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 **COLLEGE OF EXPERTS FORM**

*Thank you for your interest in The Discovery Research Support Hub College of Experts program. Your responses to the following questions will help us better understand your expertise and mentorship goals. This will assist us in pairing you with the right tasks and mentees.*

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| 1. **PERSONAL DETAILS**
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| Name  |  |
| Title |  |
| Gender |  |
| Nationality |  |
| Date of Birth (dd/mm/yy) |  |
| Email |  |
| Contact Number |  |
| Institute/Organization of Employment |  |
| Academic/Professional Position |  |
| Years of Experience in Research/Profession |  |
| City, Country |  |
| URL of your Professional Page |  |
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| 1. **PROFESSIONAL EXPERTISE**
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| Health Areas: Please check the box next to areas of expertise and are willing to assess fellowship proposals |
| [ ]  Malaria | [ ]  HIV  | [ ] Respiratory |
| [ ]  Helminth diseases | [ ]  Other Viral diseases | [ ]  Nutrition  |
| [ ]  other parasitosis | [ ]  Mental health | [ ]  Other Physiological |
| [ ]  vector transmission | [ ]  Cardio & Stroke  | [ ]  Maternal health |
| [ ]  mycobacterial | [ ]  Cancer  | [ ]  Neonatal Health |
| [ ]  Other bacterial diseases  | [ ]  Diabetes  | [ ]  Other health areas  |
| [ ]  HIV  |  |  |
| Specify on others: |
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| Disciplines/Research methods - Applied to Health questions and Grantsmanship skills: Please check the box next to areas of expertise and are willing to assist in. |
| [ ]  Bio/Medical statistics  | [ ]  Qualitative Social Sciences | [ ]  financial management  |
| [ ]  Medical bioinformatics  | [ ]  Molecular biology | [ ]  Data management and analysis  |
| [ ]  Computer Modeling  | [ ]  Economics  | [ ]  Health economics and policy analysis |
| [ ]  Pharmacology & Physiology  | [ ]  Omics  | [ ]  Quantitative Social Sciences |
| [ ]  Other lab technologies | [ ]  Ecological Sciences  | [ ]  Cancer  |
| [ ]  Epidemiology, demography | [ ]  health systems  | [ ]  Grant writing & proposal development  |
| [ ]  Psychology & behavioral  | [ ]  Research design and methodology  |  |
| Specify on others: |
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| 1. **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**
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| Which type of research best describes your current research focus e.g., Discovery research (specify) |
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| Leadership: Principal Investigator/Project leadership: Role, contribution and most significant achievements |
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| Training & development of PhD students & Postdoctoral scientists |
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| 1. **FELLOWSHIP EXPERIENCE**
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| Have you successfully secured research funding grants or fellowships? [ ]  Yes [ ]  No If yes, please list the name of the grant/fellowship and the funder  |
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| What types of fellowships or funding opportunities are you most familiar with?(specific international fellowships, grants applicable to LMICs) |
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| 1. **MENTORING PREFERENCES**
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| What specific skills or knowledge of grantsmanship skills below do you feel comfortable mentoring others in? |
| [ ]  Funding Opportunities (information on fellowship calls and availability) [ ]  Grants Writing support[ ]  Literature review assistance [ ]  Grants management[ ]  Peer review and feedback [ ]  Huma resources management [ ]  Research methodology[ ]  Statistical analysis Support [ ]  Access to research tools (e.g. tutorials, webinars, conferences) [ ]  financial management [ ]  Training (Specify): [ ]  Others (Specify):  |
| How many mentees are you willing to take on at a time, in a year? |
| [ ]  1[ ]  1-2[ ]  2-3 |
| 1. **AVAILABILITY**
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| How much time can you commit to mentoring every 6 months? |
| [ ]  1-2 days[ ]  2-3 days[ ]  4-7 days |
| What is your preferred method of communicating with mentees? |
| [ ]  Emails [ ]  Video Calla (e.g. skype, Zoom, Teams)[ ]  in person meeting [ ]  Phone calls [ ]  financial management  |
| 1. **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**
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| Short statement of what you have to offer &/or hope to gain (200 words max) |
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|  **SIGNATURE** |
| **Signature of Applicant** |  | **Date** |  |

*Thank you for completing The Discover Research Support Hub mentor questionnaire! Your responses will assist us in tailoring our support services to better meet yours and our ECRs and MRCs support needs and goals*

\* Please submit a copy of your CV along with this form.

**NEXT STEP**

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