

Yankelovich Partnership-Building Grants

To advance the Yankelovich Center's goal of building sustained and engaged partnerships between research and practitioners, the Center will provide a total of \$25,000 in funding to create and to deepen these partnerships. The two funding opportunities are:

- \$1,000 for a faculty member or graduate student to conduct an in-depth meeting with a potential partner to ascertain this group's research needs and to contribute a 500-word document that will be part of the "Yankelovich Assessment of Research-Practitioner Needs" series. The partner could be a nonprofit organization, another type of community group, a government entity, or another venue for policymaking. This document will be intended to provide interested researchers with information about topics of vital interest to the research partner, opportunities to collaborate, and the name and contact information of a lead collaborator.
- \$2,500 for a convening multiple potential research-practice partners organized by one or more faculty members to discuss research needs and opportunities for collaboration. Awardees will contribute a 500-word document that will be part of the "Yankelovich Assessment of Research-Practitioner Needs" series. The partners could be nonprofit organizations, other types of community groups, government entities, other venues for policymaking, or combinations of such groups. This document will be intended to provide interested researchers with information about topics of vital interest to this community of practitioners, opportunities to collaborate, and the name and contact information of lead collaborators at each organization.

Who can apply? Faculty (for convening grants) and faculty or graduate students (for partner meetings) at any point in their career in the Division of Social Sciences.

Application Requirements. [Maximum one page, single-spaced] Describe the group and/or groups that you will bring together and why creating a partnership could yield a productive engagement. Upon completion of the project, awardees will provide a 500-word document that will be part of the "Yankelovich Assessment of Research-Practitioner Needs" series.

Submission Deadline. The Yankelovich Center will accept applications beginning November 1, 2021 and continue to accept them on a rolling basis throughout the academic year until it has committed all funds.

How to submit. Email your submission as a pdf document to the Yankelovich Center for Social Science Research at yankelovich-grants@ucsd.edu.