

## ETH4D Research to Action Grants

### Evaluation Criteria:

<b>Criterion 1: Global Development Impact</b>
<b>Sub-criterion 1</b>
Results are being used, implemented, or disseminated demonstrating a global development related impact
<b>Sub-criterion 2</b>
Preference will be given to activities in countries listed as “least developed, low- and lower-middle-income country”
<i>In exceptional cases:</i> can projects be disseminated in higher-income countries as long as they have a clear and direct global development-related impact
<b>Criterion 2: Researcher has an Institutional Link to ETH Zurich</b>
<b>Sub-criterion 1</b>
e.g., previous research or courses taken at ETH or an affiliation with ETH initiatives which promote the development of innovative solutions
<b>Criterion 3: Project is Bridging the Gap between Research and Practice</b>
<b>Sub-criterion 1</b>
The project proposal clearly states how research results are put into practice
<b>Criterion 4: Clear Project Deliverables</b>
<b>Sub-criterion 1 – If dissemination:</b>
1.1 The project has a defined and justified target audience
1.2 The project entails clear key messages for participants to take away
<b>Sub-criterion 2 – If prototype:</b>
2.1 The project proposal indicates a clear purpose of the prototype (Will the product work? Is it realistic? Is it useful? Does it meet a current need?)
<b>Criterion 5: Realistic Timeframe and Work-Plan</b>
<b>Sub-criterion 1</b>
The planned timeframe and workplan are feasible and align with the activities
<b>Criterion 6: Realistic budget</b>
<b>Sub-criterion 1</b>
The planned budget is realistic and mirrors the activities
<b>Criterion 7: Convincing partnership (if applicable)</b>
<b>Sub-criterion 1</b>
The partner’s expertise/ thematic focus aligns with the project’s content