

**International Cultural Relations Research Alliance (ICRRA)**

# Call for Applications

The International Cultural Relations Research Alliance (ICRRA) is a network of institutions, academics and practitioners in the field of international cultural relations. ICRRA sees itself as a bridge builder between practical cultural work, scholarly reflection and policy advice. The aims of the network are to transfer international research-based knowledge to policymakers and society and to promote the exchange of knowledge and cooperation in cultural relations. ICRRA organises regular networking meetings, workshops and conferences on basic issues in the field of international cultural relations. In particular, the network promotes knowledge transfer from the Global South. The ICRRA Network was established by the British Council and ifa in 2019.

ifa (Institut für Auslandsbeziehungen) invites proposals for the following research project:

## Feasibility Report: “Horizon Europe” for Cultural Relations Research

This consultation report aims to explore what opportunities for joint research applications at the EU (and selected funding pools beyond the EU) exist for the ICRRA network. The feasibility report should address the following questions:

- Which research funding pools offer opportunities for cooperative research for the ICRRA network?
- Who is eligible to apply? What specific criteria must be met?
- Which institutional requirements must be met by the organisations applying as the project lead? Which requirements must be met for the other consortium members?
- What thematic and (inter-)disciplinary programme lines are particularly suitable for this network?
- What are the key words and core values that have to be ensured when making the application? Which key practices have to be understood and considered (such as “Open Science”)?
- What are the time frames for applying?
- What does the application process involve?
- What funding would be provided if successful (i.e. what costs are eligible)?
- What scope is there for non-European cooperation? What are the prerequisites for this?

**Format:** Consultation Report

**Starting period:** end of November 2023

**Location:** flexible

**Fee:** 3.000,00 € (gross)

**Application deadline:** 24 November 2023

The following application requirements and procedures apply to all projects:

### Application Requirements

- Postgraduate degree (minimum M.A.)
- Proven experience and sound knowledge of the topic of the particular project
- Very good, proven knowledge of editorial work and of academic and/or consultancy publications
- Good knowledge of English and the language(s) required for this particular report

### **Application Procedure**

Please include the following documents in your application:

1. Letter of motivation (including your contact information: i.e. address, e-mail, phone/fax/mobile numbers)
2. Description of the project:
  - Title and topic
  - Short description of the topic's relevance
  - Provisional work plan showing that the project is feasible within the funding period
  - Indication of relevant sources and methods
3. Your curriculum vitae (CV).

**Please send your complete application (all abovementioned documents in one attachment as a PDF, max. file size 3 MB) by 24 November 2023 via e-mail to: [research@ifa.de](mailto:research@ifa.de)**

The selection process is foreseen to take place as soon as possible.

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