

Institute for Information Literacy at Purdue Research Grant Proposal Template

Instructions:

- Use this template to write your proposal. Please follow the stated page limits and do not delete any section headings.
- Guidance for each required proposal section is presented in *italic text*. Before submission, delete all text in italics (including these instructions).
- Cite your references in APA style.
- Required proposal elements:
 - This grant proposal document
 - A brief (no more than 2-pages) CV for each project team member
- Combine the above required elements into a single Word document file and submit it to InstitutelL@purdue.edu with the subject line "Institute Research Grant Proposal" **no later than Sunday, March 31st, 2024.**

(delete everything above this line before submission)

Title:

Project Team and Institutions: *(list the names, email addresses, role (e.g., associate professor, post-doctoral student, etc.), institution, and department(s) for each person on the project team).*

Abstract (200 words):

Alignment with Institute Priorities and Goals (1/2-page maximum):

Describe how this project examines complex information challenges (i.e. misinformation, conspiracism, surveillance, etc.) within select contexts and aims to develop or enhance information literacy models that enable people to successfully navigate and contribute to today's information environment. You may wish to review the [Institute's Research Grants webpage](#) for examples of previously funded research.

Benefits for Stakeholders (1/2-page maximum):

Clearly describe the community/context and primary stakeholders for this project, and briefly describe how this proposal is situated within the literature on this specific information challenge.

Detailed Project Description (1-page maximum)

Clearly describe the specific activities you will undertake in this project. Proposers should address the following:

- *Describe your research question and research methods.*
- *Identify the expertise of members of the project team to successfully execute this project.*
- *Outline the anticipated timeline for completion of research activities via a timeline, table, bullet point list, Gantt chart, etc.*

Expected Budget and Brief Justification (1/2-page maximum)

How will you utilize the \$4,000 award to examine the context-specific information challenge and aim to develop or enhance an information literacy model to address said challenge? Present a budget table with broad expense categories (personnel, supplies, etc.). For each category, include a brief justification for the expense.

References (no page limit)

This section should list any references cited in the proposal in APA style.