

## KTH Field Studies (FS) – An introduction

KTH Field Studies (FS) is a travel grant funded by KTH Royal Institute of Technology, for field studies in low- and middle-income countries. The fieldwork period must be at least eight consecutive weeks.

The main objective of the FS travel grant programme is to promote scientific exchanges between KTH and research institutes, authorities, enterprises, and NGOs in low- and middle-income countries. Another purpose is to enhance KTH students' and teachers' knowledge about low- and middle-income countries, their challenges, and their possibilities. Any support that could assist the KTH FS-granted student in reaching the objectives of her/his field study is appreciated. The field study results will be presented at KTH as a degree project at the bachelor's or master's level.

To have an eligible FS project application, the student needs to have a contact person in the host country where the fieldwork will be conducted. There is no academic responsibility requested by the contact person, however, the contact person agrees to assist the student with local knowledge and practical support that is valuable for the student during his/her temporary stay in the country.

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