**CRP.FORM.017 |** **Special call: MSVU OCAP Training Grant**

The aim for the OCAP (ownership, control, access, and possession) Training grant is to provide funds to full-time ongoing faculty who collaborate or are interested in collaborating with Indigenous Peoples, or in interacting with Indigenous data or information in a way that is respectful of the First Nations ownership, control, access, and possession of First Nations data. Specifically, this grant covers the cost ($500) of The Fundamentals of OCAP® online course exploring First Nations self-determination, self-governance, and collective rights to data sovereignty through the framework of The First Nations Principles of OCAP®.

The Committee on Research & Publications is interdisciplinary.  All members may not be familiar with the specialized language of different disciplines. Applicants are strongly encouraged to compose their applications with this in mind.

**Please Note: The onus is on the applicant to ensure completion upon submission. Incomplete applications will not be adjudicated.**

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| **Submission Process:** **Please submit this application form electronically to** **research@msvu.ca** **by the deadlines: May 1st, October 1st, December 1st.** Please note that successful applicants will be responsible for the submission of the following items for reimbursement **within 6 months of the adjudication of this grant**:* A completed [cheque requisition form](https://msvuhfx.sharepoint.com/sites/Intranet/docs/SitePages/Home.aspx).
* OCAP training completion certificate
* A receipt showing payment for the course (please note if a credit card was used that Financial Services may require a screen capture of the credit card charge)

Incomplete reimbursement forms will not be processed. |

Equity, Diversity, Inclusion, and Accessibility

**Dear Applicant:** As you know, MSVU released its Senate approved 5-year Research Strategic Plan (2023-2028) in January 2023. Our research strategic plan, as well as our overarching institutional strategic plan, are foregrounded in the principles of Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Accessibility (EDIA) and the Truth and Reconciliation recommendations. In addition, MSVU is now a member of the Dimensions program which is also aimed at advancing EDI. The MSVU Research Office is interested in understanding how our researchers are responding to these institutional priorities. The information you provide will help the Research Office offer the best possible support for meeting these institutional priorities.

[MSVU Research Strategic Plan](https://www.msvu.ca/research-at-the-mount/about-us/research-office-strategic-plan)

[Truth and Reconciliation](https://www.msvu.ca/about-msvu/university-profile/strategic-plan/themes/truth-and-reconciliation/)

[MSVU Dimensions Action Plan](https://www.msvu.ca/research-at-the-mount/equity-diversity-and-inclusion-in-research/)

As an MSVU researcher, we are inviting you to voluntarily answer the following questions. Your responses to these questions will not be used to determine the outcome of the grant adjudication process. Rather, the responses will be anonymized, used to provide additional supports such as training, and will be included in our annual report to Senate.

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| In the space provided below, please explain how your research proposal incorporates EDIA (e.g., the inclusion of historically underrepresented populations on the research team).[ ]  Not Applicable |
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| In the space provided below, please explain how your research proposals incorporates one or more of the Truth and Reconciliation recommendations (e.g., considers Indigenous ways of knowing).[ ]  Not Applicable |
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| **Our Senate-approved MSVU Research Strategic Plan includes 5 strategic research pillars.** Please check the box beside the research pillar(s) that your research proposal involves (check all that apply) |
| [ ]  **Pillar 1:** Gender, Sexuality, and the Advancement of Women and Girls, and other Historically Underrepresented populations. |
| [ ]  **Pillar 2:** Intersectional Ways of Knowing and Knowledge Mobilization. |
| [ ]  **Pillar 3:** Health, Wellness and Social Justice Across the Life course. |
| [ ]  **Pillar 4:** Life, Computational, and Physical Sciences. |
| [ ]  **Pillar 5:** Supporting the Research Lifecycle. (e.g., access to infrastructure, promotion of best practices) |

Thank you for your input!