**Bolstering National Research Centers in Brazil to Catalyze Norms that Prevent the Transfer of Biological, Chemical, and Nuclear-Applicable Technologies**

**Program Overview:** CRDF Global is pleased to announce a grant opportunity to support innovative research that examines and proposes policy-oriented solutions to risks and challenges associated with promoting research integrity best practices around sensitive technologies and data proliferation in Southeast Asia and Brazil. Grants are a one-time, eight-month award of up to $10,000 USD. As part of the grant program, recipients will be paired with international experts on research security who will guide grant recipients through their research projects that advance international norms and best practices of free, fair, and transparent scientific exchange while increasing the awareness of dual-use research concerns for scientists from a broad array of disciplines, including but not limited to, biology, biotechnology, artificial intelligence, and advanced computing.

**Eligibility:**

* Individual researchers or teams with strong past performance conducting research, trainings, and other activities on research security and integrity, particularly in the fields of biotechnology, genetic/genomic data, artificial intelligence, and semiconductors/quantum computing.
* Grant recipients must be nationals of Brazil.
* Individual researchers or members of a research team, as applicable, must be nationals of Brazil who are affiliated with an accredited academic institution or professional association of scientists and researchers.
* Institutional and/or managerial approval is required for applications to be considered for this competition.
* Applications must be submitted in English.
* Additional information about this opportunity, including evaluation criteria and CRDF Global grant policies can be accessed at <https://www.crdfglobal.org/grants/fellowships-funding-opportunities>

**Application Deadline: Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis until October 30, 2022.**

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**Instructions:** Please fill out this document to apply for a grant. When it is complete, please send this document via email to techtrainings@crdfglobal.org along with all supporting documents (listed below). Note that your application will not be reviewed unless all application sections have been completed and all required documents are submitted.

Please complete your proposals in English. Please note that all grant recipients must be nationals of Brazil.

**Supporting documents include:**

* A proposed detailed budget.
	+ Please note, the Primary tab should be used for all project-related expenses to be covered under the grant. The “Cost-Share” tab should be used for expenses that will be covered by the institution as their contribution to the project.
* The curriculum vitae (CV) and passport or state-issued ID card of the grant recipient(s).
* Application materials and grant deliverables must be submitted in English.

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| **1. General Project Information**  |
| 1a. Project Title  |
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| 1b. Project Duration (Not to exceed 8 months)  |
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| **2. Applicant Information**  |
| 2a. Job Title/Position  |
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| 2b. First Name  |
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| 2c. Last Name  |
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| 2d. Country of Citizenship  |
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| 2e. Name of Institution, including: 1. Division or Department
2. Address of Institution
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| 2f. Please describe your previous experience related to your proposed project, including notable publications.   |
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| **3. Applicant Contact Information**  |
| 3a. Phone Number  |
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| 3c. Email Address  |
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| **4. Previous CRDF Global Funding**  |
| 4a. Have you previously received funding from CRDF Global or participated in a CRDF Global training?  |
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| 4b. If yes, please list the type and date of each training/award of funding.  |
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| 4c. Describe how you learned about CRDF Global and this grant opportunity.  |
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| **5. Project Details**  |
| 5a. Please provide an abstract or outline of no more than 500 words. The following points should be addressed:  1. *What is your proposed project?*
2. *How does your proposed project relate to the objective defined in the grant announcement?*
3. *Who is your target audience?*
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| 5b.  In no more than 150 words, please explain your plans for future work on this topic beyond the grant period. How does this project contribute to your long-term research security and integrity strategy and programming?   |
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| 5c.  Please list each step/task for your project and the anticipated number of weeks or months to complete each step/task. The length of the project should not exceed eight (8) months. Responses should be listed as estimated number of business days.  |
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| 5d. Please list relevant publications and presentations that you have authored:  1. Title of work
2. Publication/Conference
3. Date
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| 5e.  List three relevant professional references:  1. Full name
2. Institution and relationship
3. Email address
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