

Request for *Teachers College Research Development Grant*

Teachers College
2017-2018

Overview

The *Teachers College Research Development Grant* is designed to provide funding for research that makes a significant impact in the field of education, aligns with your personal research goals, as well as those of the department, and enhance the educational opportunities for students at Ball State. Research projects should ultimately be competitive for future external funding. Collaboration is highly encouraged.

Awards

Tier 1:

Tier 1 proposals may include one, or more faculty from the same department. We anticipate a total of five (5) awards ranging between \$2,000-\$5,000 each.

Tier 2:

Tier 2 proposals must include collaboration with faculty members from at least two different departments within Teachers College, another BSU college, or faculty not affiliated with Ball State University.

We anticipate a total of two (2) awards ranging between \$5,000-\$10,000 each.

Timeline

October 1, 2017: Proposals due.

December 1, 2017: Anticipated date for award notification.

February 1, 2018: Proposals due.

May 1, 2018: Anticipated date for award notification.

How to Apply

Accessing the application:

- Log into your [MY BSU](#) account and select [TK 20](#) under Additional Tools.
- Click the “Applications” link located on the left side.
- Click the green “Create New Application” button.
- Select “TC Research Development Grant” from the drop-down menu then click the green “Next” button.

Requests for funding must meet the following criteria:

- Complete the *Request for Teachers College Research Development Grant* application.
- Submit application by deadline for the appropriate Tier.
- Successful proposals will receive funding only one time per year, however, actual expenditure of funds may take up to two years.
- Priority will be given to projects not otherwise funded.
- Funds may be used for research related equipment, materials, travel for gathering data, Undergraduate or Graduate research assistants.
- Funds may not be used for faculty salary.
- Include a two-page vitae sheet detailing education and scholarship activities related to the research project for each faculty member listed on the proposal.

Post Award Responsibilities:

Within six (6) months of completion of the research project, the PI must submit a detailed report to the Teachers College Dean’s Office detailing the results of the study. The report must also include details of expenditures and evidence of progress towards external grant application. Evidence may include the completed application, draft of application and budget, or emails to agency program directors, etc.

Applications are encouraged from all departments within the college and may be submitted from any faculty member. Priority will be given to tenure and tenure-track faculty.

Applications submitted by appropriate deadlines and meeting all requirements, will be reviewed by the Teachers College Research Committee.