

SCHEDULE OF SUBMISSION AND APPROVAL OF PROPOSALS
Academic Year 2020-2021

(Faculty Research Program, Humanities Projects, Creative Works, Literature Review Articles, New Ph.D. Grant, Thesis/Dissertation Projects, Book/Article Manuscript Writing Program, Interdisciplinary Research)

Activity	First Term		Second Term		Third Term		
	Research Projects for Implementation in the Second Term		Research Projects for Implementation in the Third Term		Research Projects for Implementation in the First Term AY2021-2022		
Call for Submission of Proposals	1 st Call July 13, 2020 2 nd Call July 27, 2019 (Wk 7) (Term 3 AY2019-2020)	Monday Monday	1 st Call Oct. 16, 2020 2 nd Call Nov. 6, 2020 (Wk 7) (Term 1 AY2020-2021)	Friday Friday	1 st Call March 1, 2021 2 nd Call March 15, 2021 (Wk 7) (Term 2 AY2020-2021)	Monday Monday	
Deadline for Submission of Project Proposals with Departmental Action to URCO							
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regular Faculty Research Project Grant (Competitive per College), New Ph.D. Grant, Materials Development/Online Materials Development Grant, Book/Article Manuscript Writing Program, Literature Review Articles Grant Creative Works Grant (Competitive, Once a Year Call for the Whole University) Interdisciplinary Research Grant ((Teams should be composed of at least 3 faculty members coming from at least 2 different colleges, with distinct disciplinary differentiation among the proponents.) 	September 4, 2020 (Wk 10 Term 3 AY2019-2020)	Friday	December 11, 2020 (Wk 9 Term 1 AY2020-2021)	Friday	May 7, 2021 (Wk 10 Term 2 AY2020-2021)	Friday	
FRP/SPG/RPW Proposals	IR Proposals	Sept.-Oct 23, 2020 (Wk 11-14 Term 3 AY2019-2020 to Wk 2 Term 1 AY2020-2021)		Dec. 2020-Feb. 19, 2021 (Wk 10-14 Term 1 AY2020-2021 to Wk 2 Term 2 AY2020-2021)		May-June 25, 2021 (Wk 11-14 Term 2 AY2020-2021 to Wk 2 Term 3 AY2020-2021)	
Technical Review of Proposals by Internal Experts (except for RPW) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Initial review of proposals 1st revision of proposals by faculty proponents Final review of proposals 	Scheduling of the Research Panel Meetings						
CRC meetings for the evaluation and approval of submitted project proposals	Research Panel meetings for the deliberation and approval of IR proposals	October 26-30, 2020 (Wk 3 Term 1 AY2020-2021)	Mon-Fri	March 15-19, 2021 (Wk 3 Term 2 AY2020-2021)	Mon-Fri	June 28-July 2, 2021 (Wk 3 Term 3 AY2020-2021)	Mon-Fri
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FRP/SPG/RPW Proposals	IR Proposals	Nov. 3-7, 2020 (Wk 4, Term 1 AY2020-2021)	Tue-Sat	March 22-26, 2021 (Wk 4, Term 2 AY2020-2021)	Mon-Fri	July 5-9, 2021 (Wk 4, Term 3 AY2020-2021)	Mon-Fri
Proposal revision after CRC meeting (i.e., proponent to address the CRC recommendations)	Proposal revision after Research Panel meetings (i.e., IR Team to address the Research Panel Members' recommendations)						
CRC Meetings for the Final Approval of the Revised Project Proposals	Research Panel's final approval of the revised IR proposal	Nov. 9-13, 2020 (Wk 5 Term 1 AY2020-2021)	Mon-Fri	April 5-9, 2021 (Wk 6 Term 2 AY2020-2021)	Mon-Fri	July 12-16, 2021 (Wk 5 Term 3 AY2020-2021)	Mon-Fri
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Ethics Review of Proposals		(Wk6-14 T1AY20-21-20 & Wk1- T2AY20-21)		(Wk7-14 T2AY20-21 & Wk1- T3AY20-21)		(Wk6-14 T3AY20-21 & Wk1- T1AY21-22)	
Accomplishment and submission of ethics checklists			Mon-Fri		Mon-Fri		Mon-Fri
Initial screening of submitted protocol		November 2020	(On-going process of clearing until all requirements are completed)	April 2021	(On-going process of clearing until all requirements are completed)	July 2021	(On-going process of clearing until all requirements are completed)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Initial screening by REO Completion of documentary requirements 							
Expedited Review		Nov-Dec 2020	Mon-Fri	April-May 2021	Mon-Fri	July-Oct 8, 2021	Mon-Fri
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Expedited review 1st revision of protocol by faculty proponents (if modifications are required) 2nd review by RERC member (Review of Resubmitted Protocol) 			(On-going process of clearing until all requirements are completed)		(On-going process of clearing until all requirements are completed)	*with the assumption that T1AY2021-2022 will start on Oct. 4, 2021	(On-going process of clearing until all requirements are completed)
URCO Communicates Ethical Clearance for Expedited Reviews to Faculty Proponents		Jan. 11-15, 2021 (Wk 12 Term 1 AY2020-2021)		May 10-14, 2021 (Wk 12 Term 2 AY2020-2021)		Aug 30-Sep 3, 2021 (Wk 12 Term 3 AY2020-2021)	
Full Board Review		November 2020- January 2021	Once per term (to be scheduled)	April-June 2021	Once per term (to be scheduled)	July-Oct. 8,2021	Once per term (to be scheduled)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Proponent to provide data collection protocol in lay language Distribution of protocol to RERC members Full Board Review Meeting 1st revision of protocol by faculty proponents 2nd review c/o RERC Chair (Review of Resubmitted Protocol) 							

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URCO Communicates Ethical Clearance for Full Reviews to Faculty Proponents	Feb. 15-19, 2021 (Wk 2 Term 2 AY2020-2021)		June 21-25, 2021 (Wk 2 Term 3 AY2020-2021)		Oct 11-15, 2021 (Wk 2 Term 1 AY2021-2022)	
Signing of the URCO Research Grant Agreement Form/Contract and the DIPO Intellectual Property Record Form by faculty proponents	To follow immediately after ethical clearance is granted to the project		To follow immediately after ethical clearance is granted to the project		To follow immediately after ethical clearance is granted to the project	