Additional references


Websites

www.esrcsocietytoday.ac.uk
Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC). Click the ‘academic’ button and follow the links to writing a good proposal.

www.mrc.ac.uk/Fundingopportunities/Applicanthandbook/index.htm
Medical Research Council (MRC). The applicant handbook provides detailed advice on how to apply for an MRC grant, information that is useful more broadly.

www.rdinfo.org.uk/flowchart/Flowchart.html
R&D funding provides an overview of all stages of the research process, with useful sections on writing a successful proposal.

www.writing.colostate.edu/guides/trad_research/intro/index.cfm
An introduction to research processes which covers: Choosing Your Topic, Conducting a Preliminary Search, Narrowing Your Topic, Defining a Research Question, Developing a Working Bibliography, Finding Sources in a Library, on the Internet, and in the Field.

Useful templates and guides

‘Research Proposal Template’ (Word doc.)*

‘Research Proposal – Reviewer’s Checklist’ (Word doc.)*

[*see section ‘Useful Templates and Guides’, Chapter 8]