HEALTH RESEARCH GRANT PROGRAM

Deadline: **January 16, 2024 5:00 P.M. CST**

Questions regarding these guidelines may be directed to David Borgmeyer in the Office of the Vice President for Research, at (314) 977-1129, Email: david.borgmeyer@slu.edu

PURPOSE, GOALS, AND OBJECTIVES OF THE FUND

This grant program is intended to encourage applied health sciences research projects to conceptualize a larger application for external funding. Collaborative groups are emphasized, and new working relationships are encouraged. Applications for pilot projects should include a tentative plan for a future structured grant, the extent of each collaborator's contribution to the proposal, and a clear description of how the seed money will support the future grant application.

We encourage you to connect with your Associate Dean for Research or members of the Health Research Council (HRC) for any specific questions about this funding opportunity.

5. **CURRICULUM VITA/BIOSKETCH - 5 pages maximum.**

Provide a current curriculum vita or current NIH-format biosketch for all key personnel (PD/PI, Co- PI, and Co-I). Content should emphasize information on positions and honors, research support for the past three years, how they are contributing to the project, and publications relevant to the project.

6. **CHAIR APPROVAL LETTER - Special Requirement for School of Medicine PIs/Collaborators)**

All key personnel on the proposed project who are working within the School of Medicine must include a letter or email from their department chair acknowledging support for the application. If selected for funding, the chair will be contacted for approval prior to an award being initiated.

APPLICATION SUBMISSION

Applications should be submitted via the Openwater portal. Log in to myslu.slu.edu and click on the Openwater icon in the 'Tools' tab. You can log in using your current SLU email address (i.e., first.last@slu.edu) and your password. The first time you log in, you will be asked to set up your profile.

Applicants will receive an email confirming receipt. Late applications will not be considered.