

## **Schubert Center Seed Grant Competition**

The Schubert Center for Child Studies, in collaboration with the CWRU Vice President for Research and Technology Management, is pleased to announce a campus-wide internal grant competition to seed interdisciplinary research on children and adolescents. Research submissions should be consistent with the Schubert Center for Child Studies (SCCS) mission to bridge research, practice, policy and education for the improvement of child and adolescent well-being in Greater Cleveland and beyond.

Preference will be given to research that collaborates across two or more CWRU units and/or with community entities. Investigators are strongly encouraged to include potential policy and practice implications at local, state, or national levels.

Proposal teams may request up to **\$15,000 in funding** to conduct research projects of up to **12 months** in duration. A total of \$50,000 in funding will be made available.

The Schubert Center will hold an information session in February for faculty members interested in applying.

### **Eligibility:**

Full-time faculty are eligible to apply. Preference will be given to tenure-track or tenured Schubert Center Faculty Associates.

### **Areas of interest:**

Faculty are encouraged to consider the broad areas in child studies of 1) mental health and well-being, 2) education, and 3) values in children.

### **Critical Dates:**

January 3, 2019	RFP released
February 7, 2019	Information Session for interested faculty, 3:00 PM Crawford Hall A13
March 15, 2019	Proposals Submission Deadline, 5:00 PM
April 15, 2019	Review of proposals completed
May 15, 2019	Funding awarded/project start
May 15, 2020	Grant period ends. All use of funds must be completed.

### **Submission Guidelines:**

Proposals should be no more than three pages in length, consisting of a **two-page project description** and a **one-page budget narrative** (see budget guidelines below). The project description must include the following:

1. Title of project
2. Team member names, with a single point of contact (Principal Investigator) identified
3. List of other collaborators and their titles/affiliations
4. Description of proposed activities to be funded by the award including how project meets one or more of the areas of interest described above
5. Description of potential policy and practice implications for the project
6. A tentative plan for seeking external, follow-up funding to continue the research that includes preliminary data to be generated during the seed grant period. Names of funding program(s) and agency(ies) that will be targeted for follow-up funding is required.
7. Expected outcome of efforts, including deliverables

### **Budget Guidelines:**

As part of the proposal submission, provide a **one-page** justification of all direct costs. Faculty time (including course buyout or summer salary) is not an allowable cost. Examples of allowable expenses include:

- Hourly student support for data collection & reduction, web based/library research, etc.
- Project supplies
- Community Engagement project activity costs
- Domestic travel
- Data access fees
- Facility costs

### **Deliverables:**

At the end of the 12-month award period, all funded projects will be required to provide a 1-page written summary. Grantees will be required to deliver a talk summarizing project outcomes and next steps which will be convened by the Schubert Center.

### **Proposal Submission:**

Please submit proposals via email by 5:00 p.m. on March 15, 2019 to [schubertcenter@case.edu](mailto:schubertcenter@case.edu) with "Schubert Seed Grant Competition" in the subject line of your email.

Questions may be sent to [Schubertcenter@case.edu](mailto:Schubertcenter@case.edu) with "Seed Grant Questions" in the subject line of your email.