CFA BIPOC GRANT SUPPORT REQUEST FORM

Name ______________________________ Phone ___________ Date __________
Department __________________________ Email __________________________
Date of Expenditure __________________________

Description: With funding from the legacy of the George A.V. Dunning Foundation, the CFA BIPOC Initiative has been endowed to provide financial support to a wide variety of programs and activities that promote and support DEI commitments in the college. Amongst many things, the initiative is designed to increase: visibility of BIPOC artists and artwork within the college; bring BIPOC teacher/artists/scholars/clinicians to campus to engage students through public lectures, performances, workshops, exhibitions, and other engagements; and support deep immersive experiences with BIPOC artists in the diverse cultural communities of the Los Angeles area. The grant is not to simply augment classroom visitations, but to create public events for a broader audience. In allyship within issues of diversity, equity, and inclusion applications will also be accepted to advance understanding, visibility, and rights of members of the LGBTQ+ community.

This fund is not available for any form of travel other than invited artists from outside of the Los Angeles area, and to facilitate student visitation/attendance at BIPOC related events off campus.

All tenured/tenure track and term faculty in the College of Communication and Fine Arts are eligible to apply for this grant with the initial support and verification of the Department Chair. All allocations are finalized by the Dean. Applications will be reviewed on a first-come-first considered basis. Funding will not be granted retroactively. Only one award consideration will be made to faculty member within an academic year. Department-based and internal/interdisciplinary CFA faculty collaborations are encouraged, such collaborations could include all Contingent Faculty.

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TOTAL COST:

Purpose of Support: (Attach a 500-word max narrative description. Please indicate whether additional funding for the larger projected is received from any other source.) Initial applications are limited to a request of no more than $8,000 with consideration for exceptional interdisciplinary proposals. Partial funding may be offered. Department chairs are encouraged to write a 50-100 word statement of understanding and support of the proposal.

* Please recognized that all expenses must be documented with receipts of payment.

Faculty Signature ___________________________ Date _________
Department Chair ___________________________ Date _________
Dean’s Office _______________________________ Date _________