

Purpose of funds: These funds are to be used to support scholarly research projects that are primarily research or experimental in nature. Primary consideration will be given to those projects that directly promote student involvement and/or benefit student learning. Monies may not be used by faculty to fulfill the normal academic requirements for a course or a degree.

Project Title:
Requested By:
Amount Requested:

Research Grant Criteria:

The proposal should clearly describe how the funding will be used to meet the following goals (mark all that apply):

Score: _____ Criteria 1 – Student Involvement/Benefit to Student Learning

- _____ Promotes student involvement
- _____ Provides a direct benefit to student learning
- _____ Provides opportunities for presentation or publication of student work

Score: _____ Criteria 2 – Benefit to Faculty and the University

- _____ Provides opportunities to support junior faculty members
- _____ Provides a clear statement describing how the funds will be used as a basis for future external grant applications
- _____ Leads to publications or other scholarly products
- _____ Funds are not being used to fulfill the normal academic requirements for a course/degree
- _____ Project is of lasting and continuing benefit to CU and presents plans for enhancement and sustainability beyond grant period
- _____ Connection to the educational mission of Cameron University is clear

Score: _____ Criteria 3 – Clarity/Quality of proposal and project design

- _____ Clear definition or statement of the project and goals of the project is included
- _____ Proposal contains well-defined outcomes
- _____ Proposal contains itemized budget that demonstrates high cost-benefit ratio
- _____ Reasonable expectation that the project can be completed within one year and with the resources requested
- _____ Benefit beyond the individual is specified

Total Score: _____

Recommend for funding? (yes or no): _____ Amount Recommended: _____

Comments: