

APPLICATION for a Challenge Grant

Project Title
Principal Investigator
Co-proponents
General Project Description. Please identify the broad Challenge Area and the specific Challenge
Question that the research addresses.
Social Relevance of Project Please relate the output of the project to the University Research
goals and objectives.
Expected Societal Impact of Project. Please identify the sector or community that would benefit
from the results of the project and explain how and why the beneficiary would benefit from the
project.

Scholarly Relevance. Specify the scholarly and scientific relevance of the project.
Proponent's Research Experience. Provide information on previous research conducted similar to the proposed study.
Research Objectives. Discuss what you intend to find out from this research.
Research Design and Methodology. Include a brief description of the research design and/or methodology, then justify the appropriateness of the approach to be used in in the study/project.
Deliverables. Indicate the outputs to be produced from this project.
Connection to past, existing, and possible future projects. Discuss how the proposed project is related to past and current projects that you have been or are currently involved in. Also indicate what possible future projects may result from the proposed project.
Project Schedule. Please indicate the schedule of activities on a monthly basis.
Budget. Following the guidelines for the preparation of the budget, please indicate separate line items for "personnel and honorarium", "equipment", "materials and supplies", "dissemination expense", and other clusters of expenses. If you are requesting for teaching deloading, please

indicate this clearly under "personnel and honorarium".
Detailed Proposal. Describe here in greater detail the project proposal, including a review of
literature and past systems and work, some background on the sector or community that would
benefit from the project, and various theoretical framework and research methodologies that would
be used in the project
Name and Signature of Principal Investigator :
Date signed :
Received by (VCRI Office):
Date received at the VCRI Office :