**Emerging Authors Program for Global Cardiovascular Disease Research**

**Application Instructions**

Individuals interested in applying to the Emerging Authors Program for Global Cardiovascular Disease Research should submit a complete application by **11:59 pm Atlanta/EST on 21 February 2021**.

A complete application includes the following materials:

 [ ]  Application form, including project description (below)

 [ ]  Brief personal statement, including:

* Rationale for applying and reason for interest in publishing
* Statement on how much time the applicant can commit to manuscript development per week
* Statement of commitment to serving as first author

 [ ]  Curriculum vitae

 [ ]  Letter of support from a local mentor outlining:

* Support for candidate’s participation in the initiative
* Whether interested in co-mentoring the applicant in coordination with global mentors

*Please note that all materials must be submitted in English.*

**How to Apply**

Interested applicants should send all application materials in one email to globalncds@cdc.gov with the subject line “Emerging Authors Program Application” prior to the deadline.

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**Application Form**

**Applicant Information**

**Family Name** (surname): Click or tap here to enter text. **Given Name** (first name): Click or tap here to enter text.

**Country of Birth**: Click or tap here to enter text. **Country of Residence**: Click or tap here to enter text.

**Project Details**

**Project title:** Click or tap here to enter text.

1. Does your project have ethical approval?

[ ]  Yes [ ]  In process [ ]  No

1. What is the status of the project? (Check all that apply)

[ ]  Participants enrolled [ ]  Data collection completed

[ ]  Data analysis completed [x]  Working on the manuscript

1. What is the project study design?

[ ]  Qualitative [ ]  Quantitative [ ]  Mixed method

1. What is the project area/proposed focus for manuscript?

[ ]  Hypertension [ ]  Population-level Nutrition/Food Policy [ ]  Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. What is the study sample size?

[ ]  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ [ ]  Do not know

1. Do you have full access to data?

[ ]  Yes [ ]  No

1. Are you willing to share data with global mentors (if needed)?

[ ]  Yes [ ]  No

1. Do you need statistical support for data analysis?

[ ]  Yes [ ]  No [ ]  Do not know

1. Do you need literature search support?

[ ]  Yes [ ]  No [ ]  Do not know

1. Which software are you planning to use for data analysis?

[ ]  Stata [ ]  R [ ]  SPSS [ ]  nVivo

[ ]  Other (specify:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) [ ]  Do not know

1. Which software are you planning to use for reference management?

[ ]  Endnote [ ]  Reference Manager [ ] Mendeley
[ ]  Other (specify:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) [ ]  Do not know

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**Application Form Continued**

**Project Description**

Please provide a brief description of the project/study that you intend to develop into a manuscript for publication, using the template below.

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| **SECTION** | **DESCRIPTION** |
| **Research question(s)**List the question(s) you aim to answer with your study/analysis. |  |
| **Study design** Describe the type of study and the study design. |  |
| **Study population/setting**Describe the study population and setting/location. |  |
| **Data description** Briefly describe the data collected, period and frequency of data collection, method for data collection, data source(s). |  |
| **Analysis variables** List your analysis variables, including your key outcome variable(s). |  |
| **Statistical methods** Describe the methods used for your analysis. |  |
| **Key results** List the main findings relevant to your research question. |  |
| **Preliminary conclusion**Describe any preliminary conclusions, if available. |  |