

History of the Weatherhead Initiative

2000–2001

Military Conflict as a Public Health Problem

Gary King and Chris Murray

2001–2002

Identity as a Variable

Alastair Iain Johnston, Yoshiko Herrera, Terry Martin, and Rawi Abdelal

2002

Religion and Global Politics

Samuel P. Huntington, J. Bryan Hehir, David Little, Jessica Stern, Monica Duffy Toft, Daniel Philpott, and Timothy Shah

2003

International Human Capital Flows and their Effects on Developing Countries

Mihir Desai, Devesh Kapur, Dani Rodrik, and Mark R. Rosenzweig

2005–2006

Humanitarian Response to Forced Migration: The 1947 Partition of India

Jennifer Leaning, Sharon Stanton Russell, and Sugata Bose

2007

A Comparative Study of Responses to Discrimination by Members of Stigmatized Groups

Michèle Lamont

2008

Empirical Studies of the Economics of Urban Poverty Reduction

Rohini Pande and Erica Field

2009–2010

Understanding African Poverty over the *Longue Durée*

Emmanuel Akyeampong, Robert Bates, James Robinson, and Nathan Nunn

2009–2010

Pentecostalism in Transnational Perspective

Jacob Olupona, Harvey Cox, Marla Frederick, and Devaka Premawardhana

2011

The Costs and Benefits of Carbon and Air Pollution Control in China: An Interdisciplinary and Analytical Framework

Michael B. McElroy, Dale W. Jorgenson, Chris P. Nielsen, Mun S. Ho, Zhao Yu, Cao Jing, Wang Yuxuan, and Lei Yu

2011—The first Weatherhead Initiative Research Cluster **Global History**

Sven Beckert and Charles S. Maier

2015

The Dynamics of Inequality: Gender and Work in Comparative Perspective

Mary Brinton, Iris Bohnet, Claudia Goldin, Kathleen L. McGinn, and Jason Beckfield

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What is the Weatherhead Initiative?

With the establishment of the Center's Weatherhead Endowment in 1998, the Weatherhead Initiative in International Affairs began concurrently as an expression of the wish of the Weatherhead Foundation to encourage and support large-scale and groundbreaking research in the realm of international affairs. The Initiative promotes the integration of teams of faculty researchers seeking innovative answers to essential problems on international, transnational, global, and comparative national topics.

Up to \$500,000 will be available beginning in July 2016 to support one Weatherhead Initiative Research Cluster. The Center expects to make an award every two to three years.

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Who is Eligible?

All assistant, associate, and full professors with continuing regular appointments in all the faculties and schools of Harvard University who are engaged in research pertinent to the Weatherhead Center's mission are eligible. Proposals should:

- be for large-scale pioneering and integrative projects involving members of different Harvard faculties in collaborative research;
- have a clear integrative core;
- involve other faculty members from research institutions in the United States or from other countries; and
- honor the idea of clustering scholars inter-generationally.

The full list of selection criteria can be found at: wcfia.harvard.edu/weatherhead-initiative-research-cluster-international-affairs

Financial Support

Accepted Weatherhead Initiative proposals can be completed within three years. Up to \$500,000 will be available beginning in July 2016 to support one Weatherhead Initiative Research Cluster. The Center expects to make an award every two to three years.

How to Apply

Proposals for the first round of the Weatherhead Initiative are due by **October 1, 2015**. The proposals will be considered by the Initiative Selection Committee by early November, and project teams may be asked to meet with the selection committee in late November or early December. The announcement of awards will occur by the end of the fall semester and funding for clusters will begin on July 1, 2016.

Review Process

The Weatherhead Initiative Selection Committee is composed of faculty members from various peer universities and a variety of disciplines. It screens proposals and makes recommendations to the Weatherhead Center Executive Committee, which makes the final decision on awarding the Initiative grant.

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Find more details at:

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