



Faculty Excellence

University Travel Awards Committee

Annual Report 2022 - 2023

Travel Award for Recognition of Faculty Excellence 2022-2023
(Award year April 1, 2022 – March 31, 2023)

The November cycle meeting was held on March 22, 2023, meeting was held virtually via Zoom and the May 3, 2023, meeting was held virtually via Zoom (quorum was met for both meetings)

Dr. Sharon Wang was elected as Committee Chair, and Dr. Jennifer Peck was elected as Vice Chair.

The goal of TARFE is to support activities that allow faculty to achieve international prominence in graduate study and research while increasing the national and international recognition of UCF. Being selected to receive this award and being recognized for excellence in the applicant's field brings credit to the department while positioning UCF in national and international scholarly arenas therefore increasing UCF's reach and visibility. Full-time regular faculty (not visiting) may apply for TARFE to reimburse travel and accommodation expenses purchased with Education & General (E&G) funds.

Accomplishments during this period:

- Twenty-Six (26) travel awards were disbursed during this award period for a total of \$17,612.95.
 - November 2022 - \$7,638.55
 - May 2023 - \$9,974.40
- The breakdown of awards by college are:
 - CAH 15
 - CCIE 1
 - CHPS 2
 - CON 5
 - COS 2
 - COM 1
- Four (4) applications were awarded for international travel.
- Twenty-Two (22) applications were awarded for domestic travel.
- Two (2) applications were ineligible due to:
 - Incomplete application
 - Declined due to international travel not approved by Global.