College of Engineering Financial Support for Research Work at the University of Kansas Microscopy and Analytical Imaging Laboratory

Effective Immediately

Under leadership of the Vice President for Research’s Office, Kansas State University is in the process of creating a new plan for the development and sustainability of core research facilities. Due to financial constraints, the Field Emission Scanning Electron Microscope (FESEM) that was previously located in Ackert Hall is not currently in operation. The Dean and Associate Dean for Research recognize the importance of this type of experimental equipment in research. We have developed a joint matching program for researchers needing to use an FESEM and other imaging equipment for their research.

Effective immediately (starting on June 8, 2015), the Engineering Research and Graduate Programs (ERGP) Office will provide financial support for the instrument and support fees for engineering faculty members and their students to use equipment located within the Microscopy and Analytical Imaging Laboratory at the University of Kansas in Lawrence. Each engineering department will provide support for half of the travel expenses related to the testing and experiments at this Lawrence laboratory. Please confirm with your department head about the details of this support and if pre-approval is needed. Pre-approval is not necessary for the ERGP support.

Faculty should ask the University of Kansas Microscopy and Analytical Imaging Laboratory to send the invoice to the following email and address:

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This policy will be reviewed annually and may be revised based on economic implications and considering available equipment on the Manhattan campus. If you have any questions, please contact the Associate Dean for Research at 785-532-5844 or ERGP@ksu.edu.