

# NSERC Discovery and Research Tools & Instruments Grants Workshop

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# Land Acknowledgement

As we gather here today, we acknowledge we are on Treaty 6 Territory and the Homeland of the Métis.

We pay our respect to the First Nations and Métis ancestors of this place and reaffirm our relationship with one another.



# Schedule

Welcome and introductions 12:00 - 12:45

> Overview of the Evaluation/Rating process at NSERC Ron Borowsky, USask NSERC Lead

> Equity, Diversity & Inclusion (EDI) Tera Ebach, Research Office Analyst (WCVM)

Canadian Common CV (CCV) Graham Fairhurst, Research Facilitator (SENS)

**NSERC Research Portal** 

Danielle Baron, Manager Research & Graduate Studies (Ag & Bio.Res.)

**Tri-Agency Research Support** 

Michaela Lynds, Research Development Specialist (OVPR)

Q&A session 12:45 - 1:30



# Overview of the Evaluation/Rating process at NSERC

# **Ron Borowsky**

University NSERC Leader, Office of the Vice-President Research Director, Cognitive Neuroscience Lab Professor, Cognition and Neuroscience Program Department of Psychology and Health Studies, College of Arts & Science



#### The Merit "Grid"

#### **DISCOVERY GRANTS MERIT INDICATORS**

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#### Now:

"Equity, diversity and inclusion considerations in the research process (e.g. the research questions, design of the study, methodology, analysis, interpretation, and dissemination of results), are integrated where relevant."



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#### **Excellence of researcher - rationale for rating:**

- Knowledge, expertise and experience of the researcher in the NSE
  - current/past positions, PDF, PhD etc. (in what areas?)
  - awards/recognitions/service (research, teaching, NSE community, may apply to the probes below?)
- Quality and impact of contributions to the proposed research and/or other areas of research in the NSE
  - grants awarded (co-I or PI?)
  - editorial boards
  - publications (quantity/quality, lead/senior author, HQP on them marked with \*?)
  - presentations (invited?)
  - most significant contributions (no. of citations; long term themes capturing current work, recent impact?)
- Importance of contributions to, and use by, other researchers and end-users
  - knowledge translation?
  - media coverage?



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#### Merit of the proposal - rationale for rating:

Use summary to help outline this!

- Originality and innovation
  - developed new experimental paradigms, techniques, combined approaches?
- Significance and expected contributions to <u>NSE</u> research; potential for policy- and/or technology-related impact
  - model/theory development, long term "story', socioeconomic/environmental impact?
- Clarity and scope of objectives
  - long-term goals/vision (model/theory?) and short-term objectives (experiments/studies?) clearly defined?
- Clarity and appropriateness of methodology
  - understandable for general scientific audience, credibility (publications including these methods)?
- Feasibility
  - can be done by their lab, has relevant experience (if not, clear plan, but "story" should fit you)
- Consideration of sex, gender and diversity in the research design, where applicable
  - give this careful consideration
- Extent to which the scope of the proposal addresses all relevant issues
  - you control the scope of this "story", not too big or too small...
- Appropriateness of, and justification for, the budget
  - reasonable, use of tables for clarity (e.g., funds for HQP in which years), "get the funding then do what you want" (NSE)
- Demonstration that the Discovery Grant proposal is distinct conceptually from research supported (or submitted for support) through CIHR and /or SSHRC) - summaries from grants, but clear statements of "no conceptual or budgetary overlap" are helpful.
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#### Training of HQP - rationale for rating:

#### Past contributions to the training of HQP

- UGs, Masters, PhDs, PDFs, techs, all count, knowing where they ended up shows you care and are proud!
- Training environment
  - lab(s), training, techniques and equipment, academic programming, seminars
- HQP awards and research contributions
  - Highlight scholarships and research contributions (students in lead roles?)
- Outcomes and skills gained by HQP
  - HQP go on to PDF, faculty, industry job, etc.
- Training plan
- Training philosophy
  - pedagogical approaches, frequent interaction (not just "weekly lab meetings"), social aspects (team building)
- HQP research training plan

- name HQP where possible in proposal, and provide details here about who is doing what and why

• EDI of HQP (see upcoming slides!)

#### On the Importance of Tri-Council Scholarships and their Reciprocal Relationship to Grants

#### From an Institutional Perspective:

> Tri-Council scholarships are a common metric for comparison across Canadian Universities, and Rankings of them, eg.:

NSERC Doctoral	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
National quota success	42%	37%	42%	42%	??
UofS quota success (overall success)	41% (28%)	41% (24%)	35% (26%)	33% (23%)	48% (35%)
UofS quota (total applications)	23 (25)	21 (37)	20 (31)	18 (26)	19 (29)

- By design, increased Tri-Council research grant and scholarship success (\$) leads to higher Masters scholarship quotas.... the Doctoral quotas are based on recent scholarship success (our SSHRC and NSERC Doctoral quotas are similar ~20; CIHR = 3)
- Supervisor Tri-Council Grant applications also benefit from these well-recognized HQP awards, thereby increasing grant success rates, further lessening the burden to "find" funding, and increasing UofS scholarship quotas... a reciprocal relationship
- Success begets more success": having HQP go on to excellent careers also reflects well on the supervisor, unit, and university

#### From a Personal Perspective:

- MA 88%; PhD 100%
- As a result, NSERC Discovery Grants had money to fund student research equipment needs, multiple annual international conferences, and open access publication costs ... these scholarships = more time and money to support student research
- > 100% PhDs and PDFs successfully went on in academe (all in professorships across North America, 2 currently in PDFs)
- Students gain a huge advantage by working with a Tri-Council funded lab/supervisor as <u>early as possible</u>, (e.g., <u>USRAs</u>, <u>volunteers</u>), and by having research <u>publications</u> earlier they become more competitive sooner (e.g., 30% of CGSM score and 50% of CGSD score is based on <u>research</u>)



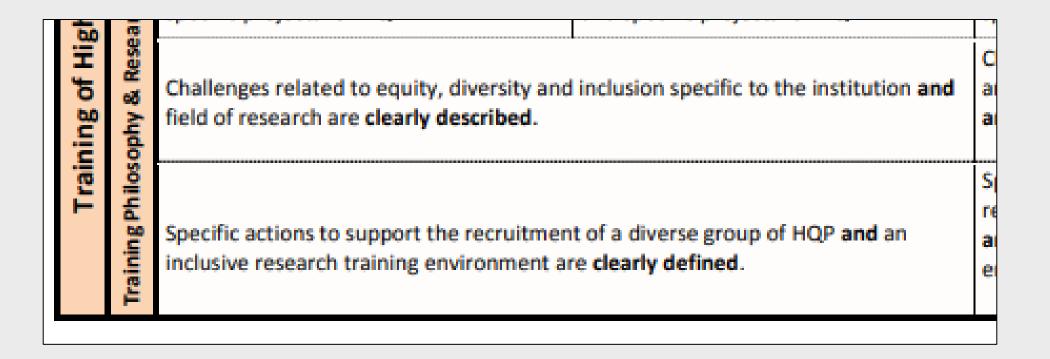
# Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (EDI)

# Tera Ebach

Research Office Analyst Research and Graduate Studies Western College of Veterinary Medicine



#### Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) Discovery Grants Merit Indicators





### Equity Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) on Discovery Grants

- 1. Describe Institution or College EDI challenges.
- 2. Describe field of research EDI challenges.
- 3. Review USask commitments for <u>EDI recruitment</u> that address Institution challenges.
- 4. Develop your own specific EDI recruitment practices that address both USask and discipline EDI challenges include this in your application.
- 5. Review USask resources for an <u>inclusive research training environment</u> that address EDI challenges.
- 6. Develop your own specific training plan practices that address USask and field EDI challenges include this in your application.
- 7. EDI in the research Process.



# **EDI Challenges for the Institution**

- Use EDI guide on the RASI website
- Work with research facilitators and EDI specialists
- USask priorities include Indigenization (Embrace Manacihitowin)
- Systemic barriers <u>NFRF information</u>
- The 2018 report published by the Canadian Association of University Teachers, <u>Underrepresented</u> <u>and Underpaid: Diversity & Equity Among Canada's Postsecondary Education Teachers</u>, highlights the persistent lack of diversity in the academic workforce, and wage gaps between men and women, and between white and Indigenous and racialized staff.



# **EDI challenges in Discipline**

- Contact research facilitator for your college or EDI specialist.
- Review Association websites
  - Example Engineering Enrollment of women





# **Specific Actions for Recruiting a Diverse HQP group**

- What is USask doing to address institutional challenges?
- What <u>specific action</u> item can you include to address institutional challenges?
- In your discipline, what specific action can you take to address this challenge for recruitment?



# Specific Actions for an Inclusive Research Training Environment

- What resources does USask have that you can use to address EDI challenges in your training plan?
- What actions can you take to address the EDI challenges in your discipline in your training plan?
- SMART EDI plans Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant and Time-Bound



# **EDI Example for Application**

- Team members and new students will complete EDI training, monthly on topics of EDI such as microaggression, intersectionality and unconscious and implicit bias. These courses should address EDI challenges that you identified. Specific action item for inclusion which can be measured.
- The AVMA reports, that veterinary medicine is among the least racially and ethnically diverse fields in North America, with nearly 90 per cent of veterinarians identifying as Caucasian or white. In addition to posting jobs ads on USask site, we will connect with membership societies that work with under-represented groups to promote jobs. EDI challenge in the field of research and a specific action to address recruitment.
- A specific actions we are taking for recruitment and inclusion is having a code of conduct and EDI strategy for the lab is posted on our website. This code of conduct is based off student feedback that we request from them annually and addresses EDI challenges in our field of study. As part of our EDI strategy to support students' participation and inclusion in the lab and at social events, we offer; child-friendly venues, flexible work hours, diverse dietary choices, support to attend conferences, and student stipends above the suggested minimum.
   Specific action items for recruitment and inclusion.



# **EDI in the Research Process**

- Research questions
- Design of the study
- Methodology and data collection
- Analysis and interpretation
- Dissemination of results



# Resources

- NSERC EDI guide for applicants- <u>NSERC NSERC guide on integrating</u> equity, diversity and inclusion considerations in research (nserc-<u>crsng.gc.ca</u>)
- NFRF EDI <u>https://www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca/funding-financement/nfrf-fnfr/edi- eng.aspx#3</u>
- RASI EDI <u>https://vpresearch.usask.ca/rasi/resource-hub/edi-equity-diversity-inclusion.php</u>
- EDI- Recruitment

https://jira.usask.ca/servicedesk/customer/kb/view/1346961465?q=Equity%2C+Div ersity%2C+and+Inclusion+%28EDI%29+in+Recruitment

 EDI Framework-<u>https://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/NSERC-CRSNG/EDI-</u> EDI/framework\_cadre-de-reference\_eng.asp



# The Canadian Common CV (CCV)

# **Graham Fairhurst**

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# Completing the Canadian Common CV

### Top tips

- Start early! Impending deadline = heavy user traffic = problems/lags/crashes.
- DO NOT use browser navigation ALWAYS click "Done" to save your changes.
- Register with the same email address that you use for your application.
- Use the NSERC CCV template (select 'Funding' on the 'CV' tab).
- Make good use of extra space in text boxes.
- Mark your HQP with asterisks following their surnames.
- Batch import publications to save time.

## More advice and examples

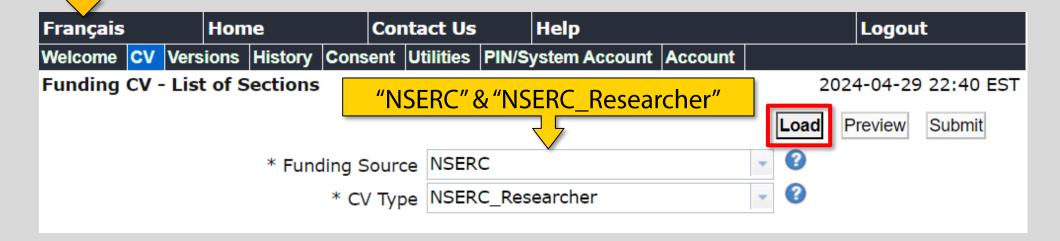
- Visit USask's Grants Repository for examples of CVs from past successful applications (<u>https://vpresearch.usask.ca/events/grants-calendar.php</u>).
- Watch <u>NSERC's video on completing the CCV</u>.
- Contact your Research Facilitator or RASI with questions or issues.



# **Creating your CCV**

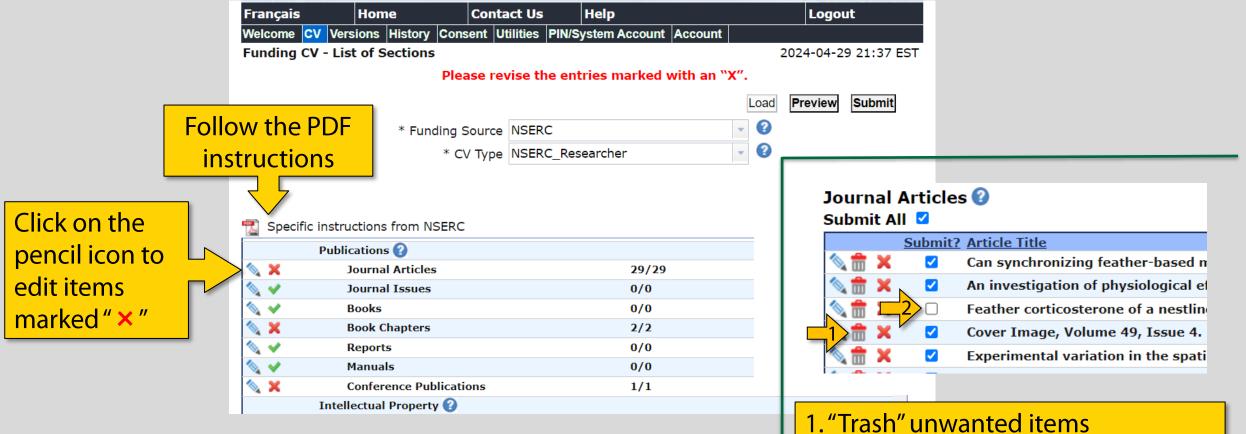
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- The "Funding" option allows you to choose the specific template for the particular agency you are applying to.
- Anything entered in the specific funding CV is automatically entered in the generic version.





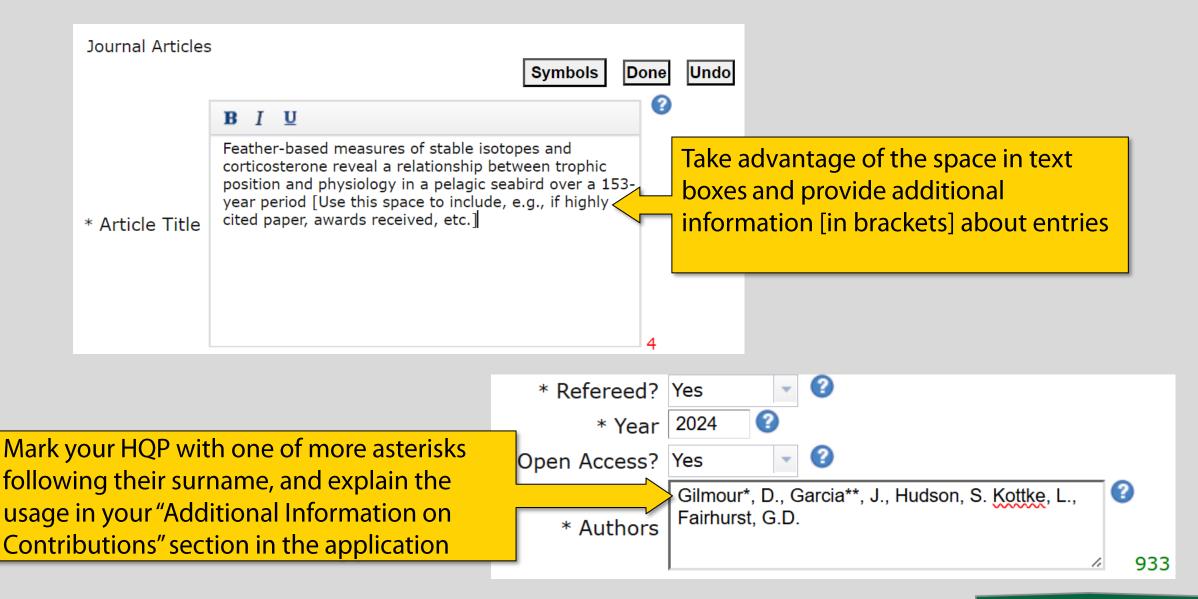
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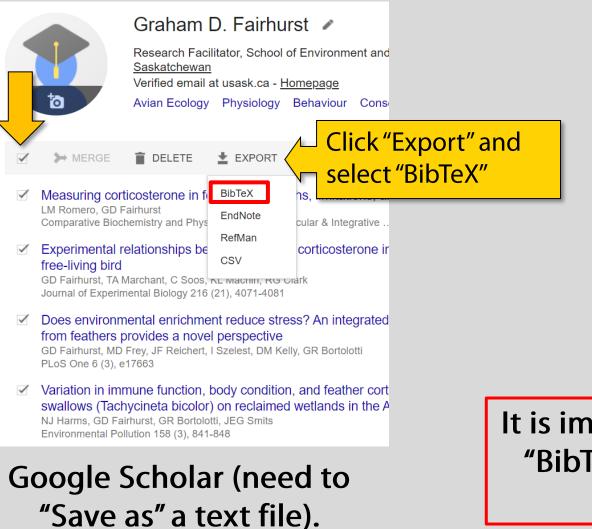
**NOTE:** Items with green checkmarks have all required fields *filled in*, but this does not necessarily mean that they are accurate. Check all entries to be sure.

 "Trash" unwanted items
 Uncheck boxes to remove items that you want to keep







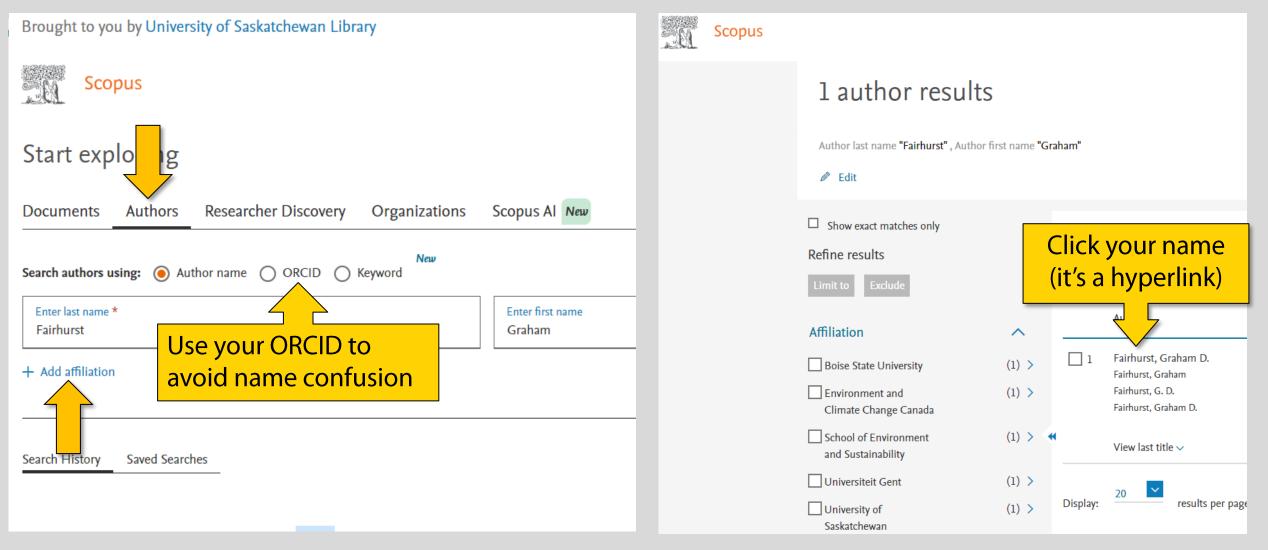


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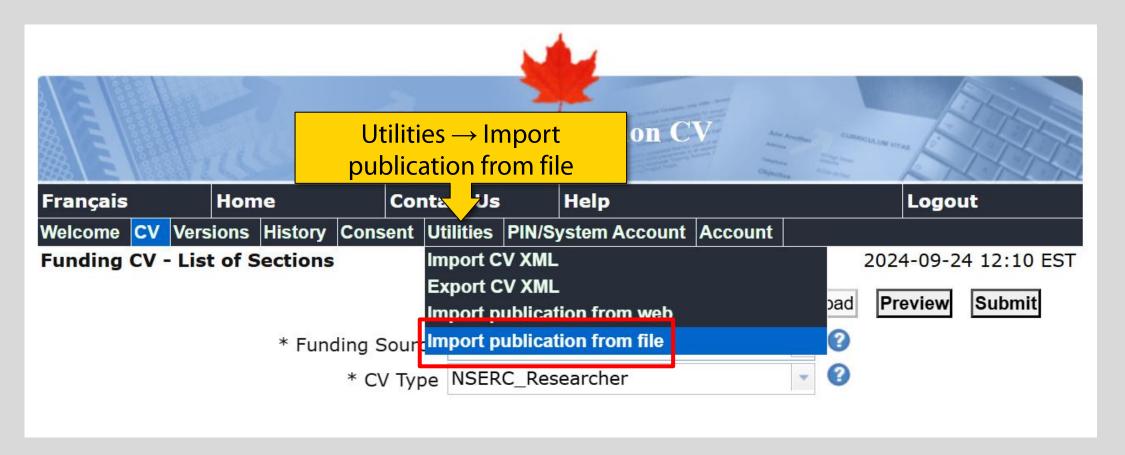


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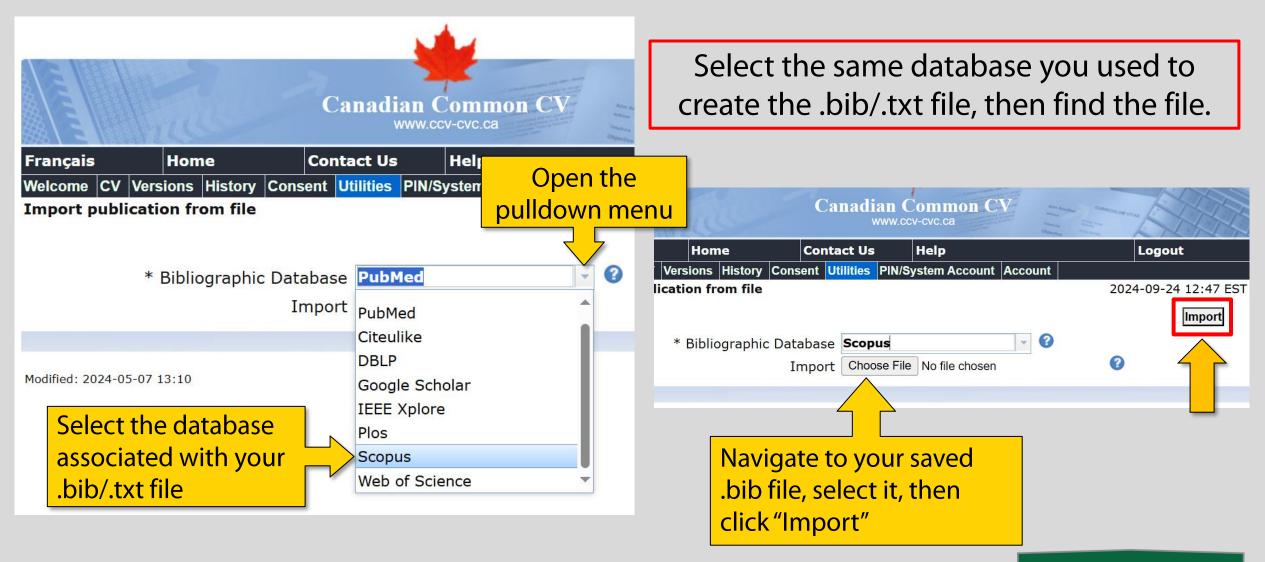
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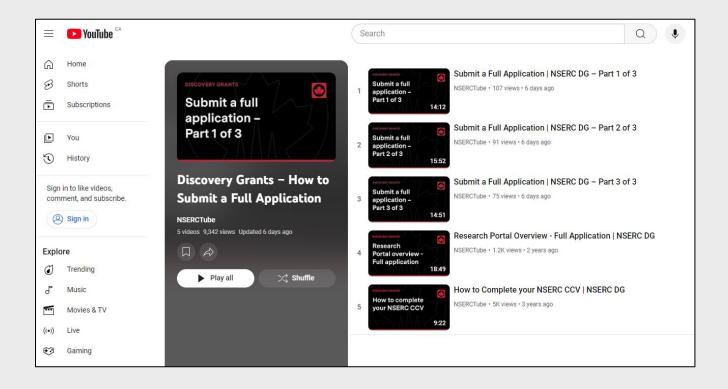


- RTI Stage Deadline DG Applicants initiate their intention to apply and/or request for internal review by submitting the Intention to 26th July 2024 Apply/Request for Internal Review Form. х х NSERC Deadline for Submission of DG Notification of Intent (NOI) to Apply. NOI must be submitted to NSERC 1st August 2024 х through the NSERC Research Portal. Applicants participating in the internal review, please e-mail a copy of your submitted NSERC DG NOI to 8th August 2024 х grant.review@usask.ca. Applicants consult with their mentorship team/s to strategize and prepare their draft application. 12th September 2024 х х Applicants submit draft DG and/or RTI application and CCV for internal review to their internal reviewers 13th September 2024 х х and copy to grant.review@usask.ca. Internal reviews are returned to the applicants. 7th October 2024 х х Applicants consult with their reviewers to incorporate feedback. Research Facilitator reads for the RTI: 7th-13th October 2024 х х logistical flow and completion of the proposal. DG: 7th-20th October 2024 College/Unit Internal Approval Please check with your Applicants must submit a full application package including CCV through UnivRS for Department and Research Facilitator or х х College academic approval. Applicants comply with college/unit-specific internal approval processes and Associate/Vice Dean Research/Director deadlines. RASI Compliance Review and Approval 17th October 2024 Applicants approved by Dept./College must submit the decision in UnivRS at least 5 business days prior to х the NSERC submission deadline to provide intuitional approval. NSERC RTI Submission Deadline 25th October 2024 х Final applications must be submitted by applicants to NSERC through the NSERC Research Portal. RASI Compliance Review and Approval 24th October 2024 Applicants approved by Dept./College must submit the decision in UnivRS at least 5 business days prior to х the NSERC submission deadline to provide intuitional approval. NSERC DG Submission Deadline 1st November 2024 х Final applications must be submitted by applicants to NSERC through the NSERC Research Portal.
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- Lists of USask faculty who have sat on evaluation groups can be found under Resources.
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Tri-Agency Research Data Management Policy

USask Research Data Management

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USask Research Data Management Guide

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#### **Useful Resources**

USask Tri-Agency Research Support – OVPR Grants Repository

Instructions for completing the NOI to apply for a Discovery grant

Instructions for completing a Discovery grant application

**Discovery grant - Peer review manual** 

Instructions for completing a RTI grant application

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**Resource Videos** 

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HQP - Frequently Asked Questions

How to complete NSERC's version of the CCV



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