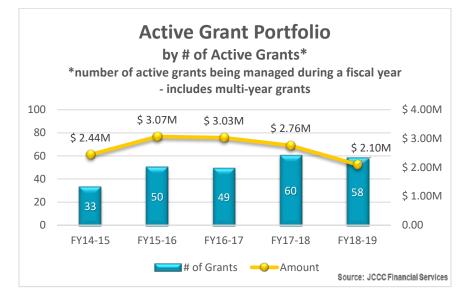
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Staff in the Office of Grants Leadership and Development provide an array of services to help faculty and staff plan for a grant submission, prepare grant proposals, and administer an approved grant.



JCCC STEM Faculty Retreat, August 8, 2018



The retreat gave faculty the opportunity to attend a presentation by Dr. Jenny McFarland, a nationally recognized presenter, on how STEM research can in STEM education at community colleges. In addition, faculty participated in breakout sessions, heard from Science/Math and Industrial Technology counselors on the new cluster model, and learned about STEM-focused grant projects happening at the college.

Breakout Sessions

- "Urban Legends, Fables and Myths – A Guide to Assessment" (Dr. Sheri Barrett & Darla Green)
- "Backwards Design, Core Concepts & Core Competencies & Aligning Assessments" (Dr. Jenny McFarland)
- "The JCCC Writing Center and Science/Math and Technical Education" (Dr. Kathryn Byrne)
- "Online Instructional Design Learner Engagement" (Paul McCourt)



Highlights of Active Grants

National Science Foundation \$295,951 (12/1/17 – 11/30/20)

Improving Undergraduate STEM Education (IUSE) Dr. Heather Seitz and Prof. Jean Ann Vickers oversee 18 STEM faculty from JCCC, KCKCC, MCC, and Butler Community College. The STEM faculty attend training on how to conduct educational research in their classrooms and publish the results. The faculty trained will then implement their own research projects in their class and collect data on how student learning improved.

National Endowment for the Humanities

\$5,905 (1/1/19 – 12/31/19) Preservation Assistance Grants for Smaller Institutions

Led by Prof. Britt Benjamin, professor in the Fashion Merchandising and Design program, this project brought Dr. Laurel Wilson, Professor Emeritus in Textile Preservation at the University of Missouri, to assess JCCC's fashion collection. Dr. Wilson then presented on the historical significance of the collection, as well as best practices for handling and storing of the garments.

National Science Foundation \$644,760 (7/15/16 – 6/30/21) Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (S-STEM)

Professors Beth Edmonds and Suneetha Menon lead this project to award scholarships to underrepresented JCCC students whose goal is to major in a STEM field and transfer on to a university.

Federal Funding Agencies



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Planning Services Assess Feasibility-Need, Scope, Capacity and Support

- Align Annual Agenda with College Strategic Priorities
- Research Funding Needs
- Interpret Agency Regulations
- Provide Grant Development Training
- Research/Contact Funders

Preparation Services

Initiate, Develop and Submit

- Facilitate Planning Sessions
- Facilitate/Write/Edit Grant Proposals
- Assist in Creating Project Budgets
- Manage Internal Sign-off Process
- Submit Proposals
- Maintain InfoShare Site

Post-Award Services

Launch, Execute, Monitor, Close-out

- Review Award Notice
- Manage Approval of Contracts
- Liaise with Program Officers
- Coordinate External Partners / Sub-recipients
- Monitor and Troubleshoot Projects
- Process Budget and Programmatic Revisions
- Liaise with Business Office, Human Resources, Institutional Research, Internal Audit and Legal
- Coordinate Funder Site Visits
- Establish and Maintain Post-Award Record Keeping Database

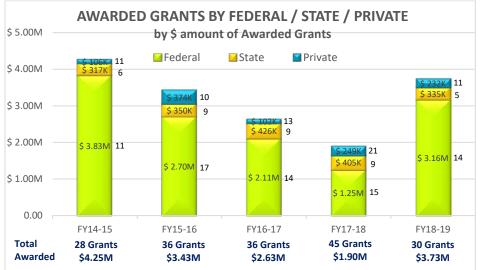
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Grant Award Statistics



Highlights of New Grants Awarded

U.S. Department of State / World Learning, Inc. \$28,898 (7/1/19 – 6/30/20)

USA Study Abroad Overseas Capacity Building Initiatives

In collaboration with the Center for Sustainability, International Education received a grant to support four exploratory trips for future faculty-led trips targeting STEM students and focusing on sustainability efforts across the global. The faculty participating include Doug Harvey and Stu Shafer (Canada), Dan Eberle (Morocco), Eric Elisabeth and John Patrick Harty (Martinique), and Steve Giambrone and Michelle Riley (Costa Rica).

U.S. Department of Education \$462,612 (10/1/18 - 9/30/22)

Child Care Access Means Parents in School Program (CCAMPIS)

Claire Ehney, Director of the Hiersteiner Child Development Center (HCDC), oversees this 4year grant that subsidizes up to 95% of child care costs for Pell-eligible student-parents.

National Endowment for the Humanities \$98,162 (1/1/19 - 12/31/20)

Humanities Initiatives at Community Colleges

Led by Dr. Allison Smith, Chair of Art History, and Dr. Sean Daley, Director of the Center for American Indian Studies, 10 faculty and staff are engaging in a series of seminars on the contemporary American Indian led by American Indian scholars, activists, artists, healthcare advocates and politicians. Participants will then develop modules to integrate contemporary American Indian content across the curriculum.

American Welding Society Foundation \$25,000 (1/1/2019-12/31/2019)

Welder Workforce Grant

The Welding/ Metal Fabrication program, chaired by Prof. Scott Crompton, received this award to purchase a virtual reality welding simulation trainer. Utilizing this trainer, students receive real-time feedback on critical welding skills. Additionally, the trainer will reduce the material waste produced by more traditional welding classes.