SOILLSE RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

Soillse – the national research network for the maintenance and revitalisation of the Gaelic language and culture – are inviting suitably qualified and competent researchers to become research associates of the network.

Research associates will have the opportunity to contribute to the research and knowledge exchange activities of the network and participate in seminars and other relevant events.

Three particular areas of activity will provide a guide to participation in the Soillse research network:

**Research and Scholarship:**
- Support the implementation of the Soillse research objectives and participate in the development and submission of joint research proposals
- Participate in the preparation of collaborative research projects, as appropriate
- Write-up joint research outputs for publication in appropriate journals; develop research outputs into formats to communicate with different audiences utilising various means of output, for example, the Soillse Research Digest series.

**Liaison and Networking:**
- Liaise with research colleagues and act in a proactive manner to support the wider network
- Build internal contacts and participate in internal networks for the exchange of information and to form relationships for future research collaboration activity
- Join external networks to share information, develop international research contacts and identify potential sources of research funding.

**Teamwork:**
- Work with Soillse research colleagues on joint projects, as appropriate
- Collaborate with academic colleagues on areas of shared research interest for the purpose of working on joint publications
- Attend and participate in relevant meetings, seminars and conferences.
Benefits of Association:

- Support to attend Soillse research meetings
- Academic development through engagement in collaborative research projects with Soillse members
- Career and personal development through joint project planning with Soillse members, and participation in joint applications for research funding
- Opportunities to attend Soillse events and conferences
- Access to Soillse network and international partners/contacts

Application Process:

A CV and letter of application should be submitted to the Soille Director.

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