Online ethics application system - TIPS

Information, guidance and links is provided on the website: https://www.anthro.ox.ac.uk/safety-fieldwork-and-ethics#collapse389446

The user guide is regularly updated.

Online applications: https://ox.worktribe.com/

Online guide.

To note

Principal Investigator (PI): For student applications, the PI is the supervisor and not the student.

The Worktribe applications are divided into several tabs, which are triggered by how questions are answered in Scope.

Scope question: Are you based in the Social Sciences or Humanities Divisions, or one of the Departments of Computer Science, Continuing Education or the Institute of Population Ageing?

Please tick Social Sciences and don't leave this blank. Otherwise, your application will be triggered as a Medical Sciences project.

Scope question: Does the research involve INVOLVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING??

Please tick Yes. Medium and High risk items have been listed together but medium risk items generally apply. We expect applications to be reviewed by our School ethics committee and to be Medium Risk. Don't worry if an application is categorised as Medium. This is the same level as the old CURFC 1A form.

Research Team tab

The Research Integrity and Information Security training dates in the opening questions are for the PI (ie, the supervisor). The student's training dates should be entered in the Research team table and should not be the same dates as for the PI.

Human Participants tab

Remember that Inclusion should include Over 18 year olds and Exclusion should include Under 18 year olds.

Documents

You must upload, using the templates provided:

Participant Information Sheet Written Consent Form

The header should include the name and email address of the applicant and, if a student application, also those of the supervisor (who is the PI).

It is useful if you can also upload your draft questions.

After review

When you receive reviewer comments back to address, please don't mark the comments as 'Resolved'. This is done by the Ethics Officer on reviewing the updated form.

When you have completed any corrections at any stage, your application will be returned to your supervisor, who then needs to resubmit the application to the Ethics Officer. Please regularly check with your supervisor that this has been done.

Risk assessments and travel insurance

This online system does not replace the School's risk assessment process. You can download the templates for Overseas and UK fieldwork here: https://www.anthro.ox.ac.uk/safety-fieldwork-and-ethics#collapse389441

You can't apply for University travel insurance until you have been sent your **approved** risk assessment to upload. It will be sent to you with full instructions.

Send all ethics emails to ethics@anthro.ox.ac.uk Send all risk emails to risk@anthro.ox.ac.uk