



NICOLA ANDERSON BURSARY

Open to all second-year students in Global Studies



The Nicola Anderson Bursary: in memory of Nicola Anderson, a Sussex student in the 1970s

Open to all 2nd -year Global Studies students to fund travel for projects and research during the summer vacation

KEY QUESTIONS

Who can apply?

The bursary is open to any student in their current second year from across the School of Global Studies (single or joint honours). Students will normally apply as individuals, although they may apply as a pair or small group.

How much money is available?

Students can apply for a maximum of £4,000, but overall cost and value for money will be taken into account when deciding on awards. We hope to be able to support at least three applications, but this will depend on the amounts applied for.

KEY QUESTIONS

What sort of project is funded?

It is expected that the bursary will be used for specific projects taking place in the summer vacation between students' second and third year. Such projects might be connected with a student's course of study, for example to undertake fieldwork for a thesis, or be part of some other research or development project.

HOW DO SELECTORS DECIDE WHICH PROJECT TO FUND?

Selection will be made by a panel of faculty members.

Selectors will draw up a shortlist, based on application forms.

Shortlisted applicants may be asked to make a presentation to selectors and members of the Anderson family. This will take place on Wednesday 29th April 2026 – 2-5pm.

EXAMPLES OF PAST PROJECTS

- Access to Higher Education in Kenya
- Rwandan Youth Information Community Organisation
- Research into fertiliser use in Tanzania
- Football and AIDS education in Zanzibar
- The (re)emergence of the Ghanaian surf scene.
- Acroecology in Veracruz, Mexico.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION WILL BE PAID TO:

the *quality* of the project

its *feasibility*

value for money

HOW DO I APPLY?

Application forms are circulated with this presentation or email intdevoffice@sussex.ac.uk

The deadline for the 2026 award is:
4pm on Thursday, 9th April 2026

Send the application form as an attachment to intdevoffice@sussex.ac.uk & e.killick@sussex.ac.uk

Shortlisted candidates will be asked to make a short presentation of their plans on Wednesday 29th April.

ANY QUESTIONS?

- **Email the office:** intdevoffice@sussex.ac.uk
- **or Evan:** e.killick@sussex.ac.uk