Notices from June 13, 2019 to June 19, 2019

This publication synopsizes funding opportunities, rules and regulations, comment requests, and meetings information from Grants.gov, Federal Register, and Federal Business Opportunities for colleges and universities that are eligible to be lead applicants or serve as partners.

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**FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:**
Innovation Driven Development in Serbia

**FON:**
BAA-OAA-LLDI-2019-Addendum03

**AGENCY:**
United States Agency for International Development (USAID)

**ITEM:**
Notice seeking expressions of interest on game changing solutions to advance innovation-driven/knowledge-based development and improve the overall environment for innovation driven development in Serbia.

**ACTION:**
Expressions of interest are due August 16, 2019. Each Expression of Interest should clearly address one of the two challenge areas.
LINKS:
FBO (https://www.fbo.gov/index.php? s=opportunity&mode=form&id=0a3a5034834246332ce0193981e0b5eb&tab=core&_cview=0)

CONTACT:
Email: arexhepi@usaid.gov (mailto:arexhepi@usaid.gov) and bbulatovic@usaid.gov (mailto:bbulatovic@usaid.gov)

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Internationalization of Indian Universities: Collaboration and Capacity Building

FON:
ND-NOFO-19-112

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

ITEM:
Notice seeking proposals to increase the number of student and professor exchanges between U.S. and Indian institutions by building Indian institution's capacity in the field of internationalization.

ACTION:
Applications are due July 31, 2019. The maximum award amount is $75,000.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Grants Application Manager, Email: ND_GrantApplications@state.gov (mailto:ND_GrantApplications@state.gov)

MEETING:
Meeting of National Council on the Humanities

AGENCY:
National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH)

ITEM:
Notice announcing a meeting of the National Council on the Humanities will meet to advise the Chairman of the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) with respect to policies, programs and procedures for carrying out his functions; to review applications for financial assistance and make recommendations thereon to the Chairman; and to consider gifts offered to NEH and make recommendations thereon to the Chairman.

ACTION:
The open sessions of the meeting will be held July 11, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. and July 12 beginning at 9:00 a.m. ET.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
NOTICE:
Country Health Information Systems and Data Use (CHISU)
FON:
7200AA19R00065
AGENCY:
United States Agency for International Development (USAID)
ITEM:
Notice seeking information about the global community's capabilities to work on specific areas of health information systems development and improvement of the use of such data for decision making to improve health outcomes. USAID is also interested in understanding the challenges faced in measuring and monitoring the impact of improved health information systems at the country level.
ACTION:
Responses are due July 2, 2019.
LINKS:
CONTACT:
Patricia Bradley, Email: chisu@usaid.gov (mailto:chisu@usaid.gov)

EDUCATION / ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
BLM CA Forest and Woodlands Resource Management Program
FON:
L19AS00036
AGENCY:
Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Department of the Interior (Interior)
ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to maintain and improve the resilience of forest and woodland ecosystems to wildfire, insects, disease, and drought through density management. Funded projects under this program will focus on high priority work such as activities that promote forest and woodland health, sustainable forest management, fire resiliency, infrastructure development for future sustainable timber harvest, biomass utilization, habitat conservation needs, and insect, disease and fire recovery.
ACTION:
Round one applications are due July 15, 2019. Round two applications are due August 15, 2019. Approximately $1.6 million is available for awards.
LINKS:
CONTACT:
Karen Law, 916-978-4322. Email: kjlaw@blm.gov (mailto:kjlaw@blm.gov)
FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
BLM CA Recreation and Visitor Services

FON:
L19AS00069

AGENCY:
Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Department of the Interior (Interior)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to assist BLM with the following: increase and enhance access to public lands and waters; increase and enhance hunting, fishing and recreational opportunities; increase and enhance recreational shooting opportunities; improve inventory, assessment and planning on public lands and waters; and other action items.

ACTION:
Round one applications are due July 15, 2019. Round two applications are due August 15, 2019. Approximately $100,000 is available for five awards.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Karen Law, 916-978-4322. Email: kjlaw@blm.gov (mailto:kjlaw@blm.gov)

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Disability and Rehabilitation Research Projects (DRRP) Program: Independent Living Transition Services for Youth and Young Adults with Significant Disabilities from Minority Backgrounds

FON:
HHS-2019-ACL-NIDILRR-DPGE-0358

AGENCY:
Administration for Community Living (ACL), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to the evidence base for CILs' provision of effective services to help youth with significant disabilities -- particularly those from racial and ethnic minority backgrounds -- transition to post-secondary life.

ACTION:
Requested letters of intent are due July 24, 2019. Applications are due August 19, 2019. Approximately $1.29 million is available to support one award for 60 month.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Amanda Reichard, 202-795-7786. Email: amanda.reichard@acl.hhs.gov (mailto:amanda.reichard@acl.hhs.gov)
FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Education Research and Development Centers CFDA Number 84.305C

FON:
ED-GRANTS-061919-006

AGENCY:
Department of Education (Education), Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications that address one of the following topics: Improving Opportunities and Achievement for English Learners in Secondary School Settings; Improving Teaching and Learning in Postsecondary Institutions; and Improving Access, Instruction, and Outcomes in Gifted Education.

ACTION:
Applications are due September 26, 2019. Awards will range from $1 million to $2 million.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Corinne Alfeld, Email: Corinne.Alfeld@ed.gov (mailto:Corinne.Alfeld@ed.gov)


FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Education Research CFDA Number 84.305A

FON:
ED-GRANTS-061919-004

AGENCY:
Department of Education (Education), Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications that address one of the following topics: Career and Technical Education; Cognition and Student Learning; Early Learning Programs and Policies; Education Technology; Effective Instruction; English Learners; Improving Education Systems; Postsecondary and Adult Education; Reading and Writing; Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Education; Social and Behavioral Context for Academic Learning.

ACTION:
Applications are due August 29, 2019. Awards will range from $100,000 to $660,000.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Erin Higgins, Email: Erin.Higgins@ed.gov (mailto:Erin.Higgins@ed.gov)
FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Enhanced or Accelerated implementation of the key conservation objectives

FON:
USDA-NRCS-AL-MULTI-19-GEN0010289

AGENCY:
United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications for support from natural resource conservation partners to work together to help enhance conservation delivery in Alabama.

ACTION:
Applications are due July 19, 2019. Approximately $1.49 million is available to support multiple awards.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Stephen Musser, 334-887-4503. Email: steve.musser@usda.gov

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Equal Access to Quality Jobs for Women and Girls (EQUAL)

FON:
FOA-ILAB-19-05

AGENCY:
Department of Labor (Labor), Bureau of International Labor Affairs (ILAB)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to reduce the risk of child labor, forced labor, and other violations of labor rights for vulnerable women and girls within the agricultural sector.

ACTION:
Applications are due August 26, 2019. Approximately $5 million is available to support one award.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Sue Levenstein, Email: Levenstein.Susan.L@dol.gov

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Longitudinal Research on Delinquency and Crime, FY 2019

FON:
NIJ-2019-16111

AGENCY:
Department of Justice (Justice), National Institute of Justice (NIJ)
ITEM: Notice seeking applications to expand or extend existing longitudinal research studies that focus on delinquency and crime throughout the life-course, which may include childhood, adolescence, and young adulthood.

ACTION: Applications are due August 13, 2019. Approximately $1 million is available for three awards to support projects lasting up to one year.

LINKS: Grants.gov

CONTACT: NCJRS Response Center, 800-851-3420. Email: grants@ncjrs.gov

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY: Minority Science and Engineering Improvement Program

FON: ED-GRANTS-061919-001

AGENCY: Department of Education (Education), Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE)

ITEM: Notice seeking applications to effect long-range improvement in science and engineering education at predominantly minority institutions and to increase the flow of underrepresented ethnic minorities, particularly minority women, into scientific and technological careers, consistent with nondiscrimination requirements contained in the U.S. Constitution and Federal civil rights laws.

ACTION: Applications are due July 19, 2019. Approximately $5.96 million is available to support 23 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Federal Register

CONTACT: Bernadette Hence, 202-453-7913. Email: Bernadette.Hence@ed.gov

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY: ORWA 2019 Forest and Woodlands Resource Management Master Funding Opportunity

FON: L19AS00088

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Department of the Interior (Interior)
ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to maintain and improve the resilience of forest and woodland ecosystems to wildfire, insects, disease, and drought through density management using timber sales, Stewardship agreements, and Good Neighbor agreements.

ACTION:
Round one applications are due July 15, 2019. Round two applications are due August 14, 2019. Approximately $750,000 is available for up to 10 awards. BLM encourages applicants to contact the program expert, at the BLM office in the district or field office where the anticipated work will take place, prior to submission.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Shelli Timmons, 503-808-6295. Email: srtimmons@blm.gov

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
ORWA 2019 Invasive and Noxious Plant Management Master Funding Opportunity

FON:
L19AS00077

AGENCY:
Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Department of the Interior (Interior)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to prevent, detect, inventory, control and monitor weed populations on public lands.

ACTION:
Round one applications are due July 15, 2019. Round two applications are due August 15, 2019. Approximately $450,000 is available for up to 10 awards to support projects lasting up to five years.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Shelli Timmons, 503-808-6295. Email: srtimmons@blm.gov

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
OVC FY 2019 Field-Generated Solutions for Tribal & Non-Tribal Communities to Improve Services for Victims of Crime

FON:
OVC-2019-15624

AGENCY:
Department of Justice (Justice), Office for Victims of Crime (OVC)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to support victims of crime and to bridge gaps in services to victims. The objectives of this program are to: Identify and address gaps in knowledge, Develop and assess
innovative practices, Deliver much-needed victim assistance to American Indian and Alaska Native (AI/AN) communities, and other victim populations. Encourage evidence-based training and technical assistance, and/or Develop strategic approaches for leveraging resources to reach and serve more victims.

**ACTION:**
Applicants are due July 24, 2019. Approximately $8 million is available to support up to 12 awards. Nonprofits are eligible.

**LINKS:**

**CONTACT:**
NCJRS Response Center, 800-851-3420. Email: grants@ncjrs.gov

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**FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:**
Research Grants Focused on Systematic Replication CFDA Number 84.305R

**FON:**
ED-GRANTS-061919-008

**AGENCY:**
Department of Education (Education), Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

**ITEM:**
Notice seeking applications under NCER that address identifying what works in education through systematic replication.

**ACTION:**
Applications are due August 29, 2019. Awards will range from $400,000 to $800,000.

**LINKS:**

**CONTACT:**
Christina Chhin, Email: Christina.Chhin@ed.gov

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**FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:**
Research Grants Focused on Systematic Replication CFDA Number 84.324R

**FON:**
ED-GRANTS-061919-011

**AGENCY:**
Department of Education (Education), Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

**ITEM:**
Notice seeking applications under NCSER that address identifying what works in special education through systematic replication. The list of interventions identified for replication is available on the IES website at: https://ies.ed.gov/director/remarks/4-15-2019.asp.
ACTION:
Applications are due August 29, 2019. The awards will range from $400,000 to $800,000.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Katherine Taylor, Email: Katherine.Taylor@ed.gov

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Research Training Programs in Special Education CFDA Number 84.324B

FON:
ED-GRANTS-061919-010

AGENCY:
Department of Education (Education), Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications that address one of the following three topics: Postdoctoral Research Training Program in Special Education and Early Intervention; Early Career Development and Mentoring; and Methods Training Using Single Case Designs.

ACTION:
Applications are due August 29, 2019. Awards will range from $100,000 to $225,000.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Katherine Taylor, Email: Katherine.Taylor@ed.gov

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences CFDA Number 84.305B

FON:
ED-GRANTS-061919-005

AGENCY:
Department of Education (Education), Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications that address one of the following topics: Predoctoral Interdisciplinary Research Training Program in the Education Sciences; Postdoctoral Research Training Program in the Education Sciences; and Methods Training for Education Researchers.

ACTION:
Applications are due August 29, 2019. Awards will range from $100,000 to $920,000.
FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Special Education Research CFDA Number 84.324A

FON:
ED-GRANTS-061919-009

AGENCY:
Department of Education (Education), Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications that address one of the following topics: Autism Spectrum Disorders; Cognition and Student Learning in Special Education; Early Intervention and Early Learning in Special Education; Families of Children with Disabilities; Professional Development for Educators and School-Based Service Providers; Reading, Writing, and Language Development; Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Education; Social and Behavioral Outcomes to Support Learning; Special Education Policy, Finance, and Systems; Technology for Special Education; Transition Outcomes for Secondary Students with Disabilities; Special Topics, which include—Career and Technical Education for Students with Disabilities; English Learners with Disabilities; and Systems-Involved Students with Disabilities.

ACTION:
Applications are due August 29, 2019. Awards will range from $100,000 to $660,000.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Katina Stapleton, Email: Katina.Stapleton@ed.gov (mailto:Katina.Stapleton@ed.gov)

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Statewide Longitudinal Data Systems (SLDS) CFDA Number 84.372A

FON:
ED-GRANTS-061919-003

AGENCY:
Department of Education (Education), Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to design, develop, and implement statewide longitudinal data systems to efficiently and accurately manage, analyze, disaggregate, and use individual student data.
ACTION:
Applications are due September 17, 2019. Approximately $26.1 million is available to support 30 awards. SEA are eligible.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Nancy Sharkey, 202-245–7689. Email: nancy.sharkey@ed.gov

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Statistical and Research Methodology in Research CFDA Number 84.305D

FON:
ED-GRANTS-061919-007

AGENCY:
Department of Education (Education), Institute of Education Sciences (IES)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications that address one of the following topics: Statistical and Research Methodology Grants and Early Career Statistical and Research Methodology Grants.

ACTION:
Applications are due August 29, 2019. Awards will range from $40,000 to $300,000.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Phill Gagne, Email: Phill.Gagne@ed.gov

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Strengthening Institutions Program (SIP) CFDA Number 84.031A

FON:
ED-GRANTS-061919-002

AGENCY:
Department of Education (Education), Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to provide grants to eligible institutions of higher education (IHEs) to help them become self-sufficient and expand their capacity to serve low-income students by providing funds to improve and strengthen the institution's academic quality, institutional management, and fiscal stability.

ACTION:
Applications are due July 19, 2019. Approximately $26.3 million is available to support 56 awards.
FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Supported Decision Making Across the Lifespan Planning Grant

FON:
HHS-2019-ACL-AOD-DNDM-0359

AGENCY:
Administration for Community Living (ACL), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications for planning grants to support the establishment of State-coalitions that will develop an action plan for advancing strategies that will support and ensure self-determination interests and values of older adults and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities through the use of a full range of decisional supports, such as powers of attorneys, representative payees, partial guardianship, bank accounts, and supported decision-making arrangements.

ACTION:
Optional letters of intent are due July 8, 2019. Applications are due August 19, 2019. An estimated five cooperative agreements with an award ceiling of $75,000 are anticipated.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Katherine Cargill-Willis, 202-795-7322. Email: katherine.cargill-willis@acl.hhs.gov

MEETING:
Veterans and Community Oversight and Engagement Board

AGENCY:
Department of Veterans Affairs (VA)

ITEM:
Notice announcing a meeting of the Veterans and Community Oversight and Engagement Board. The purpose of the Board is to provide advice and make recommendations to the Secretary of Veterans Affairs on: Identifying the goals of the community and Veteran partnership; improving services and outcomes for Veterans, members of the Armed Forces, and the families of such Veterans and members; and on the implementation of the Draft Master Plan approved by the Secretary on January 28, 2016, and on the creation and implementation of any successor master plans.

ACTION:
The meeting will be held August 14, 2019; 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and August 15, 2019; 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. PT

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Eugene W. Skinner Jr. 202-631-7645. Email: Eugene.Skinner@va.gov

HEALTH

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Career Pathways Secondary Data Analysis Grants

FON:
HHS-2020-ACF-OPRE-PE-1566

AGENCY:
Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Office of Planning, Research and Evaluation (OPRE)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to support rigorous, policy-relevant research through secondary data analysis of the Pathways for Advancing Careers and Education (PACE) Study and Health Profession Opportunity Grants (HPOG) Evaluation data sets.

ACTION:
Applications are due August 16, 2019. Approximately $300,000 is available to support four awards.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Nicole Constance, 202-401-7260.
Email: Nicole.Constance@acf.hhs.gov

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
CDMRP FY19 Kidney Cancer Research Program (KCRP)

FON:
W81XWH-19-KCRP-AKCIECIA; W81XWH-19-KCRP-AKCIDA; W81XWH-19-KCRP-CCA

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

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications within the various mechanisms of the Department of Defense Kidney Cancer Research Program to focus on the issues regarding prevention, detection, treatment, and the long-term effects of treatment for kidney cancer for Service Members, Veterans, their families, and the American public. Available mechanisms include the Early-Career Investigator Award; the Dean Leadership Award; and the Clinical Consortium Award.

ACTION:
Required pre-applications for all mechanisms are due September 17, 2019. Applications for all awards are due October 1, 2019. Funding varies by mechanism.

LINKS:
Agency Site (https://cdmrp.army.mil/kcrp/default)

CONTACT:
CDMRP Help Desk, 301-682-5507. Email: help@ebrap.org

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
DoD JPC8-CRMRP Regenerative Medicine Focused Research Award (AFIRM III)

FON:
W81XWH-19-DMRDP-RMFRA

AGENCY:
Army (Army), Department of Defense (Defense) , U.S. Army Medical Research Acquisition Activity (USAMRAA)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to optimize research supporting the development of technical capabilities and solutions through collaborative partnerships and synergistic projects that inform and build on each other to accelerate regenerative medicine solutions and technical capabilities that repair, reconstruct, or regenerate tissue lost or damaged due to traumatic injury.

ACTION:
Required pre-applications are due August 7, 2019. Applications are due November 20, 2019. Approximately $20 million is available to support five awards.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
CDMRP Help Desk, 301-682-5507. Email: help@eBRAP.org

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
DoD Orthotics and Prosthetics Outcomes Research Program, Clinical Research Award

FON:
W81XWH-19-OPORP-CRA

AGENCY:
Army (Army), Department of Defense (Defense) , U.S. Army Medical Research Acquisition Activity (USAMRAA)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to support clinical research that evaluates orthotic and/or prosthetic devices using patient-centric outcomes relevant to Service members and Veterans with limb loss and/or limb impairment. The funding opportunity challenges the scientific community to address which orthotic and prosthetic devices, and which characteristics of those devices, generate the best patient outcomes.
ACTION:
Required pre-applications are due July 24, 2019. Applications are due August 7, 2019. Approximately $4.05 million is available to support three awards.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
CDMRP Help Desk, 301-682-5507. Email: help@eBRAP.org

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
DoD Orthotics and Prosthetics Outcomes Research Program, Clinical Trial Award

FON:
W81XWH-19-OPORP-CTA

AGENCY:
Army (Army), Department of Defense (Defense), U.S. Army Medical Research Acquisition Activity (USAMRAA)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to support clinical trials that evaluate orthotic and/or prosthetic devices using patient-centric outcomes relevant to Service members and Veterans with limb loss and/or limb impairment. The funding opportunity challenges the scientific community to address which orthotic and prosthetic devices, and which characteristics of those devices, generate the best patient outcomes.

ACTION:
Required pre-applications are due July 24, 2019. Applications are due August 7, 2019. Approximately $5.05 million is available to support three CTA Level 1 awards and two CTA Level 2 awards.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
CDMRP Help Desk, 301-682-5507. Email: help@eBRAP.org

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Mental and Substance Use Disorders Prevalence Study

FON:
FG-19-003

AGENCY:
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

ITEM:
Notice seeking proposals to plug data gaps in assessing the population suffering from impairing disorders in the US through a pilot program which assists in estimating the actual number of individuals living with mental and substance use disorders, including those of the greatest severity.

ACTION:
Applications are due August 16, 2019. An estimated $30 million is available to fund one cooperative agreement.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Beverly Vayhinger, 240-276-0564. Email: beverly.vayhinger@samhsa.hhs.gov (mailto:beverly.vayhinger@samhsa.hhs.gov)

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS) Bridges to the Baccalaureate (T34)

FON:
PAR-19-299

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

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to provide structured activities to prepare a diverse cohort of community college students to transfer to and complete a bachelor's degree in biomedical research fields. This funding opportunity announcement (FOA) provides support to eligible, domestic institutions to develop and implement effective, evidence-based approaches to biomedical training and mentoring that will keep pace with the rapid evolution of the research enterprise.

ACTION:
Applications are due September 25, 2019, September 25, 2020, and September 27, 2021.

LINKS:

CONTACT:
Mercedes Rubio, Email: rubiome@nih.gov (mailto:rubiome@nih.gov)

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS) Bridges to the Doctorate (T32)

FON:
PAR-19-300

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

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to develop a diverse pool of scientists earning a Ph.D., who have the skills to successfully transition into careers in the biomedical research workforce. This funding opportunity announcement (FOA) provides support to eligible, domestic institutions to develop and implement effective, evidence-based approaches to biomedical training and mentoring that will keep pace with the rapid evolution of the research enterprise.
**FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:**
Non-Invasive Neurostimulation in AD-ADRD (R01 Clinical Trial Optional)

**FON:**
PAR-19-298

**AGENCY:**
National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH); National Institute on Aging (NIA)

**ITEM:**
Notice seeking applications to establish initial efficacy or refine interventions for Alzheimer's disease/Alzheimer's disease-related dementias (AD/ADRD) using non-invasive neurostimulation/neuromodulation or treatment.

**ACTION:**
Requested letters of intent are due 30 days prior to the application due date. Annual applications are due February 5, June 5, and October 5, 2019 through September 8, 2022.

**LINKS:**

**CONTACT:**
Contact vary by institute.

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**ACTION:**
Applications are due September 25, 2019; September 25, 2020; and September 27, 2021.

**LINKS:**

**CONTACT:**
Patrick H. Brown. Email: patrick.brown@nih.gov (mailto:patrick.brown@nih.gov)

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**MEETING:**
Announcement of Second and Subsequent Meetings of the 2020 Dietary Guidelines Advisory Committee and Request for Oral Comments

**AGENCY:**
United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

**ITEM:**
Notice announcing a series of meetings of the Food and Nutrition Service's 2020 Dietary Guidelines Advisory Committee to discuss and deliberate its review of the evidence on the topics and scientific questions identified by various federal Departments.

**ACTION:**
The next meeting will be held July 10, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and July 11 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. ET at 1400 Independence Ave. SW, Washington, DC.
LINKS:

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Eve Stoody, 703-305-7600.

MEETING:
Meeting of the the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's National Advisory Council

AGENCY:
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

ITEM:
Notice announcing a teleconference of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's National Advisory Council with an agenda to be determined.

ACTION:
The teleconference will be held July 1, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. ET.

LINKS:

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SCIENCE / TECHNOLOGY / ENGINEERING / MATH

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Electric Grid of Things

FON:
DE-FOA-0002092

AGENCY:
Department of Energy (Energy), National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL)

ITEM:
Notice seeking applications to conceive and develop scenarios, approaches, methodologies, tools, techniques and systems that maximize the bi-directional exchange of grid services while optimizing connectivity and information exchange at the grid edge to IoT interface that leads to enhanced system resilience and reliability.

ACTION:
Concept papers are due July 17, 2019. Applications are due September 9, 2019. Approximately $6 million is available to support three to five awards. Cost share must be at least 20 percent of the total allowable costs.
FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) FY2020 Vannevar Bush Faculty Fellowship

FON:
N00014-19-S-F010

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

ITEM:
Notice seeking proposals for innovative basic research intended to develop the next generation of scientists and engineers for the defense workforce. The program is oriented towards bold and ambitious “blue sky” research that may lead to extraordinary outcomes such as revolutionizing entire disciplines, creating entirely new fields, or disrupting accepted theories and perspectives.

ACTION:
White papers are due August 16, 2019. Multiple awards of up to $3 million are anticipated.

LINKS:

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FUNDING OPPORTUNITY:
FY20-21 Margaret A. Davidson Graduate Fellowships for the National Estuarine Research Reserve System

FON:
NOAA-NOS-OCM-2020-2006074

AGENCY:
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Department of Commerce (Commerce)

ITEM:
Notice seeking proposals from master's and doctoral students actively enrolled in a graduate program seeking the opportunity to conduct collaborative science within the National Estuarine Research Reserve System; partake in professional development opportunities; and receive mentoring to support professional growth.

ACTION:
Applications are due December 20, 2019. Approximately 29 awards of $60,000 are anticipated.

LINKS:
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MEETING:
Basic Energy Sciences Advisory Committee

AGENCY:
Department of Energy (Energy), Office of Science

ITEM:
Notice announcing a meeting of the Basic Energy Sciences Advisory Committee. The purpose of this Board is to make recommendation to DOE-SC with respect to the basic energy sciences research program.

ACTION:
The meeting will be held Thursday, July 11, 2019; 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Friday, July 12, 2019; 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. at Bethesda North Marriott Hotel and Conference Center, 5701 Marinelli Drive, Rockville, MD.

LINKS:
Federal Register [link], Agency Site [link]

CONTACT:
Katie Runkles, 301-903-6529.

NOTICE:
Request for Information on Update to Strategic Computing Objectives

AGENCY:
National Science Foundation (NSF)

ITEM:
Notice requesting input from all interested parties on the goals and necessary approaches for sustaining and enhancing U.S. scientific, technological, and economic leadership in strategic computing.

ACTION:
Responses are due by August 23, 2019.

LINKS:
Federal Register [link], Agency Site [link]

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NOTICE:
Robotic Communications Technologies
FON:  
70RSAT19RFI000004

AGENCY:  
Department of Homeland Security (Homeland Security), Science and Technology Directorate

ITEM:  
Notice seeking information on technologies that are offered as off-the-shelf solutions that enable communications in a robotics architecture that could be deployed in a wide range of border environments and missions.

ACTION:  
Responses are due by July 17, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. to the email below.

Limited Submission:  
Each organization may only submit one technology summary.

LINKS:  
FBO (https://www.fbo.gov/index.php? s=opportunity&mode=form&id=4f3416b841fb5ca30b2f494f89a7da25&tab=core&_cview=0)

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