ORED/OIDI Research to Advance Inclusion Diversity, Equity and Access

The Mississippi State University Office of Research and Economic Development and the Office of Institutional Diversity and Inclusion provide support for grants to advance inclusion, diversity, equity, and access.

Launched in the fall of 2020, this funding opportunity is designed to support new research and creative activities in any discipline that contribute to understanding of racial equity. Projects proposed for this call must be innovative, new, or reflect a new application of existing research, and should contribute to the identification, study and/or remediation of identified factors that contribute to racism, bias, and inequities here at MSU and beyond our campus, including local communities, the state of Mississippi, and the nation. Scholarship from all disciplines and a wide variety of methodological traditions is appropriate for this program.

Projects funded by this program might address or be relevant to:

- Identification, study, and remediation of identified factors that contribute to racism, bias and/or inequities.
- The complex relationship of issues of race as they intersect with identity, including gender, class, sexual orientation, and ability.
- Research that documents challenges and/or research that investigates action-based solutions.
- The student experience at MSU - to represent a step toward combatting racism and fostering a university culture based on equity and inclusion.
- Other topics consistent with the overall goal of understanding barriers to and advancing inclusion, diversity, equity, and access.

Proposals for funding must be uploaded to MSU's InfoReady submission portal: https://msstate.infoready4.com