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|  | | | ***Office of Sponsored Programs Raubinger Hall 309***  ***973-720-2852*** [**grants@wpunj.edu**](mailto:grants@wpunj.edu) [**www.wpunj.edu/osp**](http://www.wpunj.edu/osp/dui/index.html) | | | | | | |
| **Funding Opportunities Newsletter** | | | | | | | | **November 30, 2018** | |
| **Please contact the Office of Sponsored Programs when you begin working on a proposal.** | | | | | | | | | |
| **Funding Opportunities Index**  [**-Partnership’s Grants (*Millennium Challenge Corporation***](#MCC)**)**  [**-Outstanding New Environmental Scientist *(NIH)***](#ONES)  [**-NIOSH Small Research Program *(CDC)***](#NIOSH)  [**-Fundamental Science Research on Mind and Body Approaches *(NIH)***](#FSRMBA)  [**-Diet and Physical Activity Assessment Methodology *(NIH)***](#DPAAM)  [**- Division of Environmental Biology *(NSF)***](#DEB)  [**-Long Term Research in Environmental Biology *(NSF)***](#LTREB)  [**-Campus Cyberinfrastructure *(NSF)***](#CC)  [**-Grants Program *(Sloan)***](#GP)  [**-AHA Research Grants and Fellowships** ***(Am. Historical Assoc.***](#RGF)***)***  [**-Perception, Action & Cognition *(NSF)***](#PAC)  [**\*\*\*Awards and Proposals\*\*\***](#AP) | | | **Agency Highlight:**  **Health Resources and Services Administration**  The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), an agency of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, is the primary federal agency for improving health care to people who are geographically isolated, economically or medically vulnerable. HRSA’s vision is “Healthy Communities, Healthy People” and their mission is “To improve health and achieve health equity through access to quality services, a skilled health workforce and innovative programs.” (<https://www.hrsa.gov/about/index.html>)  They also have five goals: [Improve Access to Quality Care and Services](https://www.hrsa.gov/about/strategic-plan/goal-1.html); [Strengthen the Health Workforce](https://www.hrsa.gov/about/strategic-plan/goal-2.html); [Build Healthy Communities](https://www.hrsa.gov/about/strategic-plan/goal-3.html); [Improve Health Equity](https://www.hrsa.gov/about/strategic-plan/goal-4.html); and [Strengthen HRSA Program Management and Operations](https://www.hrsa.gov/about/strategic-plan/goal-5.html).  Within HRSA, there are five bureaus ([Health Workforce](https://bhw.hrsa.gov/); [Primary Health Care](https://bphc.hrsa.gov/); [Healthcare Systems](https://www.hrsa.gov/about/organization/bureaus/hsb/index.html); [HIV/AIDS](https://hab.hrsa.gov/); and [Maternal and Child Health](https://mchb.hrsa.gov/about-maternal-and-child-health-bureau-mchb)) and eleven offices. These divisions manage HRSA’s budget of which nearly 90% is awarded through grants and cooperative agreements to awardees that include community-based organizations, colleges and universities, hospitals, private entities, and state, local, and tribal governments.  Available one-time and recurring grant opportunities cover many topics such as nursing research, nursing workforce development, behavioral health programs, child and maternal health, and other types of health careers. Current funding opportunities are available [here](https://www.hrsa.gov/grants/fundingopportunities/default.aspx) as well on each bureau’s website or in Grants.gov.  Through the Bureau of Health Workforce (BHW), the agency also has multiple [Loans and Scholarship](https://bhw.hrsa.gov/loansscholarships) programs to which institutions can apply for then distribute funds to students based on selection criteria or programs to which student applicants can apply for funds directly.  For more information about HRSA grant opportunities or applying to the agency, please contact the Office of Sponsored Programs. | | | | | | |
| **NSF Proposal & Awards Policies and Procedures Guide (PAPPG) 2019 Update**  The new PAPPG will be effective for **proposals submitted, or due, on or after January 28, 2019.**  Significant changes include:   * Information about the modernization of proposal preparation functionality in Research.gov; * Information about the expanded use pf Dear Colleague Letters; * Clarification that the description of work to be performed by a subaward entity must be included in the project description; * Specification of resubmission timelines for declined proposals for programs that accept proposals at any time; * Description of the process that NSF will use to confirm the amount of person-months devoted to a project; * Supplemental information about the NSF Policy on Sexual Harassment and Other Forms of Harassment; as well as * Numerous clarifications and other changes throughout the document.   The new documents is available at <https://www.nsf.gov/publications/pub_summ.jsp?ods_key=nsf19001>.  As a reminder, Research.gov can now be used for non-collaborative, independent research proposals. More information on the process for submitting proposals through Research.gov will be provided by OSP in Spring 2019. | | | | | | | | | |
| |  | | --- | | ***Search for Funding***  \*Use online databases such as the subscription services provided through WPU’s Office of Sponsored Programs or free services available from the Federal Government or other programs\*  [**Grant Search**](http://www.aascu.org/grc/gs/)  Search for funding that is right for public colleges and universities.  [**Grants.gov**](http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/home.html)  Federal portal to finding funding opportunities and applying for support.  [**Grant Resource Center**](http://www.aascu.org/grc/)  Extensive information on federal and other funding opportunities. |   \*\*\*\*\* | | | **Funding Opportunities**  **Partnerships with Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC) Grant**  ***Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC)***  The Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC) is pleased to launch this Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) Annual Program Statement (APS) for opportunities to support MCC in achieving our mission of poverty reduction through growth. Specifically, this NOFO is reaching out to organizations with demonstrated interest, relevant experience, creativity and know-how to participate in Partnerships with MCC to achieve specific outcomes and optimize impact of our investments. The closing date for applications is December 31, 2018. For more information please visit [grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=95332418N0002); you can see the full announcement under the ‘Related Documents’ tab on that page.  **Outstanding New Environmental Scientist (ONES)**  ***National Institutes of Health (NIH)***  This notice is seeking applications to launch an innovative research program with a defined impact in the environmental health sciences. The programs promotes career advancement of the most highly creative and promising new scientists who intend to make a long-term career commitment to research in the mainstream of the environmental health sciences, and bring innovative, ground-breaking research initiatives and thinking to bear on the problems of how environmental exposures affect human health. The deadline for proposals is February 28, 2019. An optional letter of intent is due 30 days before the deadline. For more information visit [nih.gov](https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-ES-18-001.html).  **NIOSH Small Research Program**  ***Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)***  This program supports small grants to develop an understanding of the risks and conditions associated with occupational diseases and injuries, to explore methods for reducing risks and for preventing or minimizing exposure to hazardous conditions in the workplace, and to translate significant scientific findings into prevention practices and products that will effectively reduce work-related illnesses and injuries.  The next deadline for application is February 16, 2019. For more information visit [nih.gov](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-200.html).  **Perception, Action & Cognition (PAC)**  ***National Science Foundation (NSF)***  The PAC program funds theoretically motivated research on a wide-range of topic areas focused on typical human behavior. The aim is to enhance the fundamental understanding of perceptual, motor, and cognitive processes and their interactions. Central research topics for consideration by the program include (but are not limited to) vision, audition, haptics, attention, memory, reasoning, written and spoken language, motor control, categorization, and spatial cognition.  Proposals are due by February 01, 2018. For more information visit [nsf.gov.](https://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=5686)  **Fundamental Science Research on Mind and Body Approaches**  ***National Institutes of Health (NIH)***  This notice seeks applications to investigate the fundamental science of mind and body approaches, including mind/brain-focused practices (e.g., meditation, hypnosis), body-based approaches (e.g., acupuncture, massage, spinal manipulation/mobilization), meditative exercise (e.g., yoga, tai chi, qi gong), art and music therapies, or integrative approaches combining several components.  The next deadline for applications is February 05, 2019. For more information visit [nih.gov.](https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-18-323.html)  **Diet and Physical Activity Assessment Methodology**  ***National Institutes of Health (NIH)***  This program supports research to enhance the quality of measurements of dietary intake and physical activity. Interests include: novel assessment approaches; better methods to evaluate instruments; assessment tools for culturally diverse populations or various age groups; improved technology or applications of existing technology; or integrated measurement of diet and physical activity along with the environmental context of such behaviors. The next deadline for proposals is February 05, 2019. For more information visit [nih.gov](https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-16-167.html).  **Division of Environmental Biology (DEB)**  ***National Science Foundation (NSF)***  The Division of Environmental Biology (DEB) supports fundamental research on populations, species, communities, and ecosystems. Scientific emphases range across many evolutionary and ecological patterns and processes at all spatial and temporal scales. Areas of research include biodiversity, phylogenetic systematics, molecular evolution, life history evolution, natural selection, ecology, biogeography, ecosystem structure, function and services, conservation biology, global change, and biogeochemical cycles. Full proposals are accepted anytime. For more information please visit [nsf.gov.](https://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=503634)  **Long Term Research in Environmental Biology (LTREB)**  ***National Science Foundation (NSF)***  This program supports the generation of extended time series of biological and environmental data that address ecological and evolutionary processes. Researchers must have collected at least six years of previous data and must present a cohesive conceptual rationale or framework for 10 years. Questions or hypotheses outlined in this conceptual framework must guide an initial five-year proposal and subsequent renewal. Full proposals are accepted anytime. For more information please visit [nsf.gov.](https://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=13544)  **Campus Cyberinfrastructure**  ***National Science Foundation (NSF)***  The Campus Cyberinfrastructure (CC\*) program invests in coordinated campus-level networking and cyberinfrastructure improvements, innovation, integration, and engineering for science applications and distributed research projects. Learning and workforce development (LWD) in cyberinfrastructure is explicitly addressed in the program. Science-driven requirements are the primary motivation for any proposed activity. Proposals are due February 20, 2019. For more information visit [nsf.gov](https://www.nsf.gov/publications/pub_summ.jsp?ods_key=nsf19533).  **Grants Program**  ***Sloan Foundation***  The foundation makes grants across various topics such as STEM, economics, higher education, digital technology, public understanding of science, technology & economics, working longer, and energy and environment. Award types and funding amounts vary. Letters of Inquiry are accepted at any time. For more information visit [sloan.org.](https://sloan.org/grants/apply#tab-the-grant-application-process)  **Research Grants and Fellowships**  ***American Historical Association***  Supports several small research grants in the following areas: history of the Western hemisphere; colonial American history, with particular reference to the intercultural aspects of American and European relations; U.S. legal history and the field of law and society; and history of Europe, Asia, and Africa. Proposals are due February 15, 2019. For more information visit [historians.org.](https://www.historians.org/awards-and-grants/grants-and-fellowships) | | | | | | |
| **October 2018 Proposals** | | | | | | | | | |
| **Nicole Davi** College of Science and Health  ***National Science Foundation***  *Collaborative Proposal: A Millennial Northwestern North American Treeline Blue Intensity Network based on Living and Subfossil Wood*  $66,223  **David Fuentes** College of Education  ***NJ Department of Education*** *Project RISE: Recruit, Invest (in), and Support Educators*  $375,000  **William Kernan** College of Science and Health  ***NJ Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services*** *Outreach and Community Education Regarding the Use of Opioid Pain Relievers for Sports- Related Injuries in Young Athletes (SPFx) (OOP-YA) Year 2*  $12,540 | | | | | **Emmanuel Onaivi** College of Science and Health  ***National Institute of Health*** *Neuroimmune behavorial effects of CB2 cannobinoid receptors*  $411,321  **Naa-Solo Tettey** College of Science and Health  ***Columbia University***  *Health Disparities and the Criminal Justice System*  $5,000  **Bernadette Tiernan** Continuing and Professional Education  ***NJ Department of Labor & Workforce Development***  *Skills Partnership Grant FY2019 #91 Mental Healthcare Consortium*  $248,560  ***NJ Department of Labor & Workforce Development***  *Skills Partnership Grant FY2019 #92 Distribution Consortium* $247,600 | | | | |
| **October 2018 Awards** | | | | | | | | | |
| **Bernadette Tiernan** Continuing and Professional Education  ***NJ Department of Labor & Workforce Development*** *Skills Partnership Grant FY2019 #36 Construction Consortium* $88,448  ***NJ Department of Labor & Workforce Development*** *Skills Partnership Grant FY2019 #38 Transportation, Logistics, and Distribution (TLD) Consortium* $86,200  ***NJ Department of Labor & Workforce Development*** *Skills Partnership Grant FY2019 #39 Finance Consortium* $88,452 | | | | |  | | | | |
| [Workshops Calendar](http://www.wpunj.edu/osp/workshops.dot) | [Institutional Review Board](http://www.wpunj.edu/osp/irb/index.dot) | [Preparing Proposals](http://www.wpunj.edu/osp/preparing-proposals.dot) | | [Proposal Writing Resources](http://www.wpunj.edu/osp/narratives-and-budgets.dot) | | [Recent Awards](http://www.wpunj.edu/osp/celebrating-awards.html) | **Office Hours** | | |
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| Tuesday | | 8:30AM – 4:30PM |
| Wednesday | | 8:30AM – 4:30PM |
| Thursday | | 8:30AM – 4:30PM |
| Friday | | 8:30AM – 4:30PM |