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Fellowship

Fellowships for Early-Career Researchers



Start Here

The form must be completed **online**. You can prepare your answers on the sample application sheet, and fill in the online form once you have finalised your proposal.

The Call for Proposals documentation - including the Applicant Guidelines and FAQs - can be downloaded from the British Council [website](#)

Application Name (use the format provided in the field help text)

How did you hear about the Wohl Clean Growth Alliance Call for Proposals?

Select all that are relevant:

- ☐ Through a conference or event
- ☐ Through my institution's research office
- ☐ Through British Council communications
- ☐ Through social media
- ☐ By word of mouth
- ☐ Other

If you selected 'Other', please specify: (optional)

Eligibility

If you are uncertain about any aspect of eligibility, please contact the British Council by emailing israelscience@britishcouncil.org and copy Rawan.Abulafi@britishcouncil.org.il, clearly marking the subject line as “Eligibility Query”.

Please note that the British Council is unable to comment on the scientific or conceptual content of the proposals. It can only respond to queries related to eligibility and technical matters.

- 1. The calls are open to PhD students and postdoctoral researchers. Postdoctoral researchers should have been awarded their PhD not more than 10 years prior to applying. Allowances can be made for career breaks or other extenuating circumstances.
- 2.Fellowship applicants must be early career researchers from Israel or the UK, intending to visit a lab in a research institution in the UK or in Israel.
- 3.Mobility applicants must be early career researchers from Israel or the UK, intending to conduct a short visit to a department or lab, participate in a conference, a course, an exchange visit to a laboratory or other visits where it can be shown to be of value for increasing the applicant's involvement and knowledge in the priority areas.
- 4.There is no requirement for applicants to be nationals of the UK or Israel; they need to be affiliated with a UK or Israeli institution.
- 5.Individuals connected to other Wohl Clean Growth Alliance Grants are eligible to apply, but not with the same project or partner.
- 6.Applicants and their hosts must hold a position in research institutions or academic institutions in the UK or in Israel, that are officially recognised by both countries¹.
- 7.The Fellowships will fund a visit from the UK to Israel or vice versa. We do not expect reciprocal visits.
- 8.Only fellowship applications that have been jointly endorsed by heads of research groups or heads of departments in both the applicants home and host institutions will be considered.
- 9.Multiple applications from laboratories / departments / institutions are acceptable; however, individuals may submit only one application at a time. Duplicate applications will not be eligible, even if they are to different host institutions.
- 9.Preference will be given for new collaborations although individuals involved in existing cooperations will be considered.
- 10.Applications to extend visits or to bridge research visits funded by other organisations will not be considered.
- 11.Applications to visit the laboratory, institute, or department in which the applicant obtained their PhD or to work again with the candidate's PhD supervisor will not be considered.
- 12.All visits must be completed by 30 March 2028
- ☐ The proposal meets the above Eligibility Criteria

If you have any comments regarding your answer above, you may elaborate here: (optional)

500 words

- ☐ **All the applying parties acknowledge** that the eligibility of this proposal will be assessed by the call administrators after submission and following the application deadline.
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Research Focus and Priorities

Proposals will be assessed on scientific excellence, novelty, potential impact, and relevance to the call priorities.

Eligible Subject Areas

These subject areas are broader in nature and ensure the call remains open to a wide range of relevant research, while maintaining coherence with the program's overarching goals.

- ☐ Climate
- ☐ Agriculture
- ☐ Aquaculture
- ☐ Food
- ☐ Waste
- ☐ Policy-making
- ☐ Energy
- ☐ Water
- ☐ Built environment
- ☐ Other

Please choose one or more subject areas that your project proposal covers. Proposals must address at least one of these subject areas; addressing more than one is also welcome.

If you selected 'Other', please specify:

250 words

Part 1: Contact Details

- Proposals must include full contact details of the applicant
- Please read the call for proposals PDF for further guidance on this application.
- For enquiries, please email israelscience@britishcouncil.org

Applicant Details

Institution Location:

- ☐ UK
- ☐ Israeli

Title:

(e.g., Dr., Prof., Mr., Ms.)

First Name:

Surname:

Position:

Institution:

Department:

Date of PhD award (if relevant) (optional)

Contact Phone Number:

Email Address:

Professional Website Address:

LinkedIn profile or the official institute's laboratory or department webpage.

Have you previously been involved with the Wohl Clean Growth Alliance as a grantee, delegate, or partner in any project?

☐ yes

☐ No

Current Activity Summary:

300 words

Provide a brief indication of your career plans and prospects.

300 words

Sociodemographic Information

The following questions are intended solely for monitoring and evaluation purposes.

We kindly request that this information be provided for the applicant.

All responses will remain confidential and will have no bearing on the assessment of the proposal.

Gender:

- ☐ Female
- ☐ Male
- ☐ Prefer not to say

Do you identify as having a disability, impairment, or/and chronic illness?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Prefer not to say

Part 2: Project Overview

Please provide a description of your visit.

Visit Details

Visit Title:

Destination of your visit:

Visit Dates:

Visits must end by 31 March 2028.
Extenuating circumstances will be considered

Duration of your visit

Estimated Start Date: (DD/MM/YYYY)

Estimated End Date: (DD/MM/YYYY)

Amount Requested

Please consult the call for proposals to calculate how much you can claim for your visit in USD.

Activity Summary:

150 words

Please provide details of the activity you wish to undertake in lay language. This should be a statement for a non-specialist lay audience about the research and its potential benefits. We may use the summary for reporting and communication materials.

Activity Details:

500 words

Please provide details of the activity you wish to undertake, including details of the host, group, and lab you wish to visit; the activities you will undertake in the lab; the new techniques or research methods you will acquire; the facilities, resources, tools, or archives you wish to access; and events you may participate in.

Visit Objectives:

300 words

Expected Outputs and Outcomes:

300 words

What outputs and outcomes do you foresee emanating from the activity? For example, development of a new dataset, acquiring new knowledge and skills, establishment of collaboration between groups with specific targets, organisation of an event, presentation at a conference, etc.

Career Advancement:

300 words

How does your proposal align with the call's scope and focus areas?

300 words

Please briefly explain the relevance of your proposal and indicate which specific focus areas it addresses, if applicable.

Enhancing Collaborative Links:

150 words

Detail how this visit will further collaboration links between both countries.

Fellowship Funding

- Funding can be requested for **up to US\$3,000 per month**, for a total of up to three months.

Mobility Funding

- Funding can be requested for **up to US\$2,000 per visit**, for a total of up to two weeks.

Please consult the call for proposals to calculate how much you can claim for your visit in USD.

Project Budget Outline:

300 words

Please outline your project's budget. Provide a breakdown of how this grant will be used. If there are other sources of funding for this project, please specify funders and amounts (confirming if confirmed or potential). Include in-kind support, such as institutional contributions such as staff time, free facilities hire, etc. Reporting on this will be required if successful.

Value and Funding Impact

300 words

What value will be added by this funding? Is this project part of an existing programme or collaboration? Will this project or any part of it proceed without this grant? If so, what difference will this grant make?

Part 4: Supporting Documents

Applications must include:

- Short CV of up to 2 pages for both the applicant and the host
- Institutional support letter signed by the Head of Institution, Head of Department, or other person with appropriate delegated authority expressing support for to the fellowship.
- A letter of support from the host institution, or an invitation to present at a conference, event, or institution the applicant intends to visit.

