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

November 2010



CLA's FY11 Statistics to 11/11/2010

Effort

New Proposals submitted n = 24
New dollars sought= \$2,951,988
New ICR sought= \$647,158

Success

New awards received n = 10
New dollars awarded = \$829,387
New Indirect cost recovery= \$71,127

CLA Collaborative Efforts

(CLA faculty as Co-I):

Total number of projects proposed = 4
AFES (0) SOE(0)
CNSM (0) SOM (0)
GI (0) SFOS (0)
IAB (2)
IARC (0) UAA (1)
INE (1) UA-Statewide (0)
Total \$ effort to UAF = \$1,909,617

**CLA Restricted funds activity by
funding source July 1 – September 30:**

State of Alaska (n=4) \$25,246
Federal (n=20) \$300,238
City/Borough (n=0) \$0
Corporations (n=1) \$12,209
UA Foundation (n=7) \$86,368
Other foundation (n=0) \$0
AK Native Orgs (n=0) \$0
Other Non Profit (n=3) \$5,513
Other/Private (n=1) \$33,796
Other University (n=2) \$7,149
Endowment Investment (n=0) \$0
Total active grants & contracts = 38
Total Actual Revenue = \$470,518

Help your Undergraduates get into Graduate School

The Council on Undergraduate Research, CUR, hosts a Registry of Undergraduate Researchers to facilitate matchmaking between undergraduates who have research experience and a desire to pursue an advanced degree, with graduate schools seeking high quality students who are well-prepared for research/creative scholarship.

The Registry is open to students and graduate schools in the fields of Anthropology/Archaeology, Arts/Humanities, Biology/Biochemistry, Business, Chemistry/Biochemistry, Economics, Education, Engineering, English and Linguistics, Environmental Studies, Geosciences, Health Professions, History, Journalism and Communications, Mathematics, Computer Science, Physics/ Astronomy, Political Science, Psychology, Social Work and Sociology.

Any undergraduate may go to www.cur.org/ugreg/ to fill out a simple curriculum vitae form and attach a statement of research interests. There is no charge to the student and records are only made available to bona fide Graduate Schools that contract with CUR for this service. Graduate School representatives may contact students to invite applications or visits to the campus and laboratory, or to share information about their research programs and financial support opportunities.

----- Anita Hartmann, Associate Dean CLA amhartmann@alaska.edu

Recommended Reading: CUR Quarterly, Fall 2010, Vol.31, No. 1

Thematic issue: How Undergraduate Research Supports Faculty & Student Development. www.cur.org

"Undergraduate research will play a critical role in shaping the future of higher education." --- Nancy Hensel, CUR Executive Officer

Funding Opportunities – Internal UA <http://www.uaf.edu/osp/funding/internal.html>

CLA Undergraduate Research applications..... due Nov.24th

James R. Crook Memorial Fellowship..... due Dec. 3rd

Global Change student grants (undergrad & grad)..... due February
<http://www.cgc.uaf.edu/>

Funding Opportunities – External

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

<http://www.nea.gov/grants/> (numerous... check the website!)

National Endowment for the Humanities

<http://www.neh.gov> (numerous...Check the website!)

e.g., digital humanities start up grants..... due February 2011

e.g., Bridging cultures through film..... due January 2011

e.g. national digital newspaper program..... due January 2011

National Science Foundation

<http://www.nsf.gov> (numerous opportunities... Check the website!)

National Institutes of Health <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/oer.htm>

Try the Career Award wizard! <http://grants.nih.gov/training/kwizard/index.htm>





NEW PROPOSALS

ANTHROPOLOGY

Patrick Plattet

NSF Ritual and social connectivity
In Kamchatka and Alaska

Charles Holmes

NSF Athabaskan prehistory:
Updating the archeological record
of the Lake Minchumina basin.

COMMUNICATION

Karen Taylor

NSF Betting on climate change:
Analysis of the Nenana Ice Classic.

ENGLISH

Lance Twitchell

CIRI Foundation, Heritage
Project: staged reading of
Raven Speak.

JUSTICE

Brian Jarrett

AkHF An exploration of elder
mediation.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Gerald McBeath

CCK-Foundation Environmental
Education in China and Taiwan.

THEATRE

Stephan Golux

Kurt Weil Foundation

Production of *The Happy End*.

REMINDER! ALL proposals and applications for funds to support activities (“sponsored activities”) must route through CLA Dean’s office en route to other institutional offices. See UAF Policy

<http://www.uaf.edu/osp/policies-and-procedures/>



\$ NEW AWARDS

ANTHROPOLOGY

\$ 25,000 PWSCC-OSRI

Emilie Springer, Graduate student
Graduate Research Fellowship

PSYCHOLOGY

\$ 50,000 SOA/DHHS

Chris Brehms FY11 PhD student
Partnership (UAF/UAA)

CONGRATULATIONS!

REMINDER:

Please bring all ORIGINAL award notices to the CLA Dean’s Office for award acceptance and set-up to spend.

FY11 AKEPSCoR APPLICANTS (VIA CLA, WITH CLA AS LEAD):

Integrative faculty development

Barnhardt, Ray- Cross-Cultural Stds
Holton, Gary – ANLC/P
Hoover, Kara – Anthropology
Skewes, Monica – Psychology

Graduate Research Stipends

Ellicott, Megan – Anthropology
Raymond-Yakoubian, Julie - Anthro
Robarge, Nikole - Anthropology

Travel support

Arthur, Melanie - Sociology
Dicke, Clarissa - Anthropology
Ellicott, Megan - Anthropology
Fazzino, David – Anthropology
Hoover, Kara – Anthropology
Horwath, Briana – Anthropology
Irish, Joel – Anthropology
Twitchell, Lance – English
Yashchenko, Oksana - Anthropology

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

ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT

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The UA system statewide report is found:
http://www.alaska.edu/swbir/ir/early-semester-reports/full_apps_201003.pdf
where you can compare enrollment data
by MAU and college.

CLA data for the period (Nov-Nov)
Admitted UA Scholar applicants up 3.6%
Admitted Graduate applicants up 2.7%

REMINDER to let Shelbie know of any
news and happenings in your department.

DEVELOPMENT

“FEATURED FUND”

The UA Foundation has several existing
funds which directly support CLA
students and CLA programs. See:
[http://www.alaska.edu/files/foundation/
UAF_Funds.pdf](http://www.alaska.edu/files/foundation/UAF_Funds.pdf)

ANYONE can contribute to these
funds; an example of one that supports
undergraduate research is the CLA
Undergraduate Research Fund
(# 20429). Thank you for your support!



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