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**Health Science and Medical Education
Research and Innovation Funding Competition 2020-2021**

***Letter of Intent Template***

Please provide information regarding the following questions, as applicable to your research or innovation proposal. The LOI is **2 pages maximum**, the length of responses to each section is flexible, and references can be included on an additional page.

**Project Title:
PI:**

* 1. **What is the nature of the project?**

 **Hypothesis or research questions:**

**Background:**

**Objectives:**

* 1. **Why is this research or innovation important?**

**Significance of / issues addressed by research/innovation:**

**How it makes a meaningful advancement in the field of health/medical education scholarship:**

**How it contributes to the development of individual and collective capacity in educational scholarship in the CSM:**

* 1. **Is it feasible?**

**How the skills and technical capabilities of the project team align with the demands of the proposed work:**

**Total funding requested and how it will be used:**

**For Research Projects**

**Methods to be used and how they relate to the hypothesis/research questions:**

**Data to be collected:**

**Analysis plan:**

**For Innovation Projects**

 **Implementation plan:**

**Data to be collected:**

**Analysis and evaluation plan:**

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**References** (include as page 3)