

**Olympic Council of Asia (OCA)  
Olympasia Project  
Guidelines**

**1) Project name:**

Olympasia Project

**2) Implementation period:**

2022 - 2024

**3) Project Description**

The Olympic Council of Asia (OCA) main aim and goals are to support athletes and the Olympic Movement development in Asia by creating equal opportunities for athletes to train and compete in a safe environment during their sports career and to help and prepare them for a smooth transition after retirement through education.

The OCA with its aim to promote sports and the fundamental principles of Olympism started a project in collaboration with Olympic Solidarity and Daimler Chrysler at the beginning of 2001, called “Olympasia”.

“Olympasia” mainly aims at creating economical support to help NOCs build functional sports facilities in the rural or underprivileged areas of developing countries aiming to create opportunities for athletes to train and have equal opportunities, when such facilities are put under the direct supervision of the National Olympic Committee.

Moreover, NOCs can also benefit from this project to create educational centers to promote Olympism and its fundamental principles.

This project will be under the direct supervision of the NOCs in cooperation with the local governmental agencies where the NOCs are

responsible for running the project and generating funds to sustain this project.

#### **4) Beneficiaries:**

Athletes & NOCs.

#### **5) Goals and objectives:**

1. Creating equal opportunities for athletes especially in underdeveloped countries.
2. Creating a safe environment for athletes to train and compete.
3. Supporting athletes off the field of play for them to have a smooth transition after retirement and help in building better societies.
4. Bringing hope for the young generations and athletes by allowing them to be involved in such project.
5. Promoting Olympic Education and the fundamental principle of Olympism.

#### **6) Project Subsidy Utilization**

1. Building sports/training facilities for athletes to train and compete.
2. Purchasing any means of transportation to help athletes commute for training and competitions.
3. Building medical centers for athletes' rehab and recovery.

4. Building Educational Centers for athletes and the sports community to promote Olympic Education.
5. Building Accommodation facilities to be used for training camps or competitions or any specific program which is athlete oriented.

**NOTE:** Prior approval is granted and required by OCA's President & Director-General on a case-by-case basis for any NOC that would like to utilize the programme subsidy outside the list stated above.

**7) Project Budget:**

\$500,000/Year

The Budget can be distributed for more than one NOC, \$100,000/NOC.