How to Apply for a POGIL SPUR⁺ Grant

Key Dates:
Application period: **Applications are accepted from July 1, 2025, through September 15, 2025.**
Decision date: Decisions will be made by November 15, 2025.
Project start dates: Start dates for projects will be between January 1, 2026, and July 1, 2026.

Two steps to submit your proposal:

1. Develop your proposal using the guidelines below.
2. Enter your proposal information into the following form: https://forms.gle/5CXHHWboggpUf8Hv9
3. Questions? Contact Jen Perot at The POGIL Project at jen.perot@pogil.org or 717-358-4589.

Proposals must include the following:

- **Project Title**

- **Co-applicants/Project Leaders:** At least two people need to apply as co-applicants. The co-applicants will also be the designated project leaders/key personnel (your project may also include additional key personnel who are not co-applicants or project leaders). Additional co-applicants are allowed but not required. (POGIL Steering Committee members are ineligible to serve as co-applicants or key personnel, but can be consultants or contributors to a SPUR⁺ project).
  For each co-applicant, please include:
    - Name, title, field of study, phone number, email address
    - Institution name/Institution address
    - Two professional references: include the name, title, institution/company, affiliation, phone # and email address for two professional references
    - Description of background related to the proposed project (250-word maximum). Description should include the applicant's use of POGIL in teaching, and involvement in The POGIL Project Community. Additionally, please indicate the most recent POGIL workshop facilitated or attended.

- **Project Description:** Maximum 1,000 words. When describing your project, make sure you include:
    - Your project's connection to The POGIL Project and expected timeline
    - How your project achieves the specific goal or goals of The POGIL Project's Strategic Plan: https://pogil.org/about-the-pogil-project/pogil-strategic-plan
    - How the collaboration enhances your project, projected outcomes/product(s)
    - Whether or not your project includes research involving human subjects
    - How you plan to assess your project
    - Expected timeline
    - How you see your project moving forward after the SPUR⁺ grant (if applicable)

- **Additional Key Personnel:** Description of background related to the proposed project for any additional key personnel (250-word maximum). As relevant, include the use of POGIL in teaching and involvement in The POGIL Project community. If applicable, please indicate the most recent POGIL workshop facilitated or attended.

- **Involvement, if any, of a POGIL Steering Committee member in your project:** POGIL Steering Committee members are ineligible to serve as co-applicants or key personnel, but can be consultants or contributors to a SPUR$^+$ project.

- **Categorized budget description:**
    a. **Travel Costs**: airfare, mileage, tolls, parking, car rental, lodging, other travel costs
    b. **Food Costs**: meals, snacks, meals in transit, other food costs
    c. **Meeting Costs:** room rental, equipment costs, other meeting costs
    d. **Materials Costs**
    e. **Other Costs**
    f. **Additionally,** please include a brief, half-page budget justification/narrative

- **Publication of Pedagogical Activities or Materials:** A statement that (1) confirms agreement to The POGIL Project's right of first refusal to publish any pedagogical activities or materials; or (2) explains any requested exception; or (3) indicates that no publishable pedagogical activities or materials will be developed during the project.