



RESEARCH FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

The Oregon Gambling Research Center is requesting proposals for research that addresses problem gambling and gambling-related problems facing Oregon and the nation.

The Oregon Gambling Research Center supports rigorous, objective, and accessible research. We will support a range of projects that develop expertise in the areas of gambling, problem gambling, problem gambling services, workforce development, or gambling policy. Proposals are always being accepted.

We welcome submissions from a broad range of fields and topics! All projects that explore issues related to problem gambling will be considered.

DETAILS

- Open to all graduate students, faculty, or community-based researchers.
- Researchers may analyze existing data or conduct their own original data collection.
- Priority will be given to projects that focus on Oregon populations or directly benefit those in Oregon.
- Creative ways to disseminate research findings to non-academic audiences is encouraged.
- Graduate students in sociology, psychology, social work, epidemiology, public health, biostatistics, or similar fields are encouraged to apply. (Graduate students must have a faculty advisor's endorsement.)
- Research involving human subjects must obtain IRB approval from an academic institution.
- Collaborations are welcome.
- Awards will be granted up to \$20,000.
- For projects that span over multiple years, require additional funding, or do not fit the parameters outlined here, email us at research@oregoncpg.org to discuss.

DEADLINES

Applications are accepted on a rolling basis and are reviewed monthly.

HOW TO APPLY FOR PROBLEM GAMBLING RESEARCH FUNDS

Applicants should prepare a proposal addressing the following questions:

1. Project title and researcher name, affiliation, contact information, and role in proposed research. (If working collaboratively, list details for each researcher).
2. Award amount requested, and budget justification. Budget should be reasonable and detailed. (Allowable budget items: stipends, participant incentives, materials, conference travel, research travel, transcriptions. Indirect/administrative costs are allowed, up to 10% of total award.)
3. What research question(s) will you address and brief background on your topic (≤ 750 words).
4. What potential contributions will this study make to the fields of problem gambling treatment, prevention, policy, and/or awareness? How will your findings benefit people in Oregon?
5. What is your proposed study design? (Submissions should emphasize how the project will be executed, including a detailed strategy on any research methodology and research plans)
6. Human Subjects Research: if you are conducting primary research with human subjects (including both exempt and full review formats), include details about when and where human subject reviews will be undertaken with an appropriate institutional review board.
7. The anticipated timeline for the project, including start and completion dates.
8. How will you communicate your research findings? (I.e. deliverables: conferences, white papers, academic journal publications, posters, trainings, social media, advocacy, etc.). Grantees will be expected to make findings available for Oregon audiences through webinars or other appropriate outlets as requested by OCPG.
9. How does this research project fit with your academic and career goals?

Other important information:

- Please number your responses to each question or include the question in your proposal.
- For graduate students: In lieu of a recommendation letter, when submitting your proposal, cc your advisor in the email and include the following statement in the body of the email:
“My advisor (advisor’s name, institutional affiliation, email address) has read this proposal and views this as an appropriate project for me.”

Submit completed applications as an attached word document to research@oregoncpg.org . Proposals will be reviewed monthly by committee.