

Faculty Teaching Innovation Grants

The Office of the Provost invites full-time faculty to apply for the Faculty Teaching Innovation Grant. This grant supports faculty in redesigning existing courses, or designing new courses, to integrate active learning strategies. Active learning methods engage students by asking them to think critically about course material through engaged, participatory, or hands-on learning. These grants may be used to redesign existing courses to incorporate active learning strategies, or help design a new course implementing active learning. Administered through the Henneke Center, the Faculty Teaching Innovation Grant recipients will receive \$1,000 to support their efforts in integrating active learning strategies into their teaching.

The Faculty Teaching Innovation Grant aims to recognize and support course development plans that foster increased student participation and create opportunities for engaged learning experiences. Some examples of active learning methods include think-pair-share, case study analyses, concept mapping, peer review, and other hands-on learning methods. For more resources on active learning strategies, see here and here. Strong applications will identify the need for active learning in their classes and include clear articulation of how integrating active learning methods will benefit students in the course.

Successful grant recipients will be required to write a short report outlining how active learning methods were integrated into their course design. Faculty are also required to lead a Henneke Center workshop on their experiences using active learning methods in the classroom. Support for developing the workshop is available through the Henneke Center.

Application Deadline: Friday December 1

To Apply: please complete the application form here