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Tsuha Global Fellows Program Description and Application

Deadlines

Application Period: 1st August 2021 - 1st September 2021

Successful Applicants Announced: 1st October 2021

Program Description

The Tsuha Global Fellows Program at The University of Western Australia (UWA), Perth, seeks to support the next generation of leaders from low- and middle-income countries (as defined by the World Bank). The Program will provide successful applicants with targeted educational, mentorship and networking opportunities to implement projects in their home country related to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

The Program seeks to leverage Fellows' existing contextual knowledge and professional experience with the teaching of targeted research and leadership skills, alongside active mentoring to guide Fellows towards designing and implementing their projects and ultimately improving the lives of people in their home countries.

Although there are no geographic restrictions for applications, next generation leaders from countries in Africa, the Indian Ocean Rim and South East Asia are particularly encouraged to apply. Applications should align with the experience, expertise and academic interests of the UWA staff listed below.

Fellows will be selected on the strength of their background and proposed idea(s). The strength of the Fellow's background will be assessed based upon academic qualifications, professional experience and other skills, knowledge and expertise relevant to the idea or project. The strength of the proposed idea will be evaluated on its feasibility, tangibility of outcomes, and potential for impact in the student's home country.

Thank you to the Tsuha Foundation for making this program possible.



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Fellows Requirements

To be eligible for the Program, Fellows must have:

- i) completed an undergraduate degree;
- ii) demonstrated written and verbal English proficiency; and
- iii) demonstrated success in their current work.

Applications to the program must include an actionable project which holds the potential to lead to meaningful change in their home country.

Fellowship Funds

Costs associated with a Fellow's participation will be covered by the Tsuha Global Fellows Program. Costs include, but are not limited to:

- Travel expenses
- Accommodation Meals
- Coursework fees

Due to COVID-19, coursework, training and meetings may be held virtually until it is safe and appropriate to travel and meet in person.

The Program

Successful Fellows will be matched to work with academic staff mentors at UWA who are expert in their respective areas of interest. A maximum of two Fellows will be selected to work with each academic mentor. The current mentors are the following academics listed below. Please click their name appearing as a hyperlink for further explanation of their areas of expertise:



Prof Petra Tschakert
Human-environment interactions, environmental and climate change, adaptation, inequalities, resilience, climate justice, and societal transformation



Dr David Mickler
International relations, regional governance and security in Africa

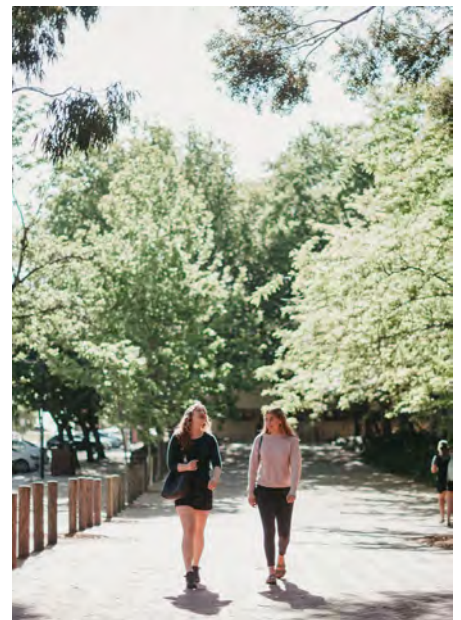
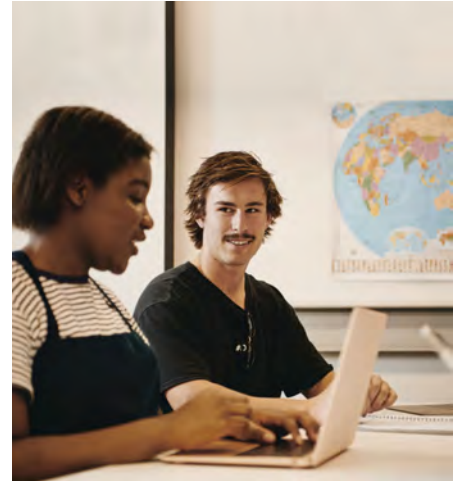


Prof Erika Techera
International and comparative environmental law focusing on Indo-Pacific ocean issues'



Dr Ian Li
Labour and health economics, particularly on medical, nursing or public health workforce issues, determinants of well-being and economic evaluations of healthcare.

After discussion and approval by mentors, as well as any other necessary approvals, further coursework will be made available to the Fellows at UWA that will assist in developing the Project.



Timeline and Deliverables:

Year 1: Fellows refine their proposal, complete relevant (online) coursework at UWA, and begin mentor relationships with academic staff members.

Year 2: Fellows translate their proposal into achievable goals, including documenting timelines for milestones and deliverables.

Years 3-5: Fellows implement and measure the impact of their projects with regular communication with their mentors and Program coordinators.

Application Process

Please submit:

- A copy of your current CV (2 pages maximum); and
- A short supporting statement (1 page maximum, single spaced, 11 point font) which addresses three questions:
 1. Which of the UWA academic staff members listed above would you like to work with, and why?
 2. What is the concrete idea or project that you want to develop through the UWA Tsuha Global Fellows Program?
 3. What positive impact would you expect from the realisation of your idea through your leadership in your home country?

Successful applicants in the first round of consideration will be invited to an online video interview for further consideration.

Application Submissions and Enquiries

Please submit your application or direct any further enquiries to:

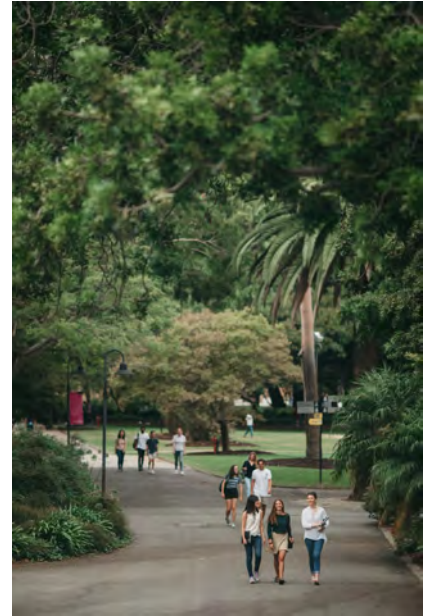
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