

# Dalhousie University Global Research Seed Fund

## GUIDELINES 2024

### **Purpose:**

The Global Research Seed Fund (GRSF) supports the development of international research initiatives between Dalhousie researchers and their global partners.

Applications will be accepted from faculty members who are eligible for tri-agency funding. Funding provided through the GRSF is intended to support **emerging international collaborations** that require start-up support to develop research ties. Such collaborations will be funded up to a maximum of **\$5,000 for one year**. It is intended that the funds will be spent within the 2025 calendar year.

*Successful initiatives will be those that:*

- show clear evidence of an emerging research relationship, or strong potential for same;
- propose to partner with highly-ranked foreign institutions, with a distinguished foreign PI, and/or with other institutions in which Dalhousie has a demonstrated strategic interest;
- have clear plans for co-publication activity and/or collaboration on funding applications
- engage PhD trainees;
- are aligned with Dalhousie's [Signature Research Clusters](#);
- ensure that principles of equity, diversity, inclusion and accessibility (EDIA) have been incorporated into the project design;
- present budgets which are appropriate for the activities planned.

### **Funding Available:**

Funding is provided by the Office of the VP Research and Innovation. Up to \$50,000 is available for the 2024 GRSF competition. Each award will be a maximum of \$5000.

### **Deadline:**

The deadline for the 2024 GRSF competition is **Friday 22 November 2024**.

### **Application Process:**

Complete the GRSF [Application Form](#) and submit via the [ROMEEO Researcher Portal](#). Submission instructions are included in the application form.

### **Review:**

Deans will be asked to rank GRSF submissions received from within their faculty. A peer-review committee will review applications. Decisions will be announced by January 2025.

### **Reporting Requirements:**

All GRSF recipients will be required to provide a Final Narrative and Financial report, outlining progress and outcomes of the GRSF support.