



LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE FOUNDATION

2021 *Case Study Investigation (CSI)* Program: Project Proposal

Supervising Principal Approval

LAF's [Case Study Investigation \(CSI\)](#) program is a unique research collaboration and training program in which LAF-funded faculty-student research teams and designers assess and document the environmental, social, and economic benefits of exemplary high-performing landscape projects. The next CSI program will run from February 3 to August 4, 2021.

Participation in the CSI program by firms requires a time commitment on part of the firm averaging a total of 20 to 35 staff hours between February and August 2021, depending on the information available and previous work done to document the project. The CSI program also requires that the academic team partners have access to key project staff, clients, and stakeholders. The academic team receives a stipend for their work; firms receive no financial compensation for their participation.

All case studies produced through CSI undergo an iterative review process with LAF and receive feedback from at least one independent reviewer. LAF retains final approval and editorial rights. Participation in CSI does not guarantee that a particular case study will be published in the *Landscape Performance Series*.

With my signature, I indicate my approval of this project proposal and my firm's potential participation in the CSI program. A virtual (typed) signature is acceptable.

Signature of Principal (required)

Date

Print name