



**Social Justice and Equity Project Request for Proposals
CSUSM Staff Grants 2017-18
Deadline for filing proposals: Thursday November 20, 2017 at 5:00 pm.**

The Office of Inclusive Excellence (OIE) joins with The Faculty Center to announce grant opportunities of up to \$500 for the 2017-18 academic year. The grants will support staff initiatives that advance the university-wide strategic priorities of social justice, educational equity, inclusiveness, and diversity.

Priority will be given to proposals that focus on staff; however, proposals that advance social justice and inclusiveness for all members of the community may be considered. All full-time staff are eligible to apply.

Examples of fundable activities include:

- Staff development activities (e.g., conference/workshop support/trainings)
- New Program Development
- Community collaborations
- Research Projects

Note: these funds are intended for faculty professional development activities or materials and cannot be used to pay for student assistants or other student expenses

Grantees agree to provide OIE and the Faculty Center a brief written description of activities and assessment of the outcomes for the funded initiative.

Guidelines for Applications

Proposals should be no more than two double-spaced pages with a title page and include:

- a. Project narrative describing objectives and activities
- b. Clear statement of expected outcome(s)
- c. Activities timeline and budget
- d. Evaluation component

Please send proposals to: Ariel Stevenson astevens@csusm.edu

Awardees will be notified by December 8, 2017