



ACED Skills Exchange and Development Travel Awards

These awards enable ACED researchers to visit another ACED Member Centre(s) for knowledge exchange to learn or impart a key skill or technique, and to sow the seeds of future collaborations. Funding up to £40,000 GBP or \$50,000 USD is available to cover a visit of up to 4 months to include travel, accommodation, applicable university and visa fees and necessary research expenses. Salary costs are not covered by this award.

Applicants must be a researcher at an ACED Member Centre, applications will be accepted from Alliance researchers regardless of career stage (except PhD students who are not eligible).

Due to the potential for ongoing Covid-related restrictions to travel, Awards are anticipated to be completed at any time during the period from 1st May 2022 to 31st May 2023. ACED researchers can also apply for virtual opportunities to include costs for running training or request funding for related training/career development opportunities.

It is the applicant's responsibility to approach a potential Alliance Member Centre to find suitable learning and development opportunities.

Applicants are advised to read the [guidelines](#) and [application form](#) in the first instance. These are available on the Manchester ACED website

<https://www.crukcentre.manchester.ac.uk/aced/funding-opportunities/>

To submit an application you must complete a short ["intent to submit" online form](#) by **Friday 10th December 2021**, there is no obligation to submit a full application.

Completed applications must be submitted in MS Word format to ACEDcomms@manchester.ac.uk by 5pm on Monday 10th January 2022.

Application decisions will be announced in March 2022. If you have any questions, please contact [the Manchester ACED Team](#) ACEDcomms@manchester.ac.uk

