



NATIONAL TRUST FOR NATURE CONSERVATION ANNAPURNA CONSERVATION AREA PROJECT



Headquarters Pokhara

Request for proposal Student Thesis Research Grant

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The National Trust for Nature Conservation (NTNC) – Annapurna Conservation Area Project (ACAP) invites the proposal from Bachelors and Masters level final year student to conduct a research as a requirement for partial fulfillment of their academic degrees. The applicants must be Nepalese citizens studying Bachelors and Masters Degree at institutions in Nepal and research must be conducted in Annapurna Conservation Area. The research proposal should be submitted by **January 25, 2019 (4:00 PM)**, should be related to the following themes:

Research themes

1. Wildlife and its habitat management
2. Human – wildlife conflict
3. Climate change impact and adaptation
4. Tourism management

Grant will be awarded as

Level	No of grants	Maximum amount in NPR/grant	Remarks
Bachelors	2	40,000	Tax will be deducted as per the government rules
Masters	2	50,000	

Required documents (as a single PDF copy)

1. Cover letter
2. Recommendation from supervisor.
3. Research proposal in desired format (Proposal format and guideline will be available at NTNC website; www.ntnc.org.np)
4. Recent CV

Both electronic and hard copy submission is acceptable. For electronic submission single PDF copy should be sent to acap@ntnc.org.np with the subject heading Research Grant Proposal.

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Proposal format and guideline

1. Cover page (1 page with research title, proposed supervisor, institution, amount requested and contact details of applicants)
2. Background (1 page)
3. Rationale (1/2 page)
4. Research hypothesis including objectives (1/2 page)
5. Methodology (2 pages with study area, research design and analysis)
6. Time frame (1/2 page)
7. Budget (1/2 page and item wise expenditure should be clearly justified)
8. References

The completed proposal should be no longer than 5 pages (excluding cover page and references page) in A4 sized text, double - spaced with 1 inch margins and 12 font sizes in Times New Roman. Only Headings should be bold.

1. Cover page (1 page)
2. CV (2 pages)

Handwritten signature and date: 20/5/99