

2016 Eligible Research Locations and Themes

Outline

The New Zealand Aid Programme Awards place a particular focus on research in the **Pacific region** and on **sustainable economic development**. This can include other themes, such as education, health, gender equality, and resilience, which provide vital building blocks for sustainable growth and thriving societies. Priority will be given to high quality research proposals well aligned with these focus areas.

See the New Zealand Aid Programme's [*International Development Policy Statement*](#) for more discussion of the priority themes and sectors

To be eligible for a New Zealand Aid Programme Award, field research must be conducted within one of the locations listed below. The Selection Committee will aim to ensure that greater than 70% of awarded research is conducted within the Pacific region.

Research must also be conducted within one of the following themes and sub-themes. Please note that the only eligible themes for research in Africa are 1.1) Agriculture and food security, 1.2 Renewable energy and energy security and 1.3) Trade facilitation and market chain development.

In your Awards Application Form, please specify the specific the **Location Number** (eg 1.10) and **Thematic Number** (eg 1.4, or 2.2.2) under which you wish to submit your research proposal.

Eligible Research Locations

- 1. Pacific**
- 1.1. Cook Islands
 - 1.2. Fiji
 - 1.3. French Pacific Territories
 - 1.4. Kiribati
 - 1.5. Niue
 - 1.6. Papua New Guinea
 - 1.7. Samoa
 - 1.8. Solomon Islands
 - 1.9. Tokelau
 - 1.10. Tonga
 - 1.11. Tuvalu
 - 1.12. Vanuatu
 - 1.13. Nauru
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- 2. Asia**
- 2.1. Indonesia
 - 2.2. Timor-Leste
 - 2.3. Viet Nam
 - 2.4. Philippines
 - 2.5. Cambodia
 - 2.6. Lao PDR
 - 2.7. Myanmar
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3. Africa

In Africa only research under themes 1.1) Agriculture and food security, 1.2) Renewable energy and energy security and 1.5) Trade facilitation and market chain development are eligible for Award

- 3.1. Kenya
 - 3.2. Tanzania
 - 3.3. Zambia
 - 3.4. Zimbabwe
 - 3.5. Lesotho
 - 3.6. Swaziland
 - 3.7. Ethiopia
 - 3.8. Rwanda
 - 3.9. Malawi
 - 3.10. Botswana
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Eligible Research Themes

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| 1. Investing in economic development | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1.1. Agriculture and food security 1.2. Renewable energy and energy security 1.3. Fisheries 1.4. Tourism 1.5. Trade facilitation and market chain development 1.6. Information & Communications Technology 1.7. Labour mobility 1.8. Infrastructure and transport services 1.9. Economic governance and the business enabling environment 1.10. Livelihoods and business skills development 1.11. Other <hr/> |
| 2. Promoting human development | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2.1. Education, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2.1.1. basic, primary, secondary and tertiary 2.1.2. technical and vocational training 2.2. Health, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2.2.1. maternal and child health; 2.2.2. sexual and reproductive health; 2.2.3. water and sanitation; and 2.2.4. non-communicable diseases 2.3. Other <hr/> |
| 3. Building safe and secure communities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3.1. Governance 3.2. Security, justice and the rule of law 3.3. Other <hr/> |
| 4. Improving resilience and responding to disaster | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4.1. Humanitarian assistance 4.2. Disaster risk reduction 4.3. Climate change adaptation and mitigation 4.4. Other <hr/> |

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5. Cross-cutting issues

- 5.1. Gender equality
 - 5.2. Environment
 - 5.3. Human Rights
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6. Approaches to development in the Pacific

- 6.1. Policy, planning and aid effectiveness
 - 6.2. Monitoring and evaluation
 - 6.3. Aid modalities, including:
 - 6.3.1. bilateral
 - 6.3.2. regional
 - 6.3.3. multilateral
 - 6.3.4. sector wide approaches
 - 6.3.5. budget support
 - 6.3.6. civil society
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