



Susan Bulkeley Butler Center for Leadership Excellence

Faculty Scholar Program

Call for Proposals

The Butler Center invites applications for its Spring 2014 Faculty Scholar program. The award will support one Purdue tenure-track faculty member to plan for and carry out research on a topic that will further the mission and goals of the Butler Center

Award:

- A 1-semester faculty release time during the AY (a maximum of \$20,000.)
- A \$1500 discretionary account for use in furthering a research discussion through collaboration with the Butler Center Research staff and the Faculty Scholar.

Purpose and Participation:

- The Butler Center sponsors a faculty scholar with the intent of supporting the faculty member's research in developing a project that furthers scholarship and promotes the mission and strategic themes of the Butler Center
- The Faculty Scholar will generate a research brief, explaining the project undertaken, accessible to a general audience. The brief will be posted with the research section of the Butler Center website.
- After the fellowship period, the fellow will continue their association with the Butler Center through research engagement, formal and informal collaboration, attendance at Butler Center events and general contribution, as appropriate, to the ongoing vision and intellectual capital of the Center.
- Recognize the Butler Center in all presentations and publications that arise as a result of research generated through the Butler Scholar support by listing the Butler Center as the author's academic affiliation:

Example:

Title of Publication or Presentation
First Author, Second Author, etc.
Department of XXX (academic department)
and Butler Center for Leadership Excellence
Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

Application Process:

Applications should consist of the following:

1. A cover sheet with name of the faculty member, department and contact information, title of the project, and the acknowledgement of the faculty member's participation by the department head.
2. A 500-word abstract of the proposed research.
3. A two-page proposal that describes the research to be carried out, how the work supports the mission and goals of the Butler Center.
4. A two-page CV that includes:
 - Record of applicant's education, including the dates when degrees were awarded;
 - Record of applicant's employment;
 - List of applicant's publications, including page numbers for journal articles and book chapters; and
 - List of applicant's awards and grants received during the last five years.

Applications should be submitted as a single PDF document to Katie Pope, Butler Center Managing Director, cepope@purdue.edu, by Oct 21, 2013.

Award decisions are expected to be made by Nov 1, 2013.