Looking for opportunities to fund your research? Please take a few minutes to review the following information.

If a funding opportunity you are interested in is designated as a limited submission program, please contact ORED prior to developing an application. For more information on the limited submission process http://sites01.lsu.edu/wp/ored/funding-resources/limited-submissions/.

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EPSCoR Research Infrastructure Improvement Program Track-1

Solicitation: NSF 14-558
Due Date: August 05, 2014
Institutional Limit: 1

Limit Summary:
Only one Research Infrastructure Improvement Track-1 (RII Track-1) proposal may be submitted in response to this solicitation by the designated fiscal agent/proposing organization, acting on behalf of a jurisdiction's EPSCoR steering committee.

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BoR Request for Proposals FY 2014-15

Requests for proposals (RFPs) for FY 2014-15 are now available on the Sponsored Programs website (https://web.laregents.org) for the following Board of Regents Support Fund (BoRSF) competitive grants programs and subprograms: (1) Traditional and Undergraduate Enhancement; (2) Enhancement for Two-Year Institutions; (3) Research and Development (RCS and ITRS); (4) Awards to Louisiana Artists and Scholars; (5) Traditional Graduate Fellowships and Graduate Fellowships for Teachers; (6) BoR/SREB Graduate Fellowships to Promote Diversity; and (7) Endowed Chairs for Eminent Scholars. We would appreciate your disseminating this notice as widely as possible on your campus. Across all programs, the BoRSF is particularly interested in encouraging the development of projects that have statewide implications and benefits.


NEA Foundation Invites Applications for Learning and Leadership Grants

DEADLINE: OCTOBER 1, 2014

The NEA Foundation, the philanthropic arm of the National Education Association, is a public charity supported by contributions from educators’ dues, corporate sponsors, and others. The foundation supports student success by helping public school educators and key partners to build robust systems of shared responsibility.

As part of an effort to achieve this goal, the foundation is inviting applications for its Learning and Leadership Grants program. The program provides support to public school teachers, public education support professionals, and/or faculty and staff in public institutions of higher education through grants to individuals to fund participation in high-quality professional development experiences; or grants in support of collegial study, including study groups, action research, lesson study, or mentoring experiences for faculty or staff new to an assignment.

Grants of $2,000 will be awarded to individuals, while groups engaged in collegial study will receive awards of $5,000. All group grant applications must include partner information.

To be eligible, applicants must be public school preK–12 educators; public school education support professionals; or faculty and staff at a public institution of higher education. The foundation encourages education support professionals to apply. Preference will be given to members of the National Education Association.

For complete program guidelines, an FAQ, information about previous grantees, and application instructions, visit the NEA Foundation Web site.

Link to Complete RFP

NCIIA annual conference Call for Proposals

Open 2015, the NCIIA 19th annual conference, taking place March 20-21, 2015 in Washington, D.C.

NCIIA is dedicated to fostering an emerging generation of young inventors and entrepreneurs driven to improve life for people and the planet. Our Open conferences gather together engaged faculty and university students from across multiple disciplines to share stories, start new collaborations and learn best practices in technology entrepreneurship education.

We welcome your proposals for compelling sessions focused on curriculum, engaging students, design, and generating social and environmental impact through entrepreneurship as well as special topical areas such as learning from failure.

To read the full Call for Proposals and submit to Open 2015, please follow this link. Last year’s conference materials, including the schedule, are here.

Abstracts are due September 10, 2014.

REMINDER

Solicitation of Pilot Projects on Canine MicroRNAs: Biomarkers or Mediators of Disease?

Dear Canine Health Researcher:

MicroRNAs (miRs) have emerged as important regulators of genes involved in cellular proliferation and differentiation and are now implicated in development and progression of renal and cardiac disease. This Request for Proposals (RFP), issued by the AKC Canine Health Foundation in partnership with Zoetis Inc., invites submission of pilot research projects focused on characterization of miRs in canine chronic kidney disease (CKD) and degenerative mitral valve disease (MVD), also known as myxomatous valvular degeneration.

View RFP and Application Instructions

Submission Deadline: Midnight, Monday, August 4, 2014

Questions regarding this RFP should be sent to Dr. Shila Nordone, Chief Scientific Officer for the AKC Canine Health Foundation, at skn@akcchf.org. Please forward this announcement to other researchers seeking funding.

The mission of the AKC Canine Health Foundation (CHF) is to advance the health of all dogs and their owners by funding sound scientific research and supporting the dissemination of health information to prevent, treat, and cure canine disease.

Our vision is to address the health needs of all dogs
across their entire lifetime by focusing on all aspects of their physical, mental, and social well-being. We embrace the One Health model as a critical tool to achieving our vision.

Notice to Genetic Researchers: The CHIC DNA Repository has canine DNA samples available to genetic researchers. The CHIC DNA Repository, co-sponsored by the Orthopedic Foundation for Animals and the AKC Canine Health Foundation, collects and stores canine DNA samples along with corresponding genealogic and updated health information to facilitate future research and testing aimed at reducing the incidence of inherited disease in dogs. Any genetic researcher may apply to have access to these samples and any CHF funded project is pre-approved for access.

Gulf Research Program to Host a Christine Mirzayan Science & Technology Policy Graduate Fellow

Dear Colleagues:

We are pleased to announce that the National Academies are accepting applications for the 2015 session of the Christine Mirzayan Science & Technology Policy Graduate Fellowship Program. This 12-week program (Jan. 20 - Apr. 10, 2015) is designed to engage early career individuals in the processes that inform U.S. science and technology policy. Fellows obtain essential skills and knowledge needed to work in science and technology policy at the federal, state, or local level.

The Gulf Research Program will host a Christine Mirzayan Fellow, so we encourage you to spread the word among potential candidates. The Fellow will be part of a cohort of about two dozen other Fellows learning about the role of science in the federal government and will work directly with the Gulf Research Program and our Advisory Board.

We will be looking at candidates who are forward-thinking and cross-disciplinary. Graduate and professional school students and those who have completed graduate studies within the last five years may apply. Special consideration will be given to candidates who are from a Gulf state, studying at a Gulf state institution, or doing research relevant to the Gulf of Mexico.

Applications are due Sept. 1, 2014. The fellowship stipend is $8,500. To learn more or apply online, please visit: http://sites.nationalacademies.org/pga/policyfellows/<http://click.newsletters.nas.edu/?qs=d6835024702d93d79c9e71c9a4ea38f6b7ad9eb8d4319f19bad2f7fd1254f32>.

Attend Oceans in Action Business Matchmaking Opportunities 2014

Oceans in Action 2014 highlights agencies at Stennis Space Center that support missions relying on marine technology. Featured speakers will return for this annual event. In addition, we will also continue the tradition started last year of inviting abstract proposals from individuals who have made recent technological advances in any aspect of marine technology. This might include new or enhanced systems, sensors, products, services, models, processes, algorithms, or other technologies. Presenters will have the option to submit a paper for consideration in the upcoming general issue of the Marine Technology Society Journal.

Agenda (as of June 18, 2014)

EVENT DETAILS:
Date: August 21, 2014
Time: 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Location: Building 1200 - Auditorium, Stennis Space Center, MS 39529

Weekly NIH Funding Opportunities and Notices 07-04-2014

All NIH Funding Opportunities and Notices

NIH Announces Change in Policy Requirements for Activation Notices for Fellows Sponsored by Foreign and Federal Institutions (NOT-OD-14-101)
National Institutes of Health

Notice of Correction to Budget Instructions for PA-14-042 “NIH Pathway to Independence Award (Parent K99/R00)” (NOT-OD-14-102)
National Institutes of Health

Notice of Intent to Publish a Funding Opportunity Announcement for Analyses to Determine Diagnostic Cut-Points for Older Adults with Low Muscle Mass or Strength (U01) (NOT-AG-14-019)
National Institute on Aging

Request for Information on Enriching the NCCAM Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) Research Programs (NOT-AT-14-004)
National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine

Notice of National Cancer Institute (NCI) Participation in PAR-14-225 “Clinical Evaluation of Adjuncts to Opioid Therapies for the Treatment of Chronic Pain (R01)” (NOT-CA-14-050)
National Cancer Institute

Request for Information (RFI): National Longitudinal Study of Neurodevelopmental Consequences of Substance Use (NOT-DA-14-014)
National Institute on Drug Abuse
National Cancer Institute
National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development

Notice of Clarification to RFA-DA-15-004 “NIDA Avant-Garde Award Program for HIV/AIDS and Drug Use Research (DP1)” (NOT-DA-14-015)
National Institute on Drug Abuse
Critical Path Public Private Partnerships (NOT-FD-14-014)
Food and Drug Administration

Notice of Termination of PAR-13-351 “NIGMS National Centers for Systems Biology” (NOT-GM-14-120)
National Institute of General Medical Sciences

Notice of Change to Application Types Allowed in PAR-13-243 “Renewal of Centers of Biomedical Research Excellence [COBRE](P20)” (NOT-GM-14-121)
National Institute of General Medical Sciences

Request for Information: Collaborative Translational Research Consortium to Develop T4 Translation of Evidence-based Interventions (NOT-HL-14-028)
National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute

Notice of Expiration of NOT-MH-11-014 “Notice of Availability of Administrative Supplements to Enable Continuity of Research Experiences of M.D./Ph.D.s During Clinical Training” (NOT-MH-14-017)
National Institute of Mental Health

Request for Information (RFI): Public-Private Partnerships for Organ Systems and Platforms Developed by Microphysiological Systems (MPS) Investigators (NOT-TR-14-008)
National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences

Requests for Applications

Development of Novel Therapeutics for Select Anaerobic Protozoa (R21/R33) (RFA-AI-14-015)
National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases
Application Receipt Date(s): October 30, 2014

NIAID SBIR - Technology Transfer Direct Phase II SBIR-TT (R44) (RFA-AI-14-049)
National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases
Application Receipt Date(s): November 14, 2014

The National Drug Abuse Treatment Clinical Trials Network (UG1) (RFA-DA-15-008)
National Institute on Drug Abuse
Application Receipt Date(s): December 03, 2014

Next-Gen Rapid Testing and Point-of-Care Diagnosis for Oral Pathogens (R41/R42) (RFA-DE-15-001)
Medically Assisted Reproduction: Investigation of Mechanisms Underlying the Adverse Outcomes and Development of New and Improved Methods to Overcome the Adverse Outcomes (R01)
(PAR-14-272)
Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
Application Receipt Date(s): September 30, 2014, September 30, 2015, September 30, 2016, by 5:00 PM local time of applicant organization. All types of non-AIDS applications allowed for this funding opportunity announcement are due on these dates.

Medically Assisted Reproduction: Investigation of Mechanisms Underlying the Adverse Outcomes and Development of New and Improved Methods to Overcome the Adverse Outcomes (R21)
(PAR-14-273)
Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
Application Receipt Date(s): September 30, 2014, September 30, 2015, September 30, 2016, by 5:00 PM local time of applicant organization. All types of non-AIDS applications allowed for this funding opportunity announcement are due on these dates.

Pharmacogenetics, Pharmacopeigenetics and Personalized Medicine in Children (R01)
(PAR-14-274)
Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
Application Receipt Date(s): Multiple dates, see announcement.

State Occupational Health and Safety Surveillance Program (U60)
(PAR-14-275)
National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
Application Receipt Date(s): September 15, 2014, September 15, 2015, and September 15, 2016.

Biological Anthropology Program - Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grants (BA-DDRIG)
Full Proposal Deadline Date: July 28, 2014
The Biological Anthropology Program supports multifaceted research which advances scientific knowledge of human biology and ecology, including understanding of our evolutionary history and mechanisms which have shaped human and nonhuman primate biological diversity. Supported research focuses on living and fossil forms of both human and nonhuman primates, addressing time scales ranging from the short-term to evolutionary, encompassing multiple levels of organization and analysis (molecular ... More at http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=505067&WT.mc_id=USNSF_39&WT.mc_ev=click

This is an NSF Upcoming Due Dates item.

NSF/Intel Partnership on Cyber-Physical Systems Security and Privacy (CPS-Security)

Preliminary Proposal Deadline Date: July 29, 2014 Required for participation in the Ideas Lab workshop to be held August 12-16, 2014. Not required for full proposals that were not developed through the Ideas Lab.

Program Guidelines: NSF 14-571

The national and economic security of the United States depends on the reliable function of critical infrastructure. An already-large and rapidly growing part of this infrastructure is being advanced through the integration of information and communication technologies (ICT), leading to cyber-physical systems (CPS). Advances in CPS will enable capability, adaptability, scalability, and usability that will far exceed the simple embedded systems of today. CPS technology will transform the way ... More at http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=505047&WT.mc_id=USNSF_39&WT.mc_ev=click

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Science, Technology, and Society (STS)

Full Proposal Deadline Date: August 1, 2014

Program Guidelines: NSF 12-509

STS considers proposals for scientific research into the interface between science (including engineering) or technology, and society. STS researchers use diverse methods including social science, historical, and philosophical methods. Successful proposals will be transferrable (i.e., generate results that provide insights for other scientific contexts that are suitably similar). They will produce outcomes that address pertinent problems and issues at the interface of science, technology and ...


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GeoPrisms Program

Full Proposal Deadline Date: August 1, 2014

Program Guidelines: NSF 14-556

GeoPRISMS (Geodynamic Processes at Rifting and Subducting Margins) is the successor to the MARGINS Program. GeoPRISMS will investigate the coupled geodynamics, earth surface processes, and climate interactions that build and modify continental margins over a wide range of timescales. These interactions cross the shoreline and have applications to margin evolution and dynamics, construction of stratigraphic architecture, accumulation of economic resources, and associated geologic hazards and ...


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Perception, Action & Cognition

Full Proposal Window: August 1, 2014

This proposal window is for research proposals only.

Workshop and conference proposals should not be submitted during this submission window.

Program Guidelines: PD 09-7252

Supports research on perception, action and cognition. Emphasis is on research strongly grounded in theory. Central research topics for consideration by the Perception, Action, and Cognition panel include vision, audition, haptics, attention, memory, reasoning, written and spoken discourse, and motor control. The program encompasses a wide range of theoretical perspectives, such as symbolic computation, connectionism, ecological, nonlinear dynamics, and complex systems, and a variety of ...


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Law & Social Sciences (LSS)

Full Proposal Target Date: August 1, 2014

Program Guidelines: NSF 12-507

The Law & Social Sciences Program considers proposals that address social scientific studies of law and law-like systems of rules. The program is inherently interdisciplinary and multi-methodological. Successful proposals describe research that advances scientific theory and understanding of the connections between law or legal processes and human behavior. Social scientific studies of law often approach law as dynamic, made in multiple arenas, with the participation of ...


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Wireless Innovation between Finland and US (WiFiUS)

Full Proposal Deadline Date: August 1, 2014

This proposal window is for research proposals only.

Program Guidelines: NSF 14-563
In 2011, the National Science Foundation (NSF), Tekes - the Finnish Funding Agency for Innovation, and the Academy of Finland jointly funded the Wireless Innovation between Finland and US (WiFiUS) SAVI (Science Across Virtual Institutes) to help build long-term research and education collaborations between the two world...


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Opportunities for Promoting Understanding through Synthesis (OPUS)

Full Proposal Deadline Date: August 1, 2014

Program Guidelines: NSF 14-559

All four clusters within the Division of Environmental Biology (Population and Community Ecology, Ecosystem Science, Evolutionary Processes, and Systematics and Biodiversity Science) encourage the submission of proposals aimed at synthesizing a body of related research projects conducted by a single individual or a group of investigators over an extended period. OPUS proposals will often be appropriately submitted in mid-to-late career, but will also be appropriate early enough in a...


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collaborations are strongly encouraged, as are partnerships with...


Cyberlearning and Future Learning Technologies (Cyberlearning)

Full Proposal Target Date: July 25, 2014

Capacity-Building Projects (CAPs)

Program Guidelines: NSF 14-526

The purpose of the Cyberlearning and Future Learning Technologies program is to integrate opportunities offered by emerging technologies with advances in what is known about how people learn to advance three interconnected thrusts:

• Innovation: inventing and improving next-generation genres (types) of learning technologies, identifying new means of using technology for fostering and assessing learning, and proposing new ways of...