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Research News from the Faculty

Update on the Strategic Research Fund

In Fall 2018, the Faculty of Education undertook a review of the Strategic Research Fund in consultation with faculty members. Thomas Falkenberg, Associate Dean (Graduate and Research), provides the following update:

On behalf of the Dean, I want to update you on the review of the Faculty's Strategic Research Funds Program, considering that the February Faculty Council meeting is cancelled. Using the written and group feedback provided by some of you on the current guidelines, the Dean's Office is in the process of revising those. The plan is to have the new guidelines in place with the start of the new budget year, 1 April 2019. Until then, the current guidelines will be in place and applied. More information is forthcoming at the March Faculty Council meeting.

Course Release Award Fund

The Faculty of Education will be issuing a call for the Course Release Award Fund in February 2019 for course releases in Winter 2020. Note that the Course Release Award is separate from the Teaching Release for Multi-Year SSHRC Grants Fund and does not presuppose that the applicant has been awarded a multi-year grant. As stated in the Teaching Guidelines approved in November 2017, "course release awards are dependent on what our budget will allow and therefore, will be limited in any given year". The Faculty has determined that for 2019-20, the maximum number of course release awards will be four (two for Fall 2019 and two for Winter 2020).

Faculty Research Highlights: Fall 2018

Publications

Hasinoff, S. & Mandzuk, D. (2018). *Navigating uncertainty: Sensemaking for educational leaders*. Leiden, NL: Brill|Sense Publishers.

Tamtik, M. (2018). International education in Manitoba: exploring leadership practices in policy contexts. *Canadian Journal of Educational Administration and Policy*, 187, 18-30.

Tamtik, M. (2018). Movers and shakers of Canadian innovation policy – Recognizing the influence of university vice-presidents as policy advocates. *Tertiary Education and Management*, 24(4), 311-324.

Rieger, K.L., Chernomas, W.M., McMillan, D.E., & Morin, F.L. (In press). The arts as a catalyst for learning with undergraduate nursing students: Findings from a constructivist grounded theory study. Submitted to *Arts and Health: An International Journal for Research, Policy and Practice*.

Grants

Bartlett, Nadine
Indigenous Initiatives Fund (IIF)
“Indigenizing Curriculum, Pedagogy and Spaces in Teacher Education”

Bartlett, Nadine
University Research Grants Program (URGP)
“Community Mobilization: A Framework for the Implementation of the Wraparound Approach”

Curnow, Joe
University Research Grants Program (URGP)
“Learning Racial Justice in the Environmental Movement”

Lea, Graham
University Research Grants Program (URGP)
“Theatricalizing Teacher Education”

Liu, Peng
University Research Grants Program (URGP)
“Mapping Out Literacy and Numeracy Coaches Research in Canada”

Events

See below for a poster from Clea Schmidt and Robert Mizzi regarding their SSHRC-funded event “From Mombasa to Myanmar: Photographs through the Eyes of International Queer Educators.”

From Mombasa to Myanmar: Photographs Through the Eyes of International Queer Educators



An Exhibition to be held at the [Blankstein Gallery](#), Millennium Library, 251 Donald Street, Winnipeg, May 2-30, 2019

Please join us in the Millennium Library's [Carol Shields Auditorium](#) for a [free public lecture and reception](#) on [Saturday May 11, 2019](#) at 3:00 p.m., featuring Dr. Robert Mizzi, Dr. Clea Schmidt, and Mr. Gustavo Moura of the University of Manitoba, as they share findings and insights from their research with lesbian, bisexual, gay, and queer educators teaching overseas.

This research was supported by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada.

SSHRC Funding Opportunities

SSHRC Partnership Engage Grants

Short-term and timely support for partnered research activities that will inform decision-making at a single partner organization from the public, private or not-for-profit sector.

ORS deadline: March 8th, 2019/June 10, 2019
SSHRC deadline: March 15th, 2019/June 17th, 2019

SSHRC Partnership Grants (Stage 1)

Support for new and existing formal partnerships over 4-7 years to advance research, research training and/or knowledge mobilization in the social sciences and humanities.

ORS deadline: February 1st, 2019
SSHRC deadline: February 25th, 2019

SSHRC Connection Grants

Support for events and outreach activities geared toward short-term knowledge mobilization.

ORS deadline: October, 25, 2018
SSHRC deadline: November 1, 2018

Note: all SSHRC grant applications must first be submitted to the Office of Research Services (ORS) with a [Funding Application Approval Form \(FAAF\)](#) signed by the Associate Dean of Research in the applicant's faculty. Applicants are encouraged to check with their faculty about internal deadlines for submission to obtain signatures.

University of Manitoba Funding Opportunities

University of Manitoba Research Grants Program

Up to \$7500 to support research at the University of Manitoba. Funds should be used to develop research to a point where Tri-Agency applications can be made.

Deadline:

April 1, 2019 (established faculty)

UM/SSHRC Explore Grant

Up to \$7000 for small-scale research projects in the social sciences and humanities. Open to researchers in all disciplines related to SSHRC.

Deadline:

April 1, 2019 (spring competition)

Conference Sponsorship Program

Support for conferences, with priority given to conferences hosted at the University of Manitoba.

Deadline:

February 15, 2019 (for conferences in May/June/Jul/Aug)

June 15, 2019 (for conferences in Sept/Oct/Nov/Dec)

University International Programs and Projects Seed Fund

Up to \$25,000 in the development of new international initiatives that contribute towards the University's International Strategy objectives

Deadline:

April 1, 2019 (spring competition)

UM/SSHRC Exchange Grant

Up to \$750 (Canada), \$1000 (USA), or \$15000 (International) for researchers to take part in conferences of major scholarly significance in disciplines related to SSHRC.

Deadline:

April 1, 2019 (spring competition)

University Creative Works Program

Up to \$2500 for high quality creative works. Open to faculty in artistic disciplines.

Deadline: May 1, 2019

Note: details of these and other opportunities, including guidelines and application forms, can be found on the Office of Research Services (ORS) [website](#).

Faculty of Education Funding Opportunities

Research Development Fund - up to \$4000 to support small research projects or research funding applications for Tri-Agency or other major external funders.

Deadline: rolling applications.

Conference Travel Fund - provides matching funds up to \$500 supporting successful applications to the UM/SSHRC Exchange Grants Program.

Deadline: rolling applications

Scholarly Works Fund - up to \$1000 to support the scholarship of teaching, learning, and research of the Faculty of Education faculty members.

Deadline: rolling applications

Event Sponsorship Fund - up to \$750 to support events hosted by Faculty of Education faculty members and/or the university community that are consistent with the Faculty's Mission and strategic plans.

Deadline: rolling applications

Teaching Release for Multi-Year SSHRC Grants Fund - \$6000 (one three-credit teaching release during the course of the grant) to support Faculty of Education faculty members who are awarded SSHRC multi-year funding.

Deadline: Researchers will be contacted by the Associate Dean of Research following SSHRC Notice of Award to confirm eligibility.

Note: details of these opportunities, including guidelines and application forms, can be found on the Faculty of Education [website](#) under Research Resources.

Events and Resources

SSHRC Workshops – over the coming months, the Office of Research Services (ORS) will host information sessions on SSHRC funding programs for prospective applicants. More information (including location) will be circulated closer to the date.

- *Connections Grant Workshop*: March 19th and 20th, 2019
- *Insight Grant Workshop*: August 28th, 2019
- *Partnership Development Grant Workshop*: September 11th, 2019
- *Partnership Engage Grant Workshop*: October 16th and 17th, 2019
- *Insight Development Grant Workshop*: November 19th and 20th, 2019

Statistical Consulting Service – Dr. Sandra Pereira and Dr. You Liang from the Department of Statistics offer a fee-for-service Statistical Consulting Service (SCS) for faculty members conducting quantitative research. For further details on their services and rates, see [here](#).

My Research Tools - a set of web applications designed for University of Manitoba researchers, including [SPIN](#), a comprehensive database of external funding opportunities. University of Manitoba researchers can sign up to SPIN for personalized funding notifications. See [here](#) and [here](#) for details.

Mitacs - a national not-for-profit organization that delivers research and training programs to faculty, students, and post-docs in all disciplines. In the four years since its creation, their partnership with SSHRC has supported over 200 social sciences and humanities collaborations with not-for-profit organizations. Visit their [website](#) or contact Mitacs Representative Wajihah Mughal @ wmughal@mitacs.ca

Grant Application Submission Process

Applications for Tri-Agency (SSHRC, NSERC, CIHR), University of Manitoba, and Faculty of Education funding opportunities must be approved by the applicant's Department Head and Dean/Associate Dean of Research before they can be submitted. Outlined below are the submission procedures for Tri-Agency, University of Manitoba, and Faculty of Education funding competitions.

Notes:

- [Funding Application Approval Forms \(FAAFs\)](#) are **only** required for Tri-Agency grants and applications to the Faculty of Education Research Development Fund
- For research involving human subjects, funds will only become available **after** Research Ethics Board (REB) approval has been granted, unless the applicant submits and is granted a [Request for Preliminary Access \(RPA\)](#)

1. Tri-Agency Procedure

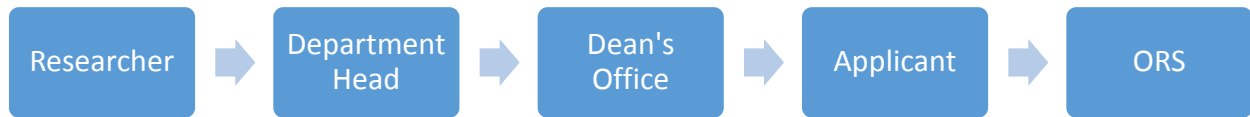
(for SSHRC, NSERC, and CIHR grants)



1. The applicant submits a **completed** Tri-Agency application package (including research proposal and budget) and Funding Application Approval Form (FAAF) to their Department Head for review/approval **no later than one week before the ORS deadline**
2. The Department Head reviews the application package and, if satisfied, signs the FAAF and forwards the application package to the Dean's Office for review/approval
3. The Dean reviews the application package and, if satisfied, signs the FAAF and emails the application package back to the applicant
4. The applicant sends the completed application and signed FAAF to ORS for a compliance review via email at researchgrants@umanitoba.ca prior to the ORS deadline
5. ORS contacts the researcher with advice for further revisions/permission to submit the application

2. University of Manitoba Procedure

(for Internal Funding Program grants)

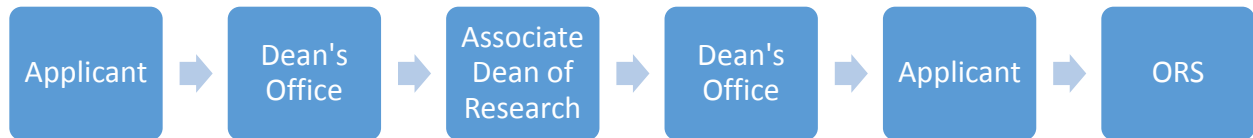


1. The applicant submits a **completed** application package (including application form and attachments) to their Department Head for review/approval **no later than one week before the competition deadline**
2. The Department Head reviews the application package and, if satisfied, signs the application form and forwards the application package to the Dean's office for review/approval
3. The Dean reviews the application package and, if satisfied, signs the application form and emails the application package back to the applicant
4. The applicant sends the completed application to ORS for review by the appropriate committee

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3. Faculty of Education Procedure

(for Strategic Research Fund grants)



1. The applicant submits a **completed** application package (including application form and attachments) to the Dean's Office for an initial eligibility screening. **If the application is for the Research Development Fund**, it must also include a completed FAAF
2. If the applicant is deemed eligible, the application package (and FAAF, if applicable) is forwarded to the Associate Dean of Research for review/approval
3. The Associate Dean of Research reviews the application package (and FAAF, if applicable) and, if satisfied, signs the relevant form and forwards the application package to the Dean's office for review/approval
4. The Dean reviews the application package (and FAAF, if applicable) and, if satisfied, signs the relevant form and emails the applicant with the results of the application
5. **If the application is for the Research Development Fund**, then in the event of a successful application, the applicant must also submit the completed application package (including application form and attachments), signed FAAF, and Award Letter from the Dean's office to ORS via email at researchgrants@umanitoba.ca to activate the funds