

Dear colleagues,

The Office of the Provost and Academic Affairs is pleased to announce the 2026-2027 Provost Faculty Research Fund guidelines and application. Yeshiva University faculty across all schools continue to engage in substantive, innovative and consequential research.

Full-time clinical, tenure-track and tenured faculty are eligible to apply.

The 2026-2027 application now includes seed grants for Artificial Intelligence (A.I.) related projects for up to \$5,000.

Faculty may apply for one grant as a Principal Investigator (P.I.):

- \$5,000 Artificial Intelligence (A.I.) seed grant
- \$7,500 Individual research grant
- \$10,000 Interdisciplinary collaborative grant with eligible colleagues within one's school/college and/or other YU schools*.

*Faculty members may apply as team members for up to two collaborative grants.

Applications must be submitted by Wednesday, July 1st, 2026.

Ineligible faculty include:

- Faculty with contractual start-up or research funds
- 2025-2026 Provost Faculty Research Fund awardees
- Cardozo Law School faculty

Application Process:

A Deans' Committee will once again review all applications submitted by Wednesday, July 1st, 2026.

The application form may be found attached and as well online at:
<https://www.yu.edu/faculty-resources>.

Awards will be announced and available on **Wednesday, July 15th, 2026.**

Examples of Permissible Research Award Expenses:

- General research-related expenses
- Publication costs
- Data sets
- Books, reprints, and one-time subscriptions to academic journals
- Stipends for student researchers
- Translation services
- Computer software
- Mobile app design
- Transcription services
- Domestic and international travel (as it relates to research)
- Purchase of photographs or other visual materials.

Non-allowable Research Award Expenses:

- Computers, computer hardware, or iPads
- Salary derived from the Provost Faculty Research Fund
- Honoraria or guest lecturers
- Food or alcohol
- Impermissible University expenses (please see Use of Award Guidelines).

Awarded funds will expire on June 30th, 2027.

Completed applications and additional questions should be sent to Amanda Riego, Director of Operations, at: amanda.riego@yu.edu.

Sincerely,



Selma Botman
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