

Application Form for NSERC CREATE Climate-Smart Soils

Please note that successful submission of this application form does not guarantee your admission to the CREATE-CSS program. To be fully accepted into the program, you **must** also be accepted to one of the universities listed below and by a participating supervisor at that university, also listed below.

Applicant Information

Name:	
Email (primary contact):	
Current city/town of residence:	
Status in Canada:	<input type="checkbox"/> Canadian citizen <input type="checkbox"/> Study permit <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent resident <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Student visa
Country of citizenship:	

Voluntary Self-Identification

CREATE Climate-Smart Soils is committed to supporting diversity in research. Provision of information in this section is voluntary and responses will be used only to track representation of these groups in the program.

What is your gender identity?	<input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to disclose <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Do you consider yourself racially visible? (i.e. non-Caucasian but not Aboriginal)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to disclose
Do you consider yourself an Aboriginal person or part of an Aboriginal group? (i.e. First Nations, Métis, Inuit, or North American Indian)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to disclose
Do you consider yourself to be a person with a disability? (i.e. long-term or recurring physical, sensory, mental, psychiatric or learning impairment)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to disclose

Program Information

This NSERC CREATE program is geared for students attending one of the universities outlined below. To be eligible for CREATE Climate-Smart Soils, applicants must be accepted to a graduate program at one of these universities and willing to work with an academic advisor at that university who is also involved in CREATE Climate-Smart Soils as an Investigator (listed below).

Institution(s) of interest:	<input type="checkbox"/> University of Guelph <input type="checkbox"/> University of Saskatchewan <input type="checkbox"/> University of Manitoba <input type="checkbox"/> University of Toronto	<input type="checkbox"/> McGill University <input type="checkbox"/> Dalhousie University <input type="checkbox"/> Any of the above <input type="checkbox"/> Not sure
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Investigator(s) of interest:	<input type="checkbox"/> Dr. C. Wagner Riddle (Guelph) <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. K. Dunfield (Guelph) <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. A. Weersink (Guelph) <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. H. Hambly (Guelph) <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. K. Congreves (Saskatchewan) <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. M. Entz (Manitoba) <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. M. Tenuta (Manitoba)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dr. M. Simpson (Toronto) <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. C. Kallenbach (McGill) <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. D. Burton (Dalhousie) <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. P. Tyedmers (Dalhousie) <input type="checkbox"/> Any of the above <input type="checkbox"/> Not sure
Applying as:	Natural Science & Engineering (NSE): <input type="checkbox"/> Master's student <input type="checkbox"/> Ph.D. student Non-NSE: <input type="checkbox"/> Master's student <input type="checkbox"/> Ph.D. student	
Preferred start:	Semester <input type="checkbox"/> Fall <input type="checkbox"/> Winter <input type="checkbox"/> Summer Year <input type="checkbox"/> 2022 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please explain): _____	
Have you applied and been accepted to a graduate program at one of the above institutions?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, I have applied and been accepted <input type="checkbox"/> I have applied but have not yet been accepted <input type="checkbox"/> No, I have not applied	
Have you contacted one of the investigators to discuss working with them?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, I have contacted an investigator <input type="checkbox"/> No, I have not yet contacted an investigator	

Education and Experience History		
Highest level of degree achieved:	<input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's <input type="checkbox"/> Master's <input type="checkbox"/> Ph.D. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
Previous institution(s) attended, and degree(s) received from each:	1. 2. 3.	
Please describe any previous research and related experience.	 	

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Research Interests

Please describe your current research interests and how they relate to the goals of the CREATE Climate-Smart Soils program.

Why are you interested in joining the CREATE Climate-Smart Soils program?

Application Submission

Please submit a completed **application form, your CV, and a copy of your unofficial transcript(s) in one (1) PDF document** to the CREATE Climate-Smart Soils Program Coordinator via email (info@smartsoils.ca). The Program Coordinator will be in touch with successful candidates following the review of your application package.

_____ Applicant Signature	_____ Date
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