Academic Technology Summer Grant 2018 Application


This is an Academic Technology Summer Grant that will let you tinker, play, experiment and share potential uses of technology in your classroom. The Academic Technology Committee is sponsoring the initiative with LMU faculty beginning in May 2018. As a participant, faculty members will receive a $1,000 stipend to explore, and incorporate a change in at least one course through the use of technology. LMU full and part-time faculty are encouraged to apply by March 16, 2018.

Please review the project details below and indicate your agreement with the conditions. Full participation is required to be eligible for consideration. This application form will list a few simple questions that survey your goals and plans. Applications will be carefully reviewed by the Academic Technology Committee.

Timeline

- Application Deadline: March 16, 2018 at 5:00 PM PST - FINAL CALL
  - Applicants will be notified by April 20, 2018.
- The project begins during the last week of May with an all-day Training/Showcase of various technologies. Face-to-face individual meetings will occur throughout the summer of 2018 along with workshops offered.
- A final presentation of your grant activities will occur in Fall 2018.
• Stipend will be disbursed in 2 payments - at the beginning of the project and at the end.

Benefits - Why participate?

• Join other inquisitive faculty in exploring new technologies and teaching techniques
• Invigorate the way you teach your course
• Learn something new that impacts you and your students. Develop material for a paper or presentation

Selection Criteria

• The Academic Technology Committee will review applications based on the following criteria:
• Meaningful and innovative proposal that clearly demonstrates how this project would advance your teaching and impact the learning outcomes in your course.
• Equitable distribution among colleges.
• Your ability to participate in the entire project.

Project Commitments (from you!)

May TBA

• Attend mandatory 1-day Training/Showcase on a variety of technologies.
• Ongoing Summer meetings with your Instructional Technologist.
• Meet project milestone established between you and your Instructional Technologist.
• Consult with CTE about pedagogical aspects of the project.

Fall 2018 TBA

• Present the implementations in your course(s) and future plans.
• If your participation does not meet the expectations described above, you will not receive the stipend.
Eligibility

- All full-time faculty members who can meet all project commitments and meet the following criteria are eligible:
- You must be scheduled to teach during the 2018-19 Academic Year (contract and clinical faculty are eligible if you are contractually signed for next year).
- Part-time instructors are welcome to apply, but need to have Dean's approval and acknowledge that they will be teaching.

Support Commitments (from us)
You will receive support from the Academic Technology Team (Instructional Technology, Classroom and Creative Services, & Student Support), the Center for Teaching Excellence, and an Instructional Technologist will be assigned to work directly with you throughout the entire process.

Please follow the grant application procedures above, paying careful attention to key dates. Applications that are incomplete, late, or do not conform to the guidelines and instructions will not be accepted or considered by the committee. The Academic Technology Committee will review the applications and make the final award recommendations to the Provost.