Going Global Partnership Programme

InterLinks

UK-Kazakhstan Small Grants Scheme for TNE strategy design

2023, Round III

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Application Form

Please complete this application form jointly with your partner. Information on the application process is described in the **Guidelines**.

The UK university should submit the full proposal by **30 July 2023, 23.59** **(Astana, Kazakhstan time)** via email to: Nadia.Trubova@britishcouncil.org.

Applications received after this deadline will not be accepted.

* + - 1. **Information about the applicant and partners**
	1. **Contact information**

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| Institution’s name | Name and Role in the University | Email | Phone number |
| UK: |  |  |  |
| Kazakhstan: |  |  |  |

* 1. **Background information (300 words)***Please provide brief information on relevant experience in establishing or working with transnational education.*
	2. **Staff expertise (300 words)***Briefly highlight the staff to be involved in the project.*
		+ 1. **Project Activity Plan***The outcome should be focused on a bilateral strategy between the UK and Kazakhstan for a specific transnational tool or product, be it a joint programme (academic course, dual awards, faculty staff and/or student mobility, research project, etc.) or delivery via a partner institution or establishing a campus.*

*The strategy should include the following:*

* *Introduction and intent*
* *Capacity description (both partners – faculty capacity, facilities, student potential, etc.)*
* *Needs analysis (where the gaps are, provide some statistics on the university needs)*
* *Points of common interest*
* *Routes for development of a transnational education tool*
* *Timeline, responsible people, needed resources (action plan)*

*In order to describe the above-mentioned, please ensure that you plan your activities and budget accordingly.*

*The plan should include activities for a thorough analysis of needs and capacities, resources of both partner universities involved, market research and other activities to find matching areas of interest and information for the strategy design.*

**2.1 Summary of your project plan – what do you want to achieve (100 words)**

**2.2 The activities should be implemented between 1 September 2023 and 29 February *2024, with the final report to be submitted by 31 March 2024.***

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| Month | Activity Summary | Outcome | Lead Partner |
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* + - 1. **Budget**

*Based on the eligible costs identified, please provide a clear and realistic budget plan for the project delivery and indicate what will be spent in the UK and what in the programme country (please insert new lines if needed).*

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| Item | Units | Cost per unit | Total cost | UK / Kaz Cost |
| Staff | Hours/days |  |  | UK |
| Interpretation |  |  |  | UK |
| Consultancy |  |  |  | UK |
| Staff |  |  |  | KAZ |
| Interpretation |  |  |  | KAZ |
| Consultancy |  |  |  | KAZ |

* + - 1. **Risk and mitigation plan (300 words)** *Please identify your risk assessment and mitigation plan.*

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We expect our partners to familiarise themselves with these polices and adhere to them while designing the proposal and implementing the project.