

Mentor Funds

In recognition of the scope of our request, every faculty member who signs up to mentor a student for fall 2018 and spring 2019 will receive an additional \$100 (per student/per semester) in travel/research funds.

Importantly, this approach allows our mentors to build meaningful longer term relationships with a small number of students and to accrue up to \$400 to support their research and creative works. We view this as an opportunity to provide a small token of appreciation to faculty in an area where we desperately need to provide better support, while increasing our ability to expand the program.

1. The Mentors should work with their departments Finance contact in the SSC to access the funds.

2. The mentor funds must be spent in the year in which they are awarded.

For example, if they are a mentor for FY19 (July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019), their mentor funds must be spent by June 30, 2019. If not, the funds will be returned to the College.

3. The mentor funds are state money, so KU policy/procedures must be followed when paying for expenses from these funds.