



PIVOT OVERVIEW

PRESENTATION TO THE COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

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ORSP Mission Statement

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- ❑ Encourage and support MSU faculty and staff members pursuing research grants or state/federal funding.
- ❑ Help faculty and staff identify grant opportunities, interpret agency guidelines, develop budgets, complete application requirements and prepare competitive proposals.
- ❑ Help faculty and staff manage their grants by providing financial information, interpreting agency requirements, and understand university personnel and procurement regulations.

What is Pivot?

- ❑ A global, multi-disciplinary database of funding opportunities and faculty profiles
 - ❑ Access to over 26,000 funding opportunities--grants, fellowships, capital improvements, travel, visiting professors, training, and more
 - ❑ Approximately 3 million profiles from around the world--75 countries, 2100 universities, over 200 disciplines represented

Important Features

- ❑ Suggests potential funding opportunities for you based on your Pivot profile
- ❑ New opportunities matching saved searches are emailed weekly
- ❑ Faculty profile is searchable by other users for potential collaboration
- ❑ Gives you one place to manage and track funding of interest
- ❑ Lists of Humanities and Social Science opportunities curated by ORSP

Now, a hands-on demonstration of a funding search...

Next Steps

- ❑ Register for your account at <http://cos.pivot.com>
- ❑ Claim your faculty profile
- ❑ Contact ORSP if you do not have a profile
- ❑ Visit <http://www.montclair.edu/orsp/grant-opportunities/> for written and YouTube tutorials and announcement of future ORSP Pivot information sessions
- ❑ Attend an information seminar—*November date to be announced soon*
- ❑ Start your searches