UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ASIA

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Call for Research Proposals

Call opens: June 3, 2023
Deadline for submission: July 31, 2023
Send application package to: dmcar@southasiauni.ac.bd with the title
Call for Research proposals July'23. The Research Grant application
form is available here.

Required application instructions
Applicants need to follow the instructions provided in the University of
South Asia Research Grants Policy.

1. Background

The University of South Asia is committed to fostering research excellence and
promoting knowledge generation within the academic community. Recognizing
the importance of research in advancing understanding, solving complex
problems, and contributing to societal development, we are pleased to announce
the availability of research grants for students and faculty/staff of the University
of South Asia.

The University of South Asia has a rich and diverse academic environment, with
talented individuals engaged in a wide range of research areas. However, we
understand that financial constraints can often limit the pursuit of innovative
research projects. Therefore, we aim to provide support through research grants,

enabling students and faculty/staff to carry out high-quality research and contribute to the advancement of knowledge in their respective fields.

2. Objectives and Purpose

The purpose of the research grants include:

- Promote High-Quality Research: The program aims to encourage and support the undertaking of high-quality research projects by students and faculty/staff at the University of South Asia. We seek proposals that demonstrate intellectual rigor, innovative thinking, and potential for significant scholarly contributions.

- Foster Interdisciplinary Collaboration and Innovative Approaches: We encourage interdisciplinary research that transcends traditional boundaries, fostering collaborations between different departments, faculties, and disciplines. We welcome proposals that explore novel approaches, methodologies, and frameworks to address complex research questions.

- Address Societal Challenges: The research grants aim to support projects that have the potential to address key societal challenges, both locally and globally. We encourage proposals that demonstrate relevance to pressing social, economic, environmental, or technological issues, and provide insights that can contribute to effective solutions.

- Support Professional Development: The program intends to provide students and faculty/staff with opportunities for professional growth and skill enhancement. The research grants offer a platform for individuals to develop their research competencies, expand their networks, and build a robust research profile.

By supporting research endeavors at the University of South Asia, we strive to foster an environment conducive to intellectual curiosity, critical thinking, and knowledge creation. The research grants are designed to empower students and faculty/staff to pursue impactful research projects and contribute to the advancement of their respective fields of study.

Through this call for research proposals, we invite students and faculty/staff to submit their innovative and rigorous research proposals for funding consideration. Together, let us embark on a journey of exploration, discovery, and intellectual growth to make a meaningful impact on society.

3. Eligibility criteria

For students
- Must be currently enrolled in a degree program at the University of South Asia
- Demonstrated academic excellence and research potential
- Ability to commit the necessary time and resources to carry out the proposed research

For Faculty/staff
- Must be employed as faculty or staff at the University of South Asia.
- Track record of research publications and/or significant professional accomplishments
- Proposed research aligns with their area of expertise

4. Proposal Guidelines

Please follow the guidelines provided at the University of South Asia Research Grants Policy

5. Approval from the Institutional Review Board

All the research proposal must ensure ethical considerations and compliance with research standards. Therefore, prior to commencing the research project, it will be necessary to obtain approval from the Institutional Review Board (IRB).