

Instructionally Related Activities Funds Request Fall 2017

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IRA Funds Request for Central California Field Trip: ESRM 462

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Instructionally Related Activities Funds Request Summary

Project Sponsor	Sean Anderson
Activity Title	Central California Field Trip: ESRM462
Activity/Event Date	November 3-6, 2017
Date Funding Needed By	September 1
Previously Funded?	No
Semester/Year	—
Proposal #	—
Report submitted for previously Funded Activity?	—
Report submitted for previously Funded Activity	—
Additional Report #1	—
Additional Report #2	—
Additional Report #3	—
Additional Proposers	—
Academic Program(s) / Center Name(s)	ESRM
Estimated total Course Fee revenue	375
Amount Requested from IRA	275
Estimated Number of Students Participating	25
Conditions and Considerations	—
Brief Activity Description	Students from ESRM462 (Coastal and Marine Management) will participate in a 3-day trip up the central California coast in early November of 2017 as part of an optional class field experience. This has historically been a central part of our course, but in recent years students have attended conferences and participated in other one-off unique opportunities. We spend the majority of our time exploring different coastal and marine resource case studies and facilities across the state. These range from our sister campus' (CalPoly) pier in Avila Beach to more expensive endeavors (Monterey Bay Aquarium, etc.) which require a fee. We will be camping to keep costs down, but entrance fees to campground and user fees for research reserves where we will stay still mount.
Learning Outcomes and Relation to IRA to Course Offerings	<p>This summit will support the general learning outcomes of ESRM462. They include the following. By the end of this course, you should understand and be able to clearly articulate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the major environmental issues at the regional, national, and international levels related to coastal and marine conservation and management. • the processes by which regional, national, and international governments and organizations manage coastal and marine environments. • complexities inherent in coastal and marine management and the relationship between terrestrial and aquatic systems. • various management options for coastal environments. • the current state of our coastal and marine communities, resources, and economies.
Description of Assessment Process	Students will be required to write-up a detailed assessment of one of the venues we visit on the trip. Students will generate a brief (2-4 minute) video of their field experience.
Activity Budget	CoastalTrip.xlsx
CIA Budget	—
CIA Proposal	—
Course Syllabus	ESRM462Fall2011Syllabus.pdf
CIA Certification	—
Other Sources of Funding	Student fees (\$15 per student) will defray some of this expense.
Target Audience/Student Marketing	All student participants in ESRM462 will be encouraged to attend (typically 20-27 students) the trip. But experience shows roughly 20 students would participate given the distance and time involved with participation. ESRM462 is typically dominated by ESRM Majors (>80%), but also routinely has roughly 15-20% of the class comprised of Biology, Anthropology, and Communication majors. Other Majors (most frequently Art, Business and Education) are consistently a low enrollment presence (1-2 students per year).
Bring Benefit to Campus	Videos from our trip, placed both on our class blog and our ESRMzone site.
Sustainability	This course centers around the sustainability of coastal ecosystems, human communities, and robust coastal and marine industries/economies. Sustainability will be featured prominently in ocean energy, fisheries management, and other such topics/themes of our various stops.
Program Chair/Director	donald.rodriguez
Dean	james.meriwether
Acknowledgement	I acknowledge that I have reviewed and accepted the Conditions and Considerations herein. Please check off boxes as appropriate.

Program Chair/Director Review

Recommendation	I recommend approval of the IRA Funds Request described on this page
Name	Donald Rodriguez
Date/Time	3/3/2017 10:59:05 PM

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Comments	—

Dean Review

Recommendation	I recommend approval of the IRA Funds Request described on this page
Name	James Meriwether
Date/Time	3/7/2017 8:00:07 PM
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Comments	—

IRA Committee Decision

Decision	—
Comments	—

Current Tasks

Task	Time Assigned	Assigned To
IRA Committee Decision	3/7/2017 8:00:07 PM	David Daniels

Completed Tasks

Task	Time Assigned	Time Completed	Completed By
Review from james.meriwether, Dean	3/3/2017 10:59:05 PM	3/7/2017 8:00:07 PM	James Meriwether
Review from donald.rodriquez, Program Chair/Director	3/3/2017 9:02:28 PM	3/3/2017 10:59:05 PM	Donald Rodriguez
Fill out Request	3/3/2017 8:47:41 PM	3/3/2017 9:02:28 PM	Sean Anderson

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