

# MU-MIP Meeting 3

Wednesday 22 June, 15:00 BST, Zoom

# Agenda

- Updates from participating groups (all)
- SCM protocol discussion (Hannah Christensen)
- Next steps and timeline

# Oxford Update

- Funding application submitted to Leverhulme
- Outline submitted (Sept), invited to submit full application (March)
- Outcome expected in mid July
  
- HC @ Oxford (IFS), Hugo Lambert @ Exeter (MetUM), Romain Roehrig @ Meteo France (ARPEGE-Climat), Judith Berner @ NCAR
- Three year project, would fund 6.5 PDRA years covering simulations and analysis



## Research Project Grants

For researchers based at universities, institutions of higher education or registered charities with university-equivalent research capacity, to undertake an innovative and original research project

### Value

The maximum grant value is £500,000.

### Duration

Research Project Grants may be held for up to five years.

Before beginning your application, please read the information below.

Eligibility	+
What the Trust offers	+
How to apply	+

### Key Dates

Open all year

#### Outline Applications

There are no deadlines; successful applicants are invited to submit a Detailed Application

#### Detailed Applications

Closing dates are the same each year

21 March, 4pm

Decision: mid July

1 September, 4pm

Decision: early December

1 December, 4pm

Decision: end March

Grant deadlines remain unchanged at this time but the situation will be kept under review

### Making an Application

# SCM protocols

- Sensitivity to how we force the SCM
- At least two key choices
  - Surface forcing: fluxes vs. skin T
  - Vertical velocity for dynamical forcing
  - Geostrophic wind?
- Any opinions?
- Key is to report choices
- Once centre could run two ways

# Timeline

- If we are happy with format and content of SCM input files, HC to produce files for entire 40-day window for Indian Ocean only.  
(end of Aug)