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| **EPID@Work Research Institute** **Application for Seed Grant Research Funding**  |
| Principal Investigator: | Institution: | Tel: | Email: |
| Co-Researcher / Trainee:  | Institution: | Tel: | Email: |
| Title of Proposed Project: |
| **Relevance to EPID@Work Research Institute**Which of EPID@Work’s main research areas does this proposal address? Select all that apply.\_ Mental health in the workplace\_ Equity, diversity, and inclusion\_ Knowledge mobilization and implementationWhich of EPID@Work's goals and objectives does this proposal address? Select all that apply.\_ Conduct high-quality, transdisciplinary research in the areas of work-related injury and disability prevention, with a focus on issues relevant to Northwestern Ontario\_ Participate in integrated knowledge exchange with community stakeholders and the greater research community participating at all phases of the research process\_ Provide an exemplary training and experience opportunity for the next generation of transdisciplinary researchers in Northwestern Ontario and beyond\_ Enable community stakeholders to easily and centrally access Lakehead's research expertise and knowledge in the areas of work-related injury and disability prevention through the provision of research and education services\_ Increase the involvement of early career faculty, post-doctoral fellows, graduate and undergraduate students, and community partners in work-related research\_ Increase the number of research projects related to work-related injury and disability prevention in Northwestern Ontario\_ Provide training and research services to community stakeholdersFor each goal or objective selected, please explain how your project will address these (250 words max):  |
| **Project Details**Attach the Principal Investigator or fund holder’s CV to this application as a separate document. Describe the expertise and experience of all other team members to demonstrate their capacity to execute the proposed project within the one-year timeframe (250 words max):  |
| Briefly describe the overall aim of the project (250 words max): |
| Briefly describe the proposed methods of the project (500 words max): |
| Describe how the investigative team plans on mitigating and overcoming barriers, challenges, and limitations, if any (200 words max): |
| **Partnerships**Will you interact with workplace(s) / other partners?Yes\NoIf yes, identify partner(s) and describe the interactions with workplaces/other partners throughout the project. If no, identify why interaction with workplaces/other partners is not necessary (250 words max): |
| **Future Academic Outputs**Seed grants must result in an application for external funding and/or publications. Briefly describe plans for future funding proposal(s) (e.g., agency to which will apply and the expected competition date) and/or publications (e.g., name of the targeted journal and anticipated month/year of submission) (200 words max): |
| **Knowledge Mobilization & Implementation Plan**Please identify audiences who may benefit from the knowledge generated from this project:\_ Researchers\_ Practitioners \_ General public\_ Community organizations \_ Decision makers \_ Policy makers/government\_ Private sector/industry\_ Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Briefly explain any additional plans to mobilize this knowledge to the above groups outside of seed grant funding requirements (e.g. EPID Talks) (200 words max):EPID has a dedicated KMI team to help you mobilize the knowledge generated from your Seed Grant. Please feel free to reach out to the KMI team before the submission deadline if you need assistance with this area of the application (epidevents@lakeheadu.ca).  |
| **Equity, Diversity, & Inclusion (EDI)**Please identify the concrete ways in which this project will intentionally utilize EDI principles (200 words max): |
| **Equipment/Resources**EPID@Work has various resources and equipment available for Seed Grant holders to use. These include resources such as access to EPID’s online platforms as well as hardware/software such as laptops, office space, printers, etc.I plan to request use of EPID@Work Research Institute resources: \_ Yes\_ No\_ UnsurePlease be aware that any equipment purchased with Seed Grant funds will become the property of EPID@Work once the project is complete. |
| **Budget** |
| *Category* | *Items and Description* | *Price* |
| Personnel |  |  |
| Consumables |  |  |
| Travel |  |  |
| Other |  |  |
|  |  | *Total (max $20,000):* |
| **Budget Justification** (500 words max): |
| *I acknowledge that expenditures are governed by the MLITSD/Lakehead University agreement and policies of Lakehead University. I also agree to all requirements of the EPID@Work Seed Grant.*Signed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |