



FMS RESEARCH ENTERPRISE

APPLICATION for a DEAN of FMS RESEARCH AWARD 2020-2021

The aim of these awards is to provide FMS faculty assistance with their research programs in the form of either time or money.

The funds of \$7000.00 can be used toward either:

- (a) A 0.5 course release in 2020-2021.
- (b) Research costs (including materials and supplies, software and licenses, stipends for graduate students or research assistants). A request for a 0.5 course release must have the support of the department chair.

In a letter of application of no more than 500 words, please describe how an award at this time would benefit your research program and productivity, specifying how the award will be used and the timeframe. Send applications to [Dorothy Witte](mailto:Dorothy.Witte@brocku.ca) dwitte@brocku.ca by Friday, May 29, 2020. A decision will be provided by June 15, 2020. Successful applicants will provide a report (up to 500 words) on research outcomes that were provided by the award.

The adjudication committee will consist of Department Chairs and Associate Deans of FMS and will be chaired by the Dean of FMS. Up to 10 awards will be allocated with the goal of equitable distribution of awards across the 6 departments and a minimum of 3 of the 10 will be awarded to women faculty.

Preference will be given to faculty whose teaching load is 2 full courses in 2020-2021.

The first step of adjudication will involve Department Chairs ranking applications from within their departments.

The adjudication will then proceed on the (up to) three highest ranked from each department. The adjudication committee will consider the principles of equity, diversity, and inclusiveness in allocation of awards.