## Funding Opportunities for Scholarly Work, Professional Development, and Curricular Activities

| Funding                     | Purpose  | Eligibility   | Timeline   | Procedure   | Contact   |
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| Faculty Scholarship Funding | To facilitate the production of Scholarship, as defined in Section 10 of the Faculty Handbook. | Any member of the College's full-time faculty, appointed at Assistant, Associate, or Full, may apply for grants; however, only teaching faculty may apply for stipends.   | Calendar will be posted on the Employee Relations web page by September 1.   | In September (see calendar for specific dates), applicants submit the Common Application Form and include all appropriate supporting documentation to their Unit/Dean.  More specific information on the procedure can be found here.                                   | Eligibility/Application: Employee Relations er@ramapo.edu  Administration of funds once award is granted: Jennifer Weinkauff jweinkau@ramapo.edu      |
| Career Development Funding  | To support professional growth and career development for the improvement of instruction.      | Every five (5) years post tenure, all faculty are required to do a self-assessment which may identify areas for improvement or professional development which may result in the awarding of funds. (See Guidelines & Process for more details.)  Applies to tenured members of the faculty (includes librarians). | Employee Relations holds an information session in September; applicants apply in October; final decisions are released in March. Please consult this calendar for specific dates. | Applicants submit the Common Application Form, with required documentation via Google Drive to the Unit Career Development Committee Chairperson. More specific information on the program and procedure can be found here. Please also reference the Faculty Handbook. | Eligibility/Application: Employee Relations er@ramapo.edu.  Utilization/access of funds once award is granted: Jennifer Weinkauff jweinkau@ramapo.edu |

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|   |  | Professional staff on<br>multi-year contracts<br>covered by the AFT<br>contract are also<br>eligible to apply. |  |  |  |
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| Platinum Funding                                  | To support co-curricular activities which have a direct link to measurable student learning outcomes. Platinum funding should be used to fund guest speakers or student trips that support the curriculum. | Full-time, part-time/adjunct, and lecturer faculty members are eligible to apply.                              | Rolling.   | Faculty members consult their Academic Deans who make funding decisions.   | Accessing funds once award is granted: Unit Secretary  |
| Schomburg Distinguished Visiting Scholars Program | To provide students with the opportunity to learn from visiting scholars from diverse backgrounds with expertise related to intercultural/multicultural education.   | Full-time, part-time/adjunct, lecturer faculty members, as well as staff.                                      | Rolling.   | Applicants apply here. Applications are reviewed by the Schomburg Committee who approves the scholar and the Provost approves the funding amount. Awardees must adhere to the procedures set forth here. | Eligibility/Application: Schomburg Committee Schomburg@ramapo.e du  Executing the contract and paying the honorarium: Jennifer Weinkauff jweinkau@ramapo.edu |
| Teaching, Learning, and Technology Roundtable     | To motivate and enable the College community to improve teaching and learning with technology, while helping them manage   | Faculty, librarians,<br>and professional staff<br>who teach. Adjunct<br>professors or<br>temporary staff       | Fall applications are due by the third Friday in November. Spring applications are due | Applicants complete<br>the TLTR Application<br>and submit it to the<br>TLTR Committee by<br>emailing   | TLTR Committee via<br>the Office of the<br>Provost<br>provost@ramapo.edu   |

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|                                 | continual change.   | members may jointly apply with a tenured-track faculty, librarian, or professional staff member. | by the first Friday in<br>March.   | provost@ramapo.ed u prior to the posted deadline.   |  |
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| Foundation<br>Allocation Grants | To provide resources in Ramapo's quest for educational excellence by supporting projects related to the Strategic Plan and/or the Value Statements. | All faculty and staff.   | The deadline for academic year 2025-2026 is June 13, 2025.  Grants must be spent by the end of the FY after which they were awarded (i.e., grants awarded in 2025 must be spent by June 30, 2026). | Applicants discuss the project with the Dean or unit head in advance of completing the Foundation Grant Application.  | Bernadette Connors bconnors@ramapo.ed u        |
| Faculty Travel Funds            | To support faculty scholarship.   | Full-time faculty;<br>adjunct faculty may be<br>eligible and should<br>consult the Dean.         | Rolling.   | Individuals submit a Travel Authorization Request and Request for Approval for Attendance at Events to the Unit Secretary of their School <i>in advance</i> of travel. Academic Deans make funding decisions. Please consult the College <u>Travel</u> Policies & Procedures. | Unit<br>Secretaries/Coordinato<br>rs and Deans |