TNE Dissemination Fund (Revised)

Purpose: The TNE Dissemination Fund has been created to support dissemination of knowledge, research and practice directly related to the UWM Teachers for a New Era program. Funds may be used to support travel to professional/disciplinary meetings and other appropriate venues that focus on higher education's involvement in teacher education. Funds may also support costs of duplicating materials used for dissemination.

Expectations: It is expected that recipients of TNE Dissemination Funds shall: (1) communicate information focused directly on the knowledge, research or practice of TNE at UWM, through an organized panel, presentation or poster session (2) explicitly acknowledge support of the UWM TNE project, and (3) prepare and submit a brief Dissemination Report (500-1,000 words) describing the dissemination activities and outcomes associated with funding. Whenever practical, dissemination efforts should include participation by UWM and MPS (MTEA, MPA) representatives as well as across academic disciplines.

Description of Request:
A. Support Request: briefly outline the type of support requested. For all travel, identify: (1) purpose of the travel, (2) place for dissemination (name and purpose of professional/disciplinary meeting), location, and meeting dates.

B. Nature of Presentation: Describe the nature of the panel, presentation, or poster session, the audience for the information, and the connection to the UWM Teachers for a New Era program (attach a copy of the proposal, panel or poster session proposal).

C. Participants: Identify participant(s) (name, title, affiliation) and role(s) in the presentation.

D. Budget: Please outline proposed costs. Clearly describe costs related to travel (airfare, mileage), per diem (hotel, meals), conference registration, reproduction of dissemination materials, and other costs.

Note: The maximum travel support provided by TNE per trip is $500. It is anticipated that individuals will receive dissemination support no more than once in any given academic year. Design Team members may use their S&E stipend to support travel to professional meetings and other venues where it is appropriate to disseminate information on UWM’s TNE program.

E. Match: Matching funding is encouraged. Please describe funding other than TNE that will support the proposed dissemination effort (including support from schools, colleges, centers, and initiatives).

F. Travel Arrangements: Individuals who receive funding through the TNE Dissemination fund will be expected to make their travel arrangements through their home academic unit. The TNE Office will notify academic units of the awards at the same type that applicants receive notice of their award. After travel is completed and the Dissemination Report is filed with the TNE office, awarded funds will be transferred to the home academic unit of the traveler.

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Proposals may be submitted at any time but must precede the dissemination event. The four Principal Investigators of the project will review proposals. A response to submitted proposals will be given within 30 days of submission.

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