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## Application

All applications should be typed and submitted to the Educational Foundation using this form.

Name: **Eric Darsow**

Campus: **North/West**

Date: **2 April 2018**

Title of your project: **The forestry ecosystem technology project**

Requested amount: **\$498**

Course(s) related to your project: Students in CIT-100: Intro to computing can use the raw data from the project to learn about spreadsheets and the devices themselves to learn about networking. CIT-111: Java programming students can write Java code to interact with the sensors. DAT102: Introduction to Data Analytics can use the raw data for independent analysis projects.

This project is for the: € fall term 2018

Student engagement can be exhibited in a number of ways. Please specify how you plan to engage the students by checking all that apply. The examples below are from previously funded projects:

- Enhance student-faculty interaction**, e.g., *Business Technologies Professional Panel Discussion* provided students with the opportunity to identify presenters to present a panel discussion related to their entering and advancing in their professions. The panel presentation was open to all business related majors and other interested students, faculty and staff.
- Service learning**, e.g., *Honors Service to India* focused on students learning about how social services are provided to individuals in need in India and then working with children in Delhi and Dharamsala. This project was implemented through the CCAC Honors Program.
- Civic engagement**, e.g., *CCAC Homeless Veteran Outreach* was developed to provide through the Military and Veterans Services Office and a faculty member working with a Veteran Scholar to provide 25 homeless veterans with living necessities to assist in their daily struggles including: a canteen, waterproof match container, emergency blanket, can opener, poncho, matches, aluminum foil and zip lock bags.

**XXX Project based learning**, e.g., *Establishing a Community Garden* enabled students to learn about, develop and maintain a Campus vegetable garden that produced produce that the students were able to donate to a local food distribution program so that individuals receiving food could have fresh vegetables along with their non-perishable food items.

**Other:**

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Please also attach a description of the project that includes: 1) details of project parameters; 2) project goal(s); 3) measurable project outcome(s); 4) a detailed budget with projected expenses; and 5) how you will assess the success of the project.

The attachment should be no longer than two pages double spaced.

## Commitment to the Program

As a Dziak Fellow, I agree to complete the project within one semester and to share the results of the project for increasing student engagement with the Foundation by February, 28, 2019 and the college community.

Signature of applicant: Eric C. Dasee Date: 2 APR 18

I have reviewed this application and recommend it for funding as I view it as being within the scope of the provisions of the John Dziak Development & Engagement Fund and the policies of the college.

Signature of campus Dean of Academic Affairs: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return the completed application by April 2<sup>nd</sup> to:**

The John Dziak Faculty Development & Engagement Fund  
CCAC Educational Foundation  
Byers Hall 102  
808 Ridge Avenue  
Pittsburgh, PA 15212-6097