



**Women's Giving Circle**

**Grant Proposal Submission Cover Sheet**

College and Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of proposal: \_\_\_\_\_

Point of contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Point of contact title: \_\_\_\_\_

Point of contact phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Point of contact email: \_\_\_\_\_

Total amount requested:     \$\_\_\_\_\_

SIGNED\*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Director of Development

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Dean/Vice Chancellor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

***\*Must be signed by the director of development for your college/school/unit who will then route to the dean or vice chancellor for approval.***



## **Women's Giving Circle Grant Application**

### **Instructions:**

1. Complete all information in the grant proposal application.
2. Adhere to recommended text limits as indicated
3. Define any acronyms that are used in the proposal.
4. Upload the WGC Grant Application Budget Request Sheet as the final page of this application.
5. Please note that the WGC will not accept repeat applications beyond more than two consecutive years.
6. If you have questions, contact your unit's development officer for any clarifications or assistance in preparing your proposal.
7. Applications are due to the Women's Giving Circle by 5:00 p.m., May 15, Monday. Please deliver your application to your dean or development officer for review and approval prior to the submission deadline. We advise you to give these individuals sufficient time to make recommendations for changes and allow yourself time to execute them.
8. Remember to save a copy of your proposal before final submission.
9. We ask that you keep the following aspects of the Women's Giving Circle grant program in mind as you complete your application:

### **Women's Giving Circle Mission**

To support innovative programs and research at the University of Arkansas

### **Women's Giving Circle Vision**

To engage and empower women as philanthropic leaders at the University of Arkansas

### **Women's Giving Circle Funding Priorities**

Support and promote scholarship, research, and service

Enrich the quality of life of women and children

Encourage outreach and engagement in Arkansas

**Areas that meet the strategic priorities for the university and the WGC**

- Focus on retention/graduation
- Increase undergraduate opportunities, i.e., building the endowment; involving students in research or service learning project with a collaborative bent
- Promote graduate student participation in research
- Focus on collaboration
- Follow the land grant mission to fund projects that support needs in the region and the state with emphasis on collaboration between colleges/departments/units
- Invest in faculty excellence
- Recruit first-generation students from Arkansas
- Advance the mission of the WGC

**Identifying Information:**

***College or Unit Affiliation***

Dale Bumpers College of Agricultural, Food and Life Sciences

Fay Jones School of Architecture and Design

J. William Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences

Sam M. Walton College of Business

College of Education and Health Professions

College of Engineering

Honors College

Graduate School and International Education

School of Law

Student Affairs

University Libraries

Other

*Please specify **OTHER** unit affiliation:* \_\_\_\_\_

**Title of Proposal:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Primary Contact and Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Primary Contact E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**Primary Contact Phone Number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Project Summary (200 word maximum)**

Is this:

an expansion of a current program

a new program

Please list media sites (if any) utilized by your project or program to publicize the project/program, i.e., website, social media, etc?

If your project is funded, describe innovative ways how the WGC will be recognized in the success/completion of your project?

**Grant Proposal**

*What is the specific scholarly or community needs your grant request addresses?  
(100 word maximum)*

How does your proposed project or program assess how these needs will be redressed?  
(100 word maximum)

Describe any unique and/or innovative aspects of your project or program that improves what is already known about your area of inquiry. *(100 word maximum)*

Please list up to five (5) expected outputs and outcomes with corresponding measurements. (Please note: just listing outputs is not sufficient.)

Document if there are other programs/projects that attempt to address the same needs as your proposal. If so, describe whether and how you will collaborate with them.(100-word maximum)

### **Demographic Considerations**

First generation students engaged in the project:      Yes      No

Number of current UA students engaged in the project:

Geographic region served:

- ☐ Northwest Arkansas
- ☐ Southwest Arkansas
- ☐ Northeast Arkansas
- ☐ Southeast Arkansas
- ☐ Central Arkansas
- ☐ Campus

### **Budgetary Considerations**

Have you received WGC Funding before?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No



Please provide the year(s) and project name(s).

Total proposed budget for project or program: (proposed budgets of more than \$20K will not be considered; in typical years WGC proposals fall within in the \$5-10K range):

\$\_\_\_\_\_

*Should match Item 1 on Budget Request sheet.*

Please list total funding commitments from external or campus sources to date:

\$\_\_\_\_\_

*Should match Item 2 on Budget Request sheet.*

How much, if any, of your request involves funding for the following?

*Please estimate using percentages*

Student Compensation: \_\_\_\_%

Equipment: \_\_\_\_%

Total funds requested from WGC Grant:

\$\_\_\_\_\_

*Should match Item 3 on Budget Request sheet.*

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In the rare case that grant resources cannot be expended, be prepared to return the remaining funds to WGC.

If selected as a recipient for a WGC grants, you will be required to submit two progress reports, including a budget summary, as well as a poster of your project for purposes of grant presentation.

Please be sure to save this document within the Grant Application Packet.

## Women's Giving Circle Grant Application

### Grant Budget Request

College or Unit Affiliation: College of Education and Health Professions

Proposal Title: Progression of cancer-cachexia-induced wasting in female mice

Primary Contact Name: Dr. Nicholas Greene

(Itemized summary of planned expenses for 2017 grant cycle & estimated income for the period.)

Expenses				
Item	Total Proposal Budget (1)	Amount Already Funded (2)	Amount Needed	Amount Requested from WGC (3)
Personnel	NA	NA	NA	*
Fringe Benefits	NA	NA	NA	*
Travel	NA	NA	NA	*
(e.g. airfare)				
Student Compensation	NA	NA	NA	NA
Equipment	5500	0	5500	5500
Supplies / Materials	4600	0	4600	4600
(e.g. medical syringes)				
Marketing	NA	NA	NA	NA
(e.g. brochures)				
In-Kind Goods/Services	NA	NA	NA	NA
Other	2900	2900	2900	2900
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>13000</b>		<b>13000</b>	<b>13000</b>

Funding Commitments to Date		
Source	Amount Committed (2)	Open Grant Requests (Grants requested but not committed)
<i>Subtotal</i>	0	0
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>0</b>	

**Minimum funds  
requested from WGC**

13000

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Black boxes represent line items the WGC does not fund.

**Comments:** Please use this section to explain / clarify any line item.

Supplies: Cell culture equipment (for growth of the cancer cells)-\$1000, Elisa Kits to measure plasma concentration of Estrogen-\$1300, Estrogen receptor antibody to measure estrogen receptors in the muscle-\$300, Various other chemicals, supplies and reagents-\$1000

Materials: Force Measurement equipment to measure *in vivo* muscular strength in mice-\$5500

Other: Animal Housing- \$400, Animal Purchase (91 animals)-\$2500