

Overview of Change Makers Application Questions

2024/25

Project-based questions

NEW project added 19 October – Project J: Summative feedback

1. What is your first choice project?

- A: What does fair marking look like? (Media and Communications)
- B: Programme coherence (Media and Communications)
- C: Academic Mentoring (International Development)
- D: What promotes experiential learning? (Statistics)
- E: Student experience of different assessment formats (International Development)
- F: Programme coherence (European Institute)
- G: Women and postgraduate study (Various)
- H: How do students use Generative AI for learning? (Data Science Institute)
- I: Student engagement with assessment feedback (Social Policy)
- J: Summative feedback - expectations and experiences (Sociology)

2. What research method(s) would you expect to use? If the project description already includes a research method, you can give more information on how you would carry it out, and why you think it would help you to answer the research question. (Please stay under 300 words!)

3. What kinds of data might you need for the project? For example:

- new data you collect (survey responses, focus groups, interviews, participant observation, photos and visuals, map-making, creative methods)
- LSE data (enrolment numbers, survey results etc.) - don't worry if you don't know what's available, tell us what you would ideally use

Again, the project description may already suggest some data you could use. In that case, you can give any more information that seems relevant.

4. Why do you see this project as relevant/interesting? Why are you the right team to carry it out? (Please stay under 300 words!)

5. What training or development might you need for this project? This could be in specific research methods, learning to use data analytics software, etc.

6. Would you like to apply for a second project? You don't have to choose more than one, but if one project receives a lot of applications, we'd like to give applicants a second chance! Please note that, if selected, it would only be for one of the projects you have applied for.

- Yes
- No

If you selected yes to question 6, questions 1-5 will be repeated for you to answer for your second choice project

Applicant details questions

12. How many members would be in your project team?

- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6

13. Person 1 – First Name

14. Person 1 – Family Name

15. Person 1 – LSE Email Address

16. Person 1 – Date of Birth

17. Person 1 – How did you find out about Change Makers?

18. Person 1 – Nationality

19. Person 1 – Current immigration status

20. Person 1 – Full UK address (including postcode)

21. Person 1 – LSE department

22. Person 1 – Level of study

23. Person 1 – Programme of study

24. Person 1 – What is your gender? (optional question)

25. Person 1 – What option best describes your ethnic origin? (optional question)

26. Person 1 – This person has, or will be in the process of setting up, a UKL bank account and National Insurance number. This is a necessary condition of employment if this application is successful.

Questions 12-26 will be repeated for each member of the application team

Declaration and submission questions

102. Everyone in this application has read the Change Makers application guidelines and is aware of their role, responsibilities and associated deadlines, if the application is successful: <https://info.lse.ac.uk/current-students/skills-and-opportunities/assets/documents/Change-makers/change-makers-application-guidelines.pdf>

103. All group members are permitted to work the allocated hours between January and June (100 hours per project, split equally between team members and across months), and will not exceed the hours they are permitted to work each week.

(Please contact the SSC if you are a visa-holder and have any questions about your eligibility to work in the UK, and the Change Makers team if you have any questions about how project hours are distributed.)

<https://info.lse.ac.uk/current-students/student-services>

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Please ensure you fully submit the form. We also advise selecting the option to have a copy of your answers emailed to you as confirmation.
