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| Have you identified any sources of match-funding (either internal or external to Imperial)? | Yes  No |
| If yes, please give details: | |
| Funder: |  |
| Amount: |  |
| Status: | Funding secured  Pending a decision  Not yet applied |
| Other comments: |  |

Please submit your completed application form to [globalseedfunds@imperial.ac.uk](mailto:globalseedfunds@imperial.ac.uk?subject=IG%20Connect%20Fund%20application) with the subject line ‘IG Connect Fund application’.

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