

This message is sent on behalf of Jeremy Haefner, Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs

Subject: 2016-2017 TWC/Faculty Career Development-sponsored Grants

Colleagues,

Please join me in congratulating the following recipients of four individual grant programs featured by The Wallace Center's Faculty Career Development (FCD) department. I am pleased to partner with FCD to provide additional funding of these worthy groups and individuals. FCD's College Collaboration Matching Fund program completed its second year, and this year's recipients are shown below. I encourage you to read more about these annual grant opportunities as well as take advantage of other valuable resources available on the [FCD website](#).

[Provost's Faculty Mentoring Grants](#) The Provost and FCD offer grants to peer-mentoring or other faculty mentoring groups at RIT. The mentoring projects must be related to teaching excellence, dissemination of scholarly works, or grant proposal development. The goal is for faculty to participate in activities or projects that will help their mentoring groups be successful.

Elizabeth Cherry (COS faculty: Cherry (lead), Kara Maki, David Ross), *Effective Strategies for Teaching Graduate-level Mathematical Modeling*

Christopher Collison (COS faculty: Collison (lead), Jeremy Cody, Michael Coleman, Nathan Eddingsaas, Michael Gleghorn, John-David Rocha, Lea Vacca Michel), *Junior Faculty Success Club: Realizing Our Full Potential*

Sandra Connelly (Connelly (COS, lead), Sarah Brownell (KGCOE), Dawn Carter (COS) Joe Lanzafame (COS), Jeff Mills (COS), James Murphy and Suzanne Long, Monroe Community College), *STEM Research as a Tool to Enhance 2+2 Curricula*

Caroline DeLong (CLA faculty: DeLong (lead), Suzanne Bamonto, A. Eleanor Chand-Matzke, Paula Chase, Jessamy Comer, Kirsten Condry, Stephanie Godleski, Rebecca Houston, Jennifer Lukomski, Lindsay Schenkel, Alan Smerbeck, Tina Sutton), *Psychology Women and Gender Minority Mentoring Group: Building a Network of Mentors Inside and Outside RIT*

Parsian Katal Mohseni (KGCOE Faculty: Mohseni (lead), Panos Markopoulos, Luis Herrera, Ivan Puchades, Jing Zhang, Edward Hensel, Brian Landi; and Seth Hubbard (COS), *Electrical, Microelectronic and Microsystems Engineering Seminar Series*

Paul Wenger (COS Faculty: Wenger (lead), Nathaniel Barlow, Bernard Brooks, Michael Cromer, Matthew Hoffman, Sogol Jahanbekam, Carl Lutzer, Kara Maki, Laura Munoz, Niels Otani, Wei Qian), *Doceamus: The Pedagogical Mentorship Group in Mathematics*

[Lecturers' Professional Development Grants](#) This grant program acknowledges the many contributions of RIT's lecturers, providing funds for professional development activities that involve teaching, development, and/or creative endeavors.

Yasmine El-Glaly, GCCIS, Software Engineering

Daniel Krutz, GCCIS, Software Engineering

Angelina Maia, CHST, Nutrition Management

Jeffrey Mills, COS, School of Chemistry & Materials Science

Heidi Nickisher, CIAS, School of Art

Ahndraya Parlato, CIAS, SPAS

Maja Vidovic, SCB, RIT Croatia

Gretchen Wainwright, CAST, CETEMS

Adjunct Faculty Professional Development Grants The Adjunct grant is to provide support for adjunct faculty with funds to be used toward attending conferences, workshops, meetings or delivering presentations, as a means to further their expertise in teaching.

Dean Ganskop, GCCIS, Information Sciences & Technology

Kristen Kant-Byers, CLA, Sociology/Anthropology

Laura Lentz, CLA, Fine Arts-Music

Peter Spacher, SOIS, SOIS & STS Departments

Ruon Priscilla Yuen, CLA, Fine Arts-Music

College Collaboration Matching Grants (in its second year – funded by TWC/FCD) This grant is designed to support activities that are closely aligned with the goals and objectives of FCD and the RIT community with regard to faculty success, leadership development, mentoring, and promotion and tenure by providing matching funds to RIT's Colleges for related projects.

Callie Babbitt, GIS, *Enhancing "Use-Inspired" Teaching Impact by Research-Focused Faculty*

Shal Khazanchi, SCB, *Distinguished Researcher Speaker Series*

Sandra Rothenberg CLA, *Interdisciplinary Policy Seminar*

Congratulations to all the recipients, and I look forward to seeing the results of your work.

Jeremy Haefner

Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs

For more information on this and other topics, please visit <http://www.rit.edu/provost/>

