



4W Engagement Grants for Emerging Scholars

4W Engagement Grants for Emerging Scholars are intended to flexibly support graduate and professional students in any relevant discipline, who are engaged in work related to women and wellbeing. Projects should have a research-to-action focus aimed at enhancing gender equity in Wisconsin or globally. The grants may be used for project expenses or travel related to community-based research or practice, including internships, independent study projects, pre-dissertation or pre-thesis groundwork.

4W anticipates making 2 to 4 awards of up to \$2500. These scholars would be recognized and present at the annual 4W Summit. The 4W Engagement Grants for Emerging Scholars are made possible by the generosity of the Women's Philanthropy Council.

Application Requirements

Proposals (max 1000 words) should include the following:

- A description of the project to be undertaken during the designated term of the award, and also any work on the project that has preceded or will follow the award period;
- An explanation of how the project is aligned with 4W mission;
- A description of the outcomes of the work;
- An explanation of how the work connects scholarship to practice and enhances wellbeing.

The proposal must be accompanied by:

- The CV and transcript of the student (unofficial copy is acceptable);
- Itemized budget, as well as a no more than 300 word description of why 4W funding is essential to the project;
- A timeline of activities.

To Apply

The application deadline for all proposals is 5:00PM on Thursday, March 1st, 2018.

Proposal materials should be submitted in a single PDF to 4w@sohe.wisc.edu. Both email subject line and attachment file name should consist of the PI's first and last name, and the award name (Eg "Taylor Brown, 4W Engagement Award").

4W will host two Q&A/info sessions:

- February 1st, 2018 from 12pm-1pm
- February 16th from 1-2pm

Both sessions will be held in Nancy Nicholas Hall room 4285F (the Centers Conference room, at the west end of the 4th floor).

You may also contact 4W@sohe.wisc.edu in advance of submission with any questions.

The following considerations apply to 4W Awards:

Awards will be announced in late March 2018, and funding will be available for use during the summer of 2018, the 2018-2019 academic year, or the summer of 2019.

As a condition of receiving 4W fundings, you must agree to:

- Follow all UW travel policies, which can be found at: <http://www.bussvc.wisc.edu/acct/policy/ppindex.html>;
- Participate in the 4W Summit, as well as making a presentation to the 4W Leadership Circle and the Women's Philanthropy Council;
- Acknowledge 4W funding in all resulting publications and presentations;
- Submit final paper or product and financial report to 4W.