

Funding exchanges and collaborations with Japan

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Connecting UK scientists with their peers around the world:

- International Exchanges scheme 
- Newton International Fellowships 
- India - UK Scientific Seminars 
- Nominating authority for JSPS Postdoctoral Fellowship 

Building research and research training capacity in sub-Saharan Africa:

- NRF/RS Joint Collaborative Programme (commitments on )
- The Leverhulme - Royal Society Africa Award  

International Exchanges:

- Replacing International Travel Grants and Joint Projects since April 2011
- This scheme aims to foster new and emerging research collaborations
- Global remit
- Support levels:
 - up to of £3,000 for one-off travel lasting up to 3 months
 - up to £6,000 for multiple visits to be completed within 1 year (including a maximum of £1,000 for research expenses)
 - up to £12,000 for multiple visits to be completed within 2 years and cost share projects fixed at 2 years (including a maximum of £2,000 for research expenses)
- Three calls annually



International Exchanges in partnership with Daiwa Anglo-Japanese Foundation:

- Gift agreement from 2007
- Up to five awards annually entirely funded by *Daiwa Anglo-Japanese Foundation*
- Run within the International Exchanges programme
- 2011 round -5 awards
- Will continue from 2013 onwards

Newton International Fellowship scheme:



The graphic features a black background with a large orange rounded rectangle in the center. At the top left, the text 'newton international fellowships' is displayed in white. At the top right, the logos for the British Academy and The Royal Society are shown. On the left side of the orange rectangle, a vertical list of navigation links is provided. The central text within the orange rectangle asks three questions and concludes with an application instruction.

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Are you at the beginning of your research career - with the potential to be world-class?

Is your research in the physical, natural or social sciences or humanities?

Do you want to build and maintain links with leading researchers in the UK?

Then apply for a Newton International Fellowship.



Newton International Fellowships:

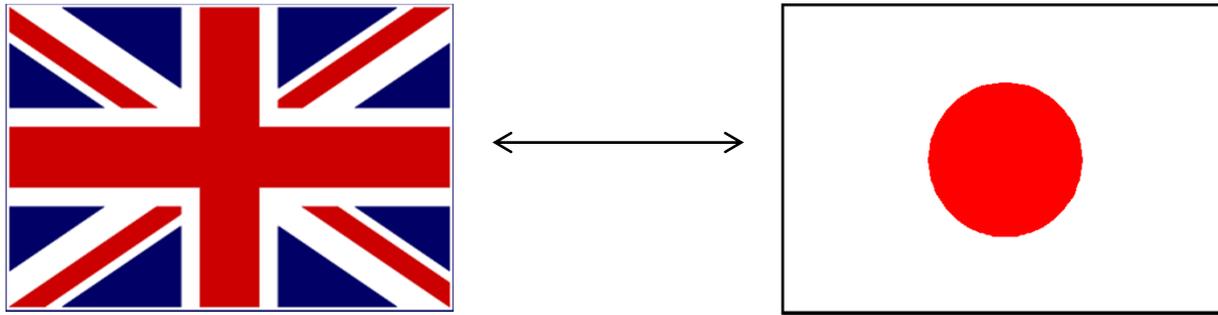
- In partnership with The British Academy
- Aimed at early career post-doctoral researchers from abroad
- Two year tenure plus up to ten year alumni support:
 - £24,000 subsistence annually
 - Up to £8,000 research costs annually
 - Up to £2,000 relocation (one-off payment)
 - Up to £6,000/year alumni support for up to ten years (pending eligibility)
- 2012 round- 9 Japanese applicants
- In 2011 -1 Japanese Newton Fellowship out of a total of 25 in natural sciences & engineering (RS) and 13 in social sciences & humanities (BA)
- Alumni programme launched in April 2011



JSPS Postdoctoral Fellowships programme:

- The Royal Society acts as a nominating authority for this programme
- The scheme supports postdoctoral researchers from the UK to conduct research at a research institutions in Japan for 1-2 years
- The Society nominates up to 10 researchers a year
- This programme is entirely funded by JSPS
- Nine awards made for 2011 round
- 2012 round -8 awards to be made.

Number of applications funded in FY since April 2011:



- Daiwa UK-Japan International Exchanges – 2
- International exchanges (direct applications) – 2
- Newton International Fellowships – 1
- JSPS Postdoctoral Fellowships- 9

Applying to the Society:

- All applications for all our schemes are submitted and processed on-line, e-GAP2
- We do not accept applications on paper
- We are also handling the JSPS Fellowship applications on the e-GAP2 system
- All applications are reviewed by dedicated panels of experts
- Some of our schemes, e.g. the Leverhulme - Royal Society Africa Awards, involve external peer review

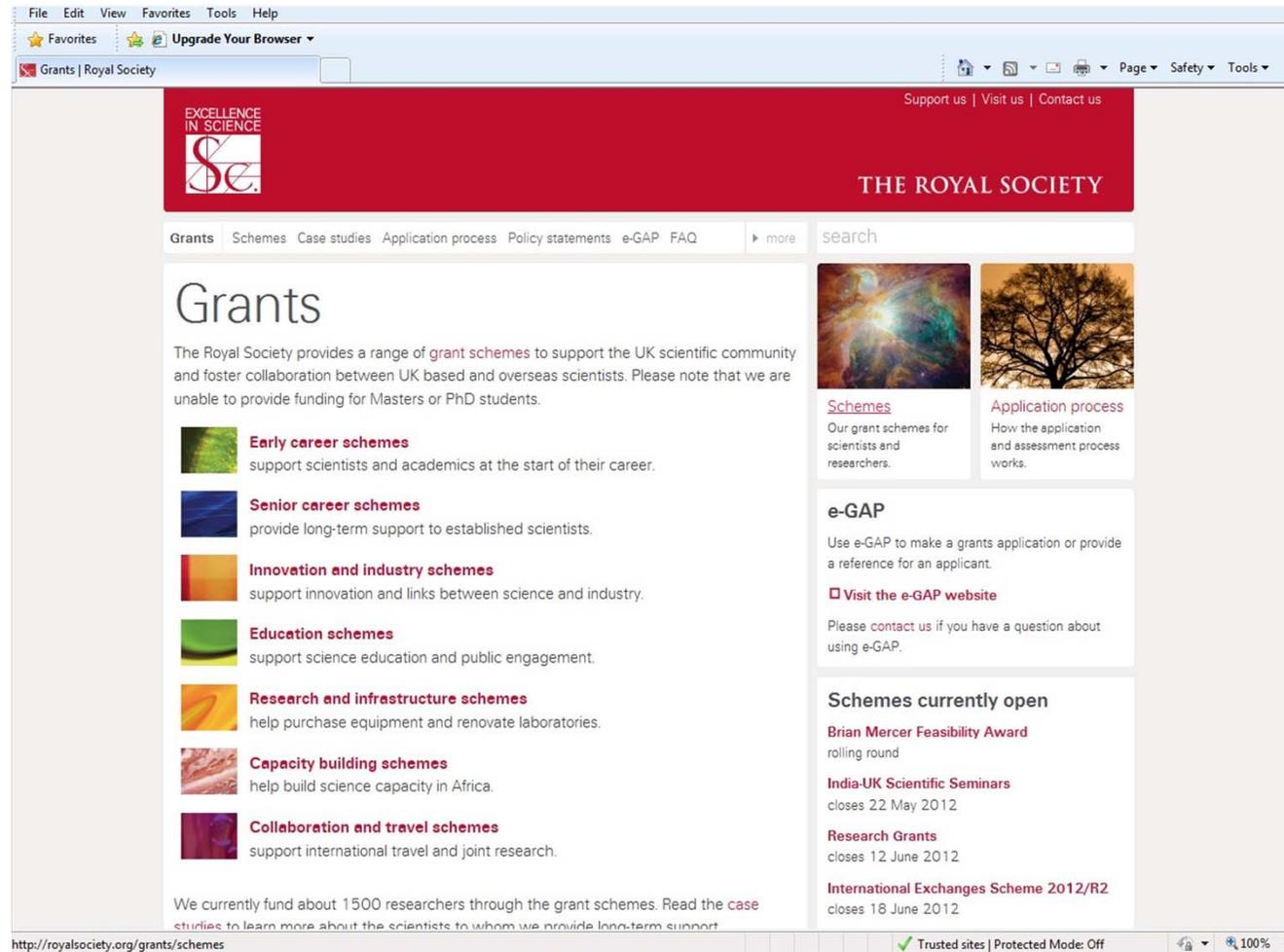
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<http://royalsociety.org/grants/>



The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the Royal Society Grants page. The browser's address bar shows the URL <http://royalsociety.org/grants/schemes>. The page features a red header with the 'EXCELLENCE IN SCIENCE' logo and 'THE ROYAL SOCIETY' text. A navigation menu includes 'Grants', 'Schemes', 'Case studies', 'Application process', 'Policy statements', 'e-GAP', and 'FAQ'. The main content area is titled 'Grants' and includes a sub-header 'The Royal Society provides a range of grant schemes to support the UK scientific community and foster collaboration between UK based and overseas scientists. Please note that we are unable to provide funding for Masters or PhD students.' Below this, there are seven categories of schemes, each with a small image and a brief description: 'Early career schemes' (support scientists and academics at the start of their career), 'Senior career schemes' (provide long-term support to established scientists), 'Innovation and industry schemes' (support innovation and links between science and industry), 'Education schemes' (support science education and public engagement), 'Research and infrastructure schemes' (help purchase equipment and renovate laboratories), 'Capacity building schemes' (help build science capacity in Africa), and 'Collaboration and travel schemes' (support international travel and joint research). On the right side, there are sections for 'Schemes' (Our grant schemes for scientists and researchers), 'Application process' (How the application and assessment process works), 'e-GAP' (Use e-GAP to make a grants application or provide a reference for an applicant), and 'Schemes currently open' (listing the Brian Mercer Feasibility Award, India-UK Scientific Seminars, Research Grants, and International Exchanges Scheme 2012/R2).



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Many thanks and time for questions:



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