**Tufts Launchpad | Accelerator (TLA) Program**

APPLICATION

2022 Funding Cycle

*For a detailed explanation of selection criteria and research priorities, please visit the* [*TLA website*](https://viceprovost.tufts.edu/tufts-launchpad-accelerator-tla)*.*

**PI Name and Department:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Project Title:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Total Budget Requested:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**SECTION 1: Project Summary or Abstract (250 words or fewer):**

* Describe the need, problem or opportunity, and significance of the technology.
* Describe the potential benefits of the proposed project with respect to advancing the technology.
* State major research objectives of the project.

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**SECTION 2: Detailed Project Description (1000 words or less):**

* Provide a brief introduction to the area of investigation.
* Describe your specific research objectives and summarize the experiments you will perform to achieve.
* It is expected that most projects will require contracting external entities which, if possible, should be identified in the application.
* Estimate the cost and time required for completion of each objective.
* Describe the anticipated results where possible.
* Provide a work performance schedule or Gantt chart.
* Propose key technical milestones for the project.
* Describe significant recent research related to this proposal including your own work and others in the field.

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**SECTION 3: Intellectual Property (500 words or less):**

* Provide a brief description of any inventions you have already made related to the proposed research.
* Provide a statement about the current IP status of the invention.
* Describe how the proposed research will add value to and enhance the invention’s patentability and/or commercial potential and/or importance.

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**SECTION 4: Detailed Budget (no limit, may be submitted as a separate attachment):**

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**SECTION 5: Key Personnel & Collaborators Appendix – Manuscripts/Publications (no limit, may be submitted as a separate attachment):**

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