Thank you for your interest in applying to the Individual Initiative Fund (IIF). The Student Council of Eleanor Roosevelt College (SCERC) created this fund to empower Eleanor Roosevelt College students to fully embrace the college's mission of scholarship, leadership, and service. The money from this grant should incorporate the mission and goals of Eleanor Roosevelt College and strengthen the Eleanor Roosevelt College undergraduate community and, when appropriate, the greater San Diego community.

Students are eligible to receive this grant if they are enrolled in Eleanor Roosevelt College. Members of SCERC are not eligible for this grant, nor are Resident Advisors/Assistants. Additionally, members of ERC and CSI organizations shall not be eligible if the grant is for a purpose directly related to the organization. To clarify, members of organizations are eligible for the IIF, but the grant’s purpose must not be explicitly related to the organization.

Upon being awarded the grant, the recipient must provide, at minimum, bi-weekly updates about the status of the grant project to the Vice President of External Affairs. The project must be no later than Wednesday, May 2 (week 5 of spring quarter). Within two weeks of completion of the grant project, the recipient must make a formal presentation to SCERC and submit a brief written report to the Vice President of External Affairs.

Applications are due no later than **4:00 pm on Wednesday, January 31st** to the ERC Student Affairs Office. Interviews will take place **Wednesday, February 31st** from **6:30-9:00pm**. Please sign up for your interview time upon turning in your application (See Shannon O’Neil at the Student Affairs Front Desk). The interviews will take place in the Student Affairs Office.

Thank you again for your interest in the Individual Initiative Fund. Please contact me with any questions or concerns you may have.

Best wishes,

Eric A. Ramirez
Vice President of External Affairs
Student Council of Eleanor Roosevelt College
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ERC Individual Initiative Fund Application

Applicants must complete all sections of this application to be considered eligible. Please attach only the application and a resume.

Your Information:

Name _____________________________ Year of graduation ___________________________

UCSD Email ______________________ Phone Number _____________________________

Are you an RA? Yes______ No______

Are you a member of Student Council? Yes______ No______

Have you applied for the IIF before? Yes_____ No______

Your Initiative (please answer on a separate sheet(s) of paper):

Proposal
*Please describe your project.*

Purpose
*Why you would like to receive an IIF Grant (i.e. goals you will achieve: research, community outreach, etc.)?*
*How will this project benefit the ERC Community specifically?*

Additional Information (please answer on separate sheet(s) of paper):

Have you or are you planning on applying for other sources of funding? Yes______ No______

What costs do you anticipate? Please attach a general breakdown of expenses and how you will be using the IIF.

Please provide a brief timeline of your project’s completion.