This proposal is aimed at continuing the efforts started by a 1992-1993 Fund for Instructional Improvement grant to provide Multimedia Staff Development for San Diego County Community Colleges. The 1992-93 project established a successful multimedia base of eight small teams from San Diego County community colleges who acquired the basic skills necessary to produce multimedia instructional software, and provided training for forty others in the use and benefits of multimedia.

The second year project will provide support to these fledgling teams and further strengthen the cooperative and innovative bond that has already developed within the Multimedia Consortium colleges. This will be accomplished by having carefully planned activities aimed at strengthening continued multimedia development.

The 1993-94 consortium activities will consist of the following components:

1. Monthly Multimedia Special Interest Group meetings to provide a forum for sharing multimedia-related problems, questions, and solutions.
2. Acquisition of multimedia development supplies which will then be systematically demonstrated, reviewed, rated, reported and televised on Educational Television Cable Channel 23. Consortium reviewers will be paid a small stipend for their review efforts.
3. Paid stipend and support for ten faculty multimedia development proposals.
4. Multimedia Consortium Newsletter which recognizes and promote multimedia software developed by faculty and other consortium activities.
5. Internet network communication of multimedia information.

Most of the consortium colleges are making plans to join the Internet through CERFnet.