

2009 SMALL TIES GRANTS

By Faculty Ranking

<i>Faculty</i>	<i>#</i>	<i>Project Title</i>	<i>Team Leader</i>	<i>Amount Requested</i>	<i>Faculty Allocation</i>	<i>Paid</i>
AGRICULTURE, FOOD & NATURAL RESOURCES					\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
	1	Assessing the efficacy of a coordinated mathematics intervention program for 1 st year students	Dr Stephen Cattle	\$10,000		
	2	Developing an in-house maths bridging course for 1 st year BAgrEc students	Dr Stephen Cattle	\$4,500		
	3	SOFI" A research-led learning experience putting undergraduates in the spotlight	Dr Stephen Cattle	\$5,500		
				<u>Total: \$20,000.00</u>		
ARCHITECTURE, DESIGN & PLANNING					\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
	1	Towards an accreditation framework for the Bachelor of Design Computing	Dr Andy Dong	\$7,006.00		
	2	Towards student-centred assessment: investigating the opportunities and challenges of engaging postgraduate coursework students in the design and implementation of assessments at the Urban and Regional Planning and Policy Discipline	Dr Krishna Shrestha	\$6,394.00		
	3	Introducing Foundational Urban Design Teaching at USyd: An Investigation of international models for introductory urban design teaching for students with limited design backgrounds	Dr Lee Stickels	\$6,600.00		
				<u>Total: \$20,000.00</u>		

ARTS					\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00
	1	Creating Vodcasts for Beginner Chinese	Dr Irene An	\$5,200.00		
	2	Online video clips for learning archaeological excavation methods	Dr Sarah Colley	\$9,200.00		
	3	Academic language and literacy support: a website for international and local students	Dr Bronwen Dyson	\$4,700.00		
	4	Thinking Statistically (without the Mathematics) in socio-legal studies	Dr Deidre Howard-Wagner	\$6,540.00		
	5	Academic Honesty: Supporting Student Learning about Plagiarism by Supporting Tutors	Dr Rebecca Johnke	\$4,360.00		
				<u>Total: \$30,000.00</u>		
DENTISTRY					\$10,000.00	\$17,701.26
	1	Simulation models for exodontia	Dr Keara Hampton	\$7,875.00		
	2	Dental Graduates' Work Destination Survey	Dr Boris Handal	\$9,826.26		
				<u>Total: \$17,701.26</u>		
ECONOMICS & BUSINESS					\$30,000.00	\$29,527.00
	1	Student learning experiences from financial trading simulations in a computer lab environment	Dr Peter Westerholm	\$10,000.00		
	2	Building a faculty-based framework for evidence-based enhancement and recognition of effective practice in learning and teaching – a pilot	Associate Professor Michele Scoufis	\$9,527.00		
	3	Pilot Video supplemental instruction (V-PASS)	Ms Nadia Bradley	\$10,000.00		
				<u>Total: \$29,527.00</u>		

EDUCATION & SOCIAL WORK					\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00
	1	Redesign EDBT5501: MTeach Information Technology in Education	Dr Chun Hu	\$9,553.20		
	2	Using student feedback to improve blended learning	Dr Alyson Simpson	\$9,553.20		
	3	Digital dialogism: Enabling pre-service teacher talk in the online zone of proximal development	Dr Tony Loughland	\$6,140.40		
	4	Diagnostic testing of ICT skills using an online tool	Dr Nigel Goodwin	\$4,753.20		
				<u>Total: \$30,000.00</u>		
ENGINEERING					\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00
(first 4 in ranking)	1	Analysis of pedagogical designs, and their relationships with students' learning experiences	Dr Rafael Calvo	\$9,660.00		
	2	Support for writing of literature review and research proposal for IT students	Dr Irena Koprinska	\$7,200.00		
	3	Transforming University utilities into laboratory resources	Dr Vincent Gomes	\$10,000.00		
	4	Pumps and Energy Efficiency	Dr John Kavanagh	\$8,565.00		
				<u>Total: \$30,000.00</u>		

HEATH SCIENCES					\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00
	1	Evaluating the work readiness of graduate Entry Master (GEM) level graduates	Dr Lynette Mackenzie	\$9,218		
	2	Obtaining baseline measures of Health Science student knowledge of issues in indigenous health	Dr Alison Purcell	\$4,894		
	3	Development of a learning portfolio for a Graduate Entry Masters program in Exercise Physiology (MEP)	Dr Kieron Rooney	\$9,360		
	4	The development and evaluation of lectopia/camtasia streamed videos as guides to the use of LMS (WebCT/ Blackboard CE6)	Dr Patricia Weerakoon	\$6,714		
				<u>Total: \$30,186.00</u>		
KOORI CENTRE					\$10,000.00	\$9,714.00
	1	Enhancing flexible delivery in the Diploma in Education (Aboriginal)	Ms. Katrina Thorpe	\$9,714.00		
				<u>Total: \$9,714.00</u>		
LAW					\$30,000.00	\$29,742.00
	1	Aligning Assessment Regimes in the Sydney Law School	Mrs Annette Giles	\$4,962.00		
	2	Revise and Update the Sydney Law School Teaching Handbook	Mrs Annette Giles	\$4,965.00		
	3	Preventing negligent plagiarism in Postgraduate Law through a formative assessment task	Mr Peter Lead	\$5,000.00		
	4	Developing Classroom Participation in Explaining Punishment LAWS 6194-64	Associate Professor Gail Mason	\$4,815.05		
	5	Teaching materials for Introduction to Property and Commercial Law	Professor Patrick Parkinson	\$5,000.00		
	6	Review and Redesign of the two Master of International Law compulsory units: "International Law & Australian Institutions" and "Public International Law".	Dr Ben Saul	\$5,000.00		
				<u>Total: \$29,742.00</u>		

LEARNING CENTRE					\$10,000	\$10,000.00
	1	Student attitudes and approaches to academic writing in visual arts: creativity versus formal requirements.	Dr Angela Ardington	\$6,500.00		
	2	Integration of Biochemistry and Physiology of eLearning report writing resources into WRiSE site	Ms Helen Drury	\$3,500.00		
				<u>Total: \$10,000.00</u>		
MATHS LEARNING CENTRE					\$10,000	\$9,858.00
	1	Experiences of coordinators, teachers and students in mathematics bridging courses	Dr Sue Gordon	\$9,858.00		
				<u>Total: \$9,858.00</u>		
MEDICINE					\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
	1	Introducing interactive Whiteboard Technology into Medical Education	Associate Professor Chris Roberts	\$6,447.74		
	2	A multi-media based training in dermatology for medical students	Dr Emily Hibbert	\$,5705.43		
	3	Implementation of a web-based integrated clinical attachment in geriatric medicine	Associate Professor Gustavo Duque	\$7,846.83		
				<u>Total: \$20,000.00</u>		
NURSING & MIDWIFERY					\$20,000.00	\$18,885.00
	1	Implementation and Evaluation of GosSIP – a faculty based program to encourage dissemination of “Scholarship in Practice”	Professor Mary Chiarella	\$9,250.00		
	2	The impact of a health assessment and clinical judgment unit of study on the perceived self-efficacy of clinical graduate nurses.”	Associate Professor Kim Foster	\$9,635.00		
				<u>Total: \$18,885.00</u>		

PHARMACY					\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
	1	PBL modules to enhance learning and teaching in Pharmacy Practice	Dr Kylie Williams & Mr Jim Woulfe	4,500.00		
	2	Improving feedback to students: development and trial of automated, personalised feedback system for pharmacy students	Associate Professor Greg Ryan and Mr Jim Woulfe	4,500.00		
	3	Optimising student outcomes using peer assessment in Problem-Based Learning tutorials	Ms Vicki Kritikos, Dr Bandana Saini, Dr Maria Sukar & Jim Woulfe	3,700.00		
	4	Mental Health First Aid for Pharmacy Students	Dr Tim Chen, Ms. Claire O'Reilly & Dr Rebekah Moles	3,600.00		
	5	Enhancing the role of Preceptors in Experiential Learning and Teaching	Dr Betty Chaar & Dr Jane Hanrahan	3,700.00		
				<u>Total: \$20,000.00</u>		
SCIENCE					\$30,000.00	\$29,929.00
	1	Video presentation of first year physics concept maps	Associate Professor John O'Byrne	\$5,108.00		
	2	An Environmental Analysis Suite for teaching field projects in biological sciences	Mr Mark Ahern	\$9,581.00		
	3	Collaborative laboratory for Quantitative Analysis	Associate Professor Adam Bridgeman	\$6,475.00		
	4	Updating and streamlining undergraduate practical classes	Mrs Jill Johnston	\$8,765.00		
				<u>Total: \$29,929.00</u>		

SYDNEY COLLEGE OF THE ARTS					\$20,000.00	\$17,475.00
	1	Glass lathe for specialised reductive surface work on glass	Mr Andrew Lavery	\$7,708.00		
	2	Artists book workshop	Ms Rebecca Beardmore	\$9,767.00		
				<u>Total: \$17,475.00</u>		
SYDNEY CONSERVATORIUM OF MUSIC					\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
	1	Classical Bows	Dr Neal Peres Da Costa	\$10,000.00		
	2	Improving Teaching by Understanding the Expectations of Beginning Music Teachers	Dr Jennifer Rowley	\$7,330.70		
	3	Survey of Jazz History, Kevin Hunt's Jazz concepts Demonstration Video Clips for WebCT	Dr Michael Webb	\$1,800.00		
	4	Music Business Skills Guests Lecturers	Mr David Theak	\$1,000.00		
				<u>Total: \$20,130.00</u>		
VETERINARY SCIENCE					\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
	1	Refinement of the statistical macro website and development of to e-learning modules for postgraduate students	Dr Navneet Dhand	\$7,000.00		
	2	Applied pathology of livestock – training packages for extramural supervisors	Dr Michelle Dennis	\$5,000.00		
	3	Increasing the skills base for postgraduate students in Veterinary Public Health	Ms. Meg Vost	\$8,000.00		
				<u>Total: \$20,000.00</u>		

TOTAL LARGE TIES ALLOCATION : \$412,831.26