**Grant Projects Application Form**

**Member-led Grants from CUPGRA**

CUPGRA can make available grants to fund member-led potato research

Examples of this would include:

* early-stage, pump-priming or investigative work
* reviews of current problems and issues
* £20,000/annum total expected annual awards
* £2,000 to £20,000 individual grant value

Applications open to anyone.

Grants are subject to:

* Providing benefit and good value to CUPGRA membership
* Meeting sound industry and science criteria
* Having a good communication mechanism for the work
* Approval of the CUPGRA Executive

Applications should be made using the CUPGRA Grants application form and returned to Kate Pottle at admin@cupgra.com

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| **Title** |  |
| **Proposer**  | *Name of project lead, company, contact details* |
| **Other key staff**  | *Name of project team, company, contact details* |
| **Aim**  | *State the aim of the project in one or two sentences.* |
| **Project duration** | *Planned start date and expected date when the final report will be available* |
| **Relevance to grower** | *Explain briefly why the proposed research is likely to improve productivity, profitability or environmental impact for growers during or immediately after the research* |
| **Fit to CUPGRA’s strategy** | *Explain briefly why the work should be funded by CUPGRA at this stage* |
| **Outline of work** | *Use 1-2 sides to explain what will be done, when and by whom. If the work involves sub-contractors explain clearly why this is necessary and what role they will take.* |
| **Cost** | *Give the total cost and explain briefly what the costs are (e.g. staff time by task, sample analysis costs)* |