The President’s Excellence Fund, established in October 2017, by President Michael K. Young is a ten-year, $100 million initiative designed to further Texas A&M University’s commitment to the three pillars of advancing transformational learning; enhancing discovery and innovation; and expanding impact on our community, state, nation, and world.

X-GRANTS
An interdisciplinary research program that is part of the ten-year, $100 million President’s Excellence Fund. The first year $7 million was awarded to fund eight projects to faculty-researchers to stimulate and support innovative interdisciplinary research. Round 2 awarded $7 million in funding to 72 Texas A&M researchers. This program is open to all faculty, researchers, and staff at Texas A&M University, Texas A&M University-Galveston, Texas A&M University-Qatar, TEES, TEEX, AgriLife Research, AgriLife Extension, and TTI.

$14M
2 yrs
16 projects

PRESIDENTIAL CLINICAL RESEARCH PARTNERSHIP GRANTS
The Presidential Clinical Research Partnership Grants program supports the development of long-term partnerships between Texas A&M University and our clinical affiliates and partners leading to the highest level of health for all Texans. The program aims to foster interdisciplinary research that will improve health, health care and/or health equity in Texas by advancing novel translational, clinical, or educational research targeting topics such as: treatment or prevention of injury or disease, health promotion in the clinical setting and/or health disparities; improved diagnoses or disease management; health policy or health care delivery issues, such as quality and cost of care, access to care and community health interventions with opportunities to demonstrably improve health outcomes; and innovative training and development of future health and health care professionals and/or biomedical scientists to better address statewide health needs and health care practices.

The first year of PCRP opened in December 2019 and will close June 2020.

$9M
3 yrs
300 projects

T3: TEXAS A&M TRIADS FOR TRANSFORMATION
An interdisciplinary seed-grant program that is part of the President’s Excellence Fund. This program enables interdisciplinary teams of three faculty members (Triads) to develop long-term research and scholarship collaborations. Each year $3 million will be available to fund up to 100 Triads at $30,000 each.

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