

**Institute of Advanced Studies Workshops 2020/21: Scheme Notes and Proposal Form**

The Institute for Global Innovation and Institute of Advanced studies are pleased to make support available to University of Birmingham researchers to bring together expertise from across the breadth of our university. **During restricted campus operations we would like to continue to support your ideas through on-line workshops with a view to hosting an ‘in person’ event once we are able to.** Topics should be interdisciplinary, and include substantial input from at least two Colleges. Consideration should be given to what might eventually be the benefits to UoB in terms of engagement, impact, high quality publications and grant income generation.

**Deadlines are October 26 and December 14 2020.** Contact Sue Gilligan if you would like to discuss the planning of the proposal. Sue will also be pleased to help develop contacts across Colleges.

We are looking for the best ways to support collaborative research events and once approved there will be a discussion on the best format and support for the workshop, which may include note takers or visualisation/graphic recording.

The IGI/IAS seeks to build on the experiences of our funded researchers and applicants are invited to join our UoB interdisciplinary network and contribute to events, meetings and our Interdisciplinary Research Workshops.

Completed applications should be emailed to Alex Young **A.J.Young.2@bham.ac.uk** and Sue Gilligan**s.gilligan@bham.ac.uk**

**Applicant Details:**

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| **Name** |  |
| **Position** |  |
| **School** |  |
| **College** |  |
| **Contact details (email/phone)** |  |
| **Details of any successful or****pending internal funding bids related to the proposed workshop.** |  |

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| **Workshop Title:** |  |
| **When ideally would an on-line workshop take place?** |  |
| **Would you like to plan to follow up with an in-person event?** |  |

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| **Head of School** |  |
| **Confirmation HoS approval has been obtained? (Yes/ No)** |  |
| **Date** |  |
| **Additional comments** |  |

1. Academic rationale for the workshop. *Indicative maximum 500 words*

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| * Please consider how this workshop will advance collaborative research which draws upon knowledge, techniques and methodologies from more than one discipline.
* Will this workshop help break down any recognised barriers in working across relevant disciplines? If so, please specify how this will take place.
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2. Follow on activities

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| * Follow on Funds of up to £10,000 are available to develop activity and ideas arising from the workshop. We strongly encourage workshop leaders to consider the opportunities these funds present.
* Applications would be expected within six months of the workshop (online or in-person).

If you are interested in applying for Follow-On funding, please provide details of your:* Plans for developing the workshop collaboration into ongoing research
* Intended Follow-On activities (e.g. funding applications, joint publications)
* Outline plans for funding applications, including details of potential funding bodies

There will be a greater likelihood of an in-person workshop being organised after the online event if there is a clear plan for Follow-On activities. |
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1. Internal attendees.

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1. External attendees - academic and other external stakeholders.

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| Workshop leaders are encouraged to draw on the relevant expertise of UoB alumni. Please note below the names of any appropriate alumni, if known/appropriate. |
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