**LSE SEAC PhD Support Fund**

**Application Form**

**APPLICANT DETAILS**

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| **Forename(s)** |  |
| **Surname** |  |
| **Email** |  |
| **Department** |  |
| **PhD Programme**  |  |
| **Year of Study** |  |
| **Have you done your upgrade? (if not, write your planned upgrade date)** |  |

**DETAILS OF PHD PROJECT**

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| **Thesis title** |  |
| **Supervisor** |  |
| **Destination of proposed fieldwork** |  |
| **Amount of funding applying for (maximum £2,000)** |  |

**PROPOSAL**

Proposed Fieldwork Period

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| Start date: End date: |

Summary of thesis (including aims, research questions, theoretical framework, methodology, a description of the fieldwork; 1,500 words max, excluding references)

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**BREAKDOWN AND JUSTIFICATION OF THE ANTICIPATED RESEARCH COSTS**

**(maximum 1 page)**

Acceptable categories are research related travel, accommodation and subsistence, and local research-related services such as transcription or translation. Ineligible expenses include: conference attendance, salaries, physical infrastructure, vehicle purchase, permanent resources, large equipment, institutional overheads and endowments.

However, under the Covid-19 pandemic circumstances, if alternative arrangements are made to conduct ‘remote fieldwork’, acceptable categories would cover research related expenses such as acquisition of local archives, any assistance fees (e.g., translation), acquisition of data, purchase or lease of specialist software. Please consult SEAC Centre Manager if you require any clarification of acceptable expense categories.

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**STATEMENT OF SUPPORT FROM PHD SUPERVISOR\***

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\* Supervisor statement can be sent separately to seac.admin@lse.ac.uk

Supervisor’s signature and date:

**APPLICANT’S DECLATION**

In typing my name below, I show that I have read the call for application of SEAC PhD Support Scheme on SEAC website and agree to abide by these conditions.

I understand that if I awarded a grant, I shall be required to write a fieldwork report and submit a blog post for LSE Field Research Method Lab blog (<https://blogs.lse.ac.uk/fieldresearch/>).

Applicant’s signature and date:

**Please submit the completed form along with a *two-page CV* via email to SEAC Centre Manager:** **seac.admin@lse.ac.uk**