RESEARCH DISCOVERY WORKSHOP focused on
CLIMATE AND THE ENVIRONMENT

The office of the Vice Chancellor for Research is introducing Research Discovery Workshops to enable faculty to learn about each other’s work leading to potential collaborations. The first Research Discovery Workshop will take place on November 1, in the Student Center Ballrooms.

The first Research Discovery Workshop focuses on Climate and the Environment. Topics include but are not limited to: sustainability, environmental justice, clean and sustainable energy, resilience to climate hazards, air pollution controls, wastewater and sanitation, sustainable food supply, reduction of food and water waste, reduction of climate change, adapting to climate change, resilient infrastructure, emerging technologies, measurement and impact assessment, social and community impact, diversity and inclusion, policy, and data science and analytics. We recommend that the topics of the workshop be interpreted very broadly and we invite faculty from many disciplines to attend and present.

Workshop and Registration Details
The workshop will have two types of opportunities to share your work with colleagues:

- First, the workshop will have up to 20 rapid-fire, 5 minute-maximum presentations focusing on research interests and future research goals. Slides can be used, but we request no more than 3 slides per talk.
  - Please submit your slides by October 30 through D2L “Research Discovery Workshop 2023>Assessment>Assignments”

- Second, through a poster presenting research interests and future research goals
- Attendees can participate through both presentations and posters, or through just one of the two
- You do not need to present in order to attend. We encourage large attendance of faculty.
- You may invite your graduate students to attend, but we request that presentations be done by faculty only.
  - Please RSVP through D2L “Research Discovery Workshop 2023>Assessment>Surveys”

Seed Funding Opportunity
Workshop participants who build research partnerships through the workshop are invited to submit seed funding proposals. The seed funding will aim to strengthen the research partnership, produce preliminary results, leading to competitive external proposals. Details of the seed funding process are attached.
Agenda
8:00 am-8:45 am  Breakfast; poster setup
8:45 am – 9:00 am: Welcome
9:00 am-10:30 am: Ten, maximum 5 minute presentations
10:30 am-noon: Visits with poster presenters
noon-1:00 pm: Lunch
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm: Ten, maximum 5 minute presentations
2:30 pm-4:00 pm: Visits with poster presenters
4:00 pm-5:00 pm: Networking social hour