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CLA
UAF College of Liberal Arts
**RESEARCH
NEWS**
August 2011



FY12 Performance data as of: 8/24/11

Effort

New proposals submitted n = 7
New dollars sought = \$1,265,985
New ICR sought = \$342,912

Success

New awards received n = 4
New dollars awarded = \$380,056
New indirect cost recovery = \$24,819

**CLA Collaborative Efforts
(CLA faculty as Co-I):**

Total number of projects proposed = 2
AFES (0) INE (1)
CANHR (1) SOE (0)
CNSM (0) SOM (0)
G (0) SFOS (0)
IAB (0) UAA (1)
IARC (0) UA-Statewide (0)
Total \$ effort to UAF = \$5,893,701

**Currently active sponsored projects by
project type:**

Research.....(n = 31) \$9,418,756
Education.....(n = 23) \$6,296,454
Other activity (n = 20) \$1,198,009

B.Z. Toons

by Brian Zaikowski



Free cartoon by Brian Zaikowski
<http://www.bztoons.com/>

Our four-legged stool: A new balancing act



Based on FY10 year-end data, the college's major revenues derive from: general fund (~ 61%) student tuition & fees (~ 21%) , restricted fund receipts (~ 14%) and other non-GF sources. Our state GF allocation bears an increasingly smaller portion of our operating expenses (down from 65% in FY07) and so we all must strive to increase the other revenue sources to support and grow programs.

Fiscal year operating budget increments and PBB requests are the means to increase GF allocations; the process is highly competitive and we are not always successful with all our requests. Active enrollment management and development efforts to secure scholarships are helping to grow the tuition component of our revenues. Faculty can take an active role and have positive budget impact via increasing sponsored projects, i.e., preparing and submitting funding proposals. Any costs we can shift off of GF and onto a sponsored project for some period of time free up those resources to meet other important needs such as: term faculty or lecturers, faculty travel funds, instructional equipment. Let's make this year a record-setter for number of new proposals!

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Funding Opportunities – <http://www.uaf.edu/osp/funding-opportunities/>
OSP site includes lists of opportunities for undergraduate and graduate students.

TAB grants fall 2011 <http://www.uaf.edu/tab/proposal-timeline/>
Proposals due, online, Sept. 23, 2011

State of Alaska Grants: Request for proposals (changes frequently)
<http://notes3.state.ak.us/pn/pubnotic.nsf/PNByCatActive?OpenView&Start=1&Count=30&Expand=6#6>

National Endowment for the Arts(too numerous to list here... check the website!)
<http://www.nea.gov/grants/apply/> Grants for Art projects..... due March 2012

National Endowment for the Humanities
<http://www.neh.gov> (too numerous to list here...Check the website!)
e.g. Documenting Endangered Languages.....due September 20, 2011
e.g. Enduring questions (curriculum development)..... due September 15, 2011
e.g. Digital Humanities implementation projects..... due January 24, 2012
e.g. *We the Peopl* projects.....all program deadlines

National Science Foundation(too numerous to list here... check the website!)
<http://www.nsf.gov/funding/> keyword searchable database; alphabetical index
e.g. Arctic Research opportunities.....due October 18, 2011

National Institutes of Health <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/oer.htm>
Try the Career Award wizard! <http://grants.nih.gov/training/kwizard/index.htm>

Try searching for funding opportunities using your own key words at Grants.gov
http://grants.gov/applicants/find_grant_opportunities.isn





NEW PROPOSALS

ALASKA NATIVE LANGUAGE ARCHIVE

David Koester/M. Krauss
NSF-RAPID Definitive dictionary for all Itelmen; urgent managing of lexical archives.

ANTHROPOLOGY

Patrick Plattet

National Park Service
Ethnohistory & ethnoarcheology of reindeer herding on the Alaska Peninsula.

Rosemary Plaetke

National Science Foundation
The genetics of temperament.

Joel Irish (with Lukaszek)

DIG: National Science Foundation
Vertebrae and cranial base among primate species: indicators of locomotion.

Mark Sicoli

National Endowment for the Humanities, Preserving and Enhancing access to the survey of Zapotec and Chatino languages.

ART

David Mollett

National Park Service
James kivetoruk Moses 2012.

CROSS-CULTURAL STUDIES

Ray Barnhardt

National Endowment for the Humanities. Integrated access to Alaska Native Knowledge Network resources.

Thank you for making the effort!
Best wishes for your success!



\$ NEW AWARDS

ANTHROPOLOGY

\$ 89,809 Ben Potter
National Science Foundation:
EAGER: Upward Sun River (Xaasaa Na') Exploratory Excavation

\$ 10,000 Peter Schweitzer
National Science Foundation
Supplement for ICASS-VII

\$ 89,421 Peter Schweitzer
National Science Foundation
Supplement for Moved by the State project.

\$ 126,954 David Koester
National Science Foundation
Collaborative Research: audio-Visual documentation of Itelmen.

CLA DEAN'S OFFICE

\$ 4,576 Johnny Payne
UA Foundation
CLA Dean scholarships

LINGUISTICS

\$ 9,971 Sabine Siekmann
National Science Foundation
WIPCE travel: World Indigenous People conference on Education.

CONGRATULATIONS!

REMINDER:

Please bring all ORIGINAL award notices to the CLA Dean's Office for award acceptance processes and set-up of funds for you to spend.

REMINDER! Per UAF policy:
ALL proposals and applications for funds to support activities must route through CLA Dean's office en route to other institutional offices. See UAF Policy found here: <http://www.uaf.edu/osp/policies-and-procedures/>

PUBLIC INFORMATION

Check out the CLA News webpage!
<http://www.uaf.edu/cla/news-events/>
News stories, news briefs, events, pictures and more!

REMINDER Please let Shelbie know of any news and happenings in your department. We need to tell our stories!

We want to show the full range of research, creative and scholarly activities of our faculty and students.

DEVELOPMENT "FEATURED FUNDS"

The UA Foundation has several existing fund accounts that directly support CLA students and CLA programs. See: http://www.alaska.edu/files/foundation/UAF_Funds.pdf

An example of one that supports CLA undergraduate research is the **CLA Undergraduate Research Fund (# 20429)**. An example of one that provides for more CLA general support is **Fund (#20721) for College of Liberal Arts**.

ANYONE can contribute.
Thank you for supporting CLA!



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