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<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding>

1. **Institute Seminar**
Sir Ian Boyd - Building Research Culture to Promote Research Integrity

Sir Ian Boyd, the Chair of the UK Research and Integrity Office will be visiting Norwich on 9th March when he will be giving a seminar: "Building Research Culture to Promote Research Integrity". This will be held at 2pm in the JIC Conference Centre Auditorium and is open to all on the NRP
Date: Monday 09 March 2020 - 14:00
JIC Conference Centre Auditorium

2. Eastern ARC Fund

Eastern ARC (Universities of East Anglia, Essex and Kent) has set up the Eastern ARC Fund to support collaboration between two or more of the partner universities in meeting the UN's Sustainable Development Goals. Eligible activity includes: pilot projects; visits and exchanges; workshops, sandpits and other events.

Awards up to £2K, £5K or £10K depending on activity

Deadline: open

<http://easternarc.ac.uk/eastern-arc-fund/>

3. UEA GCRF Rapid Response Funds

Supports activities to leverage the research excellence at UEA for impact in the developing world. Must comply with Official Development Assistance (ODA) requirements.

Deadlines: TBC

<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding/uea-gcrf-rapid-response-fund>

4. UEA GCRF Vice-Chancellor's Fellowships Scheme

This provides the opportunity for international researchers to spend between 3-6 months at UEA, to advance longer-term interdisciplinary collaborations and to undertake training activities to support their career development. Must comply with Official Development Assistance (ODA) requirements.

Deadlines: TBC

<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding/uea-v-c-s-global-challenges-research-fellowships>

5. UEA Industrial Strategy Proof of Concept Fund

To support the scoping of ideas and innovations of relevance to the Four Grand Challenges (AI and the digital economy, Future of Mobility, Clean Growth, Ageing Society) of the Industrial Strategy to increase the likelihood of a successful commercial outcome Awards up to £20K.

Deadlines: various deadline throughout the year

<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding/i-s-funding>

6. UEA Industrial Strategy Development Fund

Follow-on-funding to support the further development of innovation projects of relevance to the Four Grand Challenges (AI and the digital economy, Future of Mobility, Clean Growth, Ageing Society) of the Industrial Strategy. Typically awards between £20K and £50K.

Deadlines: various deadline throughout the year

<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding/i-s-funding>

7. UEA Academic Secondment to Business Fund

To support academic secondments to business of relevance to the Four Grand Challenges (AI and the digital economy, Future of Mobility, Clean Growth, Ageing Society) of the Industrial Strategy. Requests from early career stage researchers are welcome. Awards up to £30K.

Deadline: Open.

<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding/uea-academic-secondment-to-business-fund>

8. External business Visit to UEA Fund

To support visits to UEA from an external business of relevance to the Four Grand Challenges (AI and the digital economy, Future of Mobility, Clean Growth, Ageing Society) of the Industrial Strategy.

Applications are particularly welcome for visitors who might be able to facilitate multiple interactions across a number of different research groups. Awards up to £5K.

Deadline: Open.

<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding/uea-external-business-visit-fund>

9. UEA Industrial Strategy Seedcorn Fund

To fund a range of activities that could support UEA's response to the Industrial Strategy but will be primarily focused on developing multi-disciplinary activities. Eligible activity could include support for a meeting drawing together researchers from different disciplines to consider one of the Four Grand

Challenges (AI and the digital economy, Future of Mobility, Clean Growth, Ageing Society) or pump priming for multi-disciplinary collaborations.

Deadline: Open.

<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding/uea-industrial-strategy-seedcorn-fund>

10. UEA Continuing Professional Development Fund

To support the development of new CPD programmes and packages, run through the CPD Executive. Awards up to £5K.

Deadline: Open

<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding/cpd-development-fund1>

11. UEA Enabling Innovation: From Research to Application (EIRA) Fund

Eastern ARC (Universities of East Anglia, Essex and Kent) has been awarded funding by Research England's Connecting Capability Fund to support business innovation in Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex and Kent for artificial intelligence, biotech and digital creative. A range of funding opportunities is available for UEA researchers and businesses active in the New Anglia and South East Local Enterprise Partnerships interested in working together. Examples include: innovation vouchers and R&D grants.

Deadline: Various depending on EIRA intervention.

<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding/eira-funding>

12. UEA Innovation Proof of Concept Fund

To support the scoping of ideas and innovations to increase the likelihood of a successful commercial outcome. Awards up to £20K.

Deadlines: various deadline throughout the year

<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding/proof-of-concept-fund>

13. UEA Innovation Development Fund

Follow-on-funding to support the further development of innovation projects. Typically awards between £20K and £50K.

Deadlines: various deadline throughout the year

<https://portal.uea.ac.uk/rin/find-funding/uea-and-uea-managed-funding/idf>

Research Grants

1. Department of Health & Social Care including NIHR

Public Health Intervention Responsive Studies Teams Call for Local Authority Initiatives

This aims to identify and prioritise local authority initiatives that have the potential to impact on health, and which require research input. All research costs are fully funded, but funding is not provided for the costs of delivering the initiative.

Deadline: 05 May 2020 (expressions of interest due by 1pm)

<https://www.nihr.ac.uk/funding/public-health-intervention-responsive-studies-teams-phirst/24248>

2. JPI More Years, Better Lives

COMING SOON: ISCF Joint call – Equality and Wellbeing across Generations

This opportunity will be available soon. The next call is expected to open on 6 April 2020. The following information is subject to change. This call supports European and Canadian transnational collaborations aiming to enhance our understanding of the effects of demographic changes on the contract between generations and on societal inequalities.

Deadline: unknown

<https://www.jp-demographic.eu/calls/fourth-call/>

3. Research England

Research England Development Fund

This supports innovation in research and knowledge exchange in higher education. Grants are usually worth at least £100,000 each.

Deadline: none (you can apply for this opportunity at any time)

<http://re.ukri.org/finance/apply-for-funding/research-england-development-red-fund/>

Travel, Conference & Dissemination Grants

1. British Council

Alliance Hubert Curien Programme

This encourages reciprocal mobility between early-career researchers in the UK and France, leading to closer collaboration on existing research projects as well as strengthening connections that could lead to more Franco-British collaboration on future projects. Grants are worth up to £2,240 per year for two years.

Deadline: 04 May 2020 (applications due by 11.59pm)

<https://www.britishcouncil.fr/en/programmes/education/higher-education/alliance>

2. Department of Health & Social Care including NIHR

Global Health Research Presentation and Training Travel Award Pilot

This enables global health research NIHR academy members to travel to another part of the programmes within the UK or overseas to undertake personalised presentation, training and networking experience. Grants are worth up to £3,500 each over up to two weeks.

Deadline: 24 July 2020 (applications due by 24 July 2020; and between 24 August 2020 and 24 January 2021. Deadlines on: 24 July 2020, 24 January 2021)

<https://www.nihr.ac.uk/funding/global-health-research-presentation-and-training-travel-award-pilot/24195>

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