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## Future of Family Planning Thought Leadership Funding Opportunity

### Application

**As a follow-up to the International Conference on Family Planning, the Gates Institute is accepting applications for the new Future of Family Planning Thought Leadership funding opportunity, which will help support the imagination of researchers, scholars, advocates and practitioners to advance cutting-edge ideas born out of the 2018 ICFP.**

Participants in the 2018 ICFP (both virtual and in-person) can compete by writing a **3-page (1,500-word) essay outlining their ideas and how the ideas can change the world in the next 10 to 15 years.**

In addition to the monetary award, recipients will be funded to attend the [Future of Family Planning Convening](#), taking place this September at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, and a special Future of Family Planning invited session at the next ICFP that will showcase their work.

**Applications will opened April 25 and will close June 11.**

**Winners will be announced on July 11 – World Population Day.**



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### Basic Information

\* 1. Surname/ First Name

\* 2. Family/ Last Name

\* 3. Date of Birth

Date / Time

MM/DD/YYYY

\* 4. Gender

- Female
- Male
- Other/Prefer not to say

**\* 5. Contact Information**

**Address**

**Address 2**

**City/Town**

**State/Province**

**ZIP/Postal Code**

**Country**

**Email Address**

**Phone Number**

**\* 6. Please specify if the information provided in the question above is your home or business address**

Home

Business

**\* 7. Country of Citizenship**

**\* 8. Country of Legal Residence**



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### Essay

\* 9. Essay title

\* 10. Essay topic/focal area

\* 11. Please attach your original essay (1500 words max)

Choose File

No file chosen

\* 12. I certify that the attached essay is my own work. I further certify that (a) I have formally cited or otherwise fully acknowledged any quotations, ideas, and wording used here from other sources, whether published or unpublished, in written or electronic form, and that I have engaged in no falsification or misrepresentation of data or experience in this submission. **(Print full name)**



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These questions concern your ability to travel to the Future of Family Planning Convening if invited

\* 13. Do you have a U.S. visa?

- Yes
- No
- I am a U.S. citizen

\* 14. Applicants who are not U.S. citizens or U.S. Permanent Residents must be admitted to the U.S. in the appropriate visa status. Please note that **JHU or the Gates Institute do not offer immigration sponsorship for the Future of Family Planning Convening.** The B-1/B-2 visitor visa (or visa waiver program) may be suitable for participants who are not U.S. Citizens or Legal Permanent Residents. **Visitor visas are self-sponsored**, and individuals submit a visa application directly to a U.S. consulate or embassy abroad. The U.S. Department of State is the issuing authority for all U.S. visas and determines whether the proposed activity in the U.S. is appropriate for issuance of a visitor visa. Participants authorized to be in the U.S. in some other visa status may be able to attend the program if that status also allows participation in this type of program and does not violate the terms of their visa. Participants who do not heed this advice, risk being denied entry to the U.S. at the port of entry. **By signing your name below, you acknowledge that you have read and fully understand the information presented above. (Print full name)**

\* 15. I hereby authorize the Bill & Melinda Gates Institute for Population and Reproductive Health, hereafter referred to as "Gates Institute," to publish photographs taken of me on, and my name and likeness, for use in print, online and video-based marketing materials, as well as other Gates Institute publications.

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