



Netherlands Institute
for Advanced Study
in the Humanities and
Social Sciences

NIAS Application Form

Below you find a list of all questions in the online application form. Please keep in mind that this is NOT the official application form, just an overview for your convenience.

Your application must be submitted online via the form on <https://nias.knaw.nl/what-we-offer/apply-for-fellowship/>

Please note that some questions are only shown if you are applying for a particular fellowship, or if you have given a particular answer in one of the previous questions. These fellowship-specific questions are shown in grey.

All the information provided in this form, will be used for the selection procedure only and deleted one year after the closing date of the call.

*** = Required**

1. Fellowship

- Which fellowship are you applying for?*
- ☐ NIAS Individual fellowship 24/25
Deadline: 15.Mar - 12:00
- ☐ Coordinator of a NIAS theme group 24/25
Deadline: 15.Mar - 12:00
- ☐ Member of a NIAS theme group 24/25
Deadline: 15.Mar - 12:00

Title of the theme group's research project*

2. Personal information

Name as in passport*

First Middle Last

Preferred name

If different from your name in passport

First Middle Last

Gender*

- ☐ Male
- ☐ Female
- ☐ Other
- ☐ Rather not say

Date of birth*

Nationality*

Other nationality/nationalities

Home address*

Home postal code*

Home city*

Country*

Phone*

Private email address*

Work email address*

You will receive the acknowledgement of receipt on this email address. Make sure this field is filled out correctly.

3. Work and career

I am:*

- ☒ employed at a university/research institute
- ☐ not employed at a university/research institute (e.g. independent researcher)

If applicable:*

University/Institute Affiliation*

Faculty/Department*

Present position*

Discipline*

University address*

University postal code*

University city*

University country*

Type of employment contract*

- ☒ Tenured
- ☐ Temporary
- ☐ Other (i.e. zero-hours contract)

Your employment contract must cover the duration of your fellowship.

Master's degree(s)*

Discipline *Where obtained*

Ph.D. degree(s)

Discipline Where obtained Date (year)

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Phase in career*

Only scholars who obtained their Ph.D.-degree three full years ago or more, counting back from the closing date of the fellowship call, are eligible to apply for a NIAS Fellowship.

- ☒ Early career (3-10 years Ph.D.-degree)
- ☐ Mid career (11-20 years after Ph.D.-degree)
- ☐ Late career (20+ years after Ph.D.-degree)

Link to your personal website

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4. The Fellowship

Period you are applying for: First choice*

- ☐ 5 months: Sept 2024 - Jan 2025
- ☐ 5 months: Feb 2025 - June 2025
- ☐ 10 months: Sept 2024 – June 2025
- ☐ No preference

Places are limited so being as flexible as possible is advisable. If you prefer 10 months, please elaborate on why this would benefit your project in your project proposal.

Period you are applying for: Second choice*

- ☐ 5 months: Sept 2024 - Jan 2025
- ☐ 5 months: Feb 2025 - June 2025
- ☐ 10 months: Sept 2024 – June 2025
- ☐ No preference

Places are limited so being as flexible as possible is advisable. If you prefer 10 months, please elaborate on why this would benefit your project in your project proposal.

Please indicate if you would need subsidized, furnished NIAS housing*

- ☐ Yes, a Fellows House studio (1 or 2 persons)
- ☐ Yes, a family apartment (two bedrooms)
- ☐ No, I will commute

The own contribution for subsidized accommodation is 750 euro per month. Please note that applicants with a Dutch affiliation can only apply for housing when travel time exceeds 1.5 hours (single trip, public transport journey from home-town station to a station in Amsterdam). More information on the types of subsidized NIAS housing: <https://nias.knaw.nl/what-we-offer/practical-matters/accommodation/>

Do you object to sharing an office?*

- ☐ Yes, I object
- ☐ No, no problem
- ☐ Not sure yet

Shared offices are suitable for maintaining at least 1,5 meters distance.

Do you apply for a stipend or grant?*

- ☐ Yes, a personal stipend
- ☐ I am affiliated to a Dutch university/institute, that will receive a Dutch University Grant
- ☐ No

Personal stipends and the Dutch University Grant are set on 2.500 euro per month. Personal stipends are offered to fellows without an affiliation and fellows from outside the Netherlands. More info: <https://nias.knaw.nl/what-we-offer/practical-matters/>

Would you need to apply for additional financial support?*

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

Additional financial support is meant for fellows from low-income countries, who receive a full-time salary below 2.500 euro per month. The details of additional support will be discussed with the fellow personally. More info: <https://nias.knaw.nl/what-we-offer/practical-matters/>

Have you been awarded a fellowship from an Institute for Advanced Study in Europe or the USA before?*

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

Date and year

5. Project proposal

Title of your individual research project*

Abstract*

0 of 2000 max characters

Summary of the individual research project (max. 150 words)

Upload Full Project Description*

Accepted file types: pdf, doc, docx.

Project description of max. 1500 words, including: 1) including: 1) title of research project; 2) research topic and research question; 3) relation of the project to existing literature in the field; 4) academic and societal relevance of the research project; 5) methodology and time schedule; 6) intended research output; 7) the added value of the interdisciplinary NIAS environment; (excluding bibliography)

Upload CV and List of Publications*

Max 4 pages. Please include a list of relevant key publications, preferably most recent, in refereed journals/books. For theme-group applications, please include international cooperations.

Keywords*

Please list a number of keywords related to your current research proposal.

Provide the names of four international experts in their field who would be suitable to approach as independent reviewers:

Name	Email	Discipline	University/research institute	I agree that NIAS approaches this person
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Please list experts who will not have a conflict of interest by reviewing your proposal. Excluded experts are colleagues from the same department, co-authors, (former) supervisors, personal friends, and scholars involved in the current research project proposal.

All information will be held in strict confidentiality

I agree that NIAS-KNAW uses my application data for procedures pertaining the fellowship application*

☐ Yes

I have completed this application truthfully*

☐ Yes

My academic work meets research integrity standards*

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ In part

NIAS is deeply concerned with the ethical aspects of research and follows the Netherlands Code of Conduct for Research Integrity, which can be read here: <https://nias.knaw.nl/code-of-conduct-for-research-integrity/>

Please elaborate

Which part of your work does not comply with the ethical guidelines for research integrity? Please, elaborate.

How did you learn about this Fellowship?

(e.g. word-of-mouth, social media, email, grant office, etc)