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**Tsinghua-Imperial Research and Innovation Seed Fund**

APPLICATION FORM

* ***This form must be completed using 10pt Arial font. Margins must not be adjusted. Where the form has been adjusted or incorrect font used, the proposal will be returned to the applicant without further assessment.***
* ***Please send the completed application form to globalseedfunds@imperial.ac.uk AND liaison@tsinghua.edu.cn
Deadline: 1 November 2020***
1. **Imperial Applicant details** (please attach CV as supporting document)

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| **Name of Principal Investigator**  | **Department** |
| **Current position***(Note that applicants must be permanent members of academic staff)* | **If you are a member of an Imperial Centre or Network, please provide Centre/Network name here**  |

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| **Name of Co-investigator (if relevant)** | **Department** |
| **Current position** | **Institution** |
| *(duplicate co-investigator section as necessary)* |

1. **Tsinghua Applicant details** (please attach CV as supporting document)

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| **Name of Principal Investigator**  | **Department** |
| **Current position***(Note that applicants must be permanent members of academic staff)* |  |

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| **Name of Co-investigator (if relevant)** | **Department** |
| **Current position** | **Institution** |
| *(duplicate co-investigator section as necessary)* |

1. Case for support (Section 3 must be 2 pages maximum)

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| **Title**  |  |
| **Duration (max 1 year)** |  | **Start date** |  |
| **Is the collaboration existing, new or a renewal of a previous partnership?**existing / new / previous *(please select one)* |
| **A description of the relevant research/training conducted by the Imperial/Tsinghua individuals or groups in recent years**  |
| **A description of the activities and collaboration proposed**  |
| **Explanation of how the activities proposed will generate demonstrable added value to the PI / Research Group / Department / Faculty / College / University** |
| **A description of the opportunities available for leveraging funding. Where possible, state specific funding opportunity/opportunities for subsequent onward support.**  |

1. Funding requested

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| Item (please elaborate with examples) | **Funding requested from Imperial (**£**)** | **Funding requested from Tsinghua (RMB)** |
| Research consumables |  |  |
| **Travel** |  |  |
| **Subsistence** |  |  |
| **Total** |  |  |
| Please provide a justification of activities detailed above:*Applicants are strongly encouraged to provide a thorough justification of the requested budget, including a detailed breakdown of costs (e.g. airfares, number of nights of accommodation and rate per night), to aid the Group when considering this request.*  |