XCEPT Call for Abstracts – Feminist Frontiers

Application Form

Please follow the guidance in this application form and in the accompanying Call for Abstracts. The Application Form should be emailed to [**XCEPT-Fund@chemonics.com**](mailto:XCEPT-Fund@chemonics.com) by the submission deadline specified in the Call for Abstracts.

# Applicant information

Please fill out the table below.

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| Applicant Information | | |
| Project title | Enter title |
| Lead author (and co-authors, as relevant) | Enter name(s) and affiliation(s), as relevant |
| Nationality of author(s) | Enter answer |
| Contact details of the lead author | Email address  Phone number  Address |
| Lead author bio | In no more than 50 words, very briefly describe the research activities of the lead author – including themes, geographies, etc. |
| Can the lead author be contracted directly, or must the contract go through their organisation? | Enter answer |
| How did you find out about this funding call? | Enter answer |

# Eligibility check

Please check that you are eligible for this opportunity by working through the checklist below. Please note that applicants will be required to go through a due diligence process before an award is made.

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| Does the lead author hold a PhD in a relevant discipline? | Yes: | No: |
| Does the lead author have at least one publication in a peer-reviewed journal? | Yes: | No: |
| Can each author provide at least two references of past performance?  *These will be needed at the next stage, if you are shortlisted.* | Yes: | No: |

# Abstract

In the box below, please write a **paper abstract (400 words)** that that clearly demonstrates how the proposed project engages with one of the research questions outlined in the call through a feminist lens. The abstract should articulate how this perspective fills an evidence gap, offers deeper insight into the dynamics of conflict in borderland contexts, and how it can inform more effective, inclusive, and equitable responses.

References to the literature should be included as footnotes, which will not count towards the word limit.

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# Research development and publication plan

In the box below, please write a **research development and publication plan (300 words)** detailing the intended plan for paper development (including data collection and resources), quality assurance processes, ethical considerations (including the plan for ethical review), academic journal(s) targeted for publication, and the type of complementary public-facing output to be issued.

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# Budget

Use the below table to provide an estimated budget for this activity, showing a breakdown of the amount to be spent on labour and that spent on materials, as relevant. Please express all cost information in pounds sterling (GBP) and provide a description and justification of the different costs.

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| Item | Cost (GBP) | Reasons for cost: |
| Labour |  |  |
| Materials (all other expenses) |  |  |
| **Estimated total cost** |  |  |

# Declaration

Please complete and sign the Disclosure of Conflict of Interest and Applicant’s Declaration:

I, [Full Name], hereby declare the following in connection with our proposal submitted for [Project Name]:

1. \*\*Disclosure of Relationships:\*\*

a. [name of individual applicant] and its staff have no close, familial, or financial relationships with Chemonics, Chemonics’ project staff or with other applicants submitting proposals under the same solicitation C2-G051 ‘Feminist Frontiers’ that would pose a conflict of interest in relation to our proposal application. I understand I have a continuing obligation to disclose potential conflicts discovered and to act as instructed.

OR

a. [name of individual applicant] is hereby disclosing the following relationship that may pose a conflict of interest: [provide details of the disclosed conflict of interest, such as the nature of the relationship and the individuals involved, if any]. I understand I have a continuing obligation to disclose potential conflicts discovered and to act as instructed.

2. \*\*Price Independence Certification:\*\*

I certify that the prices in our application have been arrived at independently. There has been no consultation, communication, or agreement with any other applicant or competitor for the purpose of restricting competition.

3. \*\*Authenticity and Accuracy Certification:\*\*

I certify that all information in our proposal and all supporting documentation are authentic and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

4. \*\*Understanding and Agreement to Chemonics’ Prohibitions:\*\*

I certify my understanding and agreement to Chemonics' prohibitions against fraud, bribery, and kickbacks.

I understand that any misrepresentation or failure to disclose relevant information may lead to disqualification from the solicitation.

Sincerely,

[Full Name]

[Date]

Signature:

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