

**DEPARTMENTAL ACTION**

*(A team must be composed of at least three (3) members, coming from different departments and at least two (2) different colleges with distinct disciplinal differentiation among the proponents. Faculty members are only allowed to participate at 2 IR projects at any given point in time.)*

**A. Research Title** \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Project Coordinator** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Department/College** \_\_\_\_\_

**C. Research Project Appraisal**  
(Comments of the department chairperson and/or senior faculty on the proposed project)

**D. University's strategic research area(s)**

The proposal is consistent with the following University's strategic research areas. (Please tick the appropriate box below to indicate the area).

- Food, Nutrition, and Health (e.g., biochemistry of food products, science and engineering of potable water, cancer risks and cure from food, sensory labs, economic impact studies of nutrition programs in schools)
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**E. Degree of department's/college's need for the proposed project**

Is the proposal in line with the department's/college's research thrusts?

- Yes
- No

**F. Recommendation**

- For Approval

Recommended Number of Research Units:

*(For guidance, please refer to Policies and Guidelines for Faculty Research Load at website:*

*<http://intranet.dlsu.edu.ph/policy/vpar/urco/ifrp>.)*

- Research Load
- Research Honorarium

- For conditional approval (specify conditions):

**Recommended by:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chair, Department

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
CRC Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**For Part-Time Faculty Member:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Dean

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INTERDISCIPLINARY RESEARCH PROPOSAL

**UN Sustainable Development Goals (To be filled out by the Faculty Proponent/s)**

In support of the University research initiatives of mapping a research portfolio vis-a-vis the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) for better tracking of research impact, **please tick the appropriate box below to indicate the SDG which your proposal seeks to address:**



-  Goal 1: End poverty in all its forms everywhere
-  Goal 2: End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture
-  Goal 3: Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages
-  Goal 4: Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities
-  Goal 5: Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls
-  Goal 6: Ensure availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all
-  Goal 7: Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all
-  Goal 8: Promote sustained, inclusive and sustainable economic growth, full and productive employment and decent work for all
-  Goal 9: Build resilient infrastructure, promote inclusive and sustainable industrialization and foster innovation
-  Goal 10: Reduce inequality within and among countries
-  Goal 11: Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable

**UN Sustainable Development Goals (To be filled out by the Faculty Proponent/s) (Continued)**

-  Goal 12: Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns
-  Goal 13: Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts
-  Goal 14: Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development
-  Goal 15: Protect, restore and promote sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems, sustainably manage forests, combat desertification, and halt and reverse land degradation and halt biodiversity loss
-  Goal 16: Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels
-  Goal 17: Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the global partnership for all sustainable development

**Project Coordinator** \_\_\_\_\_

- Department \_\_\_\_\_
- Status:

**Full-time faculty:**

- Full time permanent
- Full time visiting professor
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  - Yes  College  Others \_\_\_\_\_
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- Research Load from the Faculty Development Program
  - Yes  No

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**FORMAT for the BODY of the INTERDISCIPLINARY RESEARCH PROPOSAL**

Research and Grants Management Office  
(attach to the first 8 pages above)

**I. Research Title**

**II. Proposal Abstract (50-100 words)**

(What do you intend to do? Briefly discuss the problem statement, general and specific objectives, and methodology.)

**III. Introduction (some parts may be deleted but at minimum should contain the significance and objectives of the study)**

Background of the Study/Review of Related Literature  
Significance of the Study  
Statement of the Problem/Objectives  
Assumptions, Scope and Limitations

**IV. Theoretical Framework**

**V. Methodology**

- Describe the procedures for data collection and analysis, and how possible ethical issues/concerns will be addressed in the conduct of the research. (Provide response whenever applicable)
- Attach a copy of the proposed/piloted data gathering instrument (e.g., survey/questionnaire, interview/FGD guide, checklists, etc.).

**VI. References**

**RESOURCE PLAN**

**I. Workplan**

- Duration of the entire project (number of terms) \_\_\_\_\_

**Project Team Organization**

*(Please provide separate sheet(s) if space is not sufficient)*

	No. of hours per week *	Roles/Tasks Assigned (Each member shall contribute their disciplinary perspectives from conceptualization of the project, to the implementation of the actual research, and to the writing and publication of the research report/paper. The roles and tasks assigned to each member must explicitly show the interdisciplinarity nature of the project.)	Expected output/deliverables
Project Coordinator			
Project Team Member 1			
Project Team Member 2			
Project Team Member 3			
Project Team Member 4			
Project Team Member 5			
Total no. of hrs/week			

*\*Number of hours per week proponent(s) expect to work on the project and research units:*

Note: Research units are computed as 56 hours of actual research work per term of 14 weeks for one research unit (meaning 4 hours/week equals 1 research unit). However, the decision on what constitutes a reasonable number of hours for work on the project rests upon the Research Panel Members.

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	Check arrangement for Research units	Recommended no. of units
• Proponent 1: _____ hrs./week	<input type="checkbox"/> Research Load <input type="checkbox"/> Honorarium	_____
• Proponent 2: _____ hrs./week	<input type="checkbox"/> Research Load <input type="checkbox"/> Honorarium	_____
• Proponent 3: _____ hrs./week	<input type="checkbox"/> Research Load <input type="checkbox"/> Honorarium	_____
• Proponent 4: _____ hrs./week	<input type="checkbox"/> Research Load <input type="checkbox"/> Honorarium	_____
• Proponent 5: _____ hrs./week	<input type="checkbox"/> Research Load <input type="checkbox"/> Honorarium	_____

**Total** \_\_\_\_\_ hrs./week

- Number of weeks/months needed for each activity, **including report writing**.  
(Please provide a Gantt chart, use 8.5 x 11 size paper).

**II. Financial Plan (Include details of the items; Refer to attachment for the current rates; the total direct cost/expenses must not exceed Php 300,000.00)**

(NOTE: FOR A PROJECT WITH EXTERNAL FUNDING/COUNTERPART, NO FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR DIRECT COST/EXPENSES WILL BE PROVIDED.)

**Amount**

- A. Personnel: P \_\_\_\_\_  
(research honorarium, research assistant/s, transcriber, fabricator, consultant, artist, etc. Please provide a detailed job description for each position)

Faculty Research Honorarium

- Proponent 1: Honorarium P \_\_\_\_\_
  - Proponent 2: Honorarium P \_\_\_\_\_
  - Proponent 3: Honorarium P \_\_\_\_\_
  - Proponent 4: Honorarium P \_\_\_\_\_
  - Proponent 5: Honorarium P \_\_\_\_\_
- Total P \_\_\_\_\_

Research Assistant/s P \_\_\_\_\_

Consultant/s P \_\_\_\_\_

Fabricator/s P \_\_\_\_\_

Artist/s P \_\_\_\_\_

Others (please specify) P \_\_\_\_\_

- B. Materials and Supplies: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Common amount if P4,000 per project. If greater than P4,000.00, justification with itemized list must be provided)  
(Include quotations/canvass rates for equipment, chemicals, reagents, glasswares, plasticwares, etc.)

- C. Research-related Travel and Transportation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Travel and transportation: Specify destination, no. of visits to site/destination, mode of transportation, no. of persons; Accommodation: Specify name of hotel/venue, no. of days/nights of stay, no. of persons)

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D. Materials Reproduction: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Specify number of pages to be reproduced for final report/reference materials and the cost)

E. Others (specify): \_\_\_\_\_  
(e.g., library fee; analysis/testing fee; estimate of 30% of total project cost per item for the brokerage fee/  
processing fee for application for tax exemption/ delivery charge/freight charge; insurance, etc.)

TOTAL FOR FACULTY HONORARIUM P \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL FOR DIRECT COST/EXPENSES P \_\_\_\_\_  
(Less Faculty Honorarium)

**III. Publication Plan**

**Actual submission for publication is a requirement for the closure of the project.**

Provide publication details (i.e. intent to publish in peer-reviewed journal/s preferably in ISI, Scopus or ACL  
and AGPCI-listed journals, name of journal/s to which you intend to submit your paper/manuscript and target  
date of submission for publication.)

(Note: For a project with external funding/counterpart, actual submission for publication is a requirement to  
close the project/grant, unless prohibited by the external funding organization. In case the external funding  
has a publication requirement, this internal submission for publication requirement should not be over and  
above such external requirement.)



**CURRENT RATES  
(AY2024-2025)**

**A. Salaries of Personnel**

1. **Research Assistant**

Classification	Rate/Hour
RA I (Undergraduate student)	₱ 81.00/hour
RA II (Graduate student)	
BA/BS degree holder	₱ 104.00/hour
MA/MS student	₱ 141.00/hour
Ph.D. student	₱ 167.00/hour

*Ex.* for RA II (graduate student w/ BA/BS degree) who works 4 hours a day for 30 days:  
 $P104.00/\text{hour} \times 4 \text{ hours/day} \times 30 \text{ days} = P 12,480.00$

2. **Other Personnel**

2.1. *Consultant* — P 7,000.00 maximum per project

2.2. *Artist/Draftsman/Illustrator*

Graphics	Cost
Charts, diagrams, graphs	₱ 10.00 - 50.00 @
Drawings, cover design	10.00 - 60.00 @

2.3. *Carpenter & Fabricator, etc.* — based on current rates used and amount of workload

2.4. *Laboratory Technician* — based on overtime rate (for DLSU Lab Technician)

2.5. *Transcriber*

P 1,500.00 (60 min. /1 hr. tape)

P 2,250.00 (90 min. /1 ½ hrs. tape)

**B. Reproduction of Materials**

1. *Photocopying of materials*

Paper	Rate/Page (liquid)
Short	1.00
Long	1.50

*Ex.* for short liquid copy, 50 pages of final report, RGMO-funded,  
 $P.65/\text{page} \times 50 \text{ pages} \times 2 \text{ copies} = P 65.00$

2. *Mimeographing*

paper	one-side		back-to-back	
	short	long	short	long
groundwood	0.56	0.61	0.84	0.89
white	0.62	0.68	0.89	0.95
colored	0.88	0.99	1.15	1.26
Additional charged of P20.00 in every original copies				

*Ex.* for short, groundwood, one-side regular stencil  
 $1,000 \text{ copies} \times P.61/\text{sheet} \text{ plus } P20.00 \text{ (master stencil)} = P630.00$

**C. Materials and Supplies**

Common amount of P4,000 per project for office supplies. If greater than P4,000.00, justification with itemized list must be provided.

**D. Research-Related Travel and Transportation**

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- Accommodation: Specify name of hotel/venue, no. of days/nights of stay, no. of persons

**E. Others (specify):** (*library fee; analysis/testing fee; estimate of 30% of total project cost per item for the brokerage fee/ processing fee for application for tax exemption/ delivery charge/freight charge; insurance, etc.*)