RESEARCH OUTCOMES GRANT
Guidelines

The Research Outcomes Grant (ROG) is intended to facilitate the production, not the dissemination, of research results and contributions. The ROG provides a one-time research support to faculty who do not currently hold research funding. The ROG enables extra funding for research undertakings that do not require significant or lasting support. The ROG is not a substitute for external funding resources and faculty members are expected to make every effort support from external granting agencies for their research projects and programs. The ROG award (up to $1,000) is administered through the Office of Research Services. All funds must be used within six months.

Eligibility Criteria:

1. The applicant must hold a full-time faculty position with Nipissing University
2. Faculty members that currently hold external or internal funding are not eligible
3. Projects that have previously received internal funding are not eligible if the requirement to apply for external funding has not been met

Selection Criteria:

1. Relevance and quality of the on-going research project/program
2. State of progress of the research project/program
3. Clear statement of the intended use of the grant, stressing the need for the grant and how the grant will help the finalization of the research under way.
4. Research record of the applicant
5. Soundness of the budget and precise, detailed budget justifications
6. Specific research results expected to be achieved with this grant

Eligible Costs:

1. Research Assistants *(Students/Priority should be given to Nipissing students; only exceptionally and following written well founded justification could students from other universities be hired.)*
2. Software that is not duplicating Nipissing site licenses
3. Research tools and supplies not provided for in departmental budgets
4. Photocopying
5. Library Fees (e.g. access to archives)
6. Travel for data collection *(Travel for attendance at conferences, symposia, etc., is not eligible, being covered by another internal grant)*

7. Costs related to the completion of a thesis or any higher degree at this or any other university are not eligible

**Application Package:**

Application is available for completion in Romeo  

Attach a PDF of your Common CV or CV format of SSHRC / NSERC / CIHR

**Deadline for Application:**

For faculty with a term contract: to apply at least 7 months before the end of the contract  
For Tenured/Tenure-track faculty, anytime

**Selection Process:**

1. All applications will be reviewed by your applicable Dean and the Provost and Vice-President, Academic & Research.

2. The review standards to be applied will be at the general level of those used by the national granting agencies (Tri-Council).

**Availability of Grant:**

1. *If a review by the REB and/or ACC is required, funds will be held until Research Services receives approval notification for the project*  
2. *Grants will be made available in the form of a restricted research account administered by Research Services.*

3. *Funds must be used within six months following the announcement of the award. Any unused funding will be recalled at the end of the six-month period.*

4. *If an applicant’s pending external grant submission is successful, unused ROG funds must be returned to the University.*

5. *Each grantee must submit a brief Report (maximum 1 page) to Research Services at the end of the award concerning the use of the funds.*

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