

# Grant Deadlines & Research Events 2024-2025 - DRAFT

\*Applications requiring the Dean's signature should be received by the Faculty of Humanities one week prior to the deadline date for approval. For up-to-date information refer to the Office of Research Services: [Information for Researchers](#)

Deadline	Program	Applicant Eligibility	Funding Description
Continuous	SCHOLARLY BOOK AWARDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="#">Scholarly Book Awards (ASPP)   FHSS (federationhss.ca)</a></li> </ul>	The Scholarly Book Awards, formally the Awards to Scholarly Publications Program (ASPP), funds scholarly books in Canada that make important contributions to the humanities and social sciences. It is a competitive program that awards 180 Publication Grants of \$8,000 and five Translation Grants of \$30,000 annually (April 1 to March 31).
Various	INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT RESEARCH CENTRE (IDRC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Research grant ideas that fit the IDRC mandate may be submitted anytime.</li> <li>Website: <a href="#">Funding   IDRC - International Development Research Centre (idrc-crdi.ca)</a></li> </ul>	IDRC offers many competitions and awards for developing-country researchers, institutions, and Canadian researchers. Many are offered annually, so be sure to check deadlines on specific competitions throughout the year.
Various	CANADA COUNCIL FOR THE ARTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="#">Funding   Canada Council for the Arts</a></li> </ul>	The Canada Council for the Arts champions and invests in artistic excellence through grants, services, prizes and payments to professional Canadian artists, groups and arts organizations.
Continuous	APPLICATION FOR MATCHING OR DISCRETIONARY VPR FUNDING	<p><u>Matching Funds</u></p> <p>In general, before requesting matching funding from the VPR, researchers must have first sought funding support from the researcher's home department, Faculty, or research centre. The typical order for seeking institutional support is first the researcher's department (or Centre/Institute, as appropriate), then Faculty Dean, then the VPR. To be eligible for VPR matching support, contributions from the Faculty or Unit should demonstrably be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- new funding committed specifically for the project forming the basis of an external application;</li> <li>- in the form of cash (in-kind contributions from Faculties or Units can not be matched by cash support from the VPR);</li> <li>- commensurate with the scope of the proposed activities (e.g., number of partners, intended outcomes, funding requested from external agency, etc.); and</li> <li>- confirmed in the submission to this online portal at least <b>4 weeks</b> prior to the external grant application deadline.</li> </ul>	<p>External funding programs often require or encourage cash and/or in-kind contributions from host institutions and partner organizations. The Vice-President, Research (VPR) has created this portal for researchers seeking;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- matching funds to support an external grant application; and</li> <li>- discretionary grants, typically small amounts, for activities not connected to an external grant application.</li> </ul> <p>Applicants seeking funding from certain grant programs that require some level of matching support from the host institution are eligible to apply for matching funds from the VPR, as are those applying to programs for which there is a competitive advantage to demonstrating institutional support at the time of application.</p> <p>Researchers may also seek discretionary VPR funds in support of research, meetings and workshops, and equipment needs that are not directly connected with an external grant application.</p> <p><a href="#">Application for Matching or Discretionary VPR Funding</a></p>

		<p><u><i>Discretionary VPR Grants</i></u>  To request a discretionary VPR grant, the applicant may make an application through this portal. Discretionary VPR grants are available for activities not connected or supported by an external grant, including support for research meetings and workshops, equipment, travel, etc.</p> <p>Applicants are normally expected to seek some level of support from the Faculty Dean, Departmental Chair, or Unit Head in their request. It is expected that researchers will utilize other existing internal sources of funding before approaching the VPR. These sources include the Explore/Exchange Program, Match of Minds, and researchers' PER funds, which may be aggregated over a number of years to support larger expenses.</p>	
External Deadline: June 20 November 1 February 1 May 1	<b>SSHRC - CONNECTION GRANTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="https://www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca">Connection Grants (sshrc-crsh.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	Supports events and outreach activities geared toward short-term targeted knowledge mobilization initiatives. Events: \$7,000 to \$25,000. Outreach activities: \$7,000 to \$50,000. Higher amounts may be considered if well justified. This program requires 50% matching funds. <a href="#">SSHRC</a>
NOI: August 27 Full application deadline: November 5	<b>NEW FRONTIERS IN RESEARCH FUND - EXPLORATION</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="https://www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca">Exploration (sshrc-crsh.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	The objective of the Exploration stream is to support high-risk, high-reward and interdisciplinary research. It seeks to inspire projects that bring disciplines together beyond traditional disciplinary or common interdisciplinary approaches by research teams with the capacity to explore something new that might fail, but has the potential for significant impact. <a href="#">New Frontiers in Research Fund</a>
Internal Deadline: September 6 External Deadline: September 27	<b>ONTARIO RESEARCH FUND: RESEARCH EXCELLENCE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="https://www.ontario.ca">Ontario Research Fund: Research Excellence   ontario.ca</a></li> </ul>	The Ontario Research Fund - Research Excellence (ORF-RE) provides research institutions with funding to support the operational costs of major projects of strategic value to the province. <a href="#">Ministry of Colleges and Universities</a>
External Deadline: September 17	<b>BANTING POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="https://www.fellowships-bourses.gc.ca">Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships (fellowships-bourses.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	The Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships program funds the very best postdoctoral applicants, both nationally and internationally, who will positively contribute to the country's economic, social and research-based growth. The objective of the Banting PDFs program is to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attract and retain top-tier postdoctoral talent, both</li> </ul>

			<p>nationally and internationally</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop their leadership potential</li> <li>• Position them for success as research leaders of tomorrow</li> </ul> <p>Potential candidates must work closely with a supervisor who supports their candidacy. The Banting PDFs program is highly competitive, with only 70 fellowships per year distributed equally among the three granting agencies: CIHR, NSERC and SSHRC. The awards are valued at \$70,000 per year for 2 years (non-renewable). Additionally, successful applications will receive support from Brock's Vice-President of Research in the amount of \$7500/year for 2 years. Institutions are expected to be highly selective in the applications that they submit.</p> <p><a href="#">Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships (sharepoint.com)</a></p>
Internal External Deadline: October 1	SSHRC - INSIGHT GRANTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Website: <a href="#">Insight Grants (sshrc-crsh.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	<p>Funding is available to both emerging and established scholars for long-term research initiatives of three to five years. It enables scholars to address complex issues pertaining to individuals and societies and to further our collective understanding. Stream A: \$7,000 to \$100,000 &amp; Stream B: \$100,001 to \$400,000. <a href="#">SSHRC</a></p>
External Deadline: October 5	MOLSON PRIZES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Website: <a href="#">Guidelines: Molson Prizes   Canada Council for the Arts</a></li> </ul> <p>A candidate may only be nominated in one category, and an individual may receive this award only once in a lifetime.</p>	<p>Two Canada Council for the Arts (CCA) Molson Prizes in the amount of \$50,000 each are awarded annually to distinguished individuals - one in the arts and the other in the social sciences and humanities. The prizes are intended to encourage continuing contributions to the cultural and intellectual heritage of Canada. <a href="#">Molson Prizes</a></p>
Office of Research Deadline: October 15	CHANCELLOR'S CHAIR FOR RESEARCH EXCELLENCE	<p><b>Nomination Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Brock University faculty who are tenure-track or tenured</b> may be nominated. The award may be held during a sabbatical leave and in conjunction with other external, peer-reviewed grants (e.g., SSHRC, NSERC, or CIHR). Award holders are active scholars who have demonstrated excellence and the potential to make significant contributions to the advancement of their field. This award is not for, but not restricted to, early- to mid-career faculty at the Assistant or Associate level. This award is not for "career" contributions.</li> <li>• Exclusions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prior CCRE award holders</li> <li>• Retired or Professors Emeriti</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Chancellor's Chair for Research Excellence (CCRE) has been offered by Brock University since 2001 to recognize scholarly excellence in early to mid-career faculty at the university. This award is intended to encourage and sustain high levels of scholarly performance for faculty who have made, or will make, exceptional contributions in their field. In 2024, one award will be conferred.</li> <li>• The awardee will undertake a defined, three-year research program that will lead to a significant development in scholarship (e.g., a scholarly monograph or a state-of-the-art review that may lead to a seminal series of scholarly lectures). The proposed research program may be integrated within a broader research and scholarly focus. In the final year of the award, the</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Those with salary support prizes (e.g., Canada Research Chair, NSERC Chair, an endowed chair) or on non-paid leave (e.g., political leave).</li> <li>• If not successful in one competition, an individual may be re-nominated in a subsequent competition. <i>Nominations will <u>not</u> be carried over from one competition to the next.</i></li> </ul> <p>The award period is three years. The award is not renewable, portable or transferable.</p>	<p>research findings will be shared with the Brock University community.</p> <p><a href="#">Chancellor's Chair for Research Excellence</a></p>
Deadline: October 15	<b>DEAN'S STRATEGIC DISCRETIONARY FUND</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Website: <a href="#">Dean's Discretionary Fund - Faculty of Humanities (brocku.ca)</a></li> </ul>	The Faculty of Humanities has money available in the Dean's Discretionary Fund to support initiatives related to the following strategic priorities: teaching, research, student experience, and community engagement.
October 15	<b>HUMANITIES RESEARCH INSTITUTE FUNDING</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The application must be received by 4:00 pm on the day of the deadline. Email your application to the HRI (<a href="mailto:hri@brocku.ca">hri@brocku.ca</a>). Only electronic applications will be accepted.</li> <li>• Website: <a href="#">HRI Funding - Faculty of Humanities (brocku.ca)</a></li> </ul>	<p><u>HRI Associates Research Funding</u></p> <p>This funding provides research awards to Humanities Research Institute (HRI) Associates to advance their research programs and support submission to an external granting agency. The HRI will also consider applications for funding to help the completion of funded research projects or creative works.</p> <p><u>HRI Associates Conference and Event Funding</u></p> <p>This funding provides partial support for conferences and events arranged or coordinated by HRI Associates and held within twelve months of the competition deadline. The event does not necessarily have to be held at Brock but must clearly relate to or enrich the Humanities experience at Brock University or promote the reputation of the Faculty of Humanities at Brock.</p>
NOI deadline: October 24 LOI deadline: January 10	<b>NEW FRONTIERS IN RESEARCH FUND - TRANSFORMATION</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Website: <a href="#">Transformation (sshrc-crsh.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	<p>The Transformation is designed to support large-scale, Canadian-led interdisciplinary research projects that address a major challenge with the potential to realize real and lasting change (high-reward). The challenge may be fundamental, leading to a scientific breakthrough, or applied, with a social, economic, environmental or health impact. Projects are expected to be world-leading, drawing on global research expertise where relevant.</p> <p><a href="#">New Frontiers in Research Fund</a></p>

<p>Deadline: November 15</p>	<p><b>RESEARCH CAPACITY PROGRAM (RCP)</b></p>	<p><b>General Eligibility Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Researchers in all Brock departments and Faculties and the Brock Library are eligible to apply, including researchers holding limited-term appointments (LTAs), provided that they are eligible for the external funding opportunity to which they intend to apply.</li> <li>• Applicants in limited-term positions are required to provide documentation of current employment status with Brock (such as the letter of employment or a letter from the Dean or University Librarian indicating the tenure of their position).</li> <li>• Recipients must be affiliated with Brock University and must maintain such an affiliation for the duration of the grant period. Researcher who maintain an affiliation with Brock University, but whose primary affiliation is with a non-Canadian institution, are not eligible to hold these awards.</li> <li>• Researchers cannot receive RCP funding more than once for the same project.</li> <li>• Researchers awaiting results of \$200,000 or greater application at the time of RCP competition can apply if they commit to submitting an application in the specified time frame. If the application under review is accepted and their RCP application is successful, they may submit a SECOND application to an external funder or withdraw from the RCP. They may get the RCP more than once for the same project as there is no stipulation that they can get RCP only if it is their first attempt.</li> <li>• Researchers who have received a previous RCP award but not completed the application for external funding as a Principal Investigator are ineligible to submit an application.</li> </ul>	<p>The Research Capacity Program (RCP) enables Brock researchers in all Faculties and Brock Library to apply for a temporary teaching reduction, with the aim of supporting grant applications for significant external research funding.</p> <p>The primary purpose of this program is to support the Institutional Strategic Plan goal to “grow application rates, success rates and overall income for grant application,” as a means to “build research capacity across the University.”</p> <p>The RCP supports BUFA members at any stage of their career who intend to apply as a Principal Investigator for a Tri-Agency grant valued at \$200,000 or more from the List of Designated Programs below, or another large grant by Vice-President, Research approval. Successful applicants who accept the RCP Award commit to applying to one of the approved external competitions within 16 months of receiving the award.</p> <p><i>List of Designated Grant Programs</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any Tri-Agency Grant proposal requesting \$200,000 or more is eligible;</li> <li>• Any other grant program proposal requesting \$200,000 or more is eligible with the approval of the Vice-President, Research following a recommendation for the applicant’s Dean or University Librarian.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://sharepoint.com">Research Capacity Program (RCP) (sharepoint.com)</a></p>
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External Deadline: November 15	<b>SSHRC - PARTNERSHIP DEVELOPMENT GRANTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="https://www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca">Partnership Development Grants (sshrc-crsh.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	These grants are one to three years in duration and provide support (\$7000-\$25,000) to develop research and related activities by fostering new partnerships for research and related activities involving existing and/or potential partners, as well as to design and test new partnership approaches for research and/or related activities. <a href="#">SSHRC</a>
External Deadline: December 1	<b>EARLY RESEARCHER AWARD</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="https://www.ontario.ca">Early Researcher Awards   ontario.ca</a></li> </ul>	Helps promising, recently appointed Ontario researchers build their research teams of undergraduates, graduate students, post-doctoral fellows, research assistants, associates, and technicians. <a href="#">Ministry of Colleges and Universities</a>
December 9	<b>HUMANITIES RESEARCH INSTITUTE FALL TERM SYMPOSIUM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dr. Charles A. Sankey Chamber</li> <li>Website: <a href="https://www.brocku.ca">Conferences and Symposia - Faculty of Humanities (brocku.ca)</a></li> </ul>	
Deadline: December 9	<b>SSHRC - KNOWLEDGE SYNTHESIS GRANTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="https://www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca">Knowledge Synthesis Grants: Shifting Dynamics of Privilege and Marginalization (sshrc-crsh.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	Knowledge Synthesis Grants support researchers in producing knowledge synthesis reports and evidence briefs that support the use of evidence in decision-making and the application of best practices and assist in developing future research agendas. <a href="#">SSHRC</a>
Deadline: January 15 March 15 (Rolling)	<b>INDIGENOUS RESEARCH GRANT</b>	<p><b>Eligibility Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Researchers and professional Librarians are eligible to apply, including postdoctoral researchers those holding limited-term appointments, and adjunct faculty.</li> <li>Applicants in limited-term positions are required to include documentation of current employment status with Brock and must account for their contract end date in the proposal as it relates to the scope of the project.</li> <li>Recipients whose affiliation with Brock ends on a date before the end of the grant period may not access any unspent grant funds following that date.</li> <li>Individuals may not hold more than one Indigenous Research Grant as Primary Investigator at a time.</li> <li>Students are not eligible to hold grants; however, researchers are encouraged to employ students in their funded research.</li> </ul>	<p>The Indigenous Research Grant provides funding to either Indigenous researchers or to those undertaking research or creative activities in any discipline/topic that relates to Indigenous peoples.</p> <p><b>The program supports:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The advancement of research programs for Indigenous researchers as well as Indigenous-focused research at Brock University.</li> <li>Advancing the interest and expertise in Indigenous research areas.</li> <li>Research that is invested in core principles of respect, reciprocity, relevance, ethical relations building, and community engagement.</li> <li>Small-scale innovative research or creative projects that will provide a foundation for the development of external grant submissions.</li> <li>Students at any level to participate in their project (with preference toward students who self-identify as First Nations, Inuit, Métis, and/or another</li> </ul>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indigenous group).</li> <li>Building capacity across disciplines to collaborate on transdisciplinary topics.</li> </ul> <a href="#">Indigenous Research Grant (sharepoint.com)</a>
External Deadline: February 2	SSHRC - INSIGHT DEVELOPMENT GRANTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="#">Insight Development Grants (sshrc-crsh.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	<p>These grants support research in its initial stages enabling the development of new research questions, as well as experimentation with new methods, theoretical approaches and/or ideas. Funding (\$7,000 to \$75,000) is provided for short-term research development projects, of up to two years, proposed by individuals or teams. Insight Development Grants foster research in its early stages but are not intended to support large-scale initiatives.</p> <p>Funding is available for two distinct categories of scholars: <a href="#">emerging scholars</a> and <a href="#">established scholars</a>. <a href="#">SSHRC</a></p>
External Deadline: February 4	CANADA FOUNDATION FOR INNOVATION - INNOVATION FUND	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="#">2023 Innovation Fund competition   Innovation.ca</a></li> </ul>	<p>This supports promising and innovative research or technology development in areas where Canada currently is, or has the potential to be, competitive on the global stage. <a href="#">Canadian Foundation for Innovation</a></p>
External Deadline: February 10	SSHRC - PARTNERSHIP STAGE 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="#">Partnership Grants—Stage 1 (sshrc-crsh.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	<p>These grants provide support (Stage 1: Up to \$20,000; Stage 2 (<b>by invitation only</b>): up to \$2.5 million) for new and existing 4-7 year formal partnerships to advance research, research training and/or knowledge mobilization through mutual co-operation and sharing of intellectual leadership, as well as through resources as evidenced by cash and/or in-kind contributions. <a href="#">SSHRC</a></p>
Deadline: Feb 15	DISTINGUISHED RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACTIVITY (DRCA) AWARD EARLY CAREER RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACTIVITY (DRCA) AWARD	<p><b>General Eligibility Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nominees must be Brock University Faculty Association (BUFA) members, and the award must be held while employed by Brock University.</li> <li>Researchers and professional Librarians in all Brock departments and Faculties, including researchers holding limited-term appointments, may be nominated.</li> <li>Nominees in limited-term positions must include documentation of current employment status with Brock.</li> <li>Recipients whose affiliation with Brock ends before the end of the Award period may not access any unspent funds following that date.</li> </ul> <p><i>Please read the guidelines and conditions for the relevant award carefully as there are important differences between the two.</i></p>	<p><b><u>Award Description</u></b></p> <p>The Award for <b>Distinguished Research and Creative Activity</b> has been offered by Brock University since 1994 to recognize outstanding achievements among Brock faculty. Previously, the award provided \$2,000 to successful applicants. Based on feedback from nominees and the Associate Deans of Research, and as part of the continued commitment to building research capacity across the University, the program has been redesigned. The Brock University Faculty Association (BUFA) and Office of the Vice-President, Research (VPR) are collaborating to offer two annual awards:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. An Early Career Research and Creative Activity Award in the amount of \$5,000; and</li> <li>2. A Distinguished Research and Creative Activity Award, for</li> </ol>

		<p><b><u>Early Career Research and Creative Activity Award</u></b></p> <p>The ECRCA is open to Early Career Researchers (ECRs), defined as those who have started their academic career on or after January 1, 2016.</p> <p>Please note that the window for ECRs will be adjusted considering career interruptions (e.g, parental leave, extended sick leave, family care etc.).</p> <p><b><u>Distinguished Research and Creative Activity Award</u></b></p> <p>The Distinguished Research and Creative Activity Award is open to Established Researchers (ERs), defined as Brock University employees who have held an appointment for more than 5 years as of May 1, 2024.</p>	<p>established researchers, in the amount of \$10,000.</p> <p>Both awards are designed to recognize achievements in research, contributions toward the training or mentoring of future researchers, scholarly activity, and creative performance.</p> <p>The awardee(s) will receive a certificate and either a \$5,000 or \$10,000 award in the form of a research grant. Awardee(s) will speak at Convocation and will share their research findings with the Brock University community and more broadly, through an on-line video, which will be produced by the Office of Research Services.</p> <p>Nominations for both awards will be peer-reviewed by an internal adjudication committee. <a href="#">Award for Distinguished Research and Creative Activity</a></p>
<p>External Deadline: February 15 June 15 October 15</p>	<p><b>CANADA FOUNDATION FOR INNOVATION - JOHN R. EVANS LEADERS FUND</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website: <a href="#">John R. Evans Leaders Fund (JELF)   Canada Foundation for Innovation</a></li> </ul>	<p>JELF helps institutions by acquiring the infrastructure needed to attract and retain researchers who are undertaking cutting-edge inquiry. <a href="#">Canadian Foundation for Innovation</a></p>
<p>Office of Research Deadline: March 1</p>	<p><b>MATCH OF MINDS GRANTS</b></p>	<p><b><u>Eligibility Criteria: Students</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students must be a full-time undergraduate or graduate student at Brock University, OR, in exceptional cases, be an incoming full-time graduate student to Brock University.</li> <li>Students cannot have received Match of Minds funding in the past. Students may hold only one (1) Match of Minds award.</li> <li>Students are not eligible to hold both the NSERC Undergraduate Student Research Award (USRA) and Match of Minds award in the same year.</li> </ol> <p><b><u>Eligibility Criteria: Supervisors</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BUFA researchers and anyone authorized to serve as faculty supervisor in all faculties and units are eligible to apply, including researchers holding limited-term appointments and adjunct professors.</li> <li>Applicants who are adjunct or in limited-term positions must include documentation of current employment status with Brock, and if applicable, identifies that they are authorized to supervise student research (e.g., letter of appointment, copy of list of eligible supervisors, email from</li> </ol>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Match of Minds program provides research employment opportunities for students across all faculties as well as non-faculty units, which are intended to expand their potential to participate in research. The program also encourages the development of skills and abilities of students for future employment, in turn also improving the quality of Research Assistants available to faculty researchers at the graduate level.</li> <li>The Match of Minds program offers up to \$5,000 for student employment. Students may be hired over the course of the full year. Supervisors are responsible for all elements of the hiring process, which is coordinated by the supervisor and Office of People and Culture.</li> <li>Students may be employed between May 1st and April 30th each year. <a href="#">Match of Minds</a></li> </ul>



		<p>department chair or graduate program director).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Recipients whose affiliation with Brock ends on a date before the end of the grant period may not access any unspent grant funds following that date.</li> <li>4. Retired faculty are ineligible to apply.</li> <li>5. Supervisors may hold only one (1) Match of Minds award per year.</li> <li>6. Supervisors may submit only one (1) Match of Minds application. Potential supervisors are encouraged to direct students to other faculty members who could submit an application.</li> </ol>	
March 15	<b>HUMANITIES RESEARCH INSTITUTE FUNDING</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The application must be received by 4:00 pm on the day of the deadline. Email your application to the HRI (<a href="mailto:hri@brocku.ca">hri@brocku.ca</a>). Only electronic applications will be accepted.</li> <li>• Website: <a href="#">HRI Funding - Faculty of Humanities (brocku.ca)</a></li> </ul>	<p><u>HRI Associates Research Funding</u></p> <p>This funding provides research awards to Humanities Research Institute (HRI) Associates to advance their research programs and support submission to an external granting agency. The HRI will also consider applications for funding to help the completion of funded research projects or creative works.</p> <p><u>HRI Associates Conference and Event Funding</u></p> <p>This funding provides partial support for conferences and events arranged or coordinated by HRI Associates and held within twelve months of the competition deadline. The event does not necessarily have to be held at Brock but must clearly relate to or enrich the Humanities experience at Brock University or promote the reputation of the Faculty of Humanities at Brock.</p>
External Deadline: Mar 15	<b>ROYAL SOCIETY OF CANADA</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Website: <a href="#">The Royal Society of Canada   (rsc-src.ca)</a></li> </ul>	RSC Fellows are scholars who have made remarkable contributions in the arts, the humanities and the sciences, as well as in Canadian public life. As an Institutional Member, Brock University may nominate faculty for RSC members and Associated awards.
Nomination Deadline: April	<b>CANADA RESEARCH CHAIRS PROGRAM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Website: <a href="#">Canada Research Chairs (chairs-chaire.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	<p>Academic units are invited to submit proposals to recruit one Tier 1 SSHRC Canada Research Chair or one Tier 2 SSHRC Indigenous-targeted Canada Research Chair in an identified scholarly area. The selected position will be filled through a search process open to internal and external candidates.</p> <p><a href="#">Canada Research Chairs (sharepoint.com)</a></p>

<p>External Deadline: April 3</p>	<p><b>SSHRC - IMPACT AWARDS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Website: <a href="https://sshrc-crsh.gc.ca">SSHRC Impact Awards (sshrc-crsh.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	<p>The awards recognize outstanding researchers and celebrate their research achievements, research training, knowledge mobilization, and outreach activities funded partially or entirely by SSHRC. <a href="#">SSHRC Impact Awards</a></p>
<p>April 7</p>	<p><b>HUMANITIES RESEARCH INSTITUTE SPRING TERM SYMPOSIUM</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Charles A. Sankey Chamber</li> <li>• Website: <a href="https://brocku.ca">Conferences and Symposia - Faculty of Humanities (brocku.ca)</a></li> </ul>	
<p>External Deadline: May 22 September 15 December 15 March 15</p>	<p><b>SSHRC - PARTNERSHIP ENGAGE GRANTS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Website: <a href="https://sshrc-crsh.gc.ca">Partnership Engage Grants (sshrc-crsh.gc.ca)</a></li> </ul>	<p>Supports the short-term research needs, challenges and opportunities facing organizations in the not-for-profit, public and private sectors. Valued between \$7,000 and \$25,000, they are designed for a single non-academic partner organization and are offered four times per year. <a href="#">SSHRC</a></p>
<p>Deadline: June 15 November 15</p>	<p><b>EXCHANGE GRANTS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Researchers and professional Librarians in all Brock departments and faculties are eligible to apply, including researchers holding limited-term appointments (LTAs).</li> <li>• Applicants in limited-term positions are required to provide documentation of current employment status with Brock (such as the letter of employment or a letter from the Dean dated within the last 12 months indicating the tenure of their position).</li> <li>• Recipients whose affiliation with Brock ends on a date before the end of the grant period may not access any unspent grant funds following that date.</li> <li>• Students are not eligible to hold an Exchange grant; however, researchers are encouraged to employ students in their funded research.</li> <li>• Previous Exchange recipients will not be eligible to apply to this program again until 1 year after their successful grant term has ended.</li> <li>• Recipients must be affiliated with Brock University and must maintain such an affiliation for the duration of the grant period. Researchers who maintain an affiliation with Brock University, but whose primary affiliation is with a non-Canadian institution, are not eligible to hold these grants.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exchange grants provide Brock researchers in all faculties with funding to complete knowledge mobilization/translation activities to advance their research programs, exchange ideas, and support submission to an external granting agency such as NSERC, CIHR, SSHRC, or non-Tri-Agency funders.</li> <li>• The organization of small-scale knowledge mobilization activities (e.g., workshops and seminars) to encourage collaboration and the dissemination of research results both within and beyond the academic community; and</li> <li>• Attendance or presentation of research at scholarly conferences and other dissemination venues. <a href="#">Exchange Grants (sharepoint.com)</a></li> </ul>

<p>Deadline: June 15 November 15</p>	<p><b>EXPLORE GRANTS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Researchers and professional Librarians in all Brock departments and faculties are eligible to apply, including researchers holding limited-term appointments (LTAs).</li> <li>• Applicants in limited-term positions are required to provide documentation of current employment status with Brock (such as the letter of employment or a letter from the Dean dated within the last 12 months indicating the tenure of their position).</li> <li>• Recipients whose affiliation with Brock ends on a date before the end of the grant period may not access any unspent grant funds following that date.</li> <li>• Students are not eligible to hold an Exchange grant; however, researchers are encouraged to employ students in their funded research.</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> Explore grant recipients are expected to submit a subsequent application to an external agency <b>within 16 months of receipt of the Notice of Award</b>. Those who do not submit an application will not be eligible to re-apply. Exceptions may be granted under extenuating circumstances.</li> <li>• Previous Explore recipients will not be eligible to apply to this program again until 1 year after their successful grant term has ended.</li> <li>• Recipients must be affiliated with Brock University and must maintain such an affiliation for the duration of the grant period. Researchers who maintain an affiliation with Brock University, but whose primary affiliation is with a non-Canadian institution, are not eligible to hold these grants.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explore grants provide Brock researchers win all facilities with funding to complete preliminary research in order to advance their research programs and support submission to an external granting agency such as NSERC, CIHR, SSHRC, or non-Tri-Agency funders.</li> <li>• Faculty members at any stage of their career who intend to apply for external funding;</li> <li>• Small-scale innovation and experimentation by providing funding to develop a research project or conduct pilot work; and</li> <li>• Researchers intending to hire students at any level to participate in their research projects, thereby contributing to their professional development. <a href="#">Explore Grants (sharepoint.com)</a></li> </ul>
<p>External Deadline: tba</p>	<p><b>NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL CANADA - DOROTHY KILLAM FELLOWSHIPS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Website: <a href="#">National Killam Program - National Research Council Canada</a></li> </ul>	<p>The Dorothy Killam Fellowships provide support to scholars of exceptional ability by granting them time to pursue research projects of broad significance and widespread interest within the disciplines of the humanities, social sciences, natural sciences, health sciences, engineering or studies linking any of these disciplines. These Fellowships are now specifically targeted to mid-career researchers in need of relief from teaching and administrative duties to focus on their research career.</p>

External Deadline: tba	<b>NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL CANADA - KILLAM PRIZE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Website: <a href="#">National Killam Program - National Research Council Canada</a></li></ul>	The Killam Prizes are awarded to active Canadian scholars who have distinguished themselves through sustained research excellence, making a significant impact in their respective fields in the humanities, social sciences, natural sciences, health sciences, and engineering.
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