

## **QRA NRWA**

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Dear Sujay,

QRA New Research Worker's Award (NRWA)

The panel has now considered all the applications submitted by the 15th Sept 2017 deadline. There was a high standard of applications for this round and the competition rendered funding to be correspondingly tight. I am pleased to inform you that the QRA will be able to provide £1000 of support specifically to support your fieldwork endeavours rather than the case that was made for the proposed consumable expenditure.

Two options are available for payment:

- (1) Electronic payment.
- (2) A cheque issued directly to you.

Please contact the QRA Treasurer, Jack Lacey (cc'd), to confirm your payment method. For option 1, Jack will need you to provide your account details via email.

When you have completed your investigations, it is a condition of the award that you submit a 500-word report on your work to <u>awards@gra.org.uk</u> for publication in Quaternary Newsletter. Normally for the NRWA this would briefly describe the rationale of your research and detail the analyses that have been undertaken. It may be more appropriate given the funding that you have received for you to outline your research objectives, detail the training that was received and note how it has supported your research. Please read the guidelines for contributors in QN for further details on how to structure your report and the format of text and figures (see attachment). In order to meet the deadline for the May 2018 issue of the Newsletter, please send the report to<u>awards@gra.org.uk</u> by 15th Sept 2018 at the latest. The editor of QN will also consider longer articles based on your findings if you feel this is appropriate. All materials for publications until 6 months have elapsed after submission of your report within a year. If the 12 month deadline is not met then we will be unable to receive further applications for 12 months after submission of the report. Another condition of the award is to ensure that the QRA is acknowledged in any publications that arise from this work.

If you have any other queries regarding the award, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best wishes

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