## **UKIERI DST Call for Partnership Development Worksop 2019-20**

Dear Recipient,

Greetings from UKIERI Secretariat!

Call for 'UKIERI-DST Partnership Development Workshops' is live now!

UKIERI or UK-India Education and Research Initiative with DST (Department of Science & Technology, Government of India) as its key funding partner is offering you and your institution to explore research collaboration with UK universities on 6 thematic areas.

If your university or institution is looking for international reach collaboration especially with UK university, here is your chance to apply for initiating the partnership through Partnership Development Workshop!

UKIERI encourages collaborations between Indian and UK's faculty members and early career researchers in higher education institutions to come together and discuss their research and forge collaborations.

Please refer to the attached brochure and this link to learn more-

https://www.britishcouncil.in/programmes/higher-education/ukieri/call-proposals

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Qualifying Criteria

UKIERI DST Partnership Development Workshops is open for 7 themes:

Lead coordinator from UK institution must be a full-time teaching faculty or full time employed in a research institution in UK.

- I. Cyber Physical System: Data Science, Cyber security, Artificial Intelligence, and allied themes. II. Water Management and improving its Access and Quality III. Alternative Energy: Solar and other alternative energy like tidal, wave and wind IV. Affordable and Preventive Health Care other than pharmaceutical formulation development. It can include themes like portable diagnostic devices / equipment for better reach and access.
- V. Specialized and Advance Manufacturing VI. Waste management and Urban Design Lead coordinator from Indian should be scientists/ faculty members working in regular capacity in universities, academic institutes and national research and development laboratories/ institutes.

The level of grant funding available for each workshop is up to GBP 15,000 for UK side and up to INR 10 Lakhs for India side.

Deadline for Submission: 1930 Hrs (UK Time), Monday, 22 July 2019

UKIERI Secretariat will carry out webinars to support you in the application process on 12 & 19 June, 2019. Please register yourself at the link available at British Council. Only registered users will be shared details of the webinars- <a href="https://www.britishcouncil.in/programmes/higher-education/ukieri/call-proposals">https://www.britishcouncil.in/programmes/higher-education/ukieri/call-proposals</a>

Women Lead Coordinators and Women Early Career Researchers from HEIs are encouraged to apply.

Regards,

**UKIERI** Secretariat

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