

BANNAN GRANT PROPOSAL COVER PAGE	Date:	
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1.	Proposal Title	Teihard for a New Generation				
2.	Name of Applicant	Paul Crowley, S.J., Alex Rivera-Garcia (JST), David Ayotte, S.J. (JST)				
3.	Phone	408-554-4542	E-Mail	pcrowley@scu.edu		
	Fax					
4.	Type of Grant (check one)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bannan Grant		<input type="checkbox"/> Dialog & Design Grant		
5.	Required: Provide your 4-6 letter department or program ID. This is not a fund number. (i.e. ECON for Economics Department; LACLNC for Law Clinic)					
	Department/Program ID					
	Contact Person	Vicky Gonzalez		Extension	4547	
6.	If your department does not provide administrative assistance to manage grants, we will provide assistance. Will you be in need of assistance to manage your grant?				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
7.	Total cost of proposed project:				\$	40,070
8.	Amount requested from the Ignatian Center:				\$	5,000
9.	Amount requested from other sources, if any (please list):				\$	
	American Teilhard Association				\$	2,500
	Others so far...				\$	2,000
10.	Please briefly explain what will happen to this project if you do not receive funding from the Ignatian Center: We are set to go, so we will find the funding somehow.					
Department Chair or Supervisor Approval		Paul Crowley, SJ				4/12/10
		Name (type/print)		Signature		Date

Submit all proposals to: Theresa Ladrigan-Whelpley, Ignatian Center for Jesuit Education, Sobrato Hall, Room 34, Santa Clara University, 500 El Camino Real, Santa Clara, CA 95053-0454. tladriganwhelpley@scu.edu
Electronic **copies** of proposals via email are encouraged.

BANNAN GRANT PROPOSED BUDGET	Date:	
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I estimate that I will spend the requested funds as follows:

<u>Primary Account</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>	
SUPPLY	Office, lab, instruction supplies	\$	
PHONE	Telephone charges	\$	
REPROD	Copying, printing	\$	
MAIL	Postage, mailing, fax charges	\$	
BSTRVL	Domestic transport, lodging, meals	\$	440
INTRVL	Foreign transport, lodging, meals	\$	4,660
SPCEVT	Food, room charges for special event	\$	
CONTRS	Guest speaker honoraria, research subject fees, professional services	\$	
MISC	Publications, subscriptions, membership dues	\$	
STFSAL	Staff salaries	\$	
SWAGE	Student wages	\$	
FACSAL	Faculty salary	\$	
BENEXP	Benefit expenses for faculty, staff, student	\$	
	TOTAL	\$	

****Please Note:** In the event that this grant is awarded, your department is responsible for any associated overdrafts.

BANNAN GRANT PROPOSAL EVALUATION FORM	Date:	4/12/10
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Part I: *(To be completed for submission along with your original grant proposal.)*
List the intended outcomes for this project: (use additional pages if necessary)

- a publication
- growth in collaboration between JST and Religious Studies and SCU
- national/international recognition for Santa Clara
- facilitation of dialogues between religion and science at Santa Clara
- spotlighting of University's strategic goals in sustainability, globalization, and promotion of the University's Catholic and Jesuit mission and identity

Pending approval of your grant, Parts II & III are to be completed at the end of your grant period

Proposal Budget				
Account Number	Fund	Dept ID	Program	Activity

Part II: Briefly describe the actual measurable outcomes of this project and the assessment tools you used: (use additional pages if necessary)

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Part III: Describe any other outcomes of your project.

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Bannan Grant Application (Scholarly)

1. **Project Title:** “Pierre Teilhard de Chardin for a New Generation”
Conference, November 18-21, 2010
Santa Clara University

2. **Statement of the Problem**

Actually, we begin not with a problem so much as an opportunity, for Teilhard de Chardin is receiving fresh appraisals among theologians and philosophers of science as we now understand some theological claims and the universe itself in ways that Teilhard intuited but did not live to see. The purpose of the conference is to reflect on Teilhard’s vast project in light of these newer developments, and to introduce this great Jesuit theologian’s work and visionary insights to a new generation of theologians, and to students, both graduate and undergraduate.

3. **Method: An International Conference**

We propose to accomplish this general goal by holding an international conference on the Santa Clara campus November 18-21, 2010. The conference is the result of collaboration between faculty and graduate students at the Jesuit School of Theology of Santa Clara University, and members of the Religious Studies Department, and is proposed as a celebratory moment marking the one-year anniversary of the joining of the Jesuit School to the University. Co-sponsors thus far are the American Teilhard Association and the Religious Studies Department. We are planning for a conference of 200 people.

The specific goals of the conference are threefold:

- **Academic:** To explore the interdisciplinary implications of the thought of Pierre Teilhard de Chardin for developing a more integrated and meaningful global culture.
- **Ecclesial:** To provide a forum for scholars to discuss the current and possible status of the person and thought of Teilhard in the life of the Church.
- **Institutional** To further the collaborative work of JST and the University in their professional integration.

The details of the conference have already been worked out, and registrations are currently being invited online: www.teilhardforanewgeneration.com . This website gives comprehensive information about the conference, including the conference schedule, speakers, and other events associated with the conference.

Keynote speakers include:

- Dr. Mary Ellen Tucker, Yale University: “Teilhard for a New Generation: An Ecological Vision for the World”
- Dr. Ilea Delio, Woodstock Theological Center: “Globalization, Science and Technology: The Vision of the Human and Transformation”
- Prof. Jeffrey Gros, Memphis Theological Seminary: “Communion in Christ: Omega Vision”
- Dr. David Grumett, University of Exeter, UK: “A Political Natural Theology – Revisioning Philosophy and Metaphysics with Teilhard”

The Thursday evening reception will include a presentation on Teilhard and cosmology by Dr. Brian Swimme, California Institute of Integral Studies.

In addition, there are plans for a banquet, a liturgy, and a field trip (for those interested) to the California Academy of Sciences.

Housing has been arranged at Day’s Inn, Candlewood Suites, and the St. Claire Hotel.

Space has already been reserved for both the conference sessions and the reception and banquet.

4. **Timetable**

Conference organizers (Paul Crowley, S.J., David Ayotte, S.J., and Alex Rivera-Garcia) have been meeting on a regular basis over the past few months. Our next formal meeting is scheduled for September.

Initial publicity efforts will commence in May, with reminders in September and late October. We have enlisted the services of a web designer and marketing planner who is helping us with these efforts. In addition, the organizing committee is personally contacting various other academic and Church entities (e.g., dioceses) to advance publicity.

5. **Relevance to research/teaching**

Each of the organizers has a personal interest in the work of Teilhard de Chardin. But beyond this, the conference, and the subsequent publication of a book based on the conference, should help stimulate both research and teaching in the area. We will be encouraging faculty at both JST and the SCU Religious Studies department to think of ways of spotlighting Teilhard in appropriate courses. We also think that this conference will contribute to the University’s strategic focus on sustainability, as this is one of the major topics of the conference.

6. Relevance to Bannan funding criteria

We think that this proposal comes close to fulfilling especially the first and fourth criteria of the specific mission of the Bannan Institute “to assist the University in maintaining its Catholic identity and Jesuit mission at the center of the educational enterprise.” The conference’s focus on this great Jesuit thinker, both theologian and scientist, should go far toward helping Bannan fulfill this aspect of its mission.

Teilhard de Chardin was a Jesuit theologian-scientist who indeed furthered the Ignatian vision of “finding God in all things,” from the densest and most inanimate matter to the infinitely expanding cosmos. The conference will explore these aspects of his thought, but with a view as well toward the faith that does justice in the world, and particularly as this aim of Jesuit education is specified in care for the earth. Thus, the first two keynotes will be focusing on the ecological crisis and globalization.

We are particularly happy that this conference, devoted in large measure to the intersections of religion and science, will be held on the grounds of a Catholic university.

7. Grants/Fellowships received in the past three years

n/a

8. Publication of previous grants

The most relevant publication resulting from a Bannan grant was *Rahner beyond Rahner A Great Theologian Encounters the Pacific Rim*, ed. Paul Crowley, SJ (Lanham, MD: Sheed & Ward/Rowman and Littlefield, 2005). We plan a similar publication for the proposed conference.

9. Approvals

n/a

10. Itemized Budget

Please see itemized budget (below). Our total fundraising goal is \$25,000. To date we have received \$2,500 from the American Teilhard Association, and \$1,000 has been pledged by the Santa Clara Religious Studies Department, and JST will be pledging a similar amount. The Provost’s office has expressed interest, but has not yet pledged an amount, and the President’s office has declined support for the time being, suggesting that a donation might be possible at a later time. The Center for Science, Technology and Society has declined to support the project. We are turning to a couple of other foundations as well. We are therefore asking Bannan for the maximum amount, \$5,000, to help us reach our fundraising goal.

TEILHARD CONFERENCE INCOME/EXPENSES
(April 15th, 2010 revision)

INCOME

Item		
Conf. Participant Fee (100)	\$70/person (banquet included) or late registration at \$125	\$9750
Student Fee (100) (SCU, GTU, JST)	\$10/person (excludes banquet) Or late registration at \$30	\$2000
Foundations		\$25,000
American Teilhard Association		\$2500
Presentors, Moderator and Assistant Lodging (provided by SCU)		0
Publicity and Gifts (provided by JST)		0
Science Academy Visit		\$2280
Buffet Banquet (150)		0
Grand Total		\$41,530.00

EXPENSES

Item					Total
Presentors	Plane	Lodging	Food/Incidentals	Honorarium	
Europe (2)	\$1500	\$280	\$200	\$350	\$4660
Domestic(3)	\$600	\$280	\$200	\$350	\$4290
Moderator or committee worker (6)	0	\$280	\$200	0	\$2880
Respondent (12)		\$280	\$200		\$5760
Banquet (120) and opening reception			\$55/dinner and \$30 reception/ Total \$85 person		\$10,200
Publicity, Web Site, Materials					\$2500
Acad Sciences Visit (Thurs)	\$1000 (bus)		57 people at \$22 Museum \$18bus total \$40		\$2280
Gifts			\$50/person x 10		\$500
Transportation; airport pickup (gas)					0
Conference Publication					\$1500

Editor Stipend for Publication					\$2500
Misc.					\$3000
Grand Total					\$40,070