



## VIU & VIUFA Funding Opportunities (Internal) for VIUFA Members – Fall 2016

For specifics and application forms, please see: <https://www2.viu.ca/research/ResourcesForFaculty/FundingOpportunities.asp>

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	Primarily Supporting...								Purpose	Eligibility	Maximum Amount	Frequency	Deadline	Contact
	Group PD	Internatio- nalization	Leave	Non- Regulars	Release	Research	Teaching	Travel						
<b>Community Engagement Accelerator Grant</b>						✓	✓		Assist faculty in partnering with community in the production of knowledge, increasing knowledge mobilization, and supporting the development of students	Regular faculty	\$2500/individual, \$5000/group	Fall only, with spring & special calls if funds are available	4pm, Tuesday, November 15 <sup>th</sup>	<a href="#">Tanis Dagert</a> Local 2984
<b>Global Engagement Travel Grant</b>		✓					✓	✓	Explore or develop international teaching & learning opportunities at VIU	Regular faculty with at least .5 FTE appointment	\$2500	3x year, September, January, April	September 30 <sup>th</sup> , January 31 <sup>st</sup> , April 30 <sup>th</sup>	<a href="#">Jennifer Sills</a> Local 6312
<b>Global Engagement Program Development Grant</b>		✓					✓		Foster incremental, innovative activities that weave internationalization into curricula, departments or areas where there is no, or limited, international focus	Regular faculty with at least .5 FTE appointment	\$10,000	2x year, September & January	September 30 <sup>th</sup> , January 31 <sup>st</sup>	<a href="#">Jennifer Sills</a> Local 6312
<b>Self-Funded Research Grant</b>						✓			Allow faculty to receive a portion of their salary tax free for research purpose	Regular faculty	Not to exceed 50% of annual salary for non-leave faculty, not to exceed 45% of regular (i.e. 100%) salary for faculty on assisted research leaves	On demand	2 months prior to first grant needed	<a href="mailto:research@viu.ca">research@viu.ca</a>
<b>Travel &amp; Conference Proceedings Funding Committee</b>								✓	Conference participation and presentation	.5 FTE appointment, 1 grant per fiscal year	\$400-800 based on destination, often not funded to maximum amount	2x year, fall & spring	4pm, Tuesday, November 15 <sup>th</sup>	<a href="#">Alexander Pevec</a> Local 2357
<b>Research, Scholarly Activity, and Curriculum Development Committee (RSACDC) – Release Sections</b>					✓				Study and research to the advancement of one's career	Regular faculty	n/a	Fall only	4pm, Tuesday, November 15 <sup>th</sup>	<a href="#">Deanna McNaught</a> Local 6392
<b>Research, Scholarly Activity, and Curriculum Development Committee (RSACDC) – Research Funding</b>				✓		✓			Study and research to the advancement of one's career	Regular faculty, non-regular faculty	\$1000	2x year, fall & spring	4pm, Tuesday, November 15 <sup>th</sup>	<a href="#">Deanna McNaught</a> Local 6392
<b>Research, Scholarly Activity, and Curriculum</b>				✓				✓	Conference attendance and participation for non-regular faculty	Non-regular faculty	\$400-800 based on destination, often not funded to maximum amount	2x year, fall & spring	4pm, Tuesday, November 15 <sup>th</sup>	<a href="#">Deanna McNaught</a> Local 6392

Development Committee (RSACDC) – Non-Regular Conference Funding													
VIUFA Professional & Scholarly Development Committee (PSDC)	✓							Collaborative professional or scholarly development activities	Regular faculty	Regularly up to \$2000 per individual. Larger grants will be considered if the application demonstrates significant benefit to many VIUFA members.	2x year, fall & spring	4pm, Tuesday, November 15 <sup>th</sup>	<a href="#">Denise Hook</a> Local 6415
VIUFA Professional Development Leave (aka Assisted Leave)			✓			✓		Activities which shall be of professional benefit to the faculty member and which shall increase his/her potential contribution to Vancouver Island University	Regular faculty with at least 3 years of seniority	n/a	Annual	Letter of Intent to HR and applicable Dean by 1pm on the last business day in May of the academic year prior to that in which the proposed leave is to commence.  Completed applications (electronic and one hardcopy) must be submitted to the Chair of the VIUFA Leave Committee, c/o <a href="#">Lyn Locke</a> after August 15 and before 4pm September 15 of the academic year prior to that in which the proposed leave shall commence.	<a href="#">Lyn Locke</a> , Local 6324
VIU Research Awards Committee (VIURAC)						✓		Encourage research and other forms of faculty scholarship based on the belief that faculty need to pursue various forms of scholarly and professional activity to remain effective educators and to provide useful learning opportunities for their students	Regular faculty	\$1,000 to \$5,000, but the Committee can award larger amounts at its discretion	Fall only, with spring & special calls if funds are available	4pm, Tuesday, November 15 <sup>th</sup>	<a href="#">Lyn Locke</a> , Local 6324