

# WORLD TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITIES NETWORK

## WTUN Exchange Programme 2024-25

### Framework

The WTUN Exchange Programme provides staff (academic and professional) and PhD students of WTUN member universities grants of up to £2000 to foster collaborations in areas such as teaching, research and capacity building and development.

We encourage applications from all member institutions. For 2024/25, there are 18 grants available via the Exchange Programme.

This framework has been developed in consultation with members of the WTUN Operational Board.

The Programme is open to new projects, initiatives and teaching and learning opportunities as well as those that have been involved in previous rounds and wish to utilise the funds to continue their work.

It is intended that the Exchange Programme provide opportunities for member institutions to explore or conduct activities such as those stated in the WTUN Objectives and Vision (<https://www.wtun.net/about/>) including, but not limited to:

- collaborative research between member universities.
- capacity-building, including collaborative teaching initiatives among member universities.
- developing position and policy statements.
- facilitating links between world technology universities and industry, NGOs, and SMEs.

This year WTUN would like to encourage exchange proposals within the WTUN focus areas:

- Gender Equality
- Innovation and Entrepreneurship.
- Good Health and Wellbeing
- Quality Education
- Sustainable Cities and Communities
- Responsible Consumption and Production
- Climate Action
- International collaboration between HE institutions

However, all proposals will be considered equally.

As in previous years, we will be encouraging applications which specifically seek to develop further international activities (joint modules, summer schools, joint research bids).

There will be a **two-proposal** limit per member institution and therefore all proposals must be approved by the sending/lead institution's Operational Board Member.

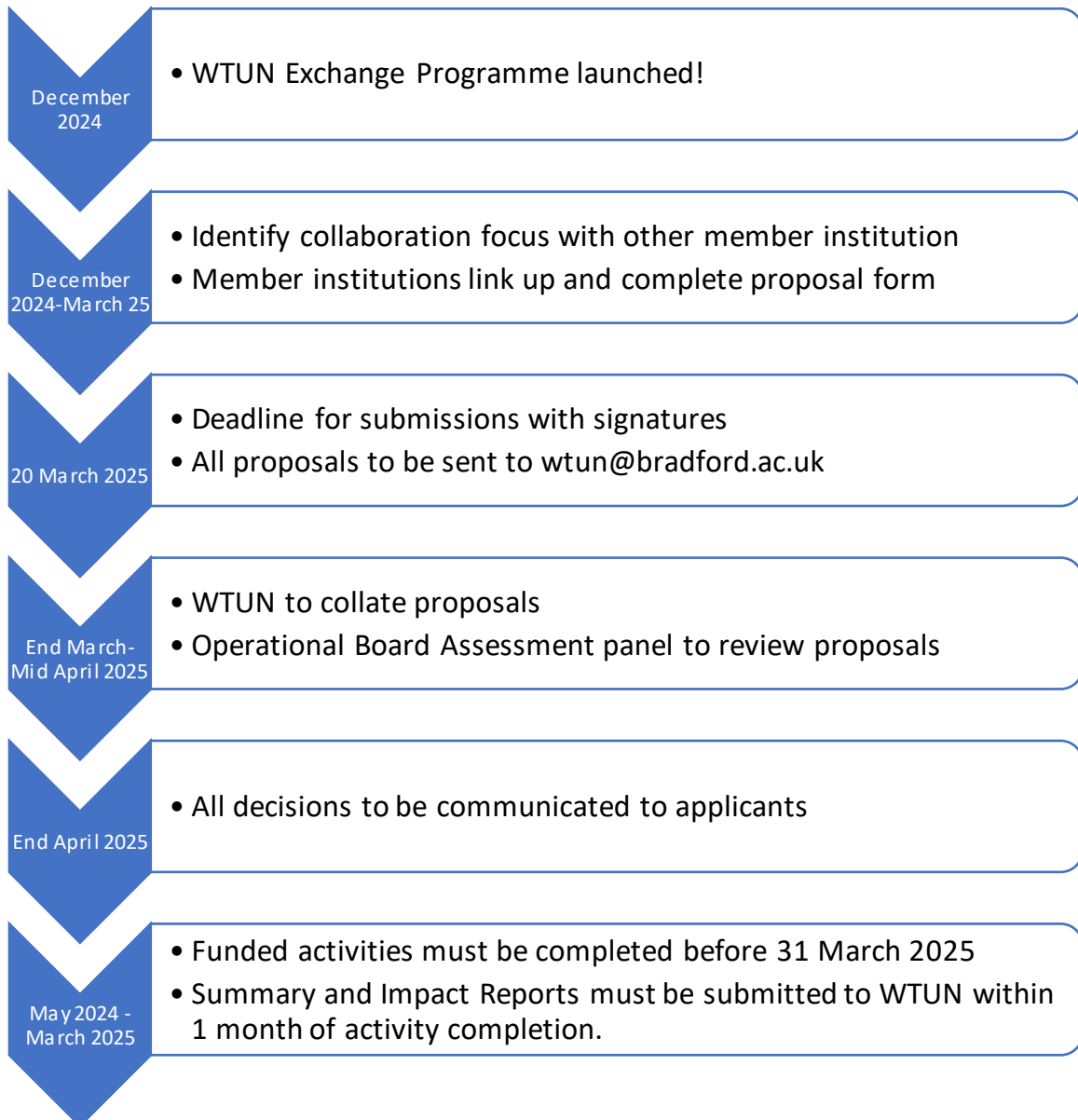
We would love to see applications from across our entire membership and so would like to encourage applications from member institutions yet to take part in the WTUN Exchange Programme.

Feedback on ways to encourage currently underrepresented members is welcome.

If you have any queries, please contact the WTUN Secretariat [wtun@bradford.ac.uk](mailto:wtun@bradford.ac.uk)

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## Proposed 2024/25 Timeline



The WTUN Secretariat will work with all successful applicants and assist throughout the process.