Radboud - Western Collaboration Fund

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Enriching lives, opening minds.
Education
The Collaboration Fund has been established to facilitate and support joint initiatives that will strengthen the two universities’ strategic priorities, through innovative education as well as multi-disciplinary cutting-edge research to create academic and societal impact.
(1) Short Term Mobility Projects

Professional development

- Exchange of knowledge and experience (e.g. work shadowing)
- Deliver guest lectures

Prepare an external grant funding proposal

- Develop a new collaboration initiative

(1) For academic and professional services staff
(2) To cover airfares, other travel expenses, accommodation and subsistence
(3) Selection based on:
    - Purpose
    - Increased connectivity between the 2 institutions
(2) Research and Learning & Teaching Projects

- Approx. 1 year projects
- CAD 25,000/EUR 16,700 as maximum
  - Travel expenses
  - Accommodation and subsistence
  - Research material/equipment
  - Additional research assistance
  - Seminar/conferences/workshop costs
Research and Learning & Teaching Projects

- Research: innovative; increased access to research facilities
- Learning & Teaching: improved student experience; innovative learning opportunities/pedagogic approaches
- Supported by the relevant Dean of Faculty/Head of School
- Criteria
  - Added value: impact for both universities, e.g., on the quality
  - Relevance: academic/societal impact, global outlook, excellence
  - Feasibility: clear/realistic timeline and smart deliverables (in line with budget requested)
  - Sustainability: long-term ambition (beyond 1 year), dissemination of results and financial sustainable (future funding opportunities)
# Timeline

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