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**Interdisciplinary Research Initiation Award Program**

**Proposal Cover Sheet**

Full Proposal Deadline: January 19, 2023

Project Title:

**Investigators (minimum of four; add an additional sheet numbered 1A if necessary)**

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**Assurance of Compliance**

Does project involve human subjects? No  Yes  Submission/Approval Date: mm/dd/yyyy

If Yes, IRB submission date **OR** approval date

Does project involve animals? No  Yes  Submission/Approval Date: mm/dd/yyyy If Yes, IACUC submission date **OR** approval date

Does project involve biohazards? No  Yes  Submission/Approval Date: mm/dd/yyyy If Yes, IBC submission date **OR** approval date

**Funds Requested**

$       **Funding Limit:** Maximum award $50,000

**Endorsements**

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| 1A | Dept. Chair | Name Typed: | Signature: | Date: mm/dd/yyyy |
| 1B | Dean | Name Typed: | Signature: | Date: mm/dd/yyyy |
| 2A | Dept. Chair | Name Typed: | Signature: | Date: mm/dd/yyyy |
| 2B | Dean | Name Typed: | Signature: | Date: mm/dd/yyyy |
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**Contents of Package: [number all pages]**

Cover Page Pages 1-2

Abstract (single spaced – 250 words maximum) Page 3

Project Description, 15 pp maximum, double spaced, including Pages 4

1. A statement of the significance of the problem and its impact on the field of study
2. A statement describing the interdisciplinary aspects of the proposed studies
3. A section outlining the specific goals of the project and how they will be accomplished
4. A description of the studies to be completed, including preliminary results if any
5. Expected outcomes
6. Plans for seeking additional funding

**Required but not within 15-page limits:**

Cited Literature References (2 single-spaced pages maximum) Page

Management Plan, Role of Investigators (2 pages maximum) Page

Budget and Budget Justification (2 pages maximum) Page

Biosketch (2 pages maximum – use provided template) Page

**NOTE:** No appendix material will be accepted.

**Submit a complete PDF of the proposal containing all required elements by 11:59 pm on the deadline date via e-mail to** [**urfo@utoledo.edu**](mailto:urfo@utoledo.edu)**. Hard copy submission is not required; however, the Research Council reserves the right to request the hard copy proposal with original signatures. Please be sure to maintain the hard copy proposal with original signatures.**