

# COPRI Research Fund – Proposals and Ideas

COPRI welcomes specific funding proposals from COPRI committees, and research funding ideas from the broader COPRI community. COPRI CRF funding proposals should be submitted to [copri@asce.org](mailto:copri@asce.org) and address the following information.

The COPRI Governing Board will make decisions on funding based on availability of funds and information provided. COPRI committees will review CRF Ideas and consideration.

## CRF Proposals –

The COPRI Research Fund support projects that -

- directly contribute to COPRI committee needs and advancing quality data and content of COPRI standards and manuals of practice; and
- identify and develop industry-driven research concepts and objectives for new COPRI standards and manuals of practice.

Based on these key factors, certain elements of the PS should be given attention accordingly. The following comments are in addition to those in the PS Template.

**Description:** Provide project scope, location, and schedule. Discuss/review the pertinent literature and gaps in the body of knowledge. Also identify research in progress or lack thereof.

**Urgency and Potential Benefits:** Why is it important that this work be accomplished and what will be the results. Who will be impacted by this work?

**Implementation Considerations and Supporters:** How will this work be implemented and who will do it? Identify any internal ASCE groups supporting or endorsing the research proposal.

**Others Supporting the Problem Statement:** List any outside groups supporting or endorsing the research proposal

**Person Submitting the Problem Statement:** Identify research proposal lead contact and COPRI Committee.

**Funding Requested:** Please describe proposed project funding needs, including specific amount requested from CRF and amounts from other sources.

## CRF Ideas –

The COPRI Governing Board is accepting research ideas from the broader COPRI community. Information submitted with an idea should address the above listed factors, as appropriate.