

Fund Times

STOCKTON UNIVERSITY | OFFICE OF RESEARCH & SPONSORED PROGRAMS

September 2017

Call for Proposals

Adjunct Faculty Opportunity Fund (AFOF) – (Fall Semester)

- Support for travel to conferences, student assistant, professional services or supplies related to scholarship in 2020 initiatives. Awards capped at \$750 per awardee.
- Applications should be completed electronically via the [New Online Application Internal Award System](#). Applications are due no later than 5:00pm, September 8, 2017.

R&PD - Course Release – (Spring 2018 Semester)

- Support projects in research, planning, proposal writing, professional development and creative work.
- 1 course release per awardee.
- Applications should be completed electronically via the [New Online Application Internal Award System](#). Applications are due no later than 5:00pm, September 15, 2017.

Online Application Process - Internal Awards

As a reminder, the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs now provides a new fully automated [Internal Award Online System](#), created to streamline the application process with an easy to navigate system for all users. Visit our webpage for User Log In links and more information.

*Currently all R&PD funding opportunities as well as the CDC fund have been automated on the system and **effective immediately, emailed and/or paper applications will no longer be accepted.** For funding opportunities not yet available in the Internal Award Online System please see the ORSP Internal Awards page for application and information.*

Research and Professional Development Committee Members - Fiscal Year 18

Mariana Smith, ARHU	2017-19	Joe Marchetti, EDUC	2016-18	Tara Crowell, HLTH	2017-19
David King, ARHU*	2016-18	Priti Haria, EDUC	2017-19	Christy Goodnight, Library	2016-18
Laura Zucconi, ARHU	2016-18	Emari DiGiorgio, GENS	2016-18	Nathaniel Hartman, NAMS	2017-19
Keith Diener, BUSN	2017-19	Heather McGovern, GENS	2017-19	Robert Oslon, NAMS	2016-18
Wei-Xuan Li, BUSN	2016-18	Monika Pawlowska, HLTH	2016-18	Justin Ostrofsky, SOBL	2017-19
				Michael Rodriguez, SOBL	2016-18

Ex Officio Member (Provost Designee) - Todd Regn, Executive Director for the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs

*Chair **Union Liaison - TBD ***Vice Chair - to be elected

Prior to the deadline date and submission of your application, the ORSP is available to review proposals by appointment. Please call extension 4844 to schedule the review. Applications will not be reviewed by the ORSP after submission.



OMB Seeks to Resubmit Budget Cuts for FY 19, Says Official Memo

by Graeff, Frank - GrantWeek - July 17, 2017

While Congress debates the FY 18 budget, the Trump Administration has started laying groundwork for the FY 19 budget due next year. In a July 7 memo, Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Director Mick Mulvaney directed all agencies to submit budgets that “reflect a level no higher than the net total provided for your agency in the FY 2019 column of the FY 2018 Budget.” Among other things, this indicates the administration’s interest in once again zeroing out programs such as the Manufacturing Extension Partnership, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency’s Environmental Education efforts, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration’s Office of Education, the National Endowment for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Humanities, and others. It also indicates an interest in limiting new expenditures in the next fiscal year.

That being said, in the same memo, OMB also asked agencies to “identify additional investments in effective programs that further support their mission and fill a clear Federal role” by ranking existing programs in agencies that would benefit from extra funding. Ultimately, OMB will decide which, if any, of these programs should get additional investment in the next budget request.

The FY 19 Budget request is expected to come out in [early 2018](#). Ultimately, decisions on final funding levels are decided by Congress. Legislators are currently debating the FY 18 budget, and some funding agreement must be agreed upon by the [end of September](#) to avoid a government shutdown. To read Director Mulvaney’s memo, click [here](#).

Grant Writing Workshop



The Office of Research & Sponsored Programs (ORSP) and the Institute for Faculty Development (IFD) recently conducted a four-day summer Grant Writing Workshop. The goal of this joint workshop was to provide dedicated time and instruction for faculty to fully develop a project and write a quality proposal suitable for submitting to an external sponsor. Together the ORSP and IFD hope to increase both the quantity and quality of external proposals. The workshop was sponsored by the Provost’s Office.

The workshop was attended by faculty participants and a panel of faculty mentors. The participants were faculty members who have not received significant funding from external sources, or identified themselves as benefitting from focused instruction, training, and experience in proposal writing and project development. The panel of faculty mentors were a key component of the learning experience. Drawn from among colleagues who have received significant external funding, they have many years of experience in proposal writing, grant administration, and building successful relationships. Activities included both one-on-one interactions between mentors and participants, and group discussions.

Pre- and post- surveys were administered and feedback was positive. Participants felt more confident and knowledgeable about their abilities and illustrated increased awareness about the resources available at Stockton. Participants and mentors provided valuable feedback concerning improving future workshops, and critical infrastructure and related issues that need to be addressed to move research and other scholarly activities at Stockton to the next level.

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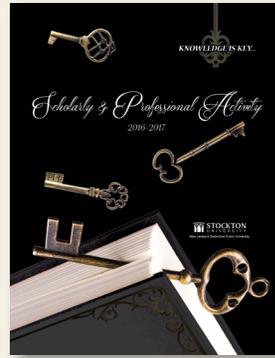
Welcome Faculty - GRC Faculty Alert System



The Faculty Alert System is an automated, monthly e-mail system containing funding opportunities tailored to each faculty member's specific needs. The alerts may include federal and private funding opportunities, with application deadlines extending out three months. As faculty needs will continually change, participants have the ability to alter their criteria at anytime.

To participate, simply complete a [Faculty Alert System Application](#) and return it to grants@stockton.edu. Applications will be immediately put into the Grants Resource Center system and your funding opportunities alerts will begin without delay!

Scholarly and Professional Activity Book 2016-2017



The FY17 Scholarly and Professional Activity Book is now available on the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs' website. A printed copy has also been delivered to the Dean of each school.

Thank you to all of the faculty and staff for your contributions and the impressive show of presentations, published works, books published, board involvement, professional development and more.

The highlight book of externally funded projects is now being developed as well and will be published sometime later this year

INTERNAL AWARD INFORMATION SESSIONS

A brief overview, and Q&A for interested applicants. See the individual session information below for specific date and time. Should you be unable to attend but have a question or concern, please contact the ORSP at extension 4844.

- **Sabbatical Information Session:**
(Application Deadline: 10.16.17)

Friday, September 15th, 2017
3:30 - 4:30pm, F-118

- **R&PD Main Round Information Session:**
(Application Deadline: 2.26.18)

Friday, January 26th, 2018
3:30 - 4:30pm, F-118

New Center for Disease Control Report Reveals New Findings About Opioid Addiction

by Fatoyinbo, Willette B. - GrantWeek - April 17, 2017



The Center for Disease Control (CDC) recently issued a report analyzing retail prescription data to measure opioid usage in the United States, from 2006 to 2015. The report, [Vital Signs: Changes in Opioid Prescribing in the United States, 2006–2015](#), unearthed demographic, dosage and duration information pertinent to the human services and biomedical communities' response to the rising trend of opioid addiction. On a global scale, American patients received nearly four times the amount of opioid prescriptions in comparison to patients in European nations. Domestically, 63 percent of the 52,404 drug overdose deaths were linked to opioids in 2015, per the CDC.

With nearly 2 million Americans living with an opioid addiction, like real estate, location matters. CDC's report compared counties with low to high prescription drug monitoring systems to capture a realistic view of the opioid dilemma across the country. Results show areas with tighter prescription drug legislation, i.e., Rhode Island and Indiana, also account for fewer prescriptions issued annually.

More prescriptions were issued in micropolitan areas (population greater than 10,000 but less than 50,000) occupied by predominately non-Hispanic whites plagued by higher rates of unemployment and Medicaid enrollment. Patients under age 30 (43 percent) account for the highest usage followed by patients between ages 35 to 64 (nearly 40 percent). The aging community—ages 65 and above—represents the smallest group of users (nearly 18 percent).

The National Institute of Health is currently accepting applications to support research addressing opioid addiction. Review the following announcements for additional information: [Clinical Evaluation of Adjuncts to Opioid Therapies for the Treatment of Chronic Pain \(R01\) and Marijuana, Prescription Opioid, or Prescription Benzodiazepine Drug Use Among Older Adults \(R01\)](#).

The Office of Research and Sponsored Programs

Your Guide to:

External Funding Sources

Grant Proposal Process

Grant Compliance

Internal Award Opportunities

Grant Proposal Elements

Services and Activities:

Assist with all aspects of **proposal preparation, proposal submission and award management.**

Assist in **locating internal and external funding sources.**

Coordinate **Institutional Review and Approval process.**

Support development of proposals for **internal funding sources.**

Offer access to services of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities (**AASCU**) and their Grants Resource Center.

Present **workshops** related to faculty vitality.