

**Form RIO/FinSupp**

(Sep 2023)

**Financial Support to Recipients of Prestigious Funding, Awards and**

**External Research Grants with HK$5m or Above**

1. **Applicant Details**

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| Applicant: |  | (Surname) |  | (Name) |
| Post: |  | Department: |  |
| Ext.: |  | Email: |  |

1. **Grant / Award Obtained and Choice of Reward**

Please check the appropriate box(es) below. For Categories 1, 2, 3(a) and 3(b), please also provide project details in section (c).

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| **Category 1** |
| *THREE PhD students / THREE Postdoctoral Fellows (PDFs) / 10 % of the awarded amount to the whole research project (matching fund capped at HK$5m) will be rewarded.* |
| **Scheme** | **Choice of Award** |
|[ ]  RGC Areas of Excellence (AoE) Scheme | [ ]  | Three 3-year PhD students |
| [ ]  | RGC Theme-based Research Scheme (TRS) | [ ]  | Three 2-year PDFs |
| [ ]  | Strategic Topics Grants (STG) | [ ]  | Matching Fund |

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| **Category 2** |
| *ONE PhD student / ONE Postdoctoral Fellow (PDF) / 15 % of the awarded amount to the whole research project (matching fund capped at HK$5m) will be rewarded.* |
| **Scheme** | **Choice of Award** |
|[ ]  RGC Prestigious Fellowship Scheme |  |  |
|[ ]  RGC Collaborative Research Fund (CRF)   |  |  |
|[ ]  RGC Collaborative Research Equipment Grant (CREG) |  |  |
|[ ]  RGC Research Impact Fund (RIF) | [ ]  | One 3-year PhD student |
|[ ]  NSFC/RGC Collaborative Research Scheme | [ ]  | One 2-year PDF |
|[ ]  RGC CRF Young Collaborative Research Grant (YCRG)  | [ ]  | Matching Fund |
|[ ]  MOST重點研發計劃 / 科技創新2030  |  |  |
|[ ]  NSFC 重點項目/ 重大項目 / 重大科研儀器研制項目 / 重大研究計劃 |  |  |
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|[ ]  Croucher Tak Wah Mak Innovation Awards  |  |  |
|[ ]  Croucher Senior Research Fellowships |  |  |

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| **Category 3(a)**  | **Award** |
|[ ]  Collaborative Research Projects / Industrial Projects with HK$5m or above | 10% of the cash received by PolyU, excluding those that already secured 50% donation matching from the University (matching fund capped at HK$5m) |
|[ ]  Equivalent (e.g. Research Projects supported by donation) |  |

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| **Category 3(b)**  | **Award** |
|[ ]  Projects with HK$5m or above other than those in Category 3(a), e.g. Innovation and Technology Fund (ITF) projects, Smart Traffic Fund projects, Sports Institute projects… etc.) | 10% of the awarded amount to the whole research project (matching fund capped at HK$5m) |

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| **Category: Award Winner / Fellow or the equivalent**  | **Choice of Award**  |
|[ ]  *(Please provide details below and attach supporting documents.)* |  |  |
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|  |  | [ ]  | One 3-year PhD student |
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1. **Project Details**

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| Project Title: |  |
| Funding Body:(For Category 3 only) |  |
| Funding Scheme:(For Category 3b only) |  |
| Grant Approval Date / Agreement Signing Date: |  |
| Awarded amount: | HK$ |
| Work Programme (if any): |  |

For Category 3(a)

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| Cash received:  | HK$ | Date of receipt: |  |
| Total no. of instalments of the awarded amount for the project: |  |
| This is the  | 1st / 2nd / 3rd / 4th / 5th / 6th  | instalment. *(Please circle the appropriate ordinal number.)* |

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| Signature: |  |  | Date: |  |