

**John R. Evans Leaders Fund  
 Backgrounder**

**Alberta**

The Canada Foundation for Innovation (CFI) Board of Directors approved a contribution of \$2,188,326 to support 10 infrastructure projects in the province.

Project Title	Maximum CFI Contribution
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**University of Alberta**

Non-invasive Optical Imaging of Oscillations in Brain Activity Related to Attention	\$143,238
Design for Additive Manufacturing: Developing Assembly and Lifecycle Models for Additive Manufacturing Processes	\$66,669
<b>2 projects</b>	<b>\$209,907</b>

**University of Calgary**

Immunity of Host-Microbial Interactions	\$272,716
Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy in Brain Injury	\$152,500
The Health Education Neuroassessment Laboratory (THENaL)	\$145,900
Computational Infrastructure for Predictive Medical Genomics	\$223,232
Neuromuscular Genetics Program	\$230,500
Infrastructure for Resolving Strain and Gene Function in the Microbiome	\$330,098
Precision Medicine for Cancer Control and Management (PreCancerCM)	\$373,473
Establishment of a Multidisciplinary and Translational Laboratory to Study Heart Disease	\$250,000
<b>8 projects</b>	<b>\$1,978,419</b>

**NOTE:**

As part of this announcement, an additional \$656,498 was awarded under the Infrastructure Operating Fund (IOF), a mechanism that assists institutions with the incremental operating and maintenance costs associated with the new infrastructure.