Provost's Report to the Academic Senate

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Provost Brown

Academic Affairs Strategic Priorities (2023-24 AY)

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Strategic Priority 1: CO/Presidential Initiatives

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Strategic Priority 2: Investing in Polytechnic

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Strategic Priority 3: Growing Polytechnic

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Enrollment Management & Services

FAFSA Simplification

FAFSA Simplification will be the most significant change to financial aid in over 40 years, starting with the upcoming 2024–2025 aid year.

- The redesigned FAFSA is expected to launch in December 2023 for the 2024-25 academic year — a delay from the typical Oct. 1 release date.
- The 2024-25 Priority Filing deadline will be extended one month to April 2, 2024.
- The changes will impact everything related to financial aid.

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FAFSA Simplification – Few Key Changes

Expected Family Contribution (EFC) will become the Student Aid Index (SAI)

Everyone is required to create an FSA ID to access and submit the FAFSA

Everyone whose data is on FAFSA must consent to their information being transferred from the IRS, including non-tax-filers. No consent = Not eligible for aid.

Household size based on people listed on Tax Return

Students can no longer enter income information for parents

It will rely almost exclusively on information from a family's recent tax return (still prior year)

Less aid for multiple children in college

Increases aid for single parents

Expanding Access to Federal Pell Grants

And much more…

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Celebrating Faculty Tenured and Promoted to Associate Professor

College of Environmental Design

So Ra Baek

College of Education and Integrative Studies

Jeffrey Roy
Maya Stovall

Letters, Arts and Social Sciences

James Blair
David DeVore
Mark Generous
Sarah Krainin
Kate Ozmet
Jesse Portillo

Collins College

Hyounae Min
Sungsik Yoon

College of Science

Shohreh Abolrahimi
Breanna Binder
Anne Cawley
Laura Killick
Minhyuk Kwon
Srdjan Lemez
James Risk
Cristina Runnalls

College of Engineering

Mohamed Aly
Carlos Castro Candelas
Tamer Omar
Payam Parsa
Huseyin Ucar

Promotion to Full Professor

Huntley College of Agriculture

Kimberly Miller
Joanne Sohn

College of Business Administration

Xugang Guo
Fei Kang
Ronald Pike
Preeti Wadhwa

Collins College of Hospitality Management

Patrick Lee

College of Education and Integrative Studies

Denise Kennedy

College of Environmental Design

Rennie Tang

College of Science

Jeremy Claisse
Edward Jo
Yan Liu

Letters, Arts and Social Sciences

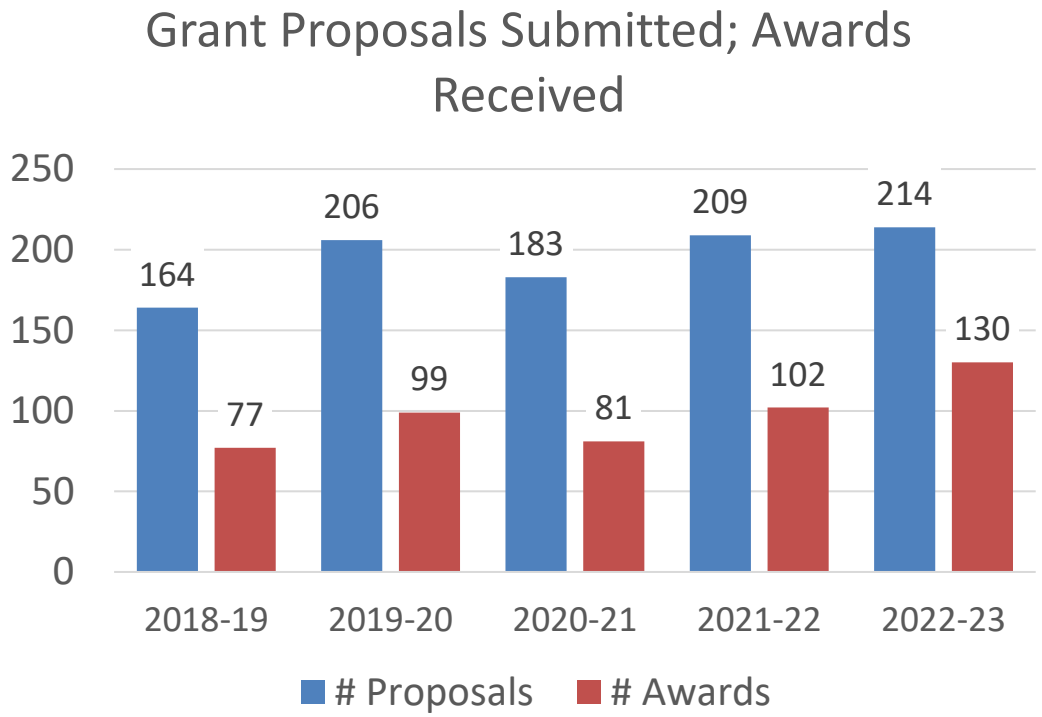
Neil Chaturvedi
Aaron DeRosa
Craig Kerr

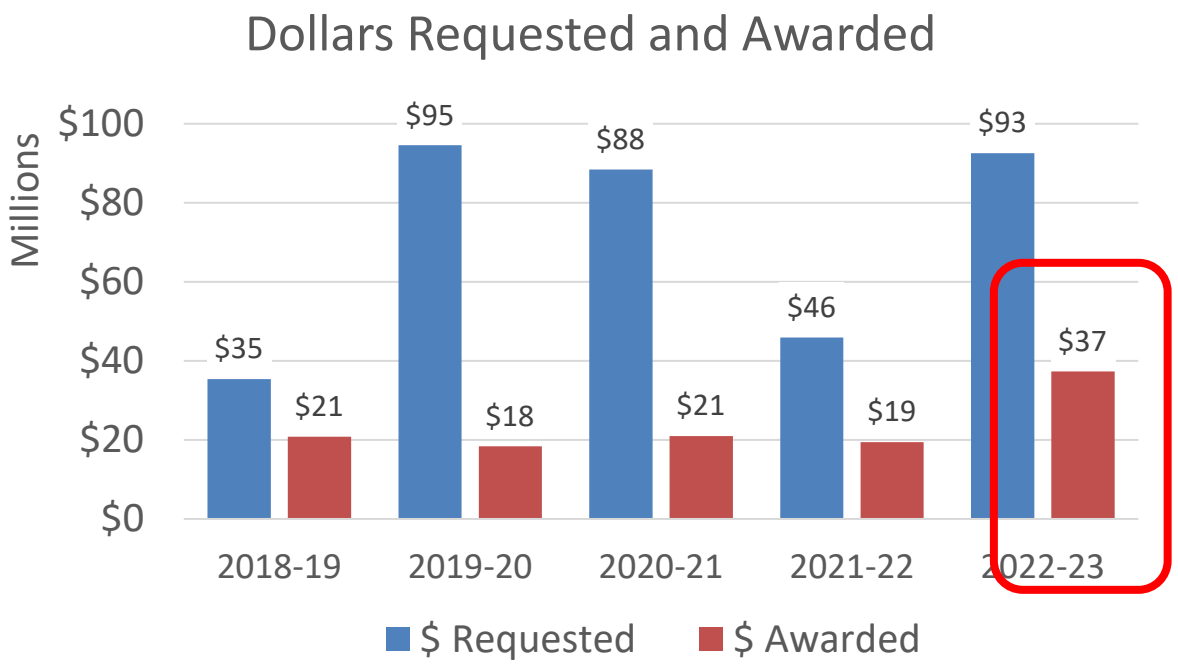
College of Engineering

Keith Forward
Laila Jallo

Research, Innovation & Economic Development

Grant activity from Fiscal Year 2022-23 compared with earlier years





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