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New Faculty Information Series*

Introduction to Grant Support Services with ORAP, WSUF, & SPS and Finding Funding with Pivot.

Office of Research Advancement and Partnerships (ORAP)

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**Session recordings and slides will be made available for later (re)viewing on our website*

Thanks for being here!

Join us for more information sessions:

10/2 at 12pm – Finding Funding in Arts and Humanities

Learn how to use Pivot-RP to find funding specifically in the arts and humanities

10/8 at 2pm – New Faculty Series #3: Compliance, Ethics, & DEIA in Research

This final session in the New Faculty Information Series is a review of compliance, ethics, and diversity, equity, inclusion, and accessibility as these issues pertain to building research and creative practice at WSU.

10/10 at 2pm – INSPIRE! Community Engaged Research Seed Grants Q&A

Ask questions and learn more about the INSPIRE! Community Engaged Research Seed Grant Program that supports Pullman faculty in their community-engaged research projects.

10/15 at 12pm – Lunch and Learn: Specific Aims

Specific aims are the core of your grant application. Learn tips to write a strong, clear specific aims page.

orap.wsu.edu/events



Office of Research Advancement and Partnerships (ORAP)



- provides support for research initiatives & infrastructure
- stimulates faculty collaborations
- creates a culture of productive grant writing
- assists with grant proposal development



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- Learning Opportunities -

Workshops

- Grant writing training opportunities
- Understand each step of the proposal development process
- Hands-on writing time and feedback amongst peers
- General and specific to research area

Lunch and Learn Sessions

- Short one-hour hands-on sessions
- Learn and practice various steps of the proposal development process
 - Specific Aims
 - Supplementary documents
 - Finding funding

Information Sessions

- Designed to assist with research development
 - Budget planning
 - Broader impact opportunities
 - Supplementary documents
 - Research compliance
 - Pivot training
 - Many more

Events

- Designed to showcase various research programs across WSU



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- Research Development -

Proposal Editing and Review

- Review call for proposals and ensure all guidelines are met
- Non-scientific/non-specialist
- Ensure ease of understanding for non-specialist reviewers
- Ensure one-voice writing

Templates, Models and Guidelines

- Research Development Toolbox
- Assist with or provide templates and timelines
- Guidelines:
 - Community Engaged Research
 - DEIA

Communication and Collaborations

- Set meetings & check-ins for stress-free timeline adherence
- Help find potential collaborators
- Point of contact for collaborative partners
- Document collection

Budget Support and Other Needs

- Assist with budget & justifications
 - ❖ *Work with department RA to certify*
- Assist with other proposal components as needed
- Assist to ensure smooth application submission process



Office of Research Advancement and Partnerships

- Funding Opportunities -

External

- Assistance provided to find funding tailored to specific research and artistic work
- Limited Submissions
- Databases
 - Pivot RP
 - Academic Analytics
- Federal Agencies
- Private Foundations
 - WSU Foundation

Large Federal Agencies

- Curated list from WSU's largest federal funders
- Potential collaborative opportunities
- >\$1,000,000
- Updated weekly

Internal

- New Faculty Seed Grant
- Community Engaged Research Seed Grants
- Natural Resource Conservation Endowment Fund Grants
- Arts & Humanities Process Grants
- RA & \$10K Seed Grants
- Tribal Engagement and Consultation Mini Grants

Prizes and Awards

- Collaborate with the Provost Office & PI



Office of Foundation Relations

The Office of Foundation Relations (OFR) supports WSU faculty, staff, and leadership who would like to explore **private foundation opportunities** and learn to strengthen and grow those mutually beneficial relationships.

We strategically coordinate partnerships with grant-making foundations whose funding initiatives align with the University's commitments and strengths in research, education, and outreach.



Services we provide:

- Identification, coordination, and research of potential foundation partners
- Letter of Intent and Proposal development
- RFP process guidance and support
- Insights on foundations with which we have relationships
- Planning and staffing support for on- and off-campus site visits
- Gift and Grant stewardship and reporting support

OFR email: wsuf.ofr@wsu.edu

List of Organizations: orso.wsu.edu/private_grant-asp/

Website: foundation.wsu.edu/OFR

FAQ: foundation.wsu.edu/info-for-grantseekers/



Pivot-RP™

<https://pivot.proquest.com/>



Sponsored Programs Services

(SPS) - responsible for all sponsored activity accounting

Award Set-up

- Coding, budget allocation
- Activates accounts

Invoicing/Reporting

- Invoicing, Reports
- Cost share
- Reports Program Income

Payment Processing

- Receipt payments,
- Subcontract Invoices

Account Closing

- Federal Finance Report (FFR), invention, property reports, inactivation

Sub-Recipient Monitoring

- Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA) reporting
- Assists with Sub-recipient compliance



Modernization Initiative - Grants

The Modernization Initiative is WSU's business systems support team. We collaborate with other areas of the University on projects that modernize our systems and processes.

We also provide training and respond to user needs through our Workday service desk and manage projects to continuously improve the Workday grants module.

<https://modernization.wsu.edu/>





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Dashboard GRA Principal Investigator

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Introduction

Why we built this Dashboard

- Responded to request for financial information to be in one easily accessible location including your grant, program, and gift accounts
- Empower faculty
- Original version had limitations
- Allows PIs, Admin Managers, & Grant Managers to see the same thing

Collaboration with PIs, Grants Reporting Workgroup, & Modernization

- *Thank you to those who participated and provided feedback!*

Improvements

Available balances with drilldown

- Grant, Program, and Gift Financials

Costing allocations

- See all workers paid on your accounts

Financials data view for other users

- Administrators see what you see

Additional Worklets

- Award burn rate
- Terming awards and award lines
- PI's active awards
- Incomplete award tasks
- Subaward invoice status

Find under Your Top Apps

The screenshot displays a user dashboard for WSU. At the top left, there is a 'MENU' button and the WSU logo. A search bar is located at the top center. Below the navigation is a large banner image of a WSU building with the cougar logo overlaid. The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Hello There**: A greeting section on the left with the date 'It's Tuesday, May 21, 2024' on the right.
- Awaiting Your Action**: A list of three pending tasks, each with a calendar icon and a title. A link 'Go to My Tasks (7)' is at the bottom.
- Announcements**: A section with '1 of 2' items. The first announcement is 'New Absence Calendar experience now live' with a sub-headline 'On Saturday May 4, 2024, we launched several major enha...'. It includes an icon of a person at a computer.
- Your Top Apps**: A vertical list of application tiles:
 - Drive (folder icon)
 - Manage Absence (calendar icon)
 - Dashboard GRA Principal Investigator (hand holding a document icon, highlighted with a green border)
 - Dashboard WSU Modernization Initiative (document icon)
- Timely Suggestions**: A section with one suggestion: 'You Have a New Payslip' with the text 'Review your payslip information to ensure accuracy' and a 'View Payslips' link.

Additional Resources

Reference guide: *Using Dashboard GRA Principal Investigator* (includes Percipio training video link)

- <https://jira.esg.wsu.edu/servicedesk/customer/kb/view/175177995>

Workday Service Desk Access for Program/Gift View

- <https://jira.esg.wsu.edu/plugins/servlet/desk/portal/91/create/1883>

Other questions regarding the PI Dashboard may be submitted to the Workday Service Desk

- <https://jira.esg.wsu.edu/plugins/servlet/desk/portal/91/create/1545>

Questions?



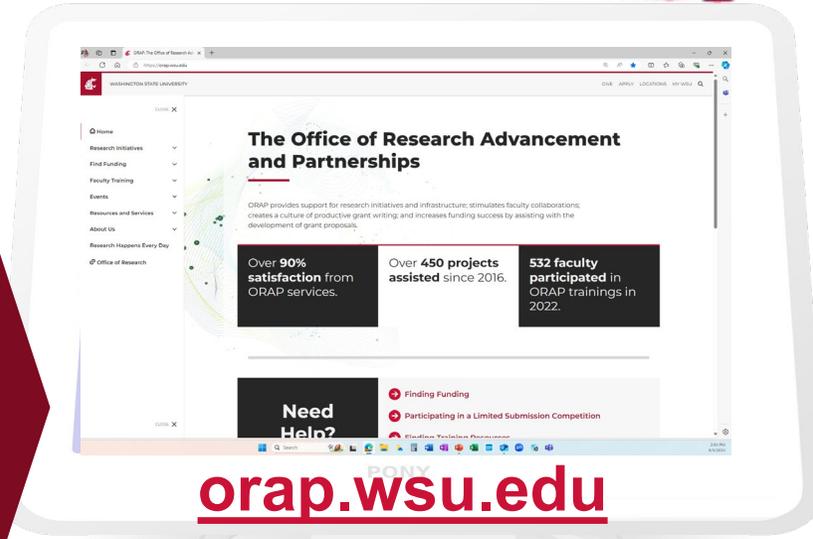
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