



THE GOVERNMENT OF KADUNA STATE
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR RESEARCH IN THE VARIOUS SECTORS OF KADUNA STATE

1.0. Introduction

The Kaduna State Government is pleased to announce a call to submit research proposals to build on the gains made in all State sectors, such as governance reforms and administrative restructuring, human capital development, infrastructure development, investments, budgeting and internal revenue generation, to mention a few.

The objectives of the research grants are to enhance quality in service delivery, promote inclusive development and strengthen policies. The research outcomes will help address the State's current challenges towards attaining good governance, equity, and justice in distributing resources across the State.

2.0 Programme Statement

The research grant supports research projects that will help improve the quality of life and the delivery of services for all residents in the State. Research projects to be supported must be geared towards solving problems in the State.

Grant will be awarded to successful proposals in the following areas:

- i. Education, governance, policy, law, and ethics, financial literacy and justice.
- ii. Science, health, technology, ICT, and agriculture (digital agriculture, meteorology, technology incubation, mechanisation, and micro-processing)
- iii. Economics (financial management tools, taxation and revenue consolidation), humanities and social sciences.
- iv. Entrepreneurship (Micro, small and medium-scale enterprises), business innovation and job creation, Environment, climate change, WASH, and infrastructure management

3.0 Eligibility

- i. Proposals for the research grants must be for operational or action research projects that seek to promote State inclusive development and good governance.
- ii. Proposals for activities other than research are not eligible (e.g., Programme evaluation, operational development, curriculum development, scholarship projects, etc.).
- iii. Research project must be designed to be completed within 12 months.
- iv. The research proposal can be submitted by individuals from both academic and non-academic institutions, groups and organisations and development partners from all over the world, provided that the research projects are focused on Kaduna State.
- v. Where the research project is comparative in nature, the aim of the comparative analysis should be to draw lessons from and for Kaduna State.

4.0 Method of Application

Interested researchers should submit their proposals by email to education@kdsg.gov.ng in the format below.

5.0 Proposal Submission Deadline

All proposals should be submitted between **Friday, 6th August 2021 and Friday, 27th August 2021.**

Signed

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Commissioner

KADUNA STATE RESEARCH PROPOSAL FORMAT

Principal Researcher
Name:
Institution/Organisation:
Mobile Phone No:
E-mail Address:
Co-Researcher(s) (if any)
Project Title:
Executive Summary:
Introduction:
Problem Statement/Justification:
Aim and Objective(s) of the Study:
Literature Review (not more than 3 pages):
Methodology
Expected Outcomes:
Work Plan with Time Frame
Budget (it should be activity based):
References: