Senate Research Report

May 27, 2014

Research Funding

Researcher	Department	Project Title	Amount
Principal's Development Fund – Support of Artistic Production			
Renders, Kim	Drama	Hair Lines: A Collaborative Community Play Project	$2,750
Rettig, Ted	Fine Art Program	New bodies of works in video, printed multiples and sculpture/installation for exhibitions in 2014-15	$3,500
Robertson, Clive	Art History and Art Conservation	In Our Sixties - an experimental feature length documentary on the then and now of life in England in the 1960's	$2,500
Kibbins, Gary	Film & Media	Shipwork	$4,050
Leeming, Frances	Film & Media	Losing Appetite	$2,000
Mackey, Clarke	Film & Media	Purchase of archival footage for the autobiographical documentary film called "Revolution Begins at Home"	$4,000
Salverson, Julie	Drama	Shelter: Toronto Production of Chamber Opera	$2,500
Smith, Gordon & King, Shelley	School of Music; English	Amelie Opie and the Music of the War with France 1793-1815	$3,450
Walker, Craig & Burge, John	Drama; School of Music	One Last Night With Mata Hai	$4,000
Zuk, Ireneus	School of Music	Production of a master recording	$2,000
Principal's Development Fund -- Visiting Artists in Residence			
King, Shelley	English	Writer-in-Residence: Steve Heighton	$12,500
Walker, Craig	Drama	Leading actor in the opening play of the Isabel Bader Centre for the Performing Arts Studio Theatre	$12,500

Canada Foundation for Innovation -- JELF			
Bonier, Frances	Biology	Linking current and future environment, physiology, behaviour, and life history in birds	$80,000
Croy, Anne (Co-PI Tayade, Chandrakant)	Biomedical and Molecular Sciences	Immune cell contributions to endometrial health and disease	$100,000
Jain, Praveen	Electrical and Computer Engineering	Engineering a Smart Microgrid Test Platform	$400,000
CIHR – Population Health Intervention Research to Promote Health and Health Equity			
Bruner, Brenda	School of Kinesiology and Health Studies	Implementation and impact evaluation of a safe active school travel planning program	$199,646
CIHR/NSERC – Collaborative Health Research Project (CHRP)			
Allingham, John (Co-PI Evans, Andrew)	Biomedical and Molecular Sciences	Preclinical development of natural product-based agents as anti-cancer drugs	CIHR: $206,646 NSERC: $181,554
Amsden, Brian	Chemical Engineering	Articular cartilage reconstruction	CIHR: $168,002 NSERC: $168,003
Mousavi, Parvin	Computing	RF time series flashlight for targeted prostate biopsy	CIHR: $126,440 NSERC: $126,440
NSERC – Engage			
Ciccarelli, G.	Mechanical and Materials Engineering	Reduction of methane emissions in natural gas compression ignition engines	$25,000

Other News

Dr. Richard Reznick (Dean, Faculty of Health Sciences; Department of Surgery) has been awarded an honourary fellowship of the Association of Surgeons of Great Britain and Ireland. Reserved for surgeons and other distinguished medical practitioners, it is the highest honour the association can confer. Dr. Reznick is only the second Canadian surgeon to receive the award.

Science Rendezvous is a free annual festival that is open to children and their families in hopes of changing the public's attitude towards subjects in science, technology, engineering and math. Kingston's event, organized by Professor Lynda Colgan (Faculty of Education) was held on May 3, 2014 at the Rogers K-Rock Centre and attracted 3,700 visitors with over 60 display and interactive stations.

Research Matters is a public campaign which explores how Ontario university research affects everyday life and improves the way people live, work and play. On May 21, 2014, they will be hosting "What Matters Now: Kingston" at Kingston's Memorial Hall (City Hall). Queen's Professor Warren Mabee (Geography, School of Policy Studies) will discuss his work on policy and technologies for renewable energy.