



L-Università ta' Malta
Mediterranean Institute

Application form for Research Associate (for UM staff) and Research Affiliates (for external members) within the Mediterranean Institute, University of Malta.

The *Mediterranean Institute* within the University of Malta supervises and organises research activities within the area of Mediterranean studies and has been publishing its international peer-reviewed flagship *Journal of Mediterranean Studies* (ISSN: 1016-3476) for 25 years.

The *Key Research Areas* (KRA) within the Institute are designed as active research hubs to create a human infrastructure to co-ordinate and develop research in the area. Each Area is coordinated by a KRA Co-ordinator and composed of Associate and Affiliate member.

Members of the Institute are expected to participate in the activities organised by the respective KRA and contribute in the creation of a Research Environment within the Institute through the delivery of papers, publications and supervision within the Institute where appropriate.

- Each KRA will deliver one paper (either jointly or as individual members) as part of the Institute's *Mediterranean Seminar Series* (MSS).
- Associates and Affiliates within the Institute are expected to indicate their affiliation with the Institute in research publications resulting from their activities within the Institute.
- Duration of RA status will be for an initial period of three years (renewable).
To apply for a Research Associate or Research Affiliate position within the Mediterranean Institute kindly fill in the form below. Together with this application letter kindly provide:

- (1) C.V. and separate publication list
- (2) A Brief Research Statement outlining your research interest/contribution in relation to one of the designated Key Research Areas (KRA) of the Institute.
- (3) Letter of Recommendation from the respective KRA co-ordinator.

Please send an electronic copy and a signed copy to Ms Isabelle Abela on:
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Title: _____

First Name: _____

Surname: _____

Department: _____

Institution: _____

Phone No: _____

Email: _____

Applying for: **Research Associate (UM):** _____

Research Affiliate (non-UM): _____

Key Research Area applying for (Please tick one):

1. Democratisation, Displacement and Development:
Politics and social change in the Mediterranean _____

2. Body, Health and Food: Paradigms of sensuality in the
Mediterranean _____

3. Belief, Identity and Exchange: Unity and Difference in
the Mediterranean _____

4. Space, Narrative and Memory: Postcoloniality and
Representation in the Mediterranean _____

Signature of Applicant:

Signature of Director:

Date:

Date: