**Application form to attend Newton Peru Researcher Links Workshop on Building Resilience in Flood Disaster Management in Northern Peru**

**UK coordinators:**Professor David Proverbs and Roger Wall, Birmingham City University, UK
**Peru coordinators:**Dr Yamina Silva and Dr Danny Scipion , Instituto Geofísico del Perú, Badajoz, Cercado de Lima 15012, Peru
**Dates and venue:**20-23 August 2018, Piura, Peru.

Under the Researcher Links scheme offered within Newton Fund, the British Council, we will be holding a workshop on Building Resilience in Flood Disaster Management in Northern Peru. The workshop will be held in Piura, Peru from Monday 20 to Thursday 23 August 2018. The workshop is being coordinated by Dr Yamina Silva and Dr Danny Scipion of the Instituto Geofísico del Perú, Lima, Peru and Professor David Proverbs and Roger Wall of Birmingham City University, UK, and will have contributions from other leading researchers.

We are inviting Early Career Researchers from the UK and Peru to apply in order to attend this workshop. All travel and accommodation expenses will be covered by the Newton-Fund Researcher Links programme.

**Application and Deadline:**

The full application below must be completed and submitted to roger.wall@bcu.ac.uk

**The deadline for applications is Friday 18 May 2018.**

Further information about the workshop can be found at the workshop website: <https://www.bcu.ac.uk/computing-engineering-and-the-built-environment/research/building-resilience-in-flood-disaster-management-in-northern-peru>

**Eligibility Criteria:**

* Applications must be submitted using the Researcher Links application form below
* Applications must be submitted before the above deadline
* Participants must be Early Career Researchers: Early Career Researchers are defined as holding a PhD (or having equivalent research experience) and having up to 10 years post-PhD research experience. They are equivalent to the ‘Recognised Researcher’ and sometimes ‘Established Researcher’ categories in the [EU framework for researchers’ careers](https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/europe/career-development/training-researchers/research-profiles-descriptors)
* Participants must have a research or academic position (a permanent post, research contract, or fellowship) at a recognised research institution either in the UK or Peru
* Please note that participants are expected to attend all sessions of the workshop

**Quality Assessment:**

Applications will be assessed using the following criteria:

* Experience and relevance of the applicant’s research area to the workshop
* Motivation and contribution to the aims of the workshop
* Description of the long term impact expected through the participation in the workshop
* Ability to disseminate the workshop’s outcomes

**Notification of results:**

Applicants will be notified by email no later than two months prior to the workshop.

**Equal Opportunities**

Equal opportunities and diversity are at the heart of the British Council’s cultural relations ambitions. While recognising that some research fields are dominated by one particular gender, coordinators are encouraged to work towards an equal gender balance and promote diversity. They must not exclude applicants on the basis of ethnicity, gender, religious belief, sexual orientation, or disability. Participants’ selection undertaken by workshop organisers must not contravene this policy.  Extra support to enable participation of Early Career Researchers with special needs will be given.

Workshop Application form

**Building Resilience in Flood Disaster Management in Northern Peru**

|  |
| --- |
| 1. **Applicant**
 |
| Name and title |  |
| Gender (to monitor statistic participation only, this will not be considered during assessment) |  |
| Position and institution |  |
| Postal address |  |
| Email |  |
| Phone number |  |
| Brief CV (academiccareer, publications, markers of esteem, and any other relevant information) – no more than half an A4 page |  |
|  |  |

|  |
| --- |
| 1. **Abstract** (Please give a summary of your area of research, no more than 300 words)
 |
|  |
|  |

|  |
| --- |
| 1. **Please describe your motivation to attend the workshop and how the workshop matches your professional development needs** (no more than 300 words)
 |
|  |

|  |
| --- |
| 1. **Please describe the expected impact of your participation to the workshop on your personal and professional development, including your ability to work on an international level** (no more than 300 words)
 |
|  |
|  |

|  |
| --- |
| 1. **Please indicate how you will disseminate the outcomes of the workshops and the new knowledge/skills you have acquired** (no more than 300 words)
 |
|  |
|  |

|  |
| --- |
| 1. **Workshops will take place in English as standard. Please indicate your ability to work and communicate in English** (Note, translators may be provided if necessary)
 |
| Native speaker |  | Excellent  |  | Good |  | Need Support |  |

|  |
| --- |
| 1. **Please use this space to give any additional information that you feel is relevant for the application** (no more than 300 words)
 |
|  |