## **DURC Experiments**

## **Experiments with at least one of the following aims:**

- Enhance the harmful consequences of the agent or toxin.
- Disrupt immunity or the effectiveness of an immunization against the agent or toxin without clinical and/or agricultural justification.
- Confer to the agent or toxin resistance to clinically and/or agriculturally useful prophylactic or therapeutic interventions against that agent or toxin or facilitates their ability to evade detection methodologies.
- Increase the stability, transmissibility, or the ability to disseminate the agent or toxin.
- Alter the host range or tropism of the agent or toxin.
- Enhance the susceptibility of a host population to the agent or toxin.
- Generate or reconstitutes an eradicated or extinct agent or toxin listed above.