

JCGS Faculty International Travel Grants: 2015-16

Applications Deadline: First Grants: October 15, 2015; Additional Grants w/o Deadline as Funds Permit

UCO Faculty International Research Travel Grants		Number Available: 4 Grants
Travel Period	9/1/2015 – 6/30/16	Any length of stay up to 1 year.
Application Format	Email to JCGS Dean with an explanation of the project, a travel budget, and an endorsement from your department chair or dean.	
UCO faculty research at international site		\$ 2,500
UCO faculty research at international site with UCO grad student(s)		3,000
UCO faculty research at international site linked to OKC metro development		3,000

UCO Faculty International Teaching Travel Grants		Number Available: 2 Grants
Travel Period	1/1/2016 – 6/30/16	Length of stay: 1 week to 1 semester.
Application Format	Email to JCGS Dean with an explanation of the project, a travel budget, and an endorsement from your department chair or dean.	
UCO faculty teaching at an international site		\$ 2,500
UCO faculty teaching at international site with UCO grad student(s)		3,000
UCO faculty teaching at international site linked to OKC metro development		3,000

International Guest Faculty Travel Grants to UCO		Number Available: 2 Grants
(These awards go to the sponsoring UCO department. Departments file applications with JCGS Dean.)		
Travel Period (Research)	1/1/2016 – 6/30/16	Length of stay: 1 week to 1 semester.
Application Format	Email to JCGS Dean with an explanation of the project, a travel budget, and an endorsement from your department chair or dean.	
Research with UCO faculty member		\$ 2,500
Research with UCO faculty member & UCO graduate student(s)		3,000
Guest Lectures: Public and UCO Graduate Program Presentations		2,500
Guest Lectures: Public/UCO Presentations Tied to OKC metro development		3,000

Guests from any international institution, but based on our agreements, UCO payment of the housing and meals for guests from the institutions below should create housing and meals-paid opportunities for UCO faculty at their institutions. This could happen elsewhere but only by special agreements in advance negotiations.

Carinthia UAS	Villach, Austria	CMS, other fields
University of Ostrava	Ostrava, Czech Republic	CLA, CFAD
Acarda UAS	Helsinki, Finland	Communication, other fields
University of Konstanz	Konstanz, Germany	CLA
University of Latvia	Riga, Latvia	CLA
Vytautas Magnus University	Kaunas, Lithuania	All Fields
Vestfold University College	Tonsberg, Norway	CMS
University of Lodz	Lodz, Poland	CLA
University of Ljubljana	Ljubljana, Slovenia	CEPS and CLA
Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University	Canakkale, Turkey	CLA and CMS
Swansea University	Swansea, Wales, UK	CLA, other fields

JCGS Student International Travel Grants: 2015-16

UCO Graduate Student Grants International Travel Grants	Number Available: 3 Grants
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Applications Deadline:	First Grants: October 1, 2015 (Notification by October 15) Additional Grants w/o Deadline as Funds Permit
Travel Period	Sept. 1, 2015 – Je. 30, 2016. (Spring 2016 only, if taking classes abroad.)
Length of stay:	2 weeks to 1 semester.
Travel Purposes and Amounts:	Research and/or Study at an international Site \$ 2,000

Requirements: Students submit a resume, a one-page explanation of reasons for studying and/or research abroad, and a signature page with permissions from their graduate advisor and department chair or college dean to Dean Richard Bernard at the JCGS Office, NUC 404.

Terms: Trips for study and/or research may range from two weeks to one-semester in length. Before applying, students should consult their UCO advisers and Mr. Marco Rodriguez Linares in the Global Affairs Office to ensure that the international credits will transfer to their programs and/or their research support their degrees. JCGS will select the students, but all academic decisions remain with the graduate programs.

Mr. Rodriguez-Linares will arrange the students' trips. JCGS will transfer grant funds to the Office of Global Affairs which will handle enrollment and financial affairs for the student travelers. Students must spend the grant funds and complete their trip before earning their masters degrees. The travel grant will pay for students' airfares if these must be booked through Global Affairs and an certified UCO travel agent. Upon presentation of receipts, Global Affairs will also reimburse students for living expenses up to a combined spending limit of \$2,000.00.

Students may use grants at any international university, but UCO recommends studying at one of its partner institutions. Mr. Rodriguez-Linares has a list of our partners.

Marketing Grants to Graduate Programs

JCGS is pleased to be able once again to offer support to graduate programs wishing to advertise in discipline-specific ways. Because we have limited funds, I must ask that you to apply for support for specific projects: Brochures, e-contacts, signs, in short whatever you need. To fund as many awards as we can, we are capping awards at \$1,000, but for one or two programs with very good marketing concepts, I will try to have a few hundred dollars more available. So think, \$1,000 but dream as you will.

To receive funds, please must send to JCGS a one-page (paper or email) proposal, showing what you want to do, what it cost, and what impact you think it will have. The deadline for these proposals is November 1. Depending on available funds, some late requests may be considered. Awards will be granted by Thanksgiving. You must spend the money by May 31, 2015, or you will lose it. We cannot carry these funds over to a new budget year. Please work with Ms. Lana Canale, JCGS, as to the details of the funds transfer.