



TRINITY COLLEGE DUBLIN, THE UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

Trinity Research in Social Sciences (TRiSS)

Academic Research Fellowships 2019/2020: Call for Applications

Trinity Research in Social Sciences (TRiSS) would like to invite research-active academics from its member schools to submit proposals for the 2019/2020 **TRiSS Academic Research Fellowships (ARFs)**. The aim of ARFs is to support research projects in the social sciences and it is expected that a number of awards will be made between €500 and €2,500. The types of activities that may be funded include but are not limited to: research events; research assistants and data digitization/collation; conference expenses; access to databases; workshop organisation. The Review Committee will also consider scoping studies that could lead to larger-scale research funding applications, such as those at EU level.

Proposals should use the application form, taking note of the word limits in each section, and will be assessed as follows:

1. **Quality of detail provided** in the application [50 marks]. This includes how a description of the project, the strength of methodological approach, and how the project relates and contributes to existing research, by the applicant and others.
2. **Budget justification** and value for money in terms of budget requested and proposed outputs [30 marks].
3. **Relevance of the application** to TRiSS and the social sciences at TCD [20 marks].

Decisions on applications will be made by the TRiSS Executive Committee, which consists of the Director of TRiSS and representatives of each of its constituent Schools and disciplines.

Terms and Conditions

- Permanent members of the academic staff and full-time members of the academic staff who are on a contract of more than one year's duration are eligible to apply for awards.
- Successful applicants should note that proper acknowledgement of support from TRiSS must be made in any resulting research output, such as a publication or conference presentation.
- The funds must be used by 30 June 2021. Unused resources will be returned to TRiSS.
- Only one application per individual will be considered in any one year.
- On completion of the project, a written report is required and Fellows will be expected to give a TRiSS research seminar/bitesize talk on their research.

Applications should be submitted by email to triss@tcd.ie by 5pm on Friday 1 May, 2020.



About TRiSS

Trinity Research in Social Sciences (www.tcd.ie/triss) brings together researchers in the social sciences from across Trinity College Dublin. It provides a single identifying physical and intellectual location for social science research in Trinity connecting social science researchers across multiple schools for the purposes of collaboration. TRiSS has eight member Schools and a total of 15 member units, listed below.

- School of Education
- School of Law
- School of Linguistic, Speech and Communication Sciences
 - Centre for Language & Communication Studies
 - Clinical Speech & Language Studies
 - Centre for Deaf Studies
- School of Religion
 - Irish School of Ecumenics
 - Loyola Institute
- School of Psychology
- School of Social Sciences & Philosophy
 - Economics
 - Political Science
 - Sociology
- School of Social Work & Social Policy
- Trinity Business School