The Request for ELO Proposals is now open for IAP and Spring 2021!

What is an ELO?

All experiential learning opportunities (ELOs) receiving guarantee funding should meet the 5 criteria outlined in the Request for Proposals (hands-on/applied; rigorous/academic content; dedicated supervision; meaningful intensity; reflection/evaluation).

Guarantee-eligible ELOs must be a minimum of 70 hours, typically over the course of one semester.

Only students who are invited back to campus and living in MIT Housing are eligible for in-person ELOs on MIT’s campus (or in related facilities like the Broad or Lincoln Labs). Receipt of an ELO is not a guarantee that campus access for in-person ELO project work will be approved. In-person ELOs are NOT permitted for students who are not in residence on campus.

Proposals should be submitted via Google Form no later than 5 pm on Friday, November 13, 2020. An ad hoc funding committee composed of staff, faculty, and students will review all proposals. Funding award decisions will be announced no later than Monday, December 7, 2020.

Have more questions? Staff and faculty members proposing, designing, and implementing ELO programs are encouraged to browse the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) here. The FAQs contain helpful information about the program criteria, eligibility restrictions, student payment, financial administration, and reporting.

If you don’t see the answer you’re looking for, email us at oel@mit.edu.

PLEASE SHARE THIS CALL FOR PROPOSALS WITH MEMBERS OF YOUR COMMUNITY!
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