CAPPA Interdisciplinary Research Grant

Award Amount: $20,000
Academic Year: 2020-2021
Number of Grants: One

The CAPPA Interdisciplinary Research Grant provides support to an interdisciplinary faculty team that spans disciplines within CAPPA and/or across the university. The PI must be a CAPPA faculty member; co-PIs can be faculty members from other units.

Application
Applications must include the following:

- A description of the proposed project that includes research focus, methods, sources and contributions to scholarship and/or creative practice (700-800 words).
- An itemized budget, including explanation of costs.
- Documentation of application(s) for external funding for the same project.
- A list of expected outcomes (500-600 words), including publication, exhibition, external grant and/or fellowship applications.
- Schedule of research activities specifying the roles, responsibilities, and deliverables of each team member.
- Abbreviated (two-page) curriculum vitae for each team member.
- All application materials should be sent to Douglas Klahr klahr@uta.edu by 5 pm, April 13, 2020.

Selection Criteria:

- Conceptualization of the proposed project to contribute to the advancement of new knowledge and/or practices in the research field of the project.
- Current state of the research.
- Realistic timeline to achieve stated outcomes and external funding.
- Evidence of past research productivity, with prior team research productivity preferred.
- The significance of the contribution that the proposed project will make to advancing knowledge and/or practices in the field of the project.

Terms of the Grant:

- Research is to be undertaken during the 2020-2021 academic year.
- All funds are to be spent by August 31, 2021.
- Full disclosure of non-CAPPA funds received for the proposed project, including those from within the university. Only when the research costs for the proposed project exceed outside awards may a CAPPA grant supplement other funds granted for the same project.
- Where deviations from the approved application occur, the grantee must within 72 hours of the change request in writing to the Dean of the College of Architecture, Planning and Public Affairs approval for all changes. Failure to comply with this rule will nullify the grant and require return of the full award.
- All work generated with the help of CAPPA grants must acknowledge the funding source.
- A travel authorization request must be submitted and approved prior to travel for research.
- A public presentation at CAPPA of the research team’s achievements is required by the end of the Fall 2021 semester.

Note: All grant money must be expended exclusively in furtherance of the grant. All expenditures of grant funds must comply with university policies relating to financial transactions, including the ethics laws of the State of Texas which prohibit certain private financial interests in university matters.