## **Research Grants**

**INTER-UNIVERSITY RESEARCH NETWORK** 

## **Application for Funding**

The Inter-University Research Network (IURN) is inviting applications from Nova Scotia educators and university students and faculty for funding to support research on improving student achievement and well-being in Nova Scotia, including evidence-based ways to understand and address the achievement gaps. The IURN priorities include closing the education achievement gaps; supporting research partnerships; drawing on local knowledge; and maximizing impacts. There is \$150,000 total available in grants.

A step-by-step guide for applicants outlining the application process is posted on the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development website at: <u>www.ednet.ns.ca/IURNfunding</u>. The application package outlines criteria that will be used by the Network to evaluate proposals and specifies the components that must be received with each application.

Also, we would like to draw your attention to the Education Research and Partnerships website: <u>https://www.ednet.ns.ca/ERP</u>. This website provides the Department contact email for research and information sharing, as well as links to the Open Data Portal and the Regional Centres for Education (RCE) and the Conseil Scolaire Acadien Provincial (CSAP). If your research involves students or staff in schools, we encourage you to consult with the appropriate RCEs/or the CSAP as you are completing the application.

## The deadline for receiving applications is Friday, May 6, 2022.

Questions about the funding for applications can be directed to the Centre of Learning Excellence at the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development at (902) 424-5829.