**Indigenous Strategic Initiatives (ISI) Fund** - **Call for Proposals**
**Submission Deadline: 3:00 PM (PDT) on Thursday, July 28, 2022**

***No late applications will be accepted.***

**ISI Fund: Special Fund for Graduate Students**

***\*One-time-only\****

**Application template**

This template is intended to support offline work prior to final submission, which occurs through the online application form at [apply.academic.ubc.ca](file:///%5C%5Cteamshare.ead.ubc.ca%5Cteam%5Cprof%5COffice%20of%20Indigenous%20Strategic%20Initiatives%5CISI%20Fund%5CSpecial%20Fund%20for%20Graduate%20Research%5CSpecial%20Fund%20Templates%5Capply.academic.ubc.ca).

Questions should be directed to isp.funding@ubc.ca

**Research Title (200 characters max.)**

*Do not use all-caps.*

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**Principal Applicant’s Full Name**

*For administrative purposes, there must be one Principal Applicant who is a full-time graduate UBC student in good standing.*

Principal Applicant’s name:

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**Please provide a brief bio of the Principal Applicant (250 words max.)**

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**Is the Principal Applicant a Master’s or Doctoral student?**

☐ Master’s student

☐ Doctoral student

Principal Applicant’s primary (UBC) email address (e.g. jane.doe@ubc.ca):

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**Please share a brief description of the Principal Applicant’s membership and/or connections to Indigenous peoples (250 words max.)**

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**Principal Applicant’s Level of Study**

*Is the Principal Applicant a full-time student graduate student?*

☐ Yes

**Principal Applicant’s Student Status**

*Is the Principal Applicant in good standing at the time of application?*

☐ Yes

**Principal Applicant’s Faculty or College:**

☐ UBCV Faculty of Applied Science

☐ UBCV Faculty of Arts

☐ UBCV Faculty of Dentistry

☐ UBCV Faculty of Education

☐ UBCV Faculty of Forestry

☐ UBCV Faculty of Graduate Studies

☐ UBCV Faculty of Land & Food Systems

☐ UBCV School of Law

☐ UBCV Faculty of Medicine

☐ UBCV Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences

☐ UBCV Sauder School of Business

☐ UBCV Faculty of Science

☐ UBC Health

☐ UBC Library

☐ UBCV Vantage College

☐ UBCO Irving K. Barber Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences

☐ UBCO Faculty of Creative and Critical Studies

☐ Okanagan School of Education

☐ UBCO School of Engineering

☐ UBCO Faculty of Health and Social Development

☐ UBCO Faculty of Management

☐ UBCO Irving K. Barber Faculty of Science

☐ UBCO College of Graduate Studies

☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Co-Applicant**

*For administrative purposes, there must be one primary Co-Applicant who is a full-time UBC faculty member. A support letter from the listed Co-Applicant is required for your application to be accepted.* ***It is required that the Principal Applicants have a Co-Applicant who is their research supervisor tied to the ISI Fund research project.***

Co-Applicant’s name and title:

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Co-Applicant’s primary (UBC) email address (e.g. jane.doe@ubc.ca):

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**Other Research Team Members or Partners**

*Please detail any other Co-Applicants, team members or community partners who will assist in the completion of the research project and indicate the nature of the relationship next to their name(s).* ***Please ensure you have received informed consent from all listed in the application.***

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**Short Research Description (350 words max.)**

*What does your research propose to do, change or identify? Briefly explain the research and how it will contribute to the implementation of the UBC’s 2020 Indigenous Strategic Plan (ISP).*

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**Project Activities (250 words max.)**

*How will you undertake this research? What support resources do you need to advance your research?*

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**Research Impact (500 words max.)**

*What are the expected direct, short-term and long-term benefits of this research? What changes or impacts do you hope to see as a result of this research? Explain how these will have a positive impact on Indigenous peoples’ human rights, decolonization or Indigenization.*

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**Indigenous Strategic Plan (ISP) Priority Actions (250 words max.)***Please identify which Indigenous Strategic Plan (ISP) actions your research aligns with (applicants must select at least one).*

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**How does your research advance the 2020 Indigenous Strategic Plan (ISP) Goals and Actions? (500 words max.)**

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**Research Objectives, Work Plan, Timeline & Milestones (1000 words max.)**

*Please detail your research objectives and provide a clear work plan for how you will achieve the stated objectives. Please include all major milestones you will achieve.*

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**Ethics Approval**

*If applicable, please note your Behavioural Research Ethics Board (BREB) or Clinical Research Ethics Board (CREB) certificate number or anticipated submission date.* ***Funds will not be distributed to successful applicants without the certification number.***

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**Other Funding**

*Please list all funding the applicant has received from UBC, Tri-Council and any other resources. Please include the funding amount and date(s) funding was received.*

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**Funding Requested from the Indigenous Strategic Initiatives (ISI) Fund**

*Indicate the funding being requested. Projects can run from 12 to18 months.*

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| Funding Requested |
| $0 |

*Applicants can request up to $30,000 from the Special Fund for Graduate Research.*

**Attachments**

**Special Fund Competition – Unofficial Transcripts (PDF)**

*Required*

**Special Fund Competition – Proof of Enrolment (PDF)**

*Required*

**Co-Applicant Support Letter(s) (PDF)**

*Required*

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**Community Partner(s) Endorsement Letter(s) (PDF)**

*Optional*

*For research projects that include already****established****Indigenous community partnerships, partner endorsements are required. If applicable, please attach the letter(s) of agreement or support for your research. Your letter(s) must be in PDF format. Note: If you are planning to develop a relationship with a community partner over the course of your research, please indicate further details in the “Other Research Team Members or Partners” question.*

*If unsure, please refer to these definitions:*

* ***Not applicable:****Given the nature of the project, no partnership with an Indigenous community is intended or anticipated in the course of this project.*
* ***Aspirational partnership***:*A relationship with at least one Indigenous community partner(s) will be developed during the course of the funding period.*
* ***Established partnership:****The Principal Applicant or Co-Applicant(s) already have an ongoing collaboration with an Indigenous community.*

**Project Budget**

*Required*

*A project budget in MS Excel file format must be included with your proposal. Please use and attach the Budget document provided on the* [*ISI Fund – Special Fund for Graduate Research website*](https://isp.ubc.ca/implementation/special-fund-graduate-level/)*, under ‘Templates’.*