

Granting Sources On & Off Campus

Granting Sources On Campus

Whether you are looking to fund an activity or hoping to attend a conference, there are a number of other granting resources on campus. Depending on your group's mandate, your group may be eligible for some of the following grants. Be sure to check with the specific Faculty, Department, or Service for the grant eligibility, requirements and deadlines.

- a. [Student Group Grants](#) – Start-Up, Re-Start, Activity, and Conference Grants available for student groups. Funded by the Student Engagement Grant and the Students' Union
- b. [Green and Gold Grant](#) - To help foster undergraduate and graduate students' leadership skills and professional development. It's possible to get 100% of your conference or applicable activity funded through this grant. Note that activities organized/hosted by your student group are not eligible, but individuals or groups looking to participate in professional development activities likely will be. Administered through CAPS: Your U of A Career Centre. For more information and application deadlines, visit <http://www.greenandgoldgrant.ualberta.ca/>.
- c. [Green Grants](#) - The Office of Sustainability is the University of Alberta's sustainability initiative. They offer great programs and services throughout the year. If your group project or event contributes to the sustainability of our campus, check out the Green Grants offered by the [Office of Sustainability](#) for more information as well as eligibility requirements and the application process.
- d. [Shell Enhanced Learning Fund](#) – Supported by Shell Canada Limited, the SELF grant gives groups and individuals the opportunity for enhanced learning experience. Students must be registered at the University of Alberta to be eligible (this includes full-time, part-time, undergraduate and graduate students) and groups that are registered are eligible to apply for activities such as conferences and group events or projects.
- e. [USEED](#) – Crowdfunding from USEED@UAlberta allows you to take advantage of a powerful online funding tool with specialized training for your leadership team and fundraising champions! USEED even provides expert coaching to

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help you through the process. If your project qualifies, the University will cover the costs of the program! Check it out at ualberta.useed.org.

- f. [APIRG](#) – APIRG is The Alberta Public Interest Research Group based here on campus. They are a student run non-profit organization that is dedicated to community-based research, education and social activism. Check out their website to see if your group is eligible for grants that they offer. They also provide great non-monetary resources that may be useful for your group.
- g. [Graduate Students' Association](#) - Is your group registered with the Graduate Students Association? If so, your group may be eligible for the GSA's Academically Related Student Group Grant (SGG). The grant supports academic events. For more information and to apply, check out the GSA website!
- h. [Faculty Associations](#) or Program Specific Grants
Some Faculty Associations and Faculties, Departments, or Programs may provide granting and funding for student groups or individuals. For a list of Faculty Associations, visit: <http://su.ualberta.ca/governance/cofa/>. Here are some examples of program-specific grants on campus:
 - i. Faculty of ALES
 - 1. [Student Engagement Fund](#): "financial support for individual students or student groups undertaking an initiative that will engage students through peer-based academic activities."
 - 2. [Human Ecology Undergraduate Conference Grant](#): "for expenses associated with presenting a paper or poster at a conference. Eligible items include: travel, accommodation, conference registration fees, and poster printing. "
 - ii. Faculty of Arts
 - 1. [Student Life and Learning Enrichment Fund: The Faculty of Arts offers grant funding for both individuals and groups who promote learning, positive campus experiences, and responsible citizenship on campus.](#)
 - iii. Augustana Students
 - 1. [Augustana Students' Association](#) - The Augustana Students' Association provides grants for student endeavors as well as awards for student groups at the Augustana campus.

- iv. School of Business
 - 1. [Alberta School of Business](#) – Funding for student organizations in the Alberta School of Business.

- v. Faculty of Engineering
 - 1. [Engineering Students' Society \(ESS\)](#)
 - a. *Engineering Student Group Fund* – “provides support to non-discipline club Engineering student groups here on campus. Funding for ESGF is provided through the Faculty Association Membership Fee, and granting sessions are held twice a year.”

- vi. Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry
 - 1. [Medical Students' Association](#) – provides group funding for medical students in initiatives such as starting a new club under the MSA or MSA clubs looking to organize events.

- vii. Faculty of Science
 - 1. [Interdepartmental Science Students' Society \(ISSS\)](#) – provides granting to groups in the Council of Science Student Associations (COSSA).

Granting Sources Off-Campus

Looking for some other funding? Check out these other cool sources that your group might benefit from. Of course, there are a lot more grants available, so make sure you do your research!

- a. [Youth Empowerment Program](#) – Grants provided by the Edmonton Community Foundation for youth led not-for-profit programs or events that benefit the community.
- b. [Edmonton Awesome](#) – Have an awesome idea? Check out the YEG Awesome Foundation to pitch your idea! Each month they give away \$1000 grants for outstanding initiatives!
- c. [Alberta Foundation for the Arts Grants](#) – Offers individual, organizational and project grants for artists and art organizations.
- d. [Edmonton Arts Council Community Arts Program](#) – Grants for groups who invest in creative experiences that benefit the greater Edmonton community.
- e. [Alberta Blue Cross Healthy Communities Grant Program](#) – Offers grants to organizations promoting healthy lifestyles within their communities.
- f. [Alberta Treasury Branch Time to Think Grant](#) - offers non-profits an opportunity to train and build into the organization. Group must be associated with a non-profit or charitable organization