

**THE UNIVERSITY OF AKRON
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS
FINANCE ADVISORY BOARD**

2026 Faculty Research Grant

The Faculty Research Grant was created to recognize an individual faculty whose research can (1) add value to the Department of Finance, the College of Business, the greater Akron communities, and the world, (2) build a learning network with other aspiring leaders, and (3) enhance student learning experiences for greater impact. The award will provide support to fund the software, data, research, conferences and travel.

The 2026 Grant recipient will receive a Certificate of Recognition and have the \$4,000 award amount directly deposited to his/her UA grant account.

Faculty members eligible for the Grant must:

- Be a College of Business full-time faculty member in the Department of Finance
- Submit a maximum of five-page research proposal that supports the three objectives noted above
- Not have been awarded the Grant in the previous year

The award recipient selection and amount will be determined annually by the Finance Advisory Board.

Note: The board would ask the Grant winner to voluntarily advise the board when his/her proposed research has been published and provide a copy of the published paper so that the board could share the achievement with the greater University of Akron communities.

Return all the requested items to FAB4Scholarships@uakron.edu

**Deadline for submission of research proposal is
Friday, March 20, 2026, 5:00 p.m.**