Notices from December 12, 2019 to December 13, 2019

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Democracy Commission Small Grants Program Competition

FON:
DECOM-FY20-01

AGENCY:
Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to Armenia

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to develop democracy, promote respect for human rights, and support civic education in Armenia.

ACTION:
Applications are due February 13, 2020. Approximately $400,000 is available for up to 20 awards to support projects lasting up to 12 months.

LINKS:

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FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
NEA Challenge America, FY2021

FON:
2020NEA01CA

AGENCY:
National Endowment for the Arts (NEA)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to support primarily to small and mid-sized organizations for projects that extend the reach of the arts to underserved populations -- those whose opportunities to experience the arts are limited by geography, ethnicity, economics, or disability.

ACTION:
Applications are due April 9, 2020. Grants are for $10,000. Cost share is 50 percent of the total cost.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Challenge America Specialists, 202-682-5700. Email: challengeamerica@arts.gov
FON:
2020NEA01GAP1

AGENCY:
National Endowment for the Arts (NEA)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to support public engagement with, and access to, various forms of excellent art across the nation, the creation of art that meets the highest standards of excellence, learning in the arts at all stages of life, and the integration of the arts into the fabric of community life. Projects may be large or small, existing or new, and may take place in any part of the nation's 50 states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. territories.

ACTION:
Applications are due February 13, 2020. Grants generally will range from $10,000 to $100,000. Cost share is at least one to one.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Contacts vary.

EDUCATION / ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Native Hawaiian Education

FON:
ED-GRANTS-121319-001

AGENCY:
Department of Education (Education)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to address the unique educational needs of Native Hawaiians to include, but not limited to, promoting of STEM education, increasing access to flexible knowledge and skills areas, etc. Projects must address one or more of the following: (a) Beginning reading and literacy among students in kindergarten through third grade; (b) The needs of at-risk children and youth; (c) Needs in fields or disciplines in which Native Hawaiians are underemployed; and/or (d) The use of the Hawaiian language in instruction.

ACTION:
Applications are due February 11, 2020. Up to $950,000 is available, per award, to support 33 awards lasting up to 36 months. Eligibility is limited to (a) Native Hawaiian educational organizations; (b) Native Hawaiian community-based organizations; (c) Public and private nonprofit organizations, agencies, and institutions with experience in developing or operating Native Hawaiian programs or programs of instruction in the Native Hawaiian language.

LINKS:

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FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
OVW FY 2020 Grants to Reduce Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault and Stalking on Campus Program

FON:
OVW-2020-17693

AGENCY:
Office on Violence Against Women (OVW), Department of Justice (Justice)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to supports activities that develop and strengthen trauma-informed victim services and strategies to prevent, investigate, and respond to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking on campus.

ACTION:
Applicants are strongly encouraged to submit a LOI to OVW.Campus@usdoj.gov by January 24, 2020. Applications are due February 12, 2020. Approximately $ 20 million is available for up to 50 awards to support projects lasting up to 36 months. OVW will host a pre-application information session on January 22 and January 30, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. ET. To register, contact the OVW Campus Program Mailbox at OVW.Campus@usdoj.gov. Registration must be received at least two days prior to the start of the sessions.

LINKS:

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HEALTH

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Clinical Trials Development for Co-Occurring Conditions in Individuals with Down syndrome: Phased Awards for INCLUDE (R61-R33 Clinical Trial Required)

FON:
RFA-OD-20-003

AGENCY:
National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to support development of clinical trials to treat critical and co-occurring health conditions in individuals with Down syndrome. The proposed research aims should be milestone-driven. The total project period for an application submitted in response to this FOA may not exceed five years.

ACTION:
Optional letters of intent are due 30 days prior to the application due date. Applications are due February 14, 2020, November 3, 2020, and November 3, 2021. Up to $4 million is available to support four awards.
LINKS:

CONTACT:
Contacts vary by interest.

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Development of the INCLUDE (Investigation of Co-occurring Conditions across the Lifespan to Understand Down syndromE) Project Data Coordinating Center (U2C Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

FON:
RFA-OD-20-007

AGENCY:
National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to support the development of the Data Coordinating Center (DCC) for the NIH INvestigation of Co-occurring conditions across the Lifespan to Understand Down syndromE (INCLUDE) project. The DCC consists of a Data Portal Core, a Data Management Core, and an Administrative and Outreach Core.

ACTION:
Requested letters of intent are due 30 days prior to the application due date. Applications are due February 14, 2020. Up to $4 million is available.

LINKS:

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FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
INvestigation of Co-occurring conditions across the Lifespan to Understand Down syndromE (INCLUDE) Clinical Trial Readiness (R21 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

FON:
RFA-OD-20-004

AGENCY:
National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications for support of clinical projects that address critical needs for clinical trial readiness in Down syndrome.

ACTION:
Optional letters of intent are due 30 days before the application due date. Applications are due February 14, 2020, November 3, 2020, and November 3, 2021. Up to $1 million is available to support three to five awards.
FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Rural Health Care Coordination Program
FON:
HRSA-20-030
AGENCY:
Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)
ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to support rural health consortiums/networks aiming to achieving the overall goals of improving access, delivery, and quality of care through the application of care coordination strategies in rural communities.
ACTION:
Applications are due March 12, 2020. Approximately $750,000 is available, per award, to support up to 10 projects lasting up to 36 months.

LINKS:
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FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Small Research Grants for Analyses of Down Syndrome-related Research Data for the INCLUDE Project (R03 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)
FON:
RFA-OD-20-006
AGENCY:
National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)
ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to develop meritorious small research projects focused on analyses of genomic and other -omics datasets related to Down syndrome research, with an emphasis on elucidating the underlying etiologies of risk and resiliencies to co-occurring health conditions.
ACTION:
LOI's are due 30 days prior to application date. Application are due January 14, 2020. Approximately $600,000 is available for three awards to support projects lasting up to two years.
FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Transformative Research Award for the INCLUDE (Investigation of Co-occurring Conditions across the Lifespan to Understand Down syndrome) Project (R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

FON:
RFA-OD-20-005

AGENCY:
National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to support individual scientists or groups of scientists proposing groundbreaking, exceptionally innovative, original, and/or unconventional research with the potential to create new scientific paradigms, establish entirely new and improved clinical approaches, or develop transformative technologies. Applications from individuals with diverse backgrounds and in any topic relevant to Down syndrome-related research or co-occuring conditions are welcome.

ACTION:
Optional letters of intent are due 30 days before the application due date. Applications are due February 14, 2020, November 3, 2020, and November 3, 2021. Up to $6 million is available to support up to four awards.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Contacts vary.
The meeting will be held on February 6, 2020, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., ET. The meeting will be held by teleconference and web conference. The teleconference access is 1-888-606-5944; and the passcode is 8340472. The web conference access is https://adobeconnect.cdc.gov/rwa641n3jrry/.

LINKS:

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SCIENCE / TECHNOLOGY / ENGINEERING / MATH
FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Extreme Environment Materials for Power Generation
FON:
DE-FOA-0002192
AGENCY:
Department of Energy (Energy)
ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to develop and validate materials and technologies for existing and new fossil power generation applications with improved cost, performance, and reliability. This not only supports fossil power generation but also provides targeted support to the nation's high-temperature materials supply chain thereby enhancing competitiveness in the global marketplace.
ACTION:
Applications are due February 21, 2020. Approximately $20 million is available for four awards.
LINKS:
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FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
FY 2020 NASA ESTABLISHED PROGRAM TO STIMULATE COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT NOTICE (CAN)
FON:
NNH20ZHA005C
AGENCY:
National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)
ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to develop an academic research enterprise directed toward long-term, self-sustaining, nationally-competitive capabilities in aerospace and aerospace-related research that support NASA's strategic research and technology development priorities.
ACTION:
NOI's are due January 24, 2020. Applications are due March 6, 2020. Up to $750,000 is available, per award, to support 12 awards lasting up to 36 months. Cost sharing is required at a 50 percent match.

LINKS:

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MEETING:
U.S. Army Science Board

AGENCY:
Army (Army), Department of Defense (Defense)

ITEM:
Notice announcing a meeting of the U.S. Army Science Board. The purpose of the meeting is for ASB members to review, deliberate, and vote on the findings and recommendations presented for a Fiscal Year 2019 (FY19) ASB study.

ACTION:
The meeting will be held Tuesday, January 7, 2020 to Thursday, January 9, 2020: from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the University of Texas System, 210 West 7th Street, Austin, Texas.

LINKS:

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