



## COLLEGE of SOCIAL AND APPLIED HUMAN SCIENCES

2020-2021  
Dean's Graduate Research Fund  
Application

The Dean's Graduate Research Fund was established to encourage and support graduate students conducting research to address complex, critical issues facing society. Thematic priorities will vary from year-to-year.

### **2020-21 RESEARCH PRIORITY**

For the 2020-21 academic year, the Dean's Graduate Research Fund will provide funding for research expenses to support graduate student research activities related to issues of systemic and structural racism, decolonization, reconciliation, critical race theory, and the impact of policies and social processes on marginalized communities. This fund is open to research from any disciplinary, theoretical, and/or methodological perspective exploring these issues.

Examples of potential expenses that a student might expect to incur related to their research are as follows: incentives for participants; materials and supplies; accommodation costs for participants (e.g. travel, interpreters, etc.); costs associated with childcare; and/or to cover costs of registration for, and travel to, scholarly conferences associated with the dissemination of research or other knowledge mobilization activities.

All applications are to be submitted via e-mail to [csahsadr@uoguelph.ca](mailto:csahsadr@uoguelph.ca) by **March 5, 2021**.

### **Evaluation Criteria**

Applications will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Clarity of project description and its outcomes;
- Alignment with the thematic priority;
- Appropriateness of methodology, if required;
- Scholarly significance and potential impact; and
- The project's feasibility within the projected timeline and budget.

### **Terms of Funding**

Successful applicants will attest to the following as part of the application process:

Upon completion of the project, recipients will submit a brief, but detailed summary of the work supported (max. one page) to the Dean, College of Social and Applied Human Sciences ([csahsadr@uoguelph.ca](mailto:csahsadr@uoguelph.ca))

Recognition of this funding source, when appropriate, will be acknowledged in the dissemination of material resulting from this project.

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**Budget**

*Please provide specific itemized budget details, with brief justification.*

**Research Ethics Board (REB)**

*Research ethics approval is not required at the time of application. If applicable, please include steps taken/plan to take to obtain approval. If you have already received the relevant Ethics Board approval, please attach.*

**Other Funding Sources**

*Do you require funding from other sources in order to complete this activity? If so, what other sources of funding have you secured/applied to/intend to apply to? (please include amounts where known)*

By signing below, I attest that this application is complete and accurate.

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**Signature of Applicant**

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**Print Name**

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**Date of Submission**