Ending the cycle of global poverty requires a commitment to research and scholarly collaboration that Stanford is uniquely positioned to provide. Stanford Seed enables scholars from all parts of campus to tackle the most challenging problems in developing economies.”

JESPER B. SØRENSEN, FACULTY DIRECTOR & EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
SEED RESEARCH
Seed is an extraordinary Stanford GSB-led initiative working to end the cycle of global poverty. As a Seed researcher, you can help advance the world’s fundamental knowledge about poverty, entrepreneurship, innovation, and the growth of firms in developing economies.

Our research funding and activities are 100% focused on global poverty projects. And we’re seeking Stanford faculty and PhD students with big ideas and endless curiosity to join us.

RESEARCH EVENTS
Attend research seminars, workshops, and networking events addressing global poverty alleviation.

VISITING SCHOLARS PROGRAM
Collaborate with visiting academics to facilitate the discovery and testing of new Seed-related research questions.

RESEARCH READING GROUPS
Discuss a variety of topics in global poverty alleviation.

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AWARD OPPORTUNITIES

GDP AWARDS
FOCUS: Multi-year awards to launch promising new research with the potential for scalable, sustainable impact on those living in poverty worldwide
ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS: Members of Stanford Academic Council
AWARD AMOUNT: Up to $400,000
DUE DATES: Currently on hold

FACULTY I-AWARDS
FOCUS: Large- and small-scale research projects focused on entrepreneurship, innovation, and the scaling of businesses in developing economies
ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS: Members of Stanford Academic Council
AWARD AMOUNT: Up to $150,000 over a two-year period for large scale projects / Up to $35,000 over a one-year period for small-scale projects
DUE DATES: 1.20.2017

PHD I-AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS
FOCUS: During the research phase of a dissertation / During the writing phase of a dissertation project
ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS: Stanford PhD candidates / Stanford PhD candidates with / expecting TGR status
AWARD AMOUNT: Up to $15,000 over a one-year period / $39,348 for 2016-17 Academic Year
DUE DATES: 1.20.2017