

IAC GEARS Awards - Fall 2025 to Spring 2026 Cycle

Category	Recipient	Unit	Title
External Funding Support	Martinez, Adina Yura	CACP	Mixed Methods Needs Assessment on AI and Assistive Technology
External Funding Support	Pineda Torres, Mayra	ECON	Medical student and physician panel database
External Funding Support	Volney, Jaclyn	CACP	The Diagnostic Journey of Uterine Fibroids
External Funding Support	Shemyakina, Olga	ECON	Artificial Intelligence, Women's Labor Transitions, and the Global South
Research Funding (Level 1)	Harris, Robert	ECON	Diagnoses and Behavior: Physical Activity Responses to Health Information
Research Funding (Level 1)	Liu, Lu	ML	Book Manuscript: Trans-species Revolution: Pests and the Unwanted Nature in Modern China
Research Funding (Level 1)	Oppenheimer, Harry	SPP	Russia's Digital Coercion in Occupied Ukraine
Research Funding (Level 1)	Goldberg, Stuart	ML	Poetry, Performatives and the "Fourth Wall"
Research Funding (Level 2)	Wu, Hongchen	ML	SAFA: An AI-Powered Speech Annotation Web Application
Misc	Lindo, Jason	ECON	Health Economics and Policy Innovation Collaborative (HEPIC) Conference
Misc	Montes-Alcala, Cecilia	ML	Presentation at the 12th edition of the International Workshop on Spanish Sociolinguistics
Misc	Chekalina, Valeriya	ML	Global Media Festival 2026: Sustaining Empathy in a Fractured World
Misc	Khapaeva, Dina	ML	Anthology of Russian Political Neo/Medievalism
Research Funding (Level 1)	Scheiding, Ryan	LMC	GamePaD Lab Korean Games & Game Design Research Group – Historical/Korean Language Research
Research Funding (Level 1)	Brown, Kate Pride	HSOC	Summer Immersion Language Study
Research Funding (Level 1)	Beacham, Austin	INTA	Do Democracies Deforest Differently? Leveraging New Satellite Data to Understand Global Deforestation Drivers
Research Funding (Level 1)	Jun, Jenny	INTA	North Korea's AI Research Landscape and Security Applications
Research Funding (Level 2)	Gonzalez, Roberto	ECON	AI-Generated Imagery and Political Discourse during the 2024 U.S. Election
Research Time (Level 1)	Chauhan, Bhumika	HSOC	Research time for manuscript revisions: "Working Globally"
Research Time (Level 1)	Guevara, Perry	LMC	Inhuman Depressions: Cognitive Ecology in Early Modern English Literature
Research Time (Level 1)	Liu, Jin	ML	Beyond Linguistics: A Socio-Cultural Approach to the Chinese Language
Research Time (Level 1)	Thomas, Anjali	INTA	Spaces of Exclusion: The Politics of Informality in Cities
Research Time (Level 2)	Alonso, Paul	ML	Stand-up Comedy as Critical Entertainment in Peru
Misc	Colatrella, Carol	LMC	Character, Conversation, and Community in Sarah Orne Jewett's Fictions
Misc	Dysart, Taylor	HSOC	Worlding Drugs
Misc	Wang, Qi	LMC	The Criminalization of Korean Chinese in South Korean Cinema