

# IDEA Innovation Grant - Accessibility Track New Brunswick (AY 23-24)

Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Advocacy Innovation grants, Accessibility track, support projects that enable students, faculty, postdoctoral researchers, and staff across Rutgers University to take an active role in building an inclusive community. As we invest in broader institutional efforts to advance equity, the IDEA grant program offers a way for innovative grassroots efforts to join in our larger strategy. We invite projects that encourage understanding and learning, invest in relationship-building across difference, and offer new ways to promote equity and diversity to achieve our goal of an inclusive university culture.

## Application Instructions

1. Only applications submitted using the Qualtrics form will be reviewed; email submissions will not be accepted.
2. Budget information must be comprehensive and justified, incomplete budgets or sparsely described grants will be disqualified.

Notes: Funding is limited and not guaranteed. Applications will reviewed by a committee and additional information may be requested.

**Priority Deadline: Friday, October 27th, 2023 at 12:00pm (Eastern)**

Have questions? Write to [diversity@rutgers.edu](mailto:diversity@rutgers.edu).

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Contact #1 First Name

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Contact #1 Last Name

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Contact #1 Preferred Rutgers Email

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Primary Role (Please select one)

- Faculty
- Staff
- Post Doctoral Fellows/Associates
- Graduate Student
- Undergraduate Student

Primary Organizational Unit Affiliation

- Edward J. Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy
- Graduate School of Applied and Professional Psychology
- Mason Gross School of the Arts
- Rutgers Business School - New Brunswick
- School of Arts and Sciences
- School of Communication and Information
- School of Engineering
- School of Environmental and Biological Sciences
- School of Graduate Studies
- School of Management and Labor Relations
- School of Social Work
- Graduate School of Education
- Division of Student Affairs

- Division of Enrollment Management
- Zimmerli Art Museum
- Honors College
- Douglass College

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Department/unit for which the grant is intended to be used:

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Contact #2 First Name (Note: Must be your School's Equity Advisor or a member of your departments DEI committee/working group)

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Title of project

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Please provide a brief description of the project (limit response to 200 words). Please include how long the project/program/initiative/event has been in existence.

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IDEA Innovation Grants--Accessibility Track aim to fund initiatives that 1) improve climate, culture, and community building, 2) promote access, advocacy, and equity, and 3) equip individuals and community through training, learning, and development. Please describe how the proposed project advances one or more of these goals. (limit response to 200 words)

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Describe the impact that this project/event/program/initiative has had to date. Share how you measured outcomes/success. (limit response to 200 words)

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Describe how improving the accessibility of the event/initiative/program/project will broaden its impact. (200 words maximum)

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For student organizations, please share the name of your advisor.

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**Budget and Income**

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What is the total budget amount requested? (Note: Maximum of \$1,500, department must match amount requested)

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Budget Request

	Description	Cost
Supplies		
External Vendor/Service		
Other		
Cost Sharing (5)		
Total Budget (8)		

Please explain how the funds will be used.

Reminder: The accessibility track provides funding specifically for enhancing the accessibility for projects, programs, and/or events that have a demonstrated record of large-scale impact. This track does not provide funding for costs related to compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act nor the Rutgers Disability and Reasonable Accommodations Policy. To learn



more about disability compliance at Rutgers, visit University Ethics and Compliance Disability Compliance Program.

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I understand that this application for the IDEA Innovation Grant is for grants awarded for the 2023-2024 academic year. I understand that projects funded in the 23-24 cycle must be completed by December 31st, 2024.

I understand and accept these conditions.

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