

Explanation Exhibit C.3.g.2

C.3.g.2. Continued professional advancement.

The GC SON budget provides annual travel support for faculty to attend conferences and workshops to continue professional advancement. Each faculty member has the opportunity to request approval for two rounds of funding to attend or present at meetings. Additional travel monies are available when faculty members or program coordinators are asked to represent the School or University at professional meetings (see Exhibit II C.3.g.2).

The [Center for Teaching and Learning \(CTL\)](#) fosters academic excellence by supporting and advancing collaborative, innovative, and engaged evidence-based teaching/learning experiences in and beyond the classroom. During each academic year a number of classes and workshops are offered to support faculty. Additional CTL supports faculty research by facilitating Faculty Research Grants that provide seed money for faculty to expand their research effort and gain opportunities for external funding. Individual and groups learning groups work sessions are provided on topics such as Quality Matters training and certification for online classes.

Tenure Track Faculty are expected to participate in at least one scholarly activity a year and to maintain excellence in teaching. This expectation are identified on the annual faculty evaluation guidelines.

Exhibits:

1. Summer Revenue Procedure
2. Examples of Faculty Research Grants
3. Annual faculty Evaluation Guidelines