Application Instructions

Step One

To get started, read the Rules and Guidelines document. It contains detailed information on all aspects of Grand Challenges Africa.

Please also read the Data management policy. Any information submitted by you or on your behalf with respect to the Grand Challenges Africa Initiative (including your proposal, reports, and any related documentation and communications) will be subject to and handled in accordance with the provisions in these documents.

Changes to the Rules and Guidelines will be posted on the Frequently Asked Questions page of this website. Please read the current FAQs before submitting any questions or concerns.

Step Two

Each Grand Challenges Africa application round consists of requests for proposals targeting multiple specific challenges. Read the list of GCA challenges on our website

Step Three

Register with our Ishango Grants Management System to apply for open calls

All proposals must be written in English.

Read the Tips for Applicants for additional guidance as you write the proposal.

Step Four

Click here Ishango link to start your application (Registration is required for new users)