# Application Form for HI Seed Funding (Small grants | HI-CAH) – open call 2025/26

The Humanities Institute is pleased to offer seed funding for conferences, symposia and workshops. The award of up to €3,500 per application will support projects realised between 1 September 2025 to 31 July 2026. This funding is designed to support projects that involve early career researchers and are innovative in terms of formats and delivery, public engagement and outputs.

## Terms and Conditions of this funding call:

1. Applicants must be members of the Humanities Institute at the time of applying and when the project takes place.

2. Applicants must be research-active staff on a temporary, part-time or permanent contract, postdoctoral fellows or postgraduates attached to a School in the College of Arts and Humanities.

3. Maximum funding per successful application will be €3,500.

4. Start and end date of grant: 1 September 2025 to 31 July 2026.

5. Successful projects will feature as HI-funded activities on the HI website.

6. HI funding must be formally acknowledged on all publicity material, including cfps, programmes, websites and in publications arising from this funding.

7. Successful applicants will be required to submit a project report detailing their outputs and deliverables on completion of the project.

## Evaluation of applications:

• Publication of results: 6 weeks after submission.

• Feedback will be provided by means of a feedback sheet with a score and brief written feedback (scores: A+: excellent, A: outstanding, A-: very good, B+: good but with some minor shortcomings, B: solid but with shortcomings, C: average with considerable shortcomings).

Applications should be sent to [humanities@ucd.ie](mailto:humanities@ucd.ie)

| Applicant email |  |
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| Project title |  |
| Project description: Please comment on the format of the event, the involvement of early career researchers and trans- or interdisciplinary dimensions.  Max 500 words |  |
| Dissemination and planned outputs:  max. 300 words |  |
| Project Budget |  |

Applicant Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_