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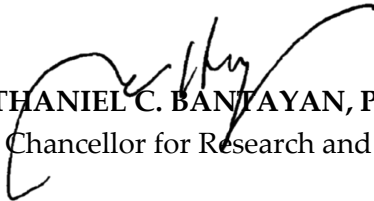
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TO : All Deans and Directors/Unit Heads

FROM : 
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Vice Chancellor for Research and Extension

SUBJECT : 2023 CALL FOR UPLB BASIC RESEARCH PROPOSALS

The Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research and Extension (OVCRE) is now accepting research proposals for funding under the UPLB Basic Research Program (UPLB BRP) CY 2023.

Through the years, the UPLB BRP has consistently served as a good research facility for the conduct of basic studies in the natural sciences and mathematics, social sciences, and the humanities.

With the adoption of UPLB's new Research and Extension (R&E) Agenda – the UPLB AGORA (*Accelerating Growth through One Research and Extension in Action*), the proposals must be aligned with AGORA's four (4) focus areas: (1) food security and sovereignty; (2) resiliency and sustainability; (3) future communities and institutions; and (4) One Health (<https://agora.uplb.edu.ph>).

Further, in compliance to OC Memorandum No. 042 s.2022, Regular Release of Sex Disaggregated Data and the Use of the Harmonized Gender and Development Guidelines, please subject your proposals to the HGDG Self-assessment Toolkit.

Priority shall be given to the following proponents: i) First-time basic research applicants who have at least completed 18 units of graduate study or have recently received their MS or Ph.D. degrees within the last 3 years; ii) Proponents who have no other research study/project.

All submitted proposals shall be pre-screened following the attached guidelines (Annex A), and only those that pass the initial screening will be subjected to administrative and technical review. Kindly use the file name format below for your proposal and attachment:

- For the cover letter of Juan S. Dela Cruz: **Dela Cruz JS_Lett.pdf**
- For proposal of Juan S. Dela Cruz: **Dela Cruz JS_Prop.pdf** (Annex B)

- For the Prior Art Search Form of Juan S. Dela Cruz: **Dela Cruz JS_PAS.pdf** (Annex C)

Upload the proposal and attachments to the form linked https://bit.ly/UPLBBRP_2023-Call-for-Proposals. E-Signatures are acceptable.

For the proponent's guidance regarding the approval process, please see the attached flowchart (Annex D).

Please take note of the following dates:

- **31 May 2022** – Deadline of submission
- **30 September 2022** – Expected date of approval
- **01 January 2023** – Starting date of implementation

Thank you very much.