

BALEAP Funding Stream 2021

SOCIAL JUSTICE

Information Sheet and Call for Applications



The global forum for
EAP professionals

Background



BALEAP, The Global Forum for EAP Professionals, supports the development of those involved in learning, teaching, scholarship and research in English for Academic Purposes. Our institutional and individual members are committed to helping students thrive academically and prepare for meaningful, rewarding futures. Building on the successful funding initiative in 2019 on *Collaboration* and 2020 on *Innovation*, we are now seeking applications for the 2021 funding for scholarship projects. The recent membership survey on values of the EAP community has helped us articulate our values and add 'collaboration' and 'inclusivity' to the existing 'professionalism' and 'development'. It has also shown a growing desire to engage with issues of inclusivity, diversity, and equality, so this year's focus will be the broad theme of **Social Justice**. Therefore, we seek proposals addressing the enactment of social justice in frontline EAP in areas including but not limited to pedagogy, leadership, professional development, or the wider profession.

Aims

The funding initiative aims to encourage scholarship in EAP. The scheme supports members who might otherwise find it difficult to engage in scholarship. As well as providing financial support, the scheme will include mentorship and workshops at various stages of the projects.

Funding available

Applicants will be expected to bid for one of the following funding amounts:

- Small scale (up to £500)
- Medium scale (up to £1000)
- Large scale (up to £1500)

Eligibility

Applications from individuals, single institutions, cross-institution and global collaborations are welcome.

Individual applicants must be a BALEAP member*. One member of collaborative applications must be a BALEAP member*.

*Membership includes institutional, individual, concessional.

Evaluation Criteria

The project proposals will be evaluated according to the following criteria by a panel selected across the BALEAP membership.

- Impact, sustainability and transferability
- Relevance to the theme
- Quality of the proposal

How to apply and timeline

Submission deadline: **15th June 2021**

Decisions: **15th July 2021**

The funding must be accessed between August 2021 and July 2022.

Application forms are available on the BALEAP website. For additional details, email funding@baleap.org

