

FALCON AWARDS FOR DISEASE ELIMINATION

TERMS & CONDITIONS

REQUIREMENTS

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- Participants must be associated with an organization.
- The term organisation includes a corporation, government, partnership, and any type of civil or political association of people.
- Applications received by individuals not affiliated with an organisation will not be accepted.
- Participants may be associated with:
 1. Public, or private sector institutions
 2. Non-Governmental Organisations, philanthropic foundations and Coalitions or networks of Civil Society Organisations
 3. Public-Private Partnerships
 4. National or regional academic or research institutions
 5. Other interested parties with strong demonstrated experience in at least one of the defined disease areas
- Participants must be at least 18 years of age.
- A participant may submit more than one application.
- Participants must be based in a malaria, polio, lymphatic filariasis, or onchocerciasis-endemic country.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Applications must be focused on the elimination of at least one of the following disease areas: malaria, polio, lymphatic filariasis or onchocerciasis.
- Application materials should be written in clear English or French language. The language should be suitable for a general audience familiar with broad global health concepts.
- Application materials for the first round should be abstracts with a detailed description of the project or solution.
- In addition to the abstracts, applicants are welcome to submit any additional material they see fit.

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- Participants must agree to the terms as they are listed in order to be considered for the awards.
- Participants must confirm that they have read and understood the Falcon Awards statutes and acknowledge that any information submitted will be subject to and handled in accordance with such provisions.

APPLICATIONS

- Applications are submitted through the dedicated application portal only.
- A participant may submit more than one application.
- Applications must be submitted in either English or French.
- Applications must be submitted on time and will not be accepted after the closing date.
- Incomplete and/or ineligible applications will not be considered.
- The application documents must be typed and submitted through the online portal. Handwritten applications will not be accepted.

EVALUATION

- The award management team is not required to provide any feedback to participants regarding the assessment of their application and is not required to provide any participation certificate.
- The award management team has the right to verify the authenticity of the participant's submission by requesting additional documentation or evidence.
- All files submitted for the award will be held in full confidentiality.

LOST ENTRY

- The Global Institute for Disease Elimination (GLIDE) accepts no liability for entries lost, corrupted or delayed in transmission. Proof of submitting an application is not proof of receipt.

WINNERS

- Winners of the award will be selected by a jury who will comply with the eligibility criteria and the selection criteria set by GLIDE.
- Winners will sign a partnership agreement with GLIDE.
- The partnership agreement entails that the winners will receive a grant of up to USD \$200,000 of funds from GLIDE.
- The funds granted by GLIDE will be delivered to the winners according to a schedule detailed in the partnership agreement.
- The partnership agreement will take into consideration the winner's project details submitted in the application materials.
- Any winning project that needs more than US\$200,000 will not be granted additional funding from GLIDE and is encouraged to look for other funding sources.

- The partnership will be awarded at the sole discretion of the Institute. The decision of the Institute shall be final and binding and no appeal or correspondence shall be entertained. The Institute will be under no obligation to provide any reasons for its decision.
- Winners enjoy the liberty of declining the partnership.

CONFIDENTIALITY

- All application materials submitted to GLIDE will become the property of GLIDE and will be subject to review by evaluators and jury members in addition to GLIDE employees but will not be shared externally or publicly.
- Submissions will not be disclosed to any other party outside of GLIDE, its subcontractors, evaluators, and the jury before a winner's declaration is announced.

PUBLICITY

- GLIDE reserves the right to publish details of the finalists and/or winners of the award on the Institute's website and in other promotional and publicity material as it considers appropriate.
- By entering submissions, participants agree that they will be willing and available to participate in publicity, promotional activities and events and/or press conferences.
- Participants agree that GLIDE shall be entitled to use participants' names, photographs, country of residence (but not full address), project presentations and other relevant information throughout all media, free of charge.
- The project's presentations submitted by the semi-finalists will be subject to GLIDE's assessment, validation, and branding.
- The finalists must agree to only publish versions of the presentations that have been branded and validated by GLIDE.

DISCLAIMER

- Neither these terms nor the application call constitute an offer to contract or award funds. GLIDE assumes no responsibility for the applicants' cost to respond to the application call.

MANAGEMENT OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

- To identify and avoid conflicts of interest among application reviewers, such reviewers will not be permitted to review proposals from organisations with which the reviewer has self-identified conflicts of interest.

RELEASE AND VERIFICATION

- Upon entry of materials into the application portal, the applicant agrees that GLIDE has full discretion to amend calls to application, change deadlines and select or disqualify winners.

WARRANTY

- The applicant must agree that all materials submitted are accurate representations.



- Any falsehoods, omissions or misrepresentations will be considered cause for disqualification at the discretion of GLIDE.

COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

- All Falcon Awards, participants, evaluators and jury members must comply with applicable laws, regulations and standards in the relevant context, as well as any ethics codes in the field.
- GLIDE will be indemnified and held harmless from any lawsuits or legal action arising surrounding participants' involvement in the Falcon Awards process. Partnerships and/or projects arising from the Falcon Awards process will be subject to further Terms and Conditions.