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Jobs and Opportunity Initiative Global (JOI GL) RFP Overview

J-PAL's Jobs and Opportunity Initiative (JOI) funds randomized evaluations that address pressing labor market challenges related to supply and matching, job creation, and the future of jobs. JOI is now calling for proposals from J-PAL affiliates, invited researchers, and postdocs for full research projects, pilot studies, travel/proposal development grants, and policy outreach support grants. PhD students, with support from an advisor who is a J-PAL affiliate or invited researcher, are also eligible to apply. African Scholars are also eligible to apply for pilot studies and travel/proposal development grants. **Letters of interest are due by Thursday, August 25 2022 at 1:00 PM ET. Proposals are due by Thursday, October 6, 2022 at 1:00 PM ET.**

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Title of Proposal

NOTE: This field has a 120 character limit. If the title of your proposal is longer please include the full proposal name in the next field.

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Full Proposal Name

If the title of your proposal is more than 120 characters, please use the field below to type the full name. If your proposal title is under 120 characters, bypass this field and use the **save and next** button to move to the next tab.

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Jobs and Opportunity Initiative Global (JOI GL) Eligible Researcher

Please identify the researcher who is eligible for JOI Global funding. This may be the principal PI, or any eligible PI if there are multiple eligible researchers associated with the proposal.

Click on the magnifying glass to the right of the field. Type in at least the first 3 characters of the PI name and click GO.

Please note eligible graduate students are those that have a J-PAL affiliate or invited researcher as an advisor.

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Select JOI Global Eligibility Category

Indicate how the researcher identified above is eligible for J-PAL Initiative funding.

Available	**Chosen**
J-PAL Affiliate	
Invited Researcher	
Graduate Student	
J-PAL Postdoc	
Regional Scholars	

Advisor of Graduate Student Applicant to JOI Global

If you are a graduate student, please indicate the J-PAL-affiliate or invited researcher who serves as an advisor on your dissertation committee at your host university.

Click on the magnifying glass to the right of the field. Type in at least the first three characters of the PI name and click GO.

Identify Team Members

Click the link below to add PIs, team members, or project collaborators.

[Click here to Add Collaborators](#)

*The person who started the application will be assigned the role of applicant which will be visible on the **Manage Team Members** tab. **Please do not edit that assignment.***

If a contact has multiple roles, add the team member and indicate the first role, then add them again to assign another role. If you are assigned the applicant role because you are completing or started the application and you are also a PI you will need to add yourself again and identify yourself as such. When the pop-up asks if you would like to give access to this team member, select no, and move on to assigning the additional role.

JOI Global Eligible Researcher Certification

I certify that any listed J-PAL affiliates or invited researchers have agreed to be active, engaged, and responsive PIs or advisors on this project. Affiliates and invited researchers who are involved have confirmed that they will be dedicated to guaranteeing quality control on all aspects of this research and that their participation is not merely to provide access to resources and funding to other project team members who would otherwise be ineligible.

--None--	⌄

Which type of funding are you applying for?

--None--	⌄

Amount of Requested Funding

Please ensure that the amount requested is in USD.

In what country or countries will your study take place?

Available	**Chosen**
Afghanistan	
Albania	
Algeria	
American Samoa	
Andorra	

Proposed Project Start Date

This should be the approximate start date for all project activities, including any work conducted prior to requesting J-PAL initiative funding, and any work that will be supported by co-funding.

Proposed Project End Date

This should be the approximate end date for all project activities, including any work planned after any potential J-PAL

initiative funding has been exhausted, supported by co-funding.

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Jobs and Opportunities Initiatives Research Theme(s)

Please indicate which Jobs and Opportunities Initiatives research theme or themes your proposal relates to; these are described in detail in the RFP materials.

Available	Chosen
Supply and Matching	Supporting Small and Microentrepreneurs through Alternative Bu
Job Creation	
Future of Jobs	
Identifying and Supporting High-Growth-Potentia	

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In one to two sentences, please describe how the research project aligns with the JOI Global research theme or themes identified above.

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Please provide a brief description of the project.

300 word maximum.

Additional Information

*You're welcome to provide any brief additional comments about your form responses, or questions for us, here. Only a few sentences, maximum, please. If you have more detailed questions for us or information to share, you're welcome to email our staff team at JOI@povertyactionlab.org or contact staff directly from the **Message** tab on your portal dashboard by selecting the RFP, related request (proposal title). This feature is best for brief communications or questions.*

If you have previously submitted this or a similar proposal to JOI:

Are the PI team, context, and the research question the same as in the previously submitted proposal?

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Additional questions for African Scholars submitting letters of interest to J-PAL's Jobs and Opportunity Initiative.

Please complete all of the questions below.

Has the eligible PI completed their PhD?

Please provide more information in the **Additional Information** field at the end of this tab if you selected **planned**, or **in progress**. Be sure to indicate the question or questions to which you are responding.

--None-- ⌄

In which country is the eligible PI's current University?

Available		**Chosen**
Afghanistan		
Albania		
Algeria		
American Samoa		
Andorra		

Does the proposed project clearly have a pathway to a possible randomized evaluation in the future?

Please provide more information in the **Additional Information** field at the end of this tab if you select **other**. Be sure to indicate the question or questions to which you are responding.

--None-- ⌄

Do you plan to publish the findings from this study in an academic journal in the future?

Generally, researchers publish full randomized evaluation results, but do not publish proposal development or pilot results.

Please answer this question for the specific project level (i.e. proposal development, pilot or full RCT) you are applying for. The intention to publish or not publish will assist with identifying the relevant IRB requirements.

--None-- ⌄

African Scholar LOI Additional Information

Please use this space to elaborate on your responses to the above questions or provide any additional information you would like considered with your application.

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We do not require you to identify partner organizations at this time. Not adding them at this stage will not impact the decision to invite a proposal submission opportunity to identify any organizations that need to be created and request that we do so, enabling you to complete and submit the proposal without experiencing any

Please add any implementation partners (including partners in charge of delivering the intervention and partners in charge of evaluating/conducting research on the inter If you are adding co-funders, be sure to indicate the amount of received or committed funding.

We strongly recommend including a point of contact based at each partner organization. If the organization you are searching for is not available, please send an email t includes the organization's name, the type of organization (NGO, non-profit, etc.), mailing address, and website. We will respond within two business days, informing you created and is available to add to your application.

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You can manage any project team member you added from the **Basic Information** tab and granted access to the proposal below.

Please do not edit or change the automatically assigned "applicant" role.

If you added a team member who does not have a J-PAL portal account and did not invite them to collaborate through the portal on this application, they will not be listed your proposal. If you need to request changes to team members not listed, please send an email to fc_help@povertyactionlab.org with the title of your proposal, the team necessary change(s).

If the person who is the applicant has another function related to the proposal, such as PI, navigate back to the **Basic Information** tab. Scroll down to the **Identify Team** Add Collaborators" link, type their name in the search box, click the magnifying glass, select the contact to add them, and indicate their additional role.

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Pending Invited Team Members

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