

**Amelia Daddazio Women's Studies Fund
Integrative Learning Grant Application Form
GRANT INFORMATION AND CRITERIA**

*Fall applications are due at 4:00 p.m. on the first Monday in November, with disbursement in the following Spring or Summer term. Spring applications are due at 4:00 p.m. on the first Monday after Spring Break, with disbursement in the following Fall term. Late applications will not be considered. **SUBMIT APPLICATIONS TO THE WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTER.***

Grant Information

The Amelia Daddazio Women's Studies Fund Integrative Learning Grant provides mini grants (up to \$500) to students or student groups for integrative learning projects that aim to lessen the effects of inequity or injustice either locally, nationally, or globally. Projects that focus on gender inequity or injustice, that work to improve the conditions of women and children, will be prioritized. Eligible projects will have at least one faculty mentor who agrees to supervise the student(s), monitor financial expenditures, and facilitate the fulfillment of all grant requirements (submission of written summary report and receipts for expenditures; and presentation of project results to the Women's Studies faculty).

Grant Criteria

- 1) A student may receive this grant no more than two times.
- 2) At the time of the award, the recipient(s) must:
 - be enrolled full-time with undergraduate status at EIU;
 - be of sophomore, junior, or senior standing;
 - be in good academic standing.
- 3) All eligible students may apply; priority will be given to applications from students who:
 - are Women's Studies minors;
 - are active members of the Women's Studies Registered Student Organization;
 - are active members of other organizations whose mission is to promote social justice;
 - have completed Women's Studies coursework.
- 4) Recipients are asked to attend the Women's Studies Awards Ceremony in late March to be recognized for their accomplishments and to speak briefly about their projects.
- 5) Recipients are required to submit a written summary report of their projects to the Women's Studies program coordinator, submit all receipts for expenditures to the Women's Studies program, and give a presentation to the Women's Studies faculty on their projects.

Questions? Concerns?

Students with questions or concerns about the application process are welcome to contact the Coordinator of the Women's Studies program or the Manager of the Women's Resource Center for assistance.

Applications

A completed application will include: one student application form for **each** student in the project; one 250-word statement, described at the bottom of the student application form; and one faculty mentor form. *Please submit completed applications to **Daddazio Grant Application, c/o Women's Resource Center, 600 Lincoln Ave., Charleston IL 61920.***

Summary Report

Each grant recipient must submit a summary report (one per student) no later than the first day of the semester following the grant project. Failure to do so will result in refusal of further grants under this program.

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STUDENT APPLICATION**

For group applications, each group member must submit a signed copy of this page.

Project title (must be the same for all group members) _____

Faculty mentor's name/department _____

Student applicant name _____

E # _____ Email _____

Local address: _____

Local phone _____ Current cumulative GPA _____

Class standing at the end of current semester (circle one): Sophomore Junior Senior

Major(s)/Minor(s) _____

Women's Studies courses taken, if any _____

If this project is to be completed in connection with an RSO, please name that organization:

Please attach one 250-word (maximum) statement about your project, in which you address all of the following: a detailed description of the project, including what it will accomplish and how; its relationship to the grant's mission to lessen the effects of inequity or injustice either locally, nationally, or globally; its relationship to gender inequity or injustice; your special interest in the project you have chosen; and your organizational and leadership skills. **This statement is the most important part of your application. Only one statement per project, please; group applicants should write this statement collaboratively.**

Applicant signature _____

Date _____

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FACULTY MENTOR STATEMENT OF SUPPORT**

Project title _____

Student applicant(s) name(s) _____

Faculty mentor's name _____

Department _____

Briefly comment on the proposed project, especially on its feasibility, support among those the project intends to help, and ability to alleviate some form of inequity or injustice and improve conditions, especially for women and children.

Explain why you think the student(s) will be successful in carrying out this project and preparing a summary report on its completion.

By signing this form, I agree to supervise the student(s) on this project, monitor financial expenditures, and encourage the student(s) to submit the required summary report on the project to the Coordinator of the Women's Studies program.

Faculty mentor signature

Date

It is the responsibility of the applicant(s) to return all application forms (one student application form for **each** student in the project; one 250-word statement, described at the bottom of the student application form; and one faculty mentor form) to the Women's Studies program, at ***Daddazio Grant Application, c/o Women's Resource Center, 600 Lincoln Ave., Charleston IL 61920***, by the deadline. *Fall applications are due at 4:00 p.m. on the first Monday in November, with disbursement in the following Spring or Summer term. Spring applications are due at 4:00 p.m. on the first Monday after Spring Break, with disbursement in the following Fall term. Late applications will not be considered.*