Small Research Grant Committee Meeting

April 27, 2016

Committee members present: Gloria Dye, Kara Kendall-Morwick, Jean Marshall, Marilyn Masterson (electronically), Leslie McCullough, Freddy Sourgens (electronically) Nancy Tate (chair)

Dr. Nancy Tate provided an overview of the small research grant committee's duties and responsibilities.

\$35,000 is available to award for the Major research and the small research grants. The pattern of the committee is to award close to ½ of the total amount available in the spring meeting which leaves a remaining balance available for faculty who wish to submit a grant application in early fall.

Major Research Grant Applications:

Conner, Christopher Requested: \$9950 Denied

Wohl, Roy and

Lockwood, Park Requested: \$9917.94 Awarded: \$8,600 Proposal: The Impact of a Community Wellness Program on a Lower-income Population

Small Research Grant Applications:

Altus, Deborah Requested \$3000 Awarded: \$3000

Burdick, Melanie

Dahl, PatriciaRequested \$1944Awarded: \$1944Proposal:The Literacy Narratives of Female Ex-Offenders: Before, During and After Incarceration

Erby, Kelly Requested: \$900 Awarded: \$900

Proposal: Restaurant Republic: The Rise of Public Dining in Boston

Park, Sangyoub Requested \$3000 Awarded: \$2,072

Proposal: Topekan Korean School: A Little Bit More Korean

Steinroetter, Vanessa Requested \$3000 Awarded: \$2,500

Proposal: Representations of Reading, News Media, and Communication Technologies in Southern

Literature of the Civil War

Summary

The current total amount awarded was \$18,516 for the small and major research grants. The remaining balance is approximately \$16,000 for fall semester proposals.

September 29, 2016

Committee members present: Danielle Head (electronically). Lori Edwards, Martha Imparato Norma Juma, Rodrigo Mercader, Kara Kendall-Morwick, Leslie McCullough, Freddy Sourgens (electronically) Nancy Tate (chair)

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\$16,000 is available to award for the Major research and the small research grants. \$18,516 was awarded in the first meeting held in April 2016. This will complete the awarding of monies for the research awards for FY 17.

Major Research Grant Applications:

Conner, Christopher Requested: \$5230.49 Partial Award: \$4904.13

Proposal: LGBT Issues in an Era of Heightened Visibility

Small Research Grant Applications:

Averill, Tom Requested: \$500 Awarded: \$500

Proposal: Hiring artist to help re-draw, refine images and articles, and assist enhancement of line-

drawing portraits

Crawford, Barry Requested: \$3000.00 Awarded: \$3000

Proposal: Request for professional indexing services

Goossen, Rachel Requested: \$1974.84 Awarded: \$1974.84

Proposal: Research expenses in research of LGBTQ Mennonite Leaders and Denominational

Identity

Moddelmog, Linsey Requested: \$2799.81 Awarded: \$2799.81

Proposal: Research will involve a comparison of State-Owned and For Profit Farms in Cuba

Summary:

The final total amount awarded in the September 2016 meeting was \$13,505.14 for the small and major research grants. The total amount awarded for FY 17 was \$32,021.14.