## Food from Thought Thematic Research Fund

Updated Information

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### Sponsor

Food from Thought (Canada First Excellence Research Fund)

## For More Information

Please see the attached Thematic III Research Fund - Program Guide 2022? - Updated

### Town Hall

The Food from Thought Team will be hosting three Town Halls to provide additional information and answer questions. Using the links below, please drop in to which ever one best suits your schedule.

Tuesday, November 23, 2021 from 11:00am - 12:00pm [1]

Wednesday, November 24th, 2021 from 10:00am – 11:00am [2]

<u>Thursday, November 25th, 2021 from 1:30 – 2:30</u> [3]

### Description

The University of Guelph's Food from Thought Program, funded by the Canada First Research

Excellence Fund (CFREF), is inviting eligible U of G faculty to submit proposals for the *Thematic Research Fund*, for projects beginning as early as April 1, 2022 and ending by March 31, 2025. This fund will support research projects that strongly align with and support Food from Thought's mission to develop innovative solutions that improve both the sustainability and productivity of agricultural production at global, landscape, and micro scales and that fit with the current Food from Thought priorities.

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# Eligibility

The *Thematic Research Fund* is open to all faculty at the University of Guelph who are eligible to hold Tri-Agency grants.

# **Maximum Project Value**

Projects can be up to 36 months (3 years) with a maximum request of \$360,000. The duration of the proposed projects and the size of the budget request must be commensurate with the nature of the research proposed.

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# **Project Duration**

Projects will start on April 1, 2022 and must be completed by March 31, 2025.

## **Special Notes**

Please note that research activities carried out in the context of COVID-19 need to adhere to the University of Guelph COVID-19 research principles, policies, guidelines and processes as they may be updated from time to time and communicated on the <u>Office of Research web-page</u> [4].

### Deadlines

If College-level review is required, your College will communicate its earlier internal deadlines.

Type External Deadline Date Wednesday, January 5, 2022 -11:59pm Notes

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## How to Apply

Complete applications must be submitted electronically to the Food from Thought Office at <u>fft@uoguelph.ca</u> [5] no later than 11:59 pm on December 20, 2021 using the templates below:

- Food from Thought Thematic Research Fund 2022 Program Guide [6]
- Food from Thought Thematic Research Fund 2022 Workplan Template [7]
- Food from Thought Thematic Research Fund 2022 Budget Template [8]

For Questions, please contact Food from Thought Office

fft@uoguelph.ca [5]

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[4] https://www.uoguelph.ca/research/

[5] mailto:fft@uoguelph.ca

[6] https://www.uoguelph.ca/research/document/food-thought-thematic-research-

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