## Grants Update Q3, FY 2020-21

Several new grant applications were submitted in the third quarter of FY 2020-21:

- 1. Arthur N. Rupe Foundation Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) Program Grant
  - This project application was submitted and funded during the third quarter.
  - The project lead is Dr. Tami Pearson, Dean of Continuing Education & Workforce Development.
  - The grant award is \$15,000 over a one-year project period.
  - This project will increase the college's capacity to meet the workforce and student demand for the CNA program. In addition to providing tutoring, counseling, expanded lab hours, and certification exam preparation, the project also will provide scholarships to low-income students to cover the cost of participation in the program as well as CNA certification exam fees.
- 2. The Japan Foundation, Los Angeles Special COVID-19 Relief Grant for Japanese Teaching Materials
  - This project application was submitted and funded during the third quarter.
  - The project lead was Keiko Tsurumi, Professor of Foreign Languages.
  - The grant award was \$1,000 over a one-month project period.
  - This project allowed for the purchase of teaching materials in support of Japanese-language education, specifically an eBook collection accessed digitally through the library for students enrolled in Japanese 3 and Japanese 4.
- 3. California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office Mathematics, Engineering, Science Achievement (MESA)
  - The proposed project lead is Matt Judd, Dean of Natural Sciences.
  - The request is \$100,000 over a one-year project period, with annual extensions if project objectives are met.
  - The proposed project would establish a MESA Center, a dedicated program director, outreach and recruitment of underrepresented students, student orientation, student clustering in classes, labs, workshops, and discussion groups, academic excellence workshops, academic counseling, personal development, career exploration, tutorial services, personal advising, scholarship and transfer assistance, professional development for faculty and staff, and business/industry involvement.
- 4. Wikimedia Foundation Rapid Grants for Art+Feminism Events
  - The project application was submitted and funded during the third quarter.
  - The project leads are Ellen Caldwell, Professor of Art History, and Eva Rios-Alvarado, Student Equity & Outreach Librarian.
  - The grant award is \$1,996 over a three-month project period.

- The proposed project will raise awareness about the Art+Feminism campaign through a Wikipedia spring event series, engage college students in lessons and assignments within the disciplines of Art History and Library and Information Science, and support a growing community of Wikipedia editors at the College. This initiative will include virtual speaker panels, learning activities, and two Wikipedia edit-a-thons.
- 5. California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office Direct Assessment Competency-based Education Collaborative
  - The proposed project lead is Dr. Madelyn Arballo, Associate Vice President of the School of Continuing Education.
  - The request is \$515,000 over a four-year project period.
  - The proposed project would create a comprehensive direct assessment CBE program focused on Kinesiology & Wellness and/or Sign Language/Interpreting. This collaborative would provide networking opportunities for participating colleges. The ultimate goal is to offer a flexible and adaptive modality for students to earn a degree at their own pace based solely on the demonstration of competencies
- 6. National Science Foundation Improving Undergraduate STEM Education, Hispanic-Serving Institutions Program: Bridges Institutions to Determine Gaps in Engineering Education
  - Cal Poly Pomona is the lead applicant for the proposed project. Mt. SAC is a partnering institution.
  - The proposed project leads at Mt. SAC are Eugene Mahmoud and Carolyn Robinson, Professors of Engineering.
  - The request for Mt. SAC is \$147,500 over a five-year project period.
  - The proposed project would finalize a pathway program and admission process that incentivizes the completion of major engineering preparation coursework at Mt. SAC prior to matriculation to Cal Poly Pomona. This will include co-curricular activities for prospective Cal Poly Pomona Civil Engineering transfer students, including an admission workshop, and also will engage Mt. SAC faculty in Physics and Engineering in learning communities with Cal Poly Pomona Civil Engineering faculty.
- 7. National Science Foundation Research on Emerging Technologies for Teaching and Learning: Scalable, Adaptive Learning Platform for Introductory Geoscience Classes
  - North Carolina State University is the lead applicant for the proposed project. Mt. SAC is a partnering institution, along with California State University, Chico.
  - The proposed project leads at Mt. SAC are Dr. David Mrofka and Rebecca Walker, Professors of Earth Sciences.
  - The request for Mt. SAC is \$67,559 over a three-year project period.
  - The proposed project would incorporate a digital tool in specific geology and oceanography courses that utilizes dashboard data analytics, provides adaptive feedback and assessments, introduces a mobile app for in-class quizzing and for push notifications, and fosters motivation through a gamification component.

- 8. National Aeronautics and Space Administration Solar System Workings
  - Planetary Science Institute is the lead applicant for the proposed project. Mt. SAC is a partnering institution.
  - The proposed project lead at Mt. SAC is Dr. Mark Boryta, Professor of Earth Sciences & Astronomy.
  - The request for Mt. SAC is \$117,833 over a three-year project period.
  - The proposed project would engage students in undergraduate research experiences. Dr. Boryta would mentor students, train them on general laboratory procedures, proper handling of and changing samples, data collection, analysis, and distribution, and report writing. At conclusion of their research experiences, students would create posters and/or other materials for reporting on their work.

Currently, Mt. SAC is working on or exploring the following grant applications:

- Academic Senate for California Community Colleges, Open Educational Resources (OER)
   Initiative This one-year project would be led by Imperial Valley College. This project would build upon OER developed by a professor at Imperial Valley College for use in 100-level survey courses in art history. Professors involved this collaborative project would provide editorial content, copy-editing and citations check, overviews/summaries and review questions for each chapter, and additional material as needed. The deadline is 4/19/2021.
- 2. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Minority Serving Institutions-Led Coalitions in Support of Broadening Participation in Engineering This three-year project would be led by Cal Poly Pomona. The project lead at Mt. SAC would be Eugene Mahmoud, Professor of Engineering. This project would include the creation, development, and sharing of curriculum related to robotics, controls, design for additive manufacturing, CubeSat development and flying CubeSats, mechatronics, and artificial intelligence/machine learning. Faculty would participate in curriculum development institutes where they will develop learning modules with Jet Propulsion Laboratory and industry partners, as well as lead joint research projects among students. The deadline is 4/23/2021.
- 3. U.S. Department of Education, Rethink Adult Education Challenge This project would develop a health careers pre-apprenticeship program that would include: providing one-on-one counseling; tutoring; a Learning Center to improve students' reading, writing, and math skills; contextualized support classes; computer literacy classes; Adult High School Diploma and High School Equivalency preparation; HESI and healthcare exam preparation; ESL coursework; foundational skills; basic skills remediation; test-taking skills; and a variety of work readiness programs. The deadline is 6/14/2021.

ACTIVE PRO	JECTS - FISCAL YE	AR 2020-21				
Project Title and Funding Agency	Project Director	Start Date	End Date			Total
	and Department			1	unding	unding
Nursing Pomona Valley Hospital Medical Center	B. Lynes	7/1/2007	Ongoing	\$	30,400	\$ 136,000
	Nursing					
Nursing Citrus Valley Health Partners	B. Lynes	11/1/2007	Ongoing	\$	37,960	\$ 85,000
	Nursing					
Improving Undergraduate STEM Education: Field-based	R. Walker	9/15/2015	8/31/2020	\$	2,110	\$ 143,986
Professional Development for Environmental-STEM	Earth Sciences					
Undergraduates National Science Foundation						
Asian American and Native American Pacific Islander	A. Cuenza	10/1/2016	9/30/2021	\$	540,012	\$ 1,725,620
Serving Institutions: Arise U.S. Department of Education	Student Services					
Hispanic-Serving Institutions STEM and Articulation Programs:	J. Vitullo	10/1/2016	9/30/2021	\$	27,363	\$ 100,000
Project RAISE (Regional Alliance in STEM Education) U.S.	Natural Sciences					
Department of Education through California State University,						
Fullerton						
Improving Undergraduate STEM Education: Implementing 21st	R. Walker	8/1/2017	7/31/2021	\$	26,385	\$ 53,178
Century Geodesy Learning through Faculty Development and	Earth Sciences					
Expanded Applications of Data to Societal Issues National						
Science Foundation through Indiana University						
Upward Bound with La Puente and Ganesha High Schools	V. Rojas	9/1/2017	8/31/2022	\$	337,478	\$ 1,612,352
U.S. Department of Education	Student Services					
Guided Pathways California Community Colleges	J. McGowan	4/1/2018	12/31/2022	\$	1,865,582	\$ 3,136,515
Chancellor's Office	Instruction					
California Community Colleges Mental Health Services	M. Whitford	5/1/2018	12/31/2020	\$	21,627	\$ 250,000
Grant Program California Community Colleges	Health Services					
Chancellor's Office						
CalFresh Outreach Services California Department of Social	K. Uesugi	10/1/2018	9/30/2021	\$	81,982	\$ 194,320
Services through California State University, Chico	Student Services					
Child Care Access Means Parents in School U.S.	T. Addison	10/1/2018	9/30/2022	\$	357,686	\$ 1,430,744
Department of Education	Child Dev Center					
Certified Nurse Assistant Training Programs California	T. Pearson	1/1/2019	6/30/2021	\$	35,701	\$ 37,500
Community Colleges Chancellor's Office	Continuing Ed					
Improving Online CTE Pathways, Track 1: Expanding Online	M. Chen	7/1/2019	12/31/2020	\$	84,977	\$ 250,000
Pathways and Increasing CTE Completion California	Lib & Learn Res				•	•
Community Colleges Chancellor's Office						

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Improving Online CTE Pathways, Track 3: Promoting Success	M. Chen	7/1/2019	12/31/2020	\$	71,912	\$	250,000
for Online Students and Faculty California Community	Lib & Learn Res						
Colleges Chancellor's Office							
Certified Nursing Assistant Program Grant Arthur N. Rupe	T. Pearson	7/1/2019	9/30/2020	\$	8,252	\$	30,000
Foundation	Continuing Ed						
Deputy Sector Navigator, Los Angeles and Orange County:	O. Lopez	7/1/2019	9/30/2020	\$	69,278	\$	200,000
Health California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office	Tech & Health						
Song-Brown Health Care Workforce Training Act RN	B. Lynes	7/1/2019	6/30/2021	\$	19,459	\$	200,000
Education Program, Capitation California Office of Statewide	Nursing						
Health Planning and Development							
Title V, Developing Hispanic-Serving Institutions: Creating an	L. Rodriguez	10/1/2019	9/30/2024	\$	1,049,529	\$	2,999,125
Equity-minded Campus Culture to Improve Student Outcomes -	POD						
- U.S. Department of Education							
College and Career Bridge Program: Rising Scholars Los	V. Rojas	1/1/2020	6/30/2021	\$	300,000	\$	300,000
Angeles County Department of Health Services	Student Services						
Career Pathways Specialists Project, Health Sector	O. Lopez	1/16/2020	12/31/2020	\$	71,739	\$	75,000
California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office through Rio	Tech & Health						
Hondo Community College District							
Learning and Leadership: Process Oriented Guided Inquiry	L. Nguyen	5/11/2020	4/21/2022	\$	2,500	\$	5,000
Learning at Mt. SAC The NEA (National Education	Biology						
Association) Foundation							
Using Research and Technology to Transform Undergraduate	E. Mahmoud	6/30/2020	7/31/2023	\$	36,902	\$	119,719
STEM Education: Innovation Grants in Engineering	Chemistry						
Governor's Office of Planning and Research through University							
of California, Riverside							
Nursing Education Program Support California Community	B. Lynes	7/1/2020	6/30/2021	\$	262,448	\$	262,448
Colleges Chancellor's Office	Nursing						
Certified Nursing Assistant Program Grant Arthur N. Rupe	T. Pearson	7/1/2020	6/30/2021	\$	25,000	\$	25,000
Foundation	Continuing Ed						
Deputy Sector Navigator, Los Angeles and Orange County:	O. Lopez	7/1/2020	12/31/2021	\$	250,000	\$	250,000
Health California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office	Tech & Health						

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	and Department				unding		Funding	
Song-Brown Health Care Workforce Training Act RN	B. Lynes	7/1/2020	6/30/2022	\$	80,000	\$	160,000	
Education Program, Capitation California Office of Statewide	Nursing							
Health Planning and Development								
] 3	D. Doshi	7/1/2020	7/31/2023	\$	328,702	\$	1,000,000	
STEM Education: Innovation Grants in Chemistry Governor's	Chemistry							
Office of Planning and Research								
11 3	E. Mahmoud	8/1/2020	7/31/2023	\$	1,997,781	\$	594,293	
Engineering Programs from Underserved Populations	Chemistry							
National Science Foundation								
Child Development Training Consortium California	L. Melendez	9/1/2020	6/20/2021	\$	13,800	\$	13,800	
Department of Education through Yosemite Community	Child Development							
College District								
Advanced Technological Education: Preparing a Skilled	I. Nejad	9/1/2020	8/31/2025	\$	231,364	\$	953,432	
Technical Workforce through Utilization and Assessment of	Chemistry							
Undergraduate Research National Science Foundation								
Student Support Services: Achieving in College, Ensuring	V. Rojas	9/1/2020	8/31/2025	\$	261,888	\$	1,309,440	
Success U.S. Department of Education	Student Services							
LA84 Foundation/Mt. SAC Relays Youth Track & Field and	D. Todd	12/1/2020	11/30/2021	\$	300,000	\$	300,000	
Cross Country Program LA84 Foundation	Kinesiology							
Community College Basic Needs Centers John Burton	K. Uesugi	2/1/2021	6/30/2022	\$	20,000	\$	20,000	
Advocates for Youth	Student Services							
Special COVID-19 Relief Grant for Japanese Teaching	K. Tsurumi	2/24/2021	3/31/2021	\$	1,000	\$	1,000	
Materials The Japan Foundation, Los Angeles	Japanese							
Rapid Grants for Art+Feminism Events Wikimedia	E. Caldwell	3/15/2021	6/11/2021	\$	1,996	\$	1,996	
Foundation	Art History							
Benefits for Success Career and Technical Education	D. Swingle	4/1/2021	4/14/2022	\$	3,500	\$	3,500	
Academy Seattle Jobs Initiative	Business							
Total				\$	8,856,313	\$	18,228,968	

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LA84 Foundation/Mt. SAC Relays Youth Track & Field 7/15/2020 Preliminary Preliminary N/A	N/A
and Cross Country Program LA84 Foundation application application	
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Department of Education through Yosemite Community	
College District	
CalFresh Outreach Services California Department of Social 9/24/2020 \$ 80,278 \$ 240,834 Pending Pe	nding
Services through California State University, Chico	
Community College Basic Needs Centers John Burton 11/8/2020 \$ 15,000 \$ 20,000 \$ 2	0,000
Advocates for Youth	
ReTHINK Adult Education Challenge U.S. Department of 11/25/2020 Preliminary Preliminary N/A	N/A
Education application application	
Benefits for Success Career and Technical Education 12/1/2020 Letter of Letter of N/A	N/A
Academy Seattle Jobs Initiative intent intent	
Benefits for Success Career and Technical Education 12/18/2020 \$ 3,500 \$ 3,500 \$	3,500
Academy Seattle Jobs Initiative	
Certified Nursing Assistant Program Grant Arthur N. Rupe 1/8/2021 \$ 25,000 \$ 25,000 \$ 15,000 \$ 1	5,000
Foundation	
Special COVID-19 Relief Grant for Japanese Teaching         1/31/2021         \$ 1,000         \$ 1,000         \$ 1,000	1,000
Materials The Japan Foundation, Los Angeles	
Mathematics, Engineering, Science Achievement California 2/10/2021 \$ 100,000 \$ 100,000 \$ 76,263 \$ 76	6,263
Community Colleges Chancellor's Office	
Rapid Grants for Art+Feminism Events Wikimedia 2/11/2021 \$ 1,996 \$ 1,996 \$	1,996
Foundation	
Direct Assessment Competency-based Education 3/5/2021 \$ 128,750 \$ 515,000 Pending Pe	nding
Collaborative California Community Colleges Chancellor's	
Office	
Learning and Leadership The NEA (National Education 3/19/2021 \$ 5,000 \$ 5,000 Pending Pe	nding
Association) Foundation	
Augmentation to Deputy Sector Navigator, Los Angeles and 3/26/2021 \$ 50,000 \$ 50,000 \$ 50,000 \$	0,000
Orange County: Health California Community Colleges	
Chancellor's Office	

NEW APPLICATIONS / PROPOSALS / CONTRACTS - FISCAL YEAR 2020-21									
Project Title and Funding Agency	Date Submitted	First Year	First Year	Total					
		Request	Request	Funding	Funding				
Title III/V Designation U.S. Department of Education	4/5/2021	Eligibility	Eligibility	N/A	N/A				
		application	application						
Total		\$ 724,694	\$ 1,271,500	\$ 481,559	\$ 481,559				

NEW PARTNER APPLICATIONS / PROPOSALS / CONTRACTS - FISCAL YEAR 2020-21								
Project Title and Funding Agency	Date Submitted	Fi	rst Year	Total		First Year	Total	
		R	equest	F	Request	Funding	Funding	
Inclusion Across the Nation of Communities of Learners of	7/13/2020	\$	34,935	\$	34,935	Not funded	Not funded	
Underrepresented Discoveries in Engineering and Science								
National Science Foundation through California State								
Polytechnic University, Pomona								
Strengthening Community Colleges Training Grants U.S.	10/8/2020	\$	12,000	\$	50,000	Not funded	Not funded	
Department of Labor through Rancho Santiago Community								
College District								
Improving Undergraduate STEM Education: Social and	11/29/2020		Letter of		Letter of	N/A	N/A	
Interactive Learning at Community Colleges National		co	llaboration	C	ollaboration			
Science Foundation through Carnegie Mellon University								
Solar System Workings National Aeronautics and Space	11/30/2020		Letter of		Letter of	N/A	N/A	
Administration through Planetary Science Institute			intent		intent			
Improving Undergraduate STEM Education: Applying a Digital	12/1/2020	\$	20,328	\$	67,559	Pending	Pending	
Tool to Support Self-regulated Learning Strategies in								
Introductory Geoscience Courses National Science								
Foundation with North Carolina State University								
Improving Undergraduate STEM Education, Hispanic-Serving	1/13/2021	\$	29,500	\$	147,500	Pending	Pending	
Institutions Program: Bridges Institutions to Determine Gaps in								
Engineering Education National Science Foundation through								
California State Polytechnic University, Pomona								
Research on Emerging Technologies for Teaching and	1/25/2021	\$	20,328	\$	67,559	Pending	Pending	
Learning: Scalable, Adaptive Learning Platform for Introductory								
Geoscience Classes National Science Foundation through								
North Carolina State University								
Solar System Workings National Aeronautics and Space	1/29/2021	\$	37,591	\$	117,833	Pending	Pending	
Administration through Planetary Science Institute								
Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and	4/7/2021	\$	113,085	\$	750,000	Pending	Pending	
Mathematics National Science Foundation through California								
State Polytechnic University, Pomona								
Total		\$	267,767	\$	1,235,386	\$ -	\$ -	

UPCOMING APPLICATIONS / PROPOSALS / CONTRACTS - FISCAL YEAR 2020-21									
Project Title and Funding Agency	Project Title and Funding Agency Due Date First Year		Total	First Year	Total				
		F	Request	Request		Funding	Funding		
Open Educational Resources Initiative Academic Senate for	4/19/2021	\$	6,000	\$	6,000	N/A	N/A		
California Community Colleges through Imperial Valley College									
Minority Serving Institutions-Led Coalitions in Support of	4/23/2021	\$	50,000	\$	150,000	N/A	N/A		
Broadening Participation in Engineering - National Aeronautics									
and Space Administration through California State Polytechnic									
University, Pomona									
Asian American and Native American Pacific Islander	5/24/2021*	\$	400,000	\$	2,000,000	N/A	N/A		
Serving Institutions: Arise U.S. Department of Education									
Hispanic-Serving Institutions STEM and Articulation Programs -	5/31/2021*	\$	700,000	\$	3,500,000	N/A	N/A		
- U.S. Department of Education									
ReTHINK Adult Education Challenge U.S. Department of	6/14/2021	\$	250,000	\$	250,000	N/A	N/A		
Education									
Nursing Education Program Support California Community	6/15/2021*	\$	262,448	\$	262,448	N/A	N/A		
Colleges Chancellor's Office									
Improving Undergraduate STEM Education, Hispanic-Serving	8/25/2021	\$	200,000	\$	400,000	N/A	N/A		
Institutions Program: Pilot Project (Earth Science) National									
Science Foundation									
Upward Bound with La Puente and Ganesha High Schools	11/28/2021*	\$	337,478	\$	1,612,352	N/A	N/A		
U.S. Department of Education									
Total		\$	2,205,926	\$	8,180,800	\$ -	\$ -		

\*Anticipated deadline