The Nick Bowen Award 2018

Application form

The Nick Bowen Award is a new award, established by CIOL in April 2018 in memory of Dr Nick Bowen, CIOL President from 2012-2017, and is given to assist a young person in pursuing a project for developing international understanding through the use of a foreign language or languages.

The Award is open to all members of CIOL in any grade of membership who will be 28 years or younger as at 30 June 2018.

The Award is a monetary prize of £500.00 which is to be used towards travel or other expenses for the project.

The winner will be invited to receive the Award at the CIOL/IoLET Awards Evening in London in November 2018 and, on completion of the project, will be asked to submit appropriate receipts and a short account of how the Award was used for prospective publication in *The Linguist*.

Examples of the kind of project that would be considered eligible for the award are: involvement in an overseas development project in which it is important to speak the local language; an internship in an international organisation such as UNESCO in which different languages are used. There will be many other kinds of eligible project, and the Awards Committee does not intend these suggestions to be at all restrictive.

The Award might contribute to travel or living expenses on a visit, or language training; it is not envisaged that the Award would cover all the expenses involved.

**To apply for the Award, please complete this application form in full and send by email to comms@ciol.org.uk by 5pm on Friday 15 June 2018**

For further information, please contact: Debbie Butler, CIOL Communications and Marketing Manager, on comms@ciol.org.uk or telephone +44 (0)20 7940 3100.

**All fields must be completed**

**Your details**

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| **Name** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Address** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Email address** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Telephone** | Click here to enter text. |

**About you**

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| **Give a brief description of yourself, your professional qualifications and your current employment**(Maximum 200 words) | Click here to enter text. |

**Your project**

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| **Describe the opportunity you wish to pursue, explaining (a) the nature of the activity, (b) how it will help to develop international understanding, (c) who apart from yourself will benefit from it, and (d) the languages that will be used.**(Maximum 500 words) | Click here to enter text. |
| **Please include full details of any employer or sponsoring organisation.** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Give details of your total budget and any other sources of funding, both confirmed and potential.** | Click here to enter text. |

**Referees**

Please give contact details of two, one of whom should be closely connected with the project you wish to pursue, eg, an employer, project manager or representative of a charitable organisation), and the other of whom should be able to comment on your capacity for successfully undertaking the project (eg, a former teacher, employer, or other person who knows you well).

Referee 1

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| **Full name** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Postal address** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Email address** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Phone number** | Click here to enter text. |

Referee 2

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| **Full name** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Postal address** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Email address** | Click here to enter text. |
| **Phone number** | Click here to enter text. |

**Declaration**

I agree that, if successful in my application, I will provide CIOL with receipts showing how the money was used, and that I will write a brief report on my activities for prospective publication in *The Linguist*.

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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