

Application for the 2014 African Doctoral Dissertation Research Fellowship

INSTRUCTIONS

Please read all the instructions carefully and complete all sections.

1. The application form must be submitted in Microsoft Word. It must be completed in **Times New Roman font, size 12, and should be single-spaced.** Applicants should save their file using the following format: lastname_firstname_addrf2014.doc
2. Incomplete applications and applications that do not meet formatting requirements (including page limits) will not be reviewed
3. Together with this application form, an complete application package should include:
 - a. Evidence that the research protocol has undergone ethical review and received approval from an ethical review board or the dissertation committee. **If ethical approval is still pending, provide an official letter from your institution indicating that your protocol has been submitted to a review board and that protocol approval is still pending**
 - b. Proof of citizenship or permanent residence in a sub-Sahara African country (passport or other national identification);
 - c. Two letters of reference (one of which must come from the primary supervisor of your thesis)
4. Applicants must ensure that scanned copies of any documents are legible
5. All application materials must be received by **March 20, 2014** for the application to be considered.
6. **This application form and supporting documents must be submitted** in a single email to 2014addrf@aphrc.org
7. **Your referees should email reference letters directly to the ADDRf Manager at 2014addrf@aphrc.org.** Reference letters should be addressed to:

The ADDRf Manager
 African Population and Health Research Center
 APHRC Campus, Manga Close off Kirawa Road
 PO Box 10787 – 00100, Nairobi, Kenya
 Tel: +254 20 400 1000 / +254 20 266 2244 /+254 20 266 2255
 Mobile : +254 722 205-933 / 720 098-388 / 733 410-102
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The name of the applicant should be included in the email subject line

PERSONAL DETAILS

Name of applicant:	Click here to enter text.
Address:	Click here to enter text.
Telephone number:	Click here to enter text.
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Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY):	Click here to enter a date.
Nationality:	Click here to enter text.

DETAILS OF DOCTORAL STUDIES

University and Faculty	Click here to enter text.
Title of Thesis/Dissertation	Click here to enter text.
Full time/Part time Study	Click here to enter text.
Name of Supervisors and department or agency affiliation	Click here to enter text.
When will/did the research begin?	Click here to enter text.
When do you expect to graduate? (MM/YYYY)	Click here to enter text.
Has your primary supervisor reviewed this application?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> (Click on the relevant box to insert an “x”)

PREVIOUS APPLICATIONS TO THE ADDRf PROGRAM

If you have previously applied for a fellowship you must complete the section below.

Year(s) you applied	Click here to enter text.
How does this application differ from your previous application(s) (no more than 100 words)	Click here to enter text.

OUTLINE OF PROPOSED RESEARCH

1. Specific Aims. List the research questions, hypotheses, and/or objectives. Provide a concise description of what the research described in your application intends to accomplish (Maximum 1 page).														
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2. Background and Significance. Present the background to the proposed research and include a critical evaluation of existing knowledge. Explain how this research advances existing knowledge. <u>All applications must describe the policy relevance of their research project (Maximum 3 pages).</u>														
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3. Research Design and Methods. Describe the project design and the procedures to be used to accomplish the specific aims of the project. Both qualitative and quantitative studies will be considered. Details on sampling procedures should be included. (Maximum 6 pages).														
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4. References. Provide a list of all references cited in sections 1-3 above (The reference list is not included in the page limits AND should not include any references not cited in the relevant sections)														
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5. Budget. Provide a budget detailing items that the grant would fund <u>together with a budget justification</u> . Also highlight any other sources of funding you may have received relating to your dissertation work. The budget should not exceed \$10 000. This amount will include a completion award of \$ 1,000; allowances for a laptop computer and analytical software (e.g. STATA, SPSS, Nudist, Atlas/ti) (US\$ 1,500); research/data collection (US\$ 5,500); and participation in one regional or international conference or workshop (US\$ 2,000). Note: Applicants should indicate whether any part of their research is covered by other grants and should provide information on the funding source and what is covered (including amounts) under other funding sources.														
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6. Other sources of support: Indicate whether you have requested / received other sources of support for this project or if you plan to apply for other funding sources in the future														
Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> (Click on the relevant box to insert an “x”)														
7. Available Funds: Please indicate the total amount of additional money (or in-kind support) which may contribute to the planned project (excluding current application).														
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8. Budget Justification (Maximum 1 page)
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9. Timeline to completion. Provide a detailed plan for completing the dissertation. The period should not be longer than 24 months after the award. The timeline should clearly show how far along the research has come and what portions of it remain to be completed.
<i>Applicants should complete the attached Microsoft Excel sheet</i>

STATEMENT OF RESEARCH INTERESTS

Provide a statement of future research interests and career plans (maximum 1 page)

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Note: Preference is given to younger applicants; therefore, applicants older than 45 years of age should also provide justification in this section why they should be considered for the fellowship

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