



## Internal Funding Initiatives

Research & Innovation is dedicated to providing UTEP faculty and researchers with ample opportunity to acquire further funding for their research endeavors. Learn more about our current internal funding initiatives below. For questions, email [propdev@utep.edu](mailto:propdev@utep.edu).

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#### University Research Institute

UTEP's University Research Institute is a competitive mechanism that supports faculty research and programs that advance the University's research productivity, scholarly output, and creative endeavors.



#### Faculty Travel Incentive Program

The Faculty Travel Incentive Program (FTIP), facilitated and supported by Research & Innovation (R&I), is a competitive program designed to enhance UTEP faculty research productivity and visibility by providing financial assistance for travel to conferences, workshops, or meetings with professional organizations and funding agencies. This program encourages faculty to engage in networking and collaboration opportunities that can strengthen future grant proposals, advance research initiatives, and elevate the university's research profile.



#### Pilot Funding Program

The Pilot Funding Program (PFP), facilitated by Research & Innovation (R&I), is designed to support UTEP faculty in advancing early-stage research projects that have the potential to lead to external funding. The program aims to stimulate innovative ideas, foster collaboration, and enhance research productivity, increasing the university's competitiveness for major grants and awards.

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