

Course Development Grant UCAT Grant Guidelines

Overview

The University Committee for the Advancement of Teaching (UCAT) oversees the application and review process for a number of faculty grants. Grants are intended to support work in improving instructional practice and student learning experiences in any UNO learning environment.

This \$750 grant is intended to support individuals developing (either by designing or redesigning) one course as part of program development / improvement.

Notes

- All UCAT grant applications will be completed through UNO's MavGrants system. No paper copies of applications will be accepted.
- All applications MUST be reviewed by your UCAT college representative prior to final submission. A list of college representatives may be found on the Center for Faculty Excellence (CFE) web site at faculty.support.unomaha.edu.
- Poorly described, incomplete, or unclear applications will be rejected.
- The rubric used to review your application is below. Please review before submitting your grant application.
- Faculty may not receive more than one award for this grant category for the academic year.
- Applicants will be informed of the funding decision following the UCAT committee meeting held after application deadline.
- All previous grant reports must be turned in prior to consideration of new grant applications.
- Faculty may apply separately for an Instructional Materials Grant to support the purchase of materials needed for Course Development.

Follow-Up Requirements

- A 2-3 page final report describing the implementation of your course redesign project, should be submitted to the UCAT Committee via MavGrants at the end of the semester in which the redesigned course is offered.

UCAT THEMES

- Curriculum Development and Assessment
- Diversity
- Instructional Technology
- Interdisciplinary Integration
- Promoting Critical Thinking Pedagogy
- Student Mentoring, Advising, and Research