



## **CETA Research Grant Program**

### **Conflict of Interest Disclosure Form**

#### **Overview**

The Controlled Environment Testing Association (CETA) is committed to upholding the highest standards of integrity and transparency in the administration of its Research Grant Program. To safeguard the impartiality of the review and selection process, all applicants must disclose any actual, potential, or perceived conflicts of interest.

A conflict of interest may arise when an individual has financial, professional, or personal relationships that could compromise—or appear to compromise—their objectivity in relation to the CETA Research Grant. Disclosure of such relationships is essential for ensuring a fair and unbiased evaluation process.

#### **Instructions**

Applicants must complete all sections of this form and submit it with their CETA Research Grant application. If any conflicts arise after submission, applicants are required to update this form promptly by contacting the CETA Research Committee at [research@cetainternational.org](mailto:research@cetainternational.org).

#### **Applicant Information**

- Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_
- Organization/Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_
- Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Disclosure of Conflicts of Interest**

##### **1. Financial Interests**

Do you or any individual with whom you have a close personal or professional relationship have a financial interest in any entity that could be affected by the proposed research or that may benefit from grant funding?

☐ Yes    ☐ No

If yes, explain:

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##### **2. Professional Roles and Relationships**

Do you currently serve (or have recently served) as an employee, consultant, advisor, board member, or officer for any organization that may benefit from or be affected by this research?

☐ Yes    ☐ No



If yes, explain:

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### 3. Research Collaborations

Have you collaborated in the last 36 months with any individual who is currently a member of the CETA Research Review Committee (e.g., through co-authored publications, funded research, or academic projects)?

☐ Yes    ☐ No

If yes, explain:

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### 4. Personal Relationships

Do you have a personal relationship (e.g., family member, close friendship, or romantic relationship) with anyone involved in the review or administration of the CETA Research Grant?

☐ Yes    ☐ No

If yes, explain:

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### Acknowledgment and Certification

By signing below, I affirm that the information provided on this form is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I agree to promptly disclose any changes or additional potential conflicts of interest that may arise. I understand that failure to disclose relevant information may result in the disqualification of my application or revocation of any awarded grant.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please include this completed form in your grant application submission. For questions, contact [info@cetainternational.org](mailto:info@cetainternational.org).