

The CRC promotes research and creativity at FSU by sponsoring competitive internal grant programs and merit-based honorary awards, and by serving as an advisory body to the VP for Research.

Grant Programs:

First Year Assistant Professor (FYAP) Grant

- Provides Assistant Professors in their first year at FSU with summer research funding.
- Award: Up to \$20,000
- Deadline to Apply: 10/16/2025

Small Grants Program (SGP)

- Provides funding for the completion of a project.
- Award: Up to \$5,000
- Deadline to Apply: Ongoing monthly awards

Seed Grant

- Provides funding for a new direction or continuing early support of existing research or creative activity, with the expectation that this will lead to external funding.
- Award: Averages \$50,000 per award
- Deadline to Apply: Fall: 9/25/2025, Spring: 3/5/2026

Equipment + Infrastructure Enhancement Grant (EIEG)

- Provides funding for new interdisciplinary equipment or infrastructure enhancements.
- Award: Averages \$40,000 per award
- Deadline to Apply: Fall: 9/25/2025, Spring: 3/5/2026

Summer Research Support (SRS) Grant

- Provides faculty with summer salary for research.
- Award: Up to \$20,000
- Deadline to Apply: 11/20/2025

Arts + Humanities Program Enhancement Grant (AHPEG)

- Supports the creation, production, and dissemination of arts and humanities research.
- Award: Up to \$20,000
- Deadline to Apply: 12/19/2025

Honorary Awards:

Developing Scholar Award (DSA)

- Recognizes outstanding research and/or creative activity of eligible FSU Associate Professors.
- Award: One-time award of \$10,000
- Nomination Deadline: 1/9/2026

Distinguished Research Professor (DRP)

- Recognizes outstanding research and/or creative activity of eligible FSU Full Professors.
- Award: One-time award of \$10,000
- Nomination Deadline: 1/9/2026

Distinguished University Scholar (DUS)

- Recognizes outstanding research and/or creative activity of *eligible FSU faculty. (*see eligibility list on website)
- Award: One-time award of \$10,000
- Nomination Deadline: 1/9/2026

Developing Specialized Faculty (DSF)

- Recognizes outstanding research and/or creative activity of *eligible FSU faculty. (*see eligibility list on website)
- Award: One-time award of \$10,000
- Nomination Deadline: 1/9/2026



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