

SUMMER INSTITUTE 2022



THEME:

"The Future of the Academy: Skills for Transformative Pedagogy, Theory and Practice"

July 24 - August 6, 2022

Venue: Africa Centre of Excellence, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife. Nigeria/ ZOOM

Eligibility

1. Doctoral students and postdoctoral researchers in the humanities, social sciences, and STEM

2. Open to everyone, regardless of nationality

Application Requirements:

- One-page abstract of current/Proposed research (Not more than 500 words)
- Two-page abridged curriculum vitae

Deadline For Application

June 1st, 2022

IIAS Research Grants Competition, 2022

IIAS Research Grants are available for Fellows, Graduate or Early Career Researchers.

Application Guideline

To apply, click on the Google form link below:

http://forms.gle/L9ERCF13XmNz8jjk6

Cost:

NGN50,000 or \$120 (in-person attendance) NGN25,000 or \$50 (Virtual Attendance) Converner: Prof. Jacob K.Olupona (Harvard University)

For further information please Contact: Coordinators:

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Ife Institute of Advanced Studies invites applications from doctoral and postdoctoral scholars from any part of the world to attend the sixth Institute. The summer institute, hosted annually on the campus of Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria, will this year be in a hybrid format (both in-person and virtual). The goal of the Institute is to facilitate and foster innovative research among young scholars in the academy, particularly those in the humanities and social sciences, by exposing them to relevant theories, discourses, methods and pedagogies.

Ife Summer Institute has an international faculty and engages a wide range of themes and issues designed to stimulate and deepen the understanding of research, teaching and service missions in the academy.

The 2022 summer institute will focus on the challenges of doing research, creative epistemology and new forms of teaching in the light of the new normal, which necessitates adjusting to the constraints of the pandemic

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Grant Objective and Requirements:

From 2022, IIAS Research Grants will be awarded annually, by the sponsors, to IIAS Fellows (graduate or early career researcher) involved in promising ethnographic research in the field of humanities and social sciences. A total sum of \$2,500 (\$500 each) is available to be awarded in 2022 to five (5) successful recipients with the leading applications in the year's competition. Intellectual merit is the criterion by which proposals will be evaluated. Dissertation research qualifies for funding, as does postdoctoral research. Applicants MUST be current and incoming IIAS Fellows at the time of application.

What the IIAS Research Grants Do and Do Not Cover:

The IIAS Research Grants cover only direct research expenses, such as: (1) transportation expenses to conduct research; (2) data collection; (3) lodging; (4) purchase of books or periodicals.

They do not cover: (1) tuition fees for students; (2) salary or stipends for the researcher; (3) conference registration fees or travel costs to conferences; (4) or any other costs unrelated to the research.

Application Procedure:

Applications should include the following elements in a single MS Word or PDF document: 1)The applications should include an abstract of no more than 100 words.

- 2) A proposal statement of not more than 1,200 words which outlines the rationale and plan of research. It should have a descriptive title for the research project (e.g., "Faith, Politics and Corruption in Nigeria"), present a clear research question, review previous research and theory that forms the background for the study, describe the research method(s) that will be used to carry out the research as well as a research timeline, and summarize succinctly what the research aims to discover. The proposal should also include a statement of the applicant's qualifications to carry out the proposed research [Please keep your proposals free of jargon. While language specific to your research area or theoretical orientation may be necessary, please be sure that your proposal can be easily grasped by someone who does not work in your particular area].
- 3) A detailed, one-page budget. It should indicate the items for which the applicant is seeking funding, the amount it will cost (in USD or local currency equivalent) and the exact purposes for which it will be used. Applicants are advised to NOT include items in their proposed budget that IIAS Research Grants does not cover (see above).
- 4) A brief curriculum vitae (no more than 2 pages), and a current email address at which she/he can be contacted.

All applications, including the proposal, budget, c.v., and statement of qualifications, must be in English and submitted electronically as a single MS Word or PDF document to the IIAS email: iiasng.office@gmail.com with "2022 IIAS Research Grants Application" in the subject line. All application packages must be received by June 1, 2022.

Grant winners will be announced at the Summer Institute in July/August 2022.

Recipients are expected to:

- (1) complete their research before the 2023 Summer Institute;
- (2) at the end of the grant period, compose a Final Research Report in which they describe (a) the "Background" of their study, (b) the "Research Methods" employed, (c) the "Preliminary Findings," (d) the "Deliverables" (e.g. anticipated publication), and (e) how the funds were used:
- (3) must attend and present the research report during the 2023 IIAS Summer Institute.