

## 2023- 2024 COHS Mid-Career Faculty Grant

The College of Human Sciences Dean's Office is pleased to announce the 2023 - 2024 Mid-Career Faculty Grant program. This funding opportunity is for faculty who are at the Associate Professor level. These grants are intended to provide professional development assistance in the form of course buyouts, summer pay, travel, and other research expenses. Faculty who previously received this award are not eligible to apply.

#### Award:

Up to 1 award of \$10,000 in each of the 7 units in the COHS will be made, depending on the quality and number of proposals. Funds are to be spent or encumbered by August 31, 2025. It is anticipated that work related to this award will occur between Summer 2024 and Summer 2025.

### **Application (3 page limit):**

Applications for this grant award will need to clearly outline how this award would positively impact and advance your research agenda, with a specific focus on career progression.

The application includes

- 1. Detailed description of proposed work/focus of your research
- 2. Explanation of how this work will assist in career progression
- 3. Detailed timeline for completion of proposed project(s)
- 4. Detailed budget and budget justification

Your Department Chair/School Director will also need to send an email to Malinda Colwell at <a href="mailto:malinda.colwell@ttu.edu">malinda.colwell@ttu.edu</a> with a brief statement of support of your application and explanation of any additional financial commitments the unit will make to support your work on the proposed project(s), if applicable.

#### **Review Criteria:**

Proposals will be evaluated based on

- 1. Submitting a complete application
- 2. Clarity of proposed work
- 3. Evidence of how proposed work will promote career progression
- 4. Feasibility/timeline of the project
- 5. Appropriate budget and budget justification

#### **Proposal Review:**

Proposals will be reviewed by the Associate Dean for Academics and Faculty and the Associate Dean for Research

# Application Due: March 8, 2024 by 5pm (CT)

All award funding must be encumbered or spent by August 31, 2025. Funding report form is due September 30, 2025.