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VoxNations Schelling Grant in Support of Primary Data Collection in *Iran, Iraq, and Afghanistan*

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‘VoxNations Schelling Grant’ Description

VoxNations is a subdivision of People Analytics Inc. operating from Toronto, Canada. Believing in the scientific method, *VoxNations* provides research community with tailored opinion research services and a dispassionate understanding of the people living in *Iran, Iraq, and Afghanistan* using rigorous methods.

The purpose of the ‘*VoxNations Schelling Grant in Support of Primary Data Collection in Iran, Iraq, and Afghanistan*’ is to assist doctoral students, scholars, and faculty with research costs of primary data collection in *Iran, Iraq, and Afghanistan*.

Description:

‘*VoxNations Schelling Grant*’ aims to promote and facilitate impactful and methodologically sound opinion research in *Iran, Iraq, and Afghanistan*.

Thomas Crombie Schelling (April 14, 1921 – December 13, 2016), who was awarded the 2005 *Nobel Memorial Prize in Economic Sciences* for “having enhanced our understanding of conflict and cooperation through game-theory analysis” always emphasized that “social scientists have to either go out into the field themselves or be in very close contact with those in the field.” As an enthusiast follower of events in the region, Professor Schelling practiced what he preached and hence did not hesitate to go to Iran when invited in January 2008 to get an inside look at that country.

The current program, which is an internal partial matching grant, offers up to \$15,000 per each grantee along with several larger grants of up to \$25,000 for research designs reflecting excellence in scientific primary data collection with policy or academic impact.

Detailed conditions are available here: www.VoxNations.com/grant

Eligibility:

- Applicants for *VoxNations Schelling Grant* must plan on primary data collection in *Iran, Iraq, and Afghanistan*. Diverse range of primary data collection methods are eligible including quantitative (telephone surveys or online panels) and qualitative (focus groups, in-depth interviews, or cognitive interviews).
- Applicants must either be a doctoral student, faculty (any rank) in an institution of higher education, or a scholar/researcher affiliated with a research institute or a think tank.
- The Doctoral student applicants must be in good academic standing.
- Applicants may be citizens or residents of any country and their institutions may be located and accredited/recognized in any country.

How to Apply:

- Complete the *VoxNations Schelling Grant* application form: www.VoxNations.com/apply
- After completing the online form, you must submit the following documents via e-mail to contact@VoxNations.com:
 - Curriculum Vitae,
 - Research summary including project background and rationale, an explanation of research design (primary data collection methods, procedure, etc.) and other important aspects of the project,
 - Only for Doctoral student applicants: In your research summary, you must provide the full name and email address of at least one of your dissertation committee members or chair/head of your department. We will contact them with a few questions concerning your eligibility for the grant.
 - A detailed description of the service(s) you need us to provide.

Deadline:

The applications are due by the 15th day of each quarter (15th of March, 15th of June, 15th of September, and 15th of December).

Decision:

- Decisions regarding the recipient selection and the form and amount of grant to each recipient are solely made by People Analytics Inc.
- All applicants for the *VoxNations Schelling Grant* will be notified of the decisions via email.

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