Community Fund Application Form

**About UniSolar:**

UniSolar is a community benefit society (BenCom), a company established by the Solar SOAS student society which installed and manages the solar panels on the SOAS roofs. The solar panels generate an income from the electricity they produce, and after covering basic costs UniSolar puts the profits into a Community Fund.

**About the Community Fund:**

The UniSolar Community Fund is set up to provide financial support to social/environmental projects in the wider SOAS community.

In particular, it’s looking for projects that will either

1. Raise awareness about climate change issues and renewable energy
2. Offer practical ways of addressing environmental challenges in the community

Activities the fund can support includes, but is not limited to, funding for events, campaigns, workshops, or materials. If your idea does not fall within these categories, please get in touch to discuss. Applications can be for up to £1000, but smaller amounts are welcomed.

**About the application process:**

* The form must be filled in and submitted via the website [www.uni-solar.org/community-fund](http://www.uni-solar.org/community-fund)
* The deadline for submissions is **1 December 2018**.
* Each application will be assessed by UniSolar directors and external stakeholders
* Successful applicants will be informed in January
* Once accepted, the project team will discuss with the UCF about milestones and how to report back any results
* Depending on the project, the fund aims to release 50% of the funding up front and the remaning 50% after meeting agreed milestones
* Projects will be featured on the UniSolar website and social media

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| **Project Name\*** |  | | |
| **Amount required\*** | £ | | |
| **Project Summary\***  A description of what the project is, what are the objectives, how will you spend the money? *(Max 300 words)* |  | | |
| **Impact\***  What are the social/environmental impacts for the SOAS community?  *(Max 200 words)* |  | | |
| **Project Members\***  (Please outline all people/organisations involved in the project) |  | | |
| **Project spending\***  Please provide a detailed breakdown of how the project will be funded | | | |
| **Details** | **Community Fund (£)** | **Other Funding sources (£)** | **Total (£)** |
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| ***Totals*:** |  |  |  |
| **Other**  Please use this section for anything else you wish to add *(Max. 150 words)* |  | | |
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| Name of Project Lead\*: |  | | |
| Phone Number\*: |  | | |
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| How did you hear about us? |  | | |