

# Kingfisher Institute Summer 2023 CURA Grants

## Call for Proposals

Proposal deadline: April 1, 2023



**KINGFISHER INSTITUTE**  
for the Liberal Arts and Professions

## Overview

As we continue to navigate an academy and society disrupted by a global pandemic, many of us are in various states of transition. Boundaries have collapsed, opening up some opportunities while closing others, especially for caregivers and members of marginalized groups. The Kingfisher Institute's vision of "humanities for the 21<sup>st</sup> century" includes (re)imagining a more humane world. In recognition of this, the Kingfisher Institute will offer grants only for the summer of 2023.

Such grants will be awarded primarily as summer stipends of \$1000 each. Grants may be used, for example, to finish a project that went on hold, travel to a conference, write a grant proposal, or work on a publication. This list is not exhaustive. Up to five grants are available. Proposals may also request a budget for additional expenses up to \$2500 if they are essential to the successful completion of the project.

## Eligibility

Priority will be given to tenure-track – especially pre-tenure – faculty members, though any full-time Creighton University faculty or staff member may apply. A team of collaborators may apply, though this may reduce the stipend amount available. Staff on 12-month contracts are not eligible for a stipend; however, they may still apply for the \$2500 toward expenses for a special project.

## Application

To apply, [complete this form](#) with the following information:

- A summary (200-250 words) of your project: Why is it important at this moment? What outcomes do you hope it will achieve? How does it support your – and students' – professional and personal development?
- A brief budget justification for any expenses other than a stipend. The stipend is paid directly to the faculty member in May or June 2023. Any non-stipend expenses must be able to be purchased or reimbursed by June 20, 2023 except with written approval.

Successful applicants will be required to submit a final report in fall 2024. Please acknowledge the support of the Kingfisher Institute and notify us of any products or notable outcomes.

For questions, email [kingfisher@creighton.edu](mailto:kingfisher@creighton.edu) or call us at 402-280-5169.