Course Innovation Awards

Develop new courses in global and regional issues

Stanford Global Studies (SGS) is once again inviting proposals for Course Innovation Awards to support the development of courses focused on substantive topics of regional or global interest. We are especially interested in supporting courses that can be offered through the new first-year Civic, Liberal, and Global Education Requirement (COLLEGE).

SGS Course Innovation Awards

Our goal is to spur the design of courses that can appeal to large numbers of students and will engage first-year students. We particularly welcome proposals that feature cross-disciplinary teaching partnerships and co-curricular activities that engage students in learning beyond the classroom.

Awards will support the development of courses that meet the following COLLEGE requirement learning goals:

• Develop the critical and ethical thinking skills and knowledge base for responsible local, national, and global citizenship.
• Develop in students an awareness of cultural diversity, as well as cultural self-awareness, and the ability to recognize connections between cultural, economic, and social practices across countries.
• Provide students with a set of methods for conducting comparative or systemic studies of global phenomena.

Strong preference will be given to faculty planning to offer Global Perspectives courses through Stanford’s COLLEGE requirement.

Why Teach in COLLEGE?

Teaching in COLLEGE offers faculty the exciting opportunity to engage with first-year students, pedagogic development and support, and collaboration with postdoctoral teaching fellows.

Applying for Funding

Please complete this application form by February 9, 2022. Course Innovation Awards will be capped at $10,000. We will submit any proposals that meet the COLLEGE learning goals to the COLLEGE program on your behalf. Courses that are not selected through COLLEGE will still be eligible to receive a Course Innovation Award.

Deadline

February 9, 2022

Eligibility

Funding is available to Stanford faculty who belong to the Academic Council.

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