



RESEARCH NEWS

Washington University in St. Louis

The School of Engineering & Applied Science is pleased to announce the fourth annual call for its seed grant program: Collaboration Initiation Grants (CIG).

CIG aims to:

- encourage connections across departments & schools;
- promote an understanding of research across campus;
- provide pilot data funding for high risk/high reward projects; and,
- serve as platforms for external grant applications.

Only junior, untenured SEAS faculty may serve as lead PI; however, any tenure-track or research faculty at Washington University may serve as Co-PI. Up to three \$20,000 awards will be made. Cost sharing is required.

Please note the change to the peer review process: Rather than have applicants review each other, we will require past CIG awardees to review. CIG awardees will be required to serve as a peer review for two cycles of the CIG program.

Proposals should be submitted via Qualtrics by Monday, March 5, 2018:

wustl.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_bvGHyoA7VO75map

Additional information, including previous awardees, is available at:

sites.wustl.edu/jseas/items/seas-collaboration-initiation-grant-cig/

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