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| **Type of application** | **Please select one:**[ ]  New to BBSRC IAA funding[ ]  Planning on applying for BBSRC Follow-on funding (<https://www.ukri.org/opportunity/bbsrc-follow-on-funding/>)For the latter applicants: Please tell up to which round of BBSRC Follow-on funding you plan to submit.  |
| **Purpose of funding** | **Please select as many that apply:**[ ]  Market validation[ ]  Proof-of-concept projects[ ]  Engagement with users and/or industry partners |
| **Title of project** |  |
| **Principal Investigator(s)**/Project Lead(s) for this proposal  |  |
| **PI School/Department**  |  |
| **Main Applicant** – contact email |  |
| **Co-Investigator(s)** & School(s)/Department(s) |  |
| **Academic collaborators** and institutions – including other Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) if applicable |  |
| **Non-academic** collaborators on this project |  |
| **We request that you discuss** the proposal with your Director of Impact & Innovation. | Please submit a supporting statement from the Director of Impact & Innovation.  |
| **For external partners, please supply letters of support, as applicable.** | Please submit all external letters of support. If you have more than one, please combine them into one PDF for uploading into Qualtrics. |
| **Start date:** |  |
| **Duration of project**: Note project spend must be completed by 31st March 2024 |  |
| **Total funding** requested from “Explorer” IAA\*Successful applications will have costs finalised by Finance Advice and Support (FAS) on the advice of the review panel committee. See the Guidance document for expected salary costs. \*An itemised breakdown of costs is required in Section 2. |  |

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| Sector related to **area of intended impact** in **the more immediate term**. Please select from drop down of sectors. NB: List comprises impact areas available on Researchfish. | Choose an item. |

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| Please indicate to which of the [**University Strategy**](http://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/about/governance/university-strategy/)Interdisciplinary themes this project is aligned with (if applicable) *Please tick as many as applicable.*  | [ ]  Peace, Conflict and Security [ ]  Cultural Understanding[ ]  Evolution, Behaviour, and Environment [ ]  Materials for the Modern World[ ]  Health, Infectious Disease, and Wellbeing[ ]  Sustainability |
| **Sustainable Development Goals** What are the UN Sustainable Development Goals being addressed? (<https://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/sustainable-development-goals/>) | [ ]  Goal 1: No Poverty: End poverty in all its forms [ ]  Goal 2: Zero Hunger [ ]  Goal 3: Good Health and Well-being [ ]  Goal 4: Quality Education [ ]  Goal 5: Gender equality and women's empowerment [ ]  Goal 6: Clean Water and Sanitation [ ]  Goal 7: Affordable and Clean Energy [ ]  Goal 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth [ ]  Goal 9: Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure [ ]  Goal 10: Reduced Inequality [ ]  Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities [ ]  Goal 12: Sustainable Consumption and Production [ ]  Goal 13: Climate Action [ ]  Goal 14: Life below Water [ ]  Goal 15: Life on Land: Biodiversity, forests, desertification [ ]  Goal 16: Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions [ ]  Goal 17: Partnerships for the Goals  |
| **Please provide a Gantt Chart with dates which includes key, measurable milestones** and proposed timescales for completion of activitiesto reach intended targets/objectives, e.g. events, industry visits, internships, secondment, PoC, patent applications, etc.This must include “fast-fail” milestone(s); points at which the impact will either be feasible or unfeasible. | Please upload this as part of Section 1. |
| **For innovation proposals**: Proposals **must** be based on a technology previously disclosed and assessed by the Technology Transfer Centre (TTC). The proposal needs to include the Technology ID Number previously provided. For these proposals, we request that you discuss with TTC at least two weeks prior to the submission deadline.  | **Please insert Technology ID Number** (e.g. 23-T00123) and include a supporting statement from the Technology Transfer Centre.TTC statement:  |
| **Technology Readiness Level** | **For proposals with commercialisation potential, please select the project’s Technology Readiness Level.** [ ]  TRL 0: Idea Unproven concept, no testing has been performed[ ]  TRL 1: Basic research. Principles postulated and observed but no experimental proof available [ ]  TRL 2: Technology formulation. Concept and application have been formulated [ ]  TRL 3: Applied research. First laboratory tests completed; proof of concept [ ]  TRL 4: Small scale prototype built in a laboratory environment ("ugly" prototype) [ ]  TRL 5: Large scale prototype tested in intended environment [ ]  TRL 6: Prototype system tested in intended environment close to expected performance [ ]  TRL 7: Demonstration system operating in operational environment at pre-commercial scale [ ]  TRL 8: First of a kind commercial system. Manufacturing issues solved [ ]  TRL 9: Full commercial application, technology available for consumer |
| **Conflicts of interest**. Please read the Declaration of Interests Policy (<https://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/policy/research-external-work/declaration-of-interests-policy.pdf>). | Do you, Co-Is or other collaborators have any potential, real or perceived conflicts of interest. per the Declaration of Interest Policy, with any aspects of this application, that you are aware of? If Yes, please elaborate.[ ]  Yes [ ]  No |