

Tulsa Community College: Current Grants

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DHHS				
Scholars for Excellence in Early Childhood Education				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
Department of Health and Human Services - Oklahoma Department of Human Services	Child Development and Education Scholarships Melissa Caviness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pass-through dollars administered by the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education with the goal of improving the quality of child care in Oklahoma • Eligible child care professionals earn associate degree in Child Development or Early Childhood Education • Grant is renewed annually and funds two TCC Scholar Coordinators and a Scholarship Support Specialist • Serves 60+ child care providers for the fall and spring semesters 	\$258,048*	7/1/2024 - 6/30/2025

DOJ				
Community Policing Development - Supporting Law Enforcement Agencies in Seeking Accreditation				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
U.S. Department of Justice	Public Safety Chief Melvin Murdock	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • COPS Accreditation funds the salary and benefits of a part-time accreditation manager to guide TCC Police through the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police Law Enforcement Accreditation Program • Changes in policy and training processes ensure that TCC PD's relationship with other law enforcement organizations begins on common ground, as well as incorporating TCC's values and goals into police processes • Accreditation further hones TCC PD professionalism and reputation, especially with regard to community policing • Previous grant focused on achieving certification status, and this grant focuses on accreditation status with the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police 	\$160,000	10/2/2023 - 9/30/2025

DOL				
Strengthening Community Colleges Training Grants				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
U.S. Department of Labor	Dual Credit Lissa Steadley	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This program seeks to increase student participation in Manufacturing Engineering Technology with an emphasis on underserved populations • TCC partners with the Oklahoma Manufacturing Alliance and Green Country Workforce to expand the Earn a Degree, Graduate Early (EDGE) Program, including providing paid work-based learning experiences for TPS juniors and seniors • Project includes a new Dual Credit Student Support Specialist, costs of instruction for new daytime Engineering Technology courses, and funding for student supports (including transportation assistance, testing and licensure funding, and funding used to pay students in work-based learning experiences) 	\$1,600,000	3/1/2023 - 3/31/2027

ED				
Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
U.S. Department of Education	Academic Affairs/ Workforce Development Dr. Kristopher Copeland / Workforce Program Deans	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funds administered by the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education (OK CareerTech) Awarded annually, Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education funds support TCC's workforce development programs TCC uses Perkins funds for positions that support academic guidance, dual credit, and work-based learning 	\$232,453*	7/1/2024 - 6/30/2025
Perkins Supporting Career and Technical Education Special Populations Innovative Grant				
U.S. Department of Education	Engineering Technology Dr. Sheila Youngblood	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funds administered by the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education (OK CareerTech) Perkins funds support an Outreach and Retention specialist encouraging the persistence of underserved students by sharing pathways to high-demand, high-wage occupations, especially focused on Certified Production Technicians 	\$100,000*	7/1/2024 - 6/30/2025
Postsecondary Student Success Grant Program				
U.S. Department of Education / Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education	Academic Affairs Paula Settoon	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The PSSG program seeks to improve postsecondary student outcomes by leveraging data and implementing what works, scaling evidence-based programs, and rigorously evaluating activities to support data-driven decisions and actions The TCC FIPSE PSSG program looks to improve success for underserved and underrepresented students by contextualizing First Year Experience courses consistent with students' intended majors while utilizing the framework of Complete College America's Purpose First Pillar The pilot study includes 500 students with the goal of increasing credit accumulation, retention, completion, and transfer while reducing time to completion 	\$3,717,502	1/1/2024 - 12/31/2027
Post-Secondary Teaching with Technology Collaborative				
U.S. Department of Education - Community College Research Center	Academic Affairs Kurt English	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TCC receives a subaward as a member of the Post-Secondary Teaching with Technology Collaborative (Postsec Collab) Examines how open/broad-access institutions of higher education leverage technologies to personalize instruction in credit-bearing courses and build the capacity of administrators and instructors, developers, and researchers to create, implement, and evaluate solutions TCC's funding supports site visits for data collection, conference travel, and conference registration for the TCC project team 	\$12,375	7/1/2021 - 6/30/2026
Title III: Strengthening Institutions Program (SIP)				
U.S. Department of Education	Academic Affairs Dr. Paula Willyard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TCC's Title III project is entitled Pathways to Early Engagement, Academic Success, and Career Readiness Success coaches embedded in mandatory College Success courses will increase student engagement, retention, and completion Embedded tutors in developmental reading and writing courses aim to ensure faster developmental completion and overall retention Project staff look to increase student placement in work-based learning experiences 	\$2,250,000	10/1/2021 - 9/30/2026
Title III: Cooperative Native American-Serving Nontribal Institutions Program				
U.S. Department of Education	Academic Affairs Anita Carwile	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This cooperative development Title III program with Northeastern State University aims to strengthen the success of underserved students in the TCC-NSU 2+2 transfer pathway Grant funding for a High School Transition Coach, Resource Navigator, and a Financial Literacy Specialist seeks to deliver holistic, wrap-around supports for participating students, easing entry into both postsecondary education and transfer into a four-year university 	\$1,622,717	10/1/2023 - 9/30/2028

TRIO Educational Opportunity Centers Program				
U.S. Department of Education	Student Success and Engagement Rex Burnett	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TRIO-EOC provides counseling and information on college admissions to low-income/first generation adults who want to enter or continue a program of postsecondary education. • Serves 1,000 participants each program year and 2/3 of participants must be low income or first-generation college students • Serves Tulsa, Creek, and Osage counties by assisting participants obtaining their GED, applying for financial aid and admission, and enrolling in a postsecondary program 	\$1,368,965	9/1/2021 - 8/31/2026

TRIO Student Support Services				
U.S. Department of Education	Student Success and Engagement Joseph Schnetzer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TRIO SSS increases the college retention and graduation rates of its participants • Provides opportunities for academic development, assists students with basic college requirements, and motivates students toward successful completion • Annually serves 160 students who qualify as low-income, first-generation, and/or disabled, and ensures that participants persist from one academic year to the next and stay in good academic standing • A minimum of 25% of new participants served each year will receive an associate degree or a certificate from TCC within four years • At least 15% of new participants served each year will graduate with an associate degree or certificate from TCC and transfer to a four-year institution within four years 	\$1,319,916	9/1/2020 - 8/31/2025

EDA Build Back Better Regional Challenge				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
U.S. Economic Development Administration and The Tulsa Community Foundation	Engineering and Engineering Technology Dr. Sheila Youngblood	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TCC is a subrecipient on a 5-year project, led by Tulsa Community Foundation, phase two of an existing grant led by the Indian Nations Council of Governments (INCOG) • The focus is on developing workforce pipelines and an advanced mobility research center at OSU-Tulsa. TCC is focused on the workforce pipelines portion 	Federal \$209,000 Private up to \$2,979,494	1/1/2023 - 9/30/2027

HRSA HRSA Congressionally Directed Spending Construction Projects				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
Health Resources & Services Administration	Nursing Dr. Jenny Fields	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This funding supports expansion of the nursing program, specifically improvements to TCC's downtown Tulsa Metro Campus, including new equipment and reconfiguring lab space in the existing facility • The overall goal of TCC's program is to enroll additional nursing students, increase program graduates, and help ameliorate Northeastern Oklahoma's nursing shortage 	\$866,000	9/1/2022 - 8/31/2025

HRSA Congressionally Directed Spending Construction Projects				
Health Resources & Services Administration	Radiography Technology and Surgical Technology Dr. Jenny Fields	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This project will improve and update simulation, laboratory, and classroom space in Radiography and Surgical Technology including improving classrooms, upgrading materials, and renovating existing spaces for additional capacity to serve students • These renovations will provide radiography and surgical technology students the ability to learn and practice new skills in a simulated environment, improving critical thinking and safe practice protocols 	\$1,000,000	9/1/2023 - 8/31/2026

NASA National Space Grant College and Fellowship Program Training Grant				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
National Aeronautics and Space Administration	Science and Aeronautics Julie Porterfield	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funds the NASA Oklahoma Space Grant Consortium, in which TCC is a subrecipient through OSU Contributes to the nation's science enterprise by funding education, research, and informal education projects through a national network of university-based Space Grant consortia TCC students participate as interns in the Aviation Explorers Summer Program for middle school students engaging in drone flights, air traffic control experiences, flight simulations, and other NASA-related subject areas Funding also supports TCC hosting of the Union Aeronautics Academy 	\$18,000	FY 2025 - Fy 2028

NIH Biomedical Research and Research Training				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
National Institutes of Health	Life Sciences Neil Enis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funds the Oklahoma IDeA Network for Biomedical Research Excellence (OK-INBRE) program TCC receives subaward through University of Oklahoma Center for Health Sciences (OU-CHS) Funding provides partial salary and benefits for faculty member to serve as Community College Outreach Coordinator, working to promote faculty professional development, curriculum reform, and collaboration; current plans include undergrad student researcher position and supplies for summer workshop for K-12 teachers 	\$88,332	5/1/2024 - 2/28/2025

Biomedical Research and Research Training - Alteration and Renovation				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
National Institutes of Health	Life Sciences Neil Enis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In conjunction with TCC's regular OK-INBRE grant, this project provides funding to renovate and modernize an outdated Southeast campus laboratory space to more effectively lead undergraduate student research projects in microbiology, biomedical technology, and other life sciences The renovated lab provides space for more students while being better suited for course-based undergraduate research experiences (CUREs) and also serves as a campus hub for collegiate course-independent undergraduate research initiatives and outreach events supporting K-12 life science education 	\$183,765	4/1/2024 - 3/31/2027

OSRHE Hunger Free Campus				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education	Student Success Jennifer Beatie	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student Life uses this funding to enhance the stock of all four campus food pantries with protein items which are more difficult to source from donations Funding was also used to move and expand the Metro Fuel Pantry to a more accessible location 	\$161,999	7/1/2023 - 6/30/2027

STEM Summer Academies				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education	STEM Dr. Sheila Youngblood	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TCC School of Mathematics and Engineering faculty and staff will use OSRHE funding to facilitate a residential summer camp for Oklahoma secondary school students, focusing on new and sustainable energy concepts and technologies While building confidence and knowledge in STEM concepts, students will explore how those same concepts are used in the workforce, especially in high-growth, high wage careers If program goals are successfully achieved, OSRHE has the option to extend the project for two years 	\$40,600	12/7/2023 - 9/1/2024

SAMHSA				
Mental Health Awareness Training				
Funding Agency	TCC Department and Lead	Description and Impact	Total TCC Award	Award Period
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration	Wellness Services Jessica Heavin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funds support the training of over 1,000 faculty, staff and students in mental health awareness Funds also support a Mental Health Program Coordinator and a part-time Program Assistant Provides professional development and training for Wellness Services staff 	\$625,000	9/30/2021 - 9/29/2026

* Pending final FY 25 budget confirmation from funding agencies

Tulsa Community College: Pending Grants

DOE				
Industrial Assessment Centers - Clean Energy and Manufacturing Workforce Training and Technical Assistance				
Funding Agency	Area of Focus	Description and Impact	Projected TCC Award	Award Period
Department of Energy	Engineering Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This planning and capacity-building grant would examine the process of incorporating training for Certified Energy Auditors into TCC's Advanced Manufacturing curriculum Working closely with local industry leaders and Oklahoma State University's Great Plains Center of Excellence, TCC would develop agreements necessary to apply for a larger proposal within 1-2 years By graduating advanced manufacturing students with energy auditor training, local manufacturing employees would be able to reduce facility waste, conserve energy, and explore the potential for new clean tech in their manufacturing processes 	\$80,358	Estimated 9/1/2024 - 8/31/2025

NSA				
GenCyber				
Funding Agency	Area of Focus	Description and Impact	Projected TCC Award	Award Period
National Security Agency, National Science Foundation	Cybersecurity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The goal of the GenCyber program is to increase awareness of cybersecurity content and careers for secondary school students and teachers, and provide year-round engagement In partnership with the University of Tulsa, this grant would allow TCC to provide a summer camp for students in grades 9-12 and supplementary learning opportunities throughout the year, especially for students underrepresented in the field 	\$89,992	Estimated Summer 2025

NSF				
Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math - Collaborative Planning Grant				
Funding Agency	Area of Focus	Description and Impact	Projected TCC Award	Award Period
National Science Foundation	STEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In partnership with University of Oklahoma, this collaborative planning grant would help participating colleges develop agreements and collect initial data to understand issues faced by low-income STEM students Targeting Engineering, Advanced Technology, and Computer Science students, the consortium would submit a larger S-STEM grant within 1-2 years 	\$3,300	Estimated 7/1/2024 - 6/30/2025

ODNI				
Intelligence Community Centers for Academic Excellence				
Funding Agency	Area of Focus	Description and Impact	Projected TCC Award	Award Period
Office of the Director of National Intelligence	Foreign Languages, Cybersecurity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The IC-CAE grant is designed to develop qualified intelligence professionals from varied and diverse backgrounds at IC-CAE centers across the United States Led by Rogers State University, this grant would support TCC students in needed foreign language instruction while providing introduction to intelligence courses. Participating students would have the opportunity to transfer and become IC-CAE scholars at 4-year institutions, leading to careers in national intelligence 	\$7,700	Estimated 10/1/2024 - 9/30/2025 with the option for ODNI to continue the program for four further years

Tulsa Community College: Possible Future Grants

ED Child Care Access Means Parents in School Program (CCAMPIS)				
Funding Agency	Area of Focus	Description and Impact	Projected TCC Award	Award Period
U.S. Department of Education/Office of Postsecondary Education	Student Success	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CCAMPIS supports the participation of low-income parents in postsecondary education through provision of campus-based child care services • Projects must leverage existing resources and utilize a sliding fee scale for child care services to support a high number of low-income parents pursuing education at the institution • The child care service provider may be either owned by the institution or contracted to outsourced accredited child care centers 	\$2,790,000	4-year grant Next competition anticipated in 2024