

## **2021-22 ORSP Grant for Faculty Support for Scholarly or Creative Productivity**

Office of Research and Sponsored Projects (ORSP) provided a stipend (\$5,000) in summer 2021 to 46 faculty whose scholarly or creative productivity has been seriously negatively impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. With additional funding available, ORSP would like to continue this program with a one-time stipend (\$5,000) to support faculty whose scholarly or creative productivity has been seriously negatively impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Examples of such impacts might include, but are not limited to: limited access to research sites; reduced productivity due to COVID-related school closures or family care responsibilities; COVID-related travel bans or conference cancellations; or physical or mental health challenges prompted or exacerbated by the pandemic and/or related stressors.

**Eligibility:** Tenure-track and tenured faculty at all levels are eligible to apply. Faculty teaching summer school in summer 2022 are eligible to apply for this grant. Faculty who received grants in the ORSP Summer 2021 cycle are eligible to apply, but priority will be given to applicants who were not previously eligible for an AY 2021-2022 PY 3-5 grant through Academic Support Services or who haven't received the Summer 2021 ORSP Grant for Faculty Support for Scholarly or Creative Productivity. Prior recipients should detail what they accomplished during Summer 2021 and any ongoing negative impact of COVID-19.

1. To apply, you will be asked to briefly **describe the pandemic's impact on your work** (150 words max) and **submit a brief summary of the research or creative project(s)** to be worked on during the project duration (500 words max). Your application should demonstrate: 1) your ability to complete the proposed project with this grant; and 2) the peer-reviewed publication or creative project toward which this work is intended to contribute and how that relates to your Department Personnel Standards and/or post-tenure professional goals (e.g., this grant will allow you to complete the third of four articles required for tenure). Proposals will be reviewed regarding feasibility and whether the project will lead to a peer-reviewed outcome or performance.
2. Stipends will be provided before March 31, 2022.
3. Recipients of this grant must submit a brief final report by December 31, 2022 describing progress towards or completion of the project goal/s.

**Application Submission Open: November 5, 2021**

**Deadline: 12:00 pm, Friday, December 3, 2021**

**Award Cycle: December 1, 2021 through August 12, 2022**