

Call for applications: Wellcome Climate and Health Award: Advancing climate mitigation solutions with health co-benefits in low- and middle-income countries (Preliminary application)

<https://wellcome.org/grant-funding/schemes/climate-mitigation-solutions-in-lmics>

Funding amount and duration of funding: Up to £3 million funding, for up to 4 years

Funder deadline: 18 February , 17:00 GMT

UCT Intention to Submit deadline: Please complete UCT's [intention-to-submit form](#) **immediately** to help us ensure timely submission of your completed application.

Approval via UCT's electronic Research Administration (eRA) system is **required** prior to submission to the funder. Applicants should:

- Your finance staff will be automatically contacted when you complete and submit the intention-to-submit form
- [eRA Internal Approvals forms](#) should reach the Finance Approver step by no later than **4 February 2025**.
- Faculty approved eRA forms must reach RC&I by **11 February 2025**.

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The Wellcome Trust seeks preliminary applications for [Climate and Health Award scheme](#). This funding call will generate a body of evidence on the health effects of climate change mitigation interventions in low- and middle-income countries (LMICs). Research funded will investigate health effects alongside the social and economic impacts of planned or implemented greenhouse gas mitigation strategies. It will reflect local priorities and produce evidence to drive positive climate and health outcomes.

Award Details

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Eligibility

Individuals or teams where the Lead Applicant has the skills, knowledge, and resources necessary to carry out the proposed research

Preliminary application deadline:

18 February 2025 at 17.00 GMT

Deadlines & submission process:

This proposal requires the PI to complete an preliminary online application on the funder portal ([Wellcome Funding platform](#)) as well as requesting institutional approval via UCT's electronic Research Administration (eRA) system, prior to submission of the application.

PI to initiate an eRA proposal approval request and alert their faculty finance staff of the budget support needed	Immediately
PI to submit an eRA Proposal Approval request with a draft budget to the Budget Reviewer step	21 January 2025
PI to submit an eRA Proposal Approval request to the Finance Approver step on eRA at least 2 weeks before the funder deadline	4 February 2025

Approval form and all supporting documents to reach RC&I via eRA at least 1 week before the funder deadline	11 Febraury 2025
Funder deadline: Final submission actioned by RC&I via the funder's portal.	18 Febraury 2025

Contact information:

- Health Sciences applicants contact FHS.ReserachFunding@uct.ac.za
- All other faculties contact internationalgrants@uct.ac.za