Application for Dean’s Excellence Endowment
Wendelmoot Memorial Fund for RWS

Electronic copy of application due to RWS Chair by Tuesday, May 1st.
Late proposals will not be accepted.

Name: ___________________________ Signature of Applicant: ___________________________

Email: ___________________________ Date: ___________________________

Purpose:
The Dean’s Excellence Endowment will help enrich the academic opportunities for teaching, research and scholarships, and community engagement for faculty and students in the Department of Rhetoric and Writing Studies in the College of Arts and Letters, including, but not limited to:

- Scholarly research for faculty
- Scholarly research by undergraduate and graduate students
- Start-up efforts and change initiatives
- Recognition of important contributions by faculty
- Professional development of faculty
- Faculty initiatives to improve learning opportunities for students
- Innovative program development that enhances academic excellence
- Engagement in San Diego communities such as working with K-12 schools and diverse communities

Eligibility: RWS faculty (tenure-line and lecturers) and RWS students (undergraduates and graduates).

Proposal Guidelines:
Proposal should be no longer than 750 words. The following format is suggested:

Title
Abstract (100-word maximum)
Description of Project/Proposal:
- Purpose/Goals of project
- Significance/Educational Benefits
- Background of applicant relative to the project

Timeline of the project:
- Details on when monies will be spent

Budget
- Justification for funding
- Details on how money will be used

Anticipated results