Welcome back to the UWG campus and the 2017-2018 academic year!

ORSP has increased the resources available to assist you in applying for external funding.

We hope you will continue to take advantage of the resources found below:

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**Grant Forward**

Grant Forward is a search engine where users can search for funding opportunities (federal-research, state-research, foundation-research, etc.) across all fields. Grant Forward aggregates various funding opportunities from different websites into one database. You are able to search by sponsor, deadline date, keyword, and other criteria.

Use your westga.edu email address and password to sign up for Grant Forward under the "Institutional Account" sign up tab at https://www.grantforward.com.
The ORSP website has many various resources posted on our website, including:

- **The Project Concept Form** - This form will not only help you organize your first thoughts about your project, but it will also let our office know what your interests are so that we can begin searching for a funding source.
- **Training Request Form** - This is a handy way to let our office know that you would like to request training on ORSP-related topics, including GrantForward, Qualtrics, and more!
- **External Funding Opportunities** - This is a quick list of major grant funding sources.
- **External Funder Toolbox** - This work in progress currently includes information on how to apply for an NSF grant, as well as information about Foundation, Corporate and Non-Profit support.

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**UWGResearch-list**

Our office manages a list-serv (uwgregui-research-list). Members of the list-serv receive information about upcoming grant opportunities, workshops, and relevant research news. Contact Amber Kelley (akelley@westga.edu) if you would like to be added to this list-serv.

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**ORSP Grant Writing Consultant**

Dr. Julie Hawk, who is also a UWG English lecturer, focuses on helping faculty create clear, concise narratives for their proposals. She is an experienced cross-disciplinary grant writer, and can assist faculty with refining their ideas and getting them on paper. If you are interested in her services, please contact her directly at jhawk@westga.edu

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Questions?