





2025 Canola Agronomic Research Program (CARP)

LETTER OF INTENT APPLICATION FORM

Application Due Date: June 28th, 2024

INSTRUCTIONS

- The start date of the project must not begin any sooner than April 1, 2025 •
- Carefully review the requirements of each section and be aware of the maximum word counts for each • section. Answer all questions as required, any errors in the form will result in a delay in the evaluation.
- If additional documents are to be included, please have them sent as a separate attachment (pdf form is • preferred)
- Please send an electronic copy of this document to Ellen McNabb, Research Administrator at ٠ mcnabbe@canolacouncil.org
- If you have any questions regarding the application process, or regarding agronomic research/funding ٠ priorities of CARP, please reach out to Chris Manchur, Research Lead/Agronomy Specialist at manchurc@canolacouncil.org

1. Project Title Maximum 12 words.

2. Research Abstract Approximately 200 words.









3. Researcher Information *Only one Principal Investigator can be named to a project, additional collaborators beyond the space provided is allowed. Include other collaborators in a separate document if required.*

Principal Investigator	Co-Investigator
Name:	Name:
Position:	Position:
Institution:	Institution:
Address:	Address:
Phone #:	Phone #:
Email:	Email:
Project Role:	Project Role:
Co-Investigator	Co-Investigator
Name:	Name:
Position:	Position:
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4. Project Background and Benefit Maximum 750 words, Please provide the following:

- The scientific background of the research topic.
- The research gap and challenges it addresses. Refer to specific past projects if it is building on previous work.
- The specific benefits that the outcomes of the project will have on the industry. Where possible, provide specific and quantitative performance measures this research has if commercially or widely adopted.
- Provide specific references to the canola research priorities this research addresses. Priorities can be found here: <u>https://www.canolacouncil.org/research/agronomic-priorities/</u>
- Cite relevant references, space to list full references can be found at the bottom of the application.
- Do <u>not</u> provide general canola industry background information.

















5. Project Objectives *Maximum 300 words, In bullet point form, provide an outline of the project objectives.*

6. Methodology *Maximum 500 words, Please provide a high-level description of the project methodology and activities for each objective. A detailed treatment list are required in full proposals. Where applicable, please follow this guidance for developing methodology and treatment list.*









- **7. Budget** *Please provide the total funding request for the duration of the project, and specify if there are other sources of funding if applicable.*
 - * 15% of the budget is the maximum allowable overhead charge for universities/institutions
 - * 10% of the budget is the maximum allowable for AAFC's Science Service Charge

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8. Intellectual Property *If applicable, please list intellectual property/patents/licensing that would be associated with the outcomes of this research, as well as any potential ownership of said intellectual property.*

- **9.** Application History *Please indicate the following:*
- Is this project related to a previously or currently funded project?
- Is this a resubmission of an application submitted in past years to CARP or another funding program?
- Has this application been submitted (or intended to be submitted) elsewhere for funding this year? Please indicate if it is an exact duplication or if other applications cover a portion of the objectives/budget.
- Where applicable, please indicate the funding call name and project ID# (e.g. CARP2018.01)









10. Peer Reviews Each application (if selected to provide a full proposal) will receive an independent peer review assessing the scientific and technical quality of the proposed research. The peer reviews will include an evaluation of (but not limited to): budget and timeline appropriateness, technical capacity of the research team, experimental design, and risk/probability of successfully achieving the objectives.

Please provide the names and contact information of three "at arm's length" reviewers. The reviewers must:

- Be a recognized expert in the subject matter
- Not from the same institution as the principal investigator or co-investigators
- Have not had any collaboration with the principal investigator or co-investigators in the past three years

Reviewers may be completed by scientists from academia, industry, and/or government. Do not include more than two reviewers from the same institution.

Reviewer 1	
Name:	
Institution:	
Department:	
Email:	
Reviewer 2	
Name:	
Institution:	
Department:	
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Reviewer 3	
Name:	
Institution:	
Department:	
Email:	









11. References *Please cite all academic references listed in this application.*

