

# DEVELOP CURRICULUM, TEACH WITH SASAH & EMPLOY A GRADUATE STUDENT

## NEW! Curriculum Writing and Delivery Project

### **What is it:**

An annual opportunity for selected faculty members, assisted by graduate students, to develop a course that would be taught in a subsequent academic year, utilizing SASAH resources specifically directed to curriculum planning and development in Arts & Humanities. Faculty participants will be selected through a competitive process mounted in the Winter term of the same year in which the curriculum writing will occur.

### **Objectives:**

To develop new 2<sup>nd</sup> Year SASAH courses (0.5) linking classroom instruction and experiential learning. To promote the objectives of the SASAH program regarding Arts & Humanities education, while simultaneously cultivating opportunities to expand the program's value and importance among A&H Faculty and graduate students.

### **Who is Eligible:**

Full-time faculty members from Arts & Humanities working with graduate students who can be paid to assist.

### **Steps in the Process (2018):**

#### **March 2018: Call for Proposals for Curriculum Projects**

Required Proposal Components:

**A 300 - 500 word description of the course**, including title, aims and objectives, a brief discussion of its academic approaches and the types of course materials to be employed, as well as how EL would be integrated.

Proposed courses will be one-term offerings at the 2000 level, appropriate for a class of 25 to 30 SASAH students.

#### **Proposed budget (up to \$6000)**

A maximum of 50% of the budget may be expended to develop and write the course curriculum including by hiring a Graduate Student who will assist, during the Summer term. The balance of the budget will be used to support the successful delivery of the course, with respect to extraordinary costs, which may include course participant travel, supplies, publication costs, etc.

#### **Timeline**

This is a breakdown of the schedule of the writing period, and the draft schedule for the delivery of the course.

#### **Additional Relevant Information**

#### **April 1, 2018: Submission of Proposals to SASAH Program (sasah@uwo.ca)**

#### **April 1 - 15, 2018: Adjudication of Proposals**

Normally about 2 to 3 proposals will be selected for course development (writing) and implementation. The Director of SASAH, accompanied by the Dean, Associate Dean Academic, and a minimum of one other invited A&H Faculty member will adjudicate the proposals.

#### **April 15, 2018: Announcement of Successful Proposals**

**Notes:** Normally the curriculum writing will take place between May and August of the year of the competition.

As noted above, up to 50% of the proposed budget may be used to develop the course. The selected faculty member(s) may expend a limited percentage of this part of the budget on travel and/or supplies for this purpose, but a significant portion of the budget for development will be directed towards hiring a graduate student. The student may be paid to conduct research, make contacts and connections regarding the EL component, and to write the curriculum, etc..

The dates for the delivery of the course will be determined in consultation with the faculty members whose proposals are selected.

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