How to Start an SRNT Network or Transdisciplinary Working Group

Please contact SRNT Executive Director, Bruce Wheeler, to begin the process.

The steps for starting a new Network or Transdisciplinary Working Group include:

1. An initial request of the Board of Directors. Click here to view the application.

2. If approved, staff will help you develop a survey to determine members' interest in participating in and volunteering for the proposed Network or Working Group. The survey should include questions about priority activities/projects to be undertaken.

3. Conduct the member interest survey and analyze the results.

4. If the survey results warrant continuation, staff will arrange for you to make a presentation to the Board of Directors, including:

    - a detailed plan for the first three years of operation
    - org structure and initial volunteers
    - projects and activities identified
    - any member or external outreach
    - financial support needed (whether from SRNT or an outside funder), etc.

5. If the Board of Directors approves formation of your proposed Network, staff will provide training and support as you implement your proposed plan.