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[UW Program on Climate Change](#) Request for Proposals

Application Deadline: June 1, 2023

Climate Science Research Acceleration Fund (updated April 2023)

Purpose: “To support broad-based climate research being conducted through the Program on Climate Change that is grounded in climate science. Funds may benefit any undergraduate and graduate student, post-doc, research scientist, or faculty pursuing climate sciences research through the Program on Climate Change.”

The Program on Climate Change (PCC) is requesting proposal submissions for climate science-related research projects that accelerate or build capacity for climate research at the UW that is grounded in climate science. Examples of ways funding can be used:

- for startup research projects aimed at leveraging existing or planned for research grants (state what funding opportunity will be targeted)
- for side-projects or interesting new directions resulting from projects currently funded by external sources
- to fund lecturer visits by prominent scientists of broad interest to the UW climate community
- to fund mini conferences on an interdisciplinary topic
- for activities that lay the groundwork for future funding applications (state what funding opportunity will be targeted)

Eligibility: UW faculty, UW research scientists and UW Postdoctoral Researchers from any program are invited to apply. Priority will be given to those in departments active in the PCC. Postdocs may apply but funds must be used prior to leaving UW.

Please include the following in your proposal:

1. Title
2. PI and co-PI names, affiliations, titles
3. Proposed research limited to 3 pages (not including references, see instructions below)
4. Brief budget narrative (see instructions below)

Research proposal instructions:

Applicants must clearly describe how their proposal will advance fundamental and/or applied climate science at the UW. The proposal must also include the goals or anticipated outcomes of the project or activity.

Budget instructions:

The application must include a brief budget narrative that includes a short table of expenses for **up to \$40K**. In addition to equipment and supplies, the budget may include the following:

- Travel and salary support for undergraduate students
- Travel and salary support for postdoctoral researchers
- Travel support for graduate students
- Salary support for graduate students who serve in a support role.

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Support for graduate student research should be requested through the Graubard Fellowship opportunity.

Deadlines:

- Rolling deadline for proposals less than \$7K
- June 1, 2023, is the deadline for this second call for proposals more than \$7K but **less than \$40K** (November 1, 2022 was the first)
- **Submit** proposals to Miriam Bertram at uwpcc@uw.edu.

Post funding requirements: Within 3 months of the end of the funding, the awardee must submit a blog post describing the event, project, publication, or other outcomes.

Questions? Contact Miriam Bertram at uwpcc@uw.edu