

COLLEGE LIFE ENHANCEMENT FUND “CLEF”

What Can It Do For You
and Your Students?

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WHAT IS CLEF?

- Source of Funding: Student Services Fee Paid at Registration
- Pooled money is used to fund activities on or off campus that benefit students and the campus community.
- Faculty, staff or students can propose an activity or event

Faculty-Student Engagement

- ▣ A key component of student retention
- ▣ A key component of academic success
- ▣ Often activities that apply what students are learning in the classroom
- ▣ May lead to civic engagement
- ▣ Basis for faculty tenure at some institutions



CLEF FUNDS CAN BE USED FOR:

- Transportation
- Conference Fees
- Hotel
- Guest Speakers
- Supplies for event
- (Does NOT include food)



How are funds allocated?

- Club advisor or event coordinator submits a proposal
 - Form available on Faculty Resources online
- CLEF committee meets once per month to review
 - Merit of proposal
 - Fund cap: \$4,000 per group or club

The CLEF Committee

Representatives from:

- Faculty
- Staff
- Students



CLEF Proposal Requires:

- How the activity will benefit the campus community

- Educational Value and Learning Outcomes

- Documentation of Event or Activity Expenses

- Additional Funding Sources



