

Application summary

Application title

This should be the title of the proposed topic to be covered during the secondment.

Name of administering organisation

Please enter the name of the organisation where you intend to hold the award. If your application is successful, this is the organisation that will be responsible for administering the award. Please note that this should be where your current salary/stipend funding is held (i.e. not the host organisation for your secondment).

Lead applicant's address at administering organisation

Department/Division

Organisation

Street

City/Town

Postcode/Zipcode

Country

Please enter the address where you are working at the administering organisation. If your application is successful, this is the address that will be used in the award letter.

Research funding area

Please select the research funding area for your application

This will help us to route your application to the appropriate grants team when it arrives at the Trust. Please select 'Medical Humanities' if your proposal uses a predominantly humanities approach. Please select 'Social Science and Bioethics' if your proposal uses a predominantly social science approach, or involves a normative, empirical or conceptual ethical enquiry.

Lead applicant

Lead applicant details

Full Name

Department

Division

Organisation

Address Line 1	
City/Town	
Postcode	
Country	
Telephone No.	
Email Address	

ORCID iD	
ORCID iD	

Lead applicants must add their ORCID iD. Find out more about ORCID on our website.

Career history (current/most recent first)				
From	To	Position	Organisation	

Please provide details of your current position (if applicable) and all previous posts held, listing most recent first.

Education/training				
From	To	Qualification	Subject	Organisation

Please provide details of relevant education/training, listing the most recent first.

Clinical status Do you have a medical/veterinary degree?	
<i>Please note that this includes dental and clinical psychology degrees.</i>	

Please specify

Are you clinically active?	
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What is your specialty?
<i>Please choose your specialty from the dropdown list – if it is not on the list, select 'Other' and specify.</i>

Please specify

Career breaks Have you had any career breaks or periods of part-time work, for example parental or long-term sick leave?	
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We encourage applications from researchers who have taken career breaks, and wish to ensure that any such breaks are duly taken into account when considering your track record. Please state when and for what period of time you took a break, or were working on a part-time basis.

Please provide details

Do you wish to undertake this award part time?

If you wish to undertake this award part time, you must be employed on a part-time basis. Please contact the Trust to discuss your requirements.

Career contributions

What are your most important research-related contributions to date? These may include contributions to health policy or practice, or to technology or product discovery and development. (350 words max.)

You might also detail relevant achievements outside of academia or in engagement. The examples you choose can be taken from any stage of your research career. In each case, please state what the achievement was, when it came about, why you think it is important and what impact it has had.

Personal statement

Describe how this Fellowship will further your research and career aspirations, and its context in your longer-term vision. (300 words max.)

You may wish to consider how this opportunity would develop your career prospects, shape your intellectual trajectory, inform your follow-on project, expose you to new ways of working, and develop new collaborations.

Research outputs

List up to 20 of your most significant research outputs, ensuring that at least five of these are from the last five years. For 10 of these outputs, provide a statement describing their significance and your contribution (up to 50 words per output).

Research outputs may include (but are not limited to):

- Peer-reviewed publications and preprints
- Policy guidelines or briefings

- Datasets, software and research materials
- Inventions, patents and commercial activity

For original research publications indicate those arising from Wellcome-funded grants in **bold**, and provide the PubMed Central ID (PMCID) reference for each of these. Please refer to guidance notes.

Publications should be in chronological order with the most recent first. Please give citation in full, including title of paper and all authors. Citations to preprints should state "Preprint", the repository name and the articles persistent identifier (e.g DOI).*

*(*All authors, unless more than 10, in which case please use 'et al', ensuring that your position as author remains clear.)*

You may include here other significant research outputs, e.g. patents and software. You should include here systematic reviews (e.g. Cochrane Reviews) and meta analyses, but exclude abstracts and literature reviews. We encourage the inclusion of articles published via open research publishing platforms, such as Wellcome Open Research, providing they have passed peer review.

Preprints, i.e. complete manuscripts that have been submitted to a preprint repository or service (e.g. bioRxiv, PeerJ Preprints, arXiv, SocArXiv or PsyArXiv), can be included only if they have a permanent identifier such as a DOI or arXiv identifier.

The Wellcome Trust's open access policy requires all original peer-reviewed research papers, supported in whole or in part by Trust funding, to be made available through PubMed Central (PMC) and Europe PMC as soon as possible and in any event within six months of the journal publisher's official date of final publication.

The PubMed Central ID (PMCID) is the unique identifier assigned to every full text paper in PubMed Central (PMC) and Europe PMC.

Please note that:

We actively monitor compliance with our open access policy and successful applicants will be asked to provide a full list of all their Wellcome-funded research papers, and confirm compliance by providing the PMCID identifier for these, before the award letter can be issued.

For further guidance, please refer to the Trust's open access policy statement and authors' information

Total number of peer-reviewed publications which you have authored/co-authored. Please exclude abstracts and literature reviews.

You should include here systematic reviews and meta analyses. We encourage the inclusion of articles published via open research publishing platforms, such as Wellcome Open Research, providing they have passed peer review.

Letter of support from applicant's current sponsor or supervisor

Please upload the letter of support

The letter of support should be uploaded to the system and show clearly the sponsor's (or supervisor's) name, position and address.

Project summary

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Please provide a summary of your proposed project, including key goals (200 words max.)

This will be used as a short form 'abstract' and is necessary to enable the Trust to classify your proposal by subject area. This synopsis may be disclosed on the Wellcome Trust website and may be used for other publishing purposes. For all our awards, we publish the synopsis as part of the grant details made available externally.

The summary should be as complete as possible within the word limit, and should include key words which best describe the proposal to enable text searching.

Lay summary

Please provide a summary of your proposed research that people who may not be familiar with the subject can understand. We may edit your summary and then use it to describe your research on our website and elsewhere.

You don't need to oversimplify your research, but try to explain it as clearly as possible. You should write in the first person ("I" and "we") and structure your summary in this order:

- *background to the research problem*
- *your approach*
- *expected impact of your work.*

Example of a lay summary

Complete diagnostic autopsies (CDA) remain the gold standard for determining cause of death, but performing them in low- and middle-income countries (LMICs) is challenging. Facilities are inadequate, skilled staff scarce and public acceptance low. A minimally invasive autopsy (MIA) procedure involving organ-directed sampling has been proposed as an alternative. Oxford University Clinical Research Unit (OUCRU) is evaluating the use of MIA in Vietnam, but the method's ultimate effectiveness will depend on its public reception. The public view on post mortem examinations and consent for them are complex and under-researched. I will use interviews, focus groups and participant observations to assess the practice and perceptions of autopsy in Vietnam and Nepal. I will investigate socio-cultural factors surrounding these perceptions and explore ethical barriers preventing autopsy uptake. I will try to determine whether MIA may be more acceptable than traditional forms of post mortem. I will then work alongside clinicians to develop more culturally sensitive and appropriate methods of obtaining consent to autopsy.

Details of project

Do you propose to work with a Wellcome partner organisation (the Parliamentary Office of Science and Technology (POST), the Science Museum Group, the World Health Organization (WHO) or the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD))?

You can propose to work at either an existing Wellcome partner organisation or an alternative organisation.

If you are proposing an alternative organisation, a letter of support from that organisation is required.

Wellcome partner organisations

Please specify which Wellcome partner organisation(s) you are interested in. **You can state up to three preferences in priority order.**

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Other organisations (see our website) You may nominate a different non-academic organisation to work with. State the name of the organisation below.

Letter of support Please upload a letter of support from the organisation you have nominated.
<i>The letter of support must show clearly the organisation's name and address. It should explain how your secondment will enrich the work of the organisation and how they will support you.</i>
<i>If you are proposing to work at an existing Wellcome partner organisation, a letter of support is not required.</i>

Details of project Please provide a summary of a proposed topic for your secondment. The summary should demonstrate: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• why you think this subject would be of particular interest to the proposed organisation;• how the training you have received and your research to date will help you to carry out this work;• your ability to write in a style suitable for a non-academic audience. No more than 1,000 words should be used.
<i>No more than 1,000 words should be used to describe the proposal in total. You may provide your answer to this question in text entry format or as a PDF attachment. If you are uploading your proposal, the uploaded document must be in 11 point Arial font and portrait format.</i>
<i>You must provide all information pertinent to your grant proposal within the application form (it is not acceptable to refer to additional unpublished information on personal websites).</i>

(1000 words max.)

Costs requested

Please select the currency in which you wish to apply.
<i>Applications should be costed in the same currency as that of the award that funds your current salary/stipend. If you</i>

need any advice, please contact the Trust.

Is the selected currency your local currency?

What is your local currency?

Please state clearly the reasons for requesting costs in the selected currency and the exchange rate used (100 words max.)

Salary/stipend

Are you requesting a salary/stipend?

Please refer to guidance notes and definition of terms for further details

Please detail the salary or stipend requested for the applicant only.

Definition of terms

Staff category: For example: "Wellcome Trust Fellow", "Wellcome Trust Doctoral Student".

Salary grade/scale: The national or local salary grade/scale on which the individual will be employed.

If a stipend, enter "Studentship stipend".

Basic starting salary: Annual salary to be paid to the individual for the period of the secondment, exclusive of any allowances for which the individual is eligible. If the post is part time, the annual salary should be quoted on a pro rata basis.

If a stipend, enter the annual stipend amount.

Total cost on grant: Total cost of the post, inclusive of any locally-recognised allowances (e.g. London allowance), employer's contributions and increments, for the period of the secondment. This total should include known pay awards that will take place (or an assumed percentage, equivalent to the Wellcome Trust's current inflation rate, where the scheduled pay award has not yet been confirmed).

Employer's contributions should include any statutory obligations (e.g. for the UK, National Insurance contributions) and contributions towards an organisational pension scheme.

If a stipend, please enter the total stipend cost for the period of the secondment.

Salaries / Stipends

Staff category	Name (if known)	Basic starting salary (p.a.)	Salary grade / scale	Period on project (months)	% time	Total

Travel and subsistence

Are you requesting travel and subsistence?

You may request travel and subsistence costs associated with spending time at the host partner organisation during the secondment period, e.g. temporary relocation/accommodation costs, commuting expenses.

Travel and subsistence

Description	Total

Freedom to operate/conflicts of interest

Describe any freedom to operate issues or potential conflicts of interest that have been identified or that might arise and how these will be or have been addressed.

In particular, please consider the following:

- Do any of the individuals involved in the project hold any consultancies or equities in, or directorships of, companies or other organisations that might have an interest in the results of the proposed activity?
- Will the proposed activity use technology, materials or other inventions that are subject to any patents or other form of intellectual property protection?
- Will any element of the activity be subject to agreements with commercial, academic or other organisations, including arrangements with collaborators named in the grant application, that might lead to intellectual property issues or restrictions?

(350 words max.)

Please describe any freedom to operate issues or potential conflicts of interest that may affect your ability to carry out the proposed activity and/or to comply with the Trust's grant conditions.

Where the proposed activity, in whole or in part, is subject to agreements with commercial, academic or other organisations, e.g. Materials Transfer Agreements, the Wellcome Trust will expect a written assurance from the administering organisation that the terms of any such agreement do not conflict with the Trust's grant conditions.

Please refer to the Wellcome Trust's website for our policy on the relationship between Trust-funded researchers and commercial entities: www.wellcome.ac.uk/funding/managing-grant/policy-relationships-between-trust-funded-researchers-and-commercial-organisations.

Details of our policy on intellectual property can be found in our Grant Conditions www.wellcome.ac.uk/funding/managing-grant/grant-conditions.

Applicants should disclose all relevant information pertinent to their grant proposal, including proprietary information where appropriate, in order to provide the most comprehensive picture of the proposed activity.

If no issues have been identified, please enter N/A.

Wellcome Trust supported facilities

Will the project be based in one of the following Wellcome Trust supported facilities:

- the Wellcome Trust Sanger Institute
- a Wellcome Trust Centre
- an Africa and Asia Programme
- the Francis Crick Institute?

We are interested to find out about Trust-funded projects based in these facilities and wish to collect this data for information purposes.

Please specify

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