ESRC Impact Acceleration Account Launch Event
Wednesday 17 September, 4-5pm
Research Beehive, Old Library Building, Newcastle University
Followed by a drinks reception at 5pm

What is the ESRC IAA?

Newcastle University has been awarded an Impact Acceleration Account (IAA) by the Economic & Social Research Council (ESRC). This grant is provided to the top research-intensive universities to enable academics to maximise the impact of their social science research and contribute to economic and societal development in their region and beyond. Maximising the impact of our research through the IAA will help us to achieve our mission of being a world-class civic university.

The funding will support a wide range of impact activities, including placements and secondments, seminars and outreach events, and a wide range of other forms of innovative co-production with external organisations.

Why attend?

Working together with businesses, professional associations and networks, community groups, local authorities, schools, and charities (locally, nationally and internationally) will be at the heart of how we will invest these funds over the next four years.

Newcastle’s social science research strengths cover many areas, including urban and regional development, the sustainable development of rural areas, social inclusion, digital innovation in firms and the public sector, educational provision, and health policy. The IAA will enable us to work better with our partners to enhance the impact of our research.

If you’re interested in exploring new or developing existing collaborations with social science researchers at Newcastle University, please come along to learn more about the various schemes on offer.

Registration

Please register for this event at: http://forms.ncl.ac.uk/view.php?id=6498

Further information and Feedback

We’re really interested in hearing your thoughts and ideas for future events, so please feed these back to us. Please direct enquiries and feedback to: angela.scott@ncl.ac.uk.

More information about Newcastle University’s ESRC IAA can be found on the Faculty of Humanities and Social Science webpages: http://www.ncl.ac.uk/hss/impact/iaa/.

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