**Information Literacy Grants**

Siena’s Information Literacy Faculty Development Grants provide faculty with opportunities to develop creative approaches to teaching, learning, and assessment related to information literacy competencies. Since 2002, eighty-four grants have been awarded. Projects have included assignments, learning modules, course revision, and assessment tools. Faculty from all three schools have participated. Specific instructions are announced each semester by Librarian Catherine Crohan.

- Interdisciplinary projects are always welcome.
- As are projects related to the Core curriculum.
- Projects making use of the Digital Scholarship Center are encouraged.
- Projects where information literacy meets other literacies such as visual literacy are welcome.

For guidelines and a list of all past awards, see [http://lib.siena.edu/instruction/grants](http://lib.siena.edu/instruction/grants)

The following are just a selection:

**Developing an Interdisciplinary Project Based on Information Literacy Skills**
Rong Fu, Assistant Professor of Sociology

**Russia in World News: Comparing Presence/Absence of Political Bias in International Reporting on Russia’s Foreign Policy Initiative**
Ausra Park, Assistant Professor of Political Science

**Enhancing and Assessing Information Literacy throughout an Experiential-learning Research Module in Applied Wildlife Management**
Daniel Bogan, Visiting Assistant Professor of Environmental Studies and Sciences

**Integrating Information Literacy into a Social Work Case Study**
Cynthia Bott, Assistant Professor of Social Work

**Looking for a Needle in a Haystack: Teaching Students to Discover Information Using Data Mining Techniques**
Sunita Goel, Assistant Professor of Accounting

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