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# Grants Assistance Information Newsletter GEORGIA'S 12<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT November 2012

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### **Special Federal Program Notices**

This month please review each department's General Grant and Funding Overview. These overviews are the key web pages on each departmental website dedicated to the agency's funding opportunities. Check back often to note the department updates and use these sources to assist you in your planning.

### **Federal Grant and Cooperative Agreement Program Summaries**

**U.S. Department of Agriculture** 

Grants and Loans Overview

http://usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=GRANTS\_LOANS

**The Department of Agriculture (USDA)** recently posted a useful guide outlining federal funding programs available to support rural communities. The guide has key information of funding and technical assistance opportunities available from four Federal agencies working together to create a comprehensive resource for rural communities. The guide also contains helpful examples of how rural areas have benefitted from these specific federal resources.

<u>Federal Resources for Sustainable Rural Communities (PDF 44p 6MB) is</u> a guide to programs from the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) that rural communities can use to promote economic competitiveness, protect healthy environments, and enhance quality of life. It is a collaborative effort among USDA, the Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Department of Transportation and the Environmental Protection Agency.

The guide has key information on funding and technical assistance opportunities available from the four agencies, as well as examples of how rural communities across the country have benefitted from federal resources. The resource guide can be accessed here.

http://www.sustainablecommunities.gov/

#### **Community Food Projects Competitive Grants Program (CFPCGP)**

Community Food Projects should be designed to (1): (A) meet the food needs of low-income people; (B) increase the self-reliance of communities in providing for their own food needs; and (C) promote comprehensive responses to local food, farm, and nutrition issues; and/or (2) meet specific state, local, or neighborhood food and agriculture needs for (A) infrastructure improvement and development; (B) planning for long-term solutions; or (C) the creation of innovative marketing activities that mutually benefit agricultural producers and low-income consumers.

#### **Special Notation**

More Community Food Projects Information

### Who Is Eligible to Apply

• Other or Additional Information (See below)

#### More Information on Eligibility

Only private, nonprofit entities meeting specific requirements as listed in the Request for Applications (RFA). Please refer to eligibility in the RFA.

Request for Application (RFA) | Apply: Electronic | Abstracts of Funded Projects

Solicitation Date (Opening)	October 15, 2012
Letter of Intent Due Date	None
Due Date (Closing)	November 28, 2012
Estimated Total Program Funding	\$5,000,000.00
Range of Awards	Unavailable
Percent of Applications Funded Last Fiscal Year	18%
Cost Sharing Requirements	Dollar for dollar matching required, except for Training and Capacity Building projects.
For More Information Contact	Jane M. Clary
Funding Opportunity Number	USDA-NIFA-CFP-003957
CFDA Number	10.225 COMMUNITY FOOD PROJECTS

Utilities Programs Technical Assistance Training Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	TAT-FY13
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Nov 08, 2012
Creation Date:	Nov 08, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 31, 2012
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 31, 2012
Archive Date:	Jan 30, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Category Explanation:	The Technical Assistance and Training (TAT) Grant Program has been established to assist communities with water or wastewater systems through free technical assistance and/or training provided by the grant recipients. Qualified private non- profit organizations will receive TAT grant funds to identify and evaluate solutions to water and waste disposal problems in rural areas, assist applicants in preparing applications for water and waste grants made at the State level offices, and improve operation and maintenance of existing water and waste disposal facilities in rural areas.
Expected Number of Awards:	11
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$17,000,000
Award Ceiling:	
Award Floor:	

CFDA Number(s):

10.761 -- Technical Assistance and Training Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Eligibility criteria for TAT grants is as follows: (a) Entities eligible for grants must be private nonprofit organizations with tax exempt status, designated by the Internal Revenue Service. A nonprofit organization is defined as any corporation, trust, association, cooperative, or other organization that: (1) Is operated primarily for scientific, education, service, charitable, or similar purposes in the public interest. (2) Is not organized primarily for profit. (3) Uses its net proceeds to maintain, improve, and/or expand its operations. (b) Entities must be legally established and located within a state as defined in 1775.2. (c) Organizations must be incorporated by December 31 of the year the application period occurs to be eligible for funds. (d) Private businesses, Federal agencies, public bodies, and individuals are ineligible for these grants. (e) Applicants must also have the proven ability, background, experience (as evidenced by the organizationi; 1/2s satisfactory completion of project(s)similar to those proposed), legal authority, and actual capacity to provide technical assistance and/or training on a regional basis to associations as provided in  $\frac{1}{12}$  1775.33. To meet the requirement of actual capacity, an applicant must either: (1) Have the necessary resources to provide technical assistance and/or training to associations in rural areas through its staff, or (2) Be assisted by an affiliate or member organization which has such background and experience and which agrees, in writing, that it will provide the assistance, or (3) Contract with a nonaffiliated organization for not more than 49 percent of the grant to provide the proposed assistance.

#### **Agency Name**

**Utilities Programs** 

#### Description

Funds may be used to pay expenses associated with providing technical assistance and/or training (TAT) to identify and evaluate solutions to water problems relating to source, storage, treatment, and distribution, and

to waste disposal problems relating to collection, treatment, and disposal; assist applicants that have filed a preapplication with RUS in the preparation of water and/or waste disposal loan and/or grant applications; and to provide training that will improve the management, operation and maintenance of water and waste disposal facilities. Grant funds may not be used to recruit applications, duplicate current services such as those performed by a consultant in developing a project, fund political activities, pay for capital assets, purchase real estate or vehicles, improve and renovate office space or repair and maintain privately owned property, pay construction or O&M costs, and pay costs incurred prior to the effective date of grants made.

#### Link to Additional Information

#### TAT Grant Program

# If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Anita OBrien Loan Specialist Phone 202-690-3789 <u>Federal Government</u>

http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=206073

Forest Service 2013 National Urban and Community Forestry Grant And Modification 1 **Description of Modification** 

> In the Synopsis description, the Council and the Forest Service have provided clarification for Grant Category 2. This would include proposed curriculum as well as existing curriculum.

Modification to Previous Grants Notice
USDA-FS-UCF-01-2013
Discretionary
Oct 03, 2012
Oct 16, 2012
Dec 03, 2012
Dec 03, 2012
Jan 02, 2013
Grant
Community Development

	Environment
	Natural Resources
	Regional Development
	Science and Technology and
	other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$900,000
Award Ceiling:	\$900,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	10.675 Urban and Community Forestry Program

Education

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

#### **Eligible Applicants**

State governments County governments City or township governments Special district governments Independent school districts Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

**Agency Name** 

Forest Service

#### Description

The Secretary of Agriculture has a congressionally designated advisory Council that assists the U.S. Forest Service in establishing the grant categories and recommending the final proposals for the Forest Service to consider. This is the National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council (Council). The Council supports urban and community forestry projects that have national or multi-state application and impact through the U.S. Forest Service's competitive Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost-Share Grant Program. A proposal's content must meet the Urban and Community Forestry program authorities as designated by Congress in the Cooperative Forestry Assistance Act, (Section 9) [Section 9 Urban and Community Forestry only (PDF, pp. 19-24)] and the annual criteria set forth by the Council. A listing of the previously funded projects can be viewed at www.urbanforestrysouth.org/research/nucfacAvailable Funding: The U.S. Forest Service anticipates that the statutory authority for the Fiscal Year 2013 Urban and Community Forestry (U&CF) Program will provide, under the Cooperative Forestry Assistance Act (Section 9), approximately \$900,000 in grant funds to be awarded through the 2013 National Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost-Share Grant Program. Funds are to support urban and community forestry projects on nonfederal public land that have a national or widespread impact and application. All awards are based on the availability of funding, which may be subject to change. Eligible Applicants: Any U.S. non-Federal organization, operating within the United States or its territories, may apply for the Challenge Cost-Share grant. While collaboration with Federal agencies is encouraged, a Federal agency may not receive funding or be used as match to the Federal funds being requested. (Conflict of interest issues will be addressed appropriately.) Individuals, commercial businesses or private land are not eligible. Note: Local tree-planting projects, capital improvements to property of any ownership, and/or projects that have only a local impact and applicability will not be considered for funding. Urban and community forestry projects with a local scope of work should contact their State Urban and Community Forestry Coordinator for assistance in identifying funding alternatives at the local level. The list of State Coordinators may be found at the following website:

http://www.fs.fed.us/ucf/Related\_Links/UCF\_State\_coordinators.htm. Matching Requirements: All grant funds must be matched at least equally (dollar for dollar) with non-Federal source funds. This match may include in-kind donations, volunteer assistance, and private and public (nonfederal) monetary contributions. All matching funds must be specifically related to the proposed project. The source of matching funds must be identified and grantees must comply with all applicable Federal regulations. The National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council is seeking innovative grants proposals for program development, research, and collaboration to address the following two strategic priority issues widely seen as confronting the urban and community forestry community at a national or multistate level. • Innovative proposals that demonstrate the connection between the personal benefits of urban forests and quality of life within a community through community engagement; and. Design an urban forestry recruitment program and retention strategies that support existing urban forestry academic curriculum. Organizations, local governments, tribal agencies, and partnerships are encouraged to submit proposals that will demonstrate the reach, resources, and expertise needed to address the two priority issues in ways that will lead to meaningful, replicable results. Potential Innovation grantees are encouraged to work collaboratively with other organizations and entities not traditionally involved in urban and community forestry. Applicants should consider multi-year projects and other sources of funds, including other Federal cooperative conservation sources. (Note: Federal dollars, inkind services or donated materials may NOT be used as match to this grant program). As much as \$900,000.00 is available in FY 2013 for three or more Innovation Grants. Grant Category 1: Create an outreach program, pilot project or series of initiatives that communicates the connection between the personal benefits of urban forests and quality of life within a community through community engagement. Approaches must include the following: • educate distinct segments of the public about the benefits of urban forests; mobilize individual action to help plant and care for trees on community property and their own private property; • engage community groups to take responsibility for their local environment; make urban forestry a key component of planning for a community's future. The intended results must be directed toward mobilizing individual or community action and policy integration. The best practices or initiatives that result from the project would be designed for adoption or integration into local land use planning efforts in similar cities, towns or villages. Grant Category 2: Design an urban forestry recruitment program and retention strategies that support urban forestry academic curriculum. Result in a measurable increase to the baseline number of students enrolled in urban forestry as their chosen major or those with declared concentrations, or minors in urban forestry; Increase the proportion of students enrolled in natural resources disciplines who seek post-graduation positions in urban and community forestry settings; and • Can be replicated for application in other schools. • Applicants should review the Society of American Foresters (SAF) list of schools and accreditation criteria when developing their proposal. SAF's website is: http://www.safnet.org/education/2012\_accreditation\_list.pdfInquiries: \* Examples of approaches may include, but are not limited to outreach programs; incentive programs; and development of new curricula, but should focus on existing curricula where possible. All questions regarding the program should be directed to Nancy Stremple, Executive Staff to the Council, at (202) 205-7829 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (Eastern).

#### Link to Additional Information

#### National Urban and Community Advisory Council Website

# If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Nancy Stremple Urban Forestry Program Specialist Phone 202-205-7829 Forest Service Urban Forestry Contact

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# National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSI) Education Grants Program Grant

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Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
	Education
	Environment
	Food and Nutrition
	Natural Resources
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$9,000,000

Award Ceiling:	
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	10.223 Hispanic Serving Institutions Education Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Awards may only be made to public or other non-profit Hispanic-Serving Institutions as defined in the definitions section of this RFA. To be eligible for competitive consideration for an award under this program, a Hispanic-Serving Institution must at the time of application certify that it has an enrollment of undergraduate full-time equivalent students that is at least 25 percent Hispanic students. By submitting an application, the applicant organization certifies that it is eligible to receive funding under this program.

#### **Agency Name**

National Institute of Food and Agriculture

#### Description

This competitive grants program is intended to promote and strengthen the ability of Hispanic-Serving Institutions to carry out higher education programs in the food and agricultural sciences. Programs aim to attract outstanding students and produce graduates capable of enhancing the Nation's food and agricultural scientific and professional work force.

#### Link to Additional Information

Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSI) Education Grants Program

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NIFA Help Desk Phone: 202-401-5048 Business hours are M-F, 7:00 am -5:00 pm ET, excluding Federal holidays If you have any questions related to preparing application content

http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203733

#### Modifications:

National Institute of Food and Agriculture Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Foun- Modifications 1 & 2	dational Program	
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Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-AFRI-003958	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 15, 2012	
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Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 22, 2013	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 22, 2013	
Archive Date:	Jun 21, 2013	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Community Development Energy Environment Food and Nutrition Health Natural Resources	
Category Explanation:		
Expected Number of Awards:	264000000	
Estimated Total Program Funding:		
Award Ceiling:		
Award Floor:	\$0	
CFDA Number(s):	10.310 Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes	

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

# **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

1. Research Projects Eligible applicants for Research Projects include:1) State Agricultural Experiment Stations; 2) colleges and universities (including junior colleges offering associate degrees or higher); 3) university research foundations; 4) other research institutions and organizations; 5) Federal agencies, 6) national laboratories; 7) private organizations or corporations; 8) individuals who are U.S. citizens, nationals, or permanent residents; and 9) any group consisting of 2 or more entities identified in 1) through 8). Eligible institutions do not include foreign and international organizations. 2. Integrated Projects (Note that ONLY Agriculture, Economics and Rural Communities Program area (Part I, C. 6) is soliciting integrated projects through this RFA), Eligible applicants for Integrated Projects include: 1) colleges and universities; 2) 1994 Land-Grant Institutions; and (3) Hispanic-serving agricultural colleges and universities. For Integrated Projects, the terms "college" and "university" mean an educational institution in any state which 1) admits as regular students only persons having a certificate of graduation from a school providing secondary education, or the recognized equivalent of such a certificate; 2) is legally authorized within such state to provide a program of education beyond secondary education; 3) provides an educational program for which a bachelor's degree or any other higher degree is awarded; 4) is a public or other nonprofit institution; and 5) is accredited by a nationally recognized accrediting agency or association. A research foundation maintained by a college or university is eligible to receive an award under this program. 3. Hispanic-serving Agricultural Colleges and Universities Section 7101 of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (Pub. L. 110-246) amended section 1404 of NARETPA (7 U.S.C. 3103) to create a definition for a new group of cooperating institutions: Hispanic-serving Agricultural Colleges and Universities (HSACUs). HSACUs are colleges and universities that qualify as Hispanic-serving Institutions (HSIs) and offer associate, bachelors, or other accredited degree programs in agriculture-related fields. HSACUs do not include 1862 land-grant institutions. Pursuant to section 406 of the Agricultural Research, Extension, and Education Reform Act of 1998 (AREERA) (7 U.S.C. 7626), which authorized the Integrated Research, Education, and Extension Competitive Grant Program, all four-year HSIs are eligible to apply for integrated projects as identified in the FY 2013 AFRI RFA. Two-year HSIs may also be eligible to apply but only if the institution has been certified as a HSACU for the fiscal year in which funding is being provided. 4. Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement Grants The Food and Agricultural Science

Enhancement (FASE) Grants have additional eligibility requirements. See RFA for details.

#### **Agency Name**

National Institute of Food and Agriculture

#### Description

The AFRI Foundational Program is offered to support research grants in the six AFRI priority areas to continue building a foundation of knowledge critical for solving current and future societal challenges. The six priority areas are: Plant Health and Production and Plant Products; Animal Health and Production and Animal Products; Food Safety, Nutrition, and Health; Renewable Energy, Natural Resources, and Environment; Agriculture Systems and Technology; and Agriculture Economics and Rural Communities. Single-function Research Projects and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants are expected to address one of the Program Area Priorities (see Foundational Program RFA for details).

#### Link to Additional Information

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Foundational Program

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#### **Department of Commerce**

# Grants, Contracting, and Trade Opportunities at Commerce

Learn more information about grants, contracting and trade opportunities at the Department of Commerce using the information below.

Grants at Commerce

**Contracting Opportunities with Commerce** 

Trade Opportunities through Commerce

http://www.commerce.gov/about-commerce/grants-contracting-tradeopportunities

Fiscal Year 2014 National Sea Grant College Program Dean John A. Knauss Marine Policy Fellowship Grant And Modification 2

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-OAR-SG-2014-2003518
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Oct 25, 2012
Creation Date:	Nov 01, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 29, 2013
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 29, 2013
Archive Date:	Apr 28, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	30
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$56,500
Award Floor:	\$0

CFDA Number(s): 11.417 -- Sea Grant Support Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

An eligible applicant is any student, regardless of citizenship, who, on February 15, 2013, is enrolled towards a degree in a graduate or professional program, that have an interest in ocean, coastal and Great Lakes resources and in the national policy decisions affecting those resources. The graduate degree needs to be awarded through a United States accredited institution of higher education in the United States or U.S. Territories.

#### **Agency Name**

Department of Commerce

#### Description

This notice announces that applications may be submitted for the National Sea Grant College Program Dean John A. Knauss Marine Policy Fellowship (Sea Grant Knauss Fellowship Program). Sea Grant anticipates funding not less than 30 selected applicants, of which those assigned to the Legislative branch may be limited to 10. Each award will be funded at a total of \$56,500 in federal funding.

#### Link to Additional Information

# If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Chelsea Berg, Sea Grant Knauss Fellowship Program Manager, National Sea Grant College Program, 1315 East-West Highway, R/SG, Room 11876, Silver Spring, MD 20910; Tel: 301-734-1085 <u>NOAA Office Email</u>

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Fiscal Year 2013 NMFS-Sea Grant Fellowships in Population Dynamics Grant

	Document Type:	Grants Notice
	Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-OAR-SG-2013-2003529
	Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
	Posted Date:	Nov 01, 2012
	Creation Date:	Nov 01, 2012
	Original Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 22, 2013
	Current Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 22, 2013
	Archive Date:	Mar 24, 2013
	Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
	Category of Funding Activity:	Education
		Environment
		Science and Technology and
		other Research and Development
	Category Explanation:	-
	Expected Number of Awards:	10
	Estimated Total Program Funding:	
	Award Ceiling:	\$38,500
	Award Floor:	\$0
	CFDA Number(s):	11.417 Sea Grant Support
	Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
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#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Prospective Fellows must be United States citizens. At the time of application, prospective Population Dynamics Fellows must be admitted

to a PhD degree program in population dynamics or a related field such as applied mathematics, statistics, or quantitative ecology, at an institution of higher education in the United States or its territories, or submit a signed letter from the institution indicating provisional acceptance to a PhD degree program conditional on obtaining financial support such as this fellowship. Applications must come from Sea Grant programs and should be submitted through www.Grants.gov.

#### **Agency Name**

Department of Commerce

#### Description

The Graduate Fellowship Program awards at least two new PhD fellowships each year to students who are interested in careers related to the population dynamics of living marine resources and the development and implementation of quantitative methods for assessing their status. Fellows will work on thesis problems of public interest and relevance to NMFS under the guidance of NMFS mentors at participating NMFS Science Centers or Laboratories. The NMFS-Sea Grant Fellowships in Population Dynamics meets NOAA's Mission goal of "Protect, Restore and Manage the Use of Coastal and Ocean Resources Through Ecosystem-Based Management".

#### Link to Additional Information

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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#### FY13 Nancy Foster Scholarship Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-NOS-NMS-2013- 2003503
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Oct 22, 2012
Creation Date:	Oct 22, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 06, 2012
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 06, 2012
Archive Date:	Jan 05, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
	Science and Technology and
	other Research and Development

Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	4
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$500,000
Award Ceiling:	\$42,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	11.429 Marine Sanctuary Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Individuals

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Only individuals who are U.S. citizens and are applying to or have been accepted to a U.S. accredited graduate institution to pursue a Master's or Doctoral level degree in oceanography, marine biology, or maritime archaeology, (including all science, engineering, social science and resource management of ocean and coastal areas) are eligible for an award under this scholarship program.

#### **Agency Name**

Department of Commerce

#### Description

The Dr. Nancy Foster Scholarship Program provides support for independent graduate-level studies in oceanography, marine biology, or maritime archaeology (including all science, engineering, social science and resource management of ocean and coastal areas), particularly to women and minorities. Individuals who are U.S. citizens and are applying to or have been accepted to a graduate program at a U.S. accredited institution may apply. Prospective scholars do not need to be enrolled in a graduate program at the time of application, but must be admitted to a graduate level program in order to be awarded this scholarship. Scholarship selections are based on academic excellence, letters of recommendations, research and career goals, and financial need. Applicants must have and maintain a minimum cumulative and term grade point average of 3.5 and maintain full-time student status for every term, and for the duration of their award. Dr. Nancy Foster Scholarships may provide, subject to appropriations, yearly support of up to \$42,000 per student (a 12-month stipend of \$30,000 in addition to an education

allowance of up to \$12,000), and up to \$10,000 of support for a four to six week program collaboration at a NOAA facility. Completion of one (1) program collaboration is required for every Doctoral scholarship award, with a second recommended, but not required. For Master's degree level scholars, completion of program collaboration is strongly recommended, but is not required. A maximum of \$94,000 may be provided to Master degree students (up to 2 years of support and one program collaboration opportunity) and up to \$188,000 may be provided to Doctoral students (up to 4 years of support and two program collaboration opportunities). Dr. Nancy Foster Scholarship Program recipients will be required to participate in NOAA Orientation Training to meet with Office of National Marine Sanctuaries (ONMS) staff at a date and location to be determined during the month of either July or August, 2013. If scholarships have not been awarded before this mandatory training, recipients may be required to incur pre-award costs that will be reimbursed after award funds have been issued. The program collaboration opportunity is designed to allow scholars to participate in research activities for four to six weeks at a field office of the Office of National Marine Sanctuaries, or other NOAA program offices. Federal support for the program collaboration may be used toward allowable costs such as: travel to and from the NOAA facility, housing, per diem, laboratory costs, research vessel support, and consumables while conducting research at the NOAA facility. Scholars are required to provide their own health insurance coverage during the program collaboration. Master's degree level scholars must identify their program collaboration in the first year, and Doctoral scholars must identify their program collaboration within the first two years. Approval from NOAA's Office of National Marine Sanctuaries is required prior to embarking on the program collaboration. Additional information about the scholarship can be obtained in the full announcement text of the Federal Funding Opportunity.

#### Link to Additional Information

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Dr. Nancy Foster Scholarship Program, NOAA Office of National Marine Sanctuaries, Attention Seaberry Nachbar 99 Pacific Street, Bldg 455, Monterey, CA 93940. Or contact Seaberry Nachbar telephone at (831) 647-4204. <u>work email</u>

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Modifications:

### Climate Program Office for FY 2013 Modification 2

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-OAR-CPO-2013- 2003445
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Aug 09, 2012
Creation Date:	Nov 01, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 06, 2012
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 16, 2012
Archive Date:	Dec 16, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	100
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$14,500,000
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
CFDA Number(s):	11.431 Climate and Atmospheric Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

### Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible applicants are institutions of higher education, other nonprofits, commercial organizations, international organizations, and state, local and Indian tribal governments. Federal agencies or institutions are not eligible to receive Federal assistance under this notice.

#### **Agency Name**

Department of Commerce

#### Description

Climate variability and change present society with significant economic, health, safety, and national security challenges. NOAA advances scientific and technical programs to help society cope with, and adapt to, today's variations in climate and to prepare for tomorrow's. Toward this end, the agency conducts and supports climate research, observations, modeling, information management, assessments, interdisciplinary decision support research, outreach, education, and stakeholder partnership development. These investments are key to NOAA's mission of "Science, Service, and Stewardship" and are guided by the agency's vision to create and sustain enhanced resilience in ecosystems, communities, and economies, as described in NOAA's Next Generation Strategic Plan (NGSP; http://www.ppi.noaa.gov/ngsp/). The NGSP outlines NOAA's five-year climate objectives: 1) Improved scientific understanding of the changing climate system and its impacts; 2) Assessments of current and future states of the climate system that identify potential impacts and inform science, service, and stewardship decisions; 3) Mitigation and adaptation choices supported by sustained, reliable, and timely climate services; and 4) A climate-literate public that understands its vulnerabilities to a changing climate and makes informed decisions. Achieving the first of the NGSP climate objectives, an improved scientific understanding of the changing climate system and its impacts, requires a number of core capabilities be supported. These core capabilities can be broadly categorized to include: " Understanding and modeling " Observing systems, data stewardship, and climate monitoring "Predictions and projections "Integrated service development and decision support These core capabilities, in turn, will focus initially on the following societal challenges identified in the NGSP as early evidence of progress to be made by NOAA in providing sustained, reliable, and timely climate services:" Climate impacts on water resources" Vulnerability of coasts and their resilience to climate impacts" Sustainability of marine ecosystems" Changes in extremes of weather and climate" Information for mitigating climate change Each of the Competitions announced in this Federal Funding Opportunity addresses one or more of these core capabilities or societal challenges. It is expected that applications submitted in response to this Opportunity will identify their relevance to NOAA's climate science and services by indicating which core capabilities and/or societal challenges will be addressed by the proposed work. In this connection, application abstracts must include a paragraph describing the work's relevance to the NGSP's long-term goal of climate adaptation and mitigation and most especially the work's relevance to the Competition being targeted. We estimate that \$14.5 million will be available through this Announcement in FY 2013 for approximately 115 new awards pending budget appropriations. It is anticipated that most awards will be at a funding level between \$50,000 and \$200,000 per year, with some exceptions for larger awards. Investigators are highly encouraged to visit the CPO website

http://www.cpo.noaa.gov/opportunities for information prior to submitting applications.

#### Link to Additional Information

# If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Diane Brown NOAA Climate Program Office (R/CP1), SSMC3, Room 12734, 1315 E West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910 Telephone: 301-734-1206 Email

#### **Synopsis Modification History**

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Fiscal year 2013 NMFS-Sea Grant Fellowships in Marine Resource Economics Modification 2

Modified to correct the fiscal year dates on page 5, Section IV.B.2.b.iv to 2013.

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-OAR-SG-2013-2003524
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
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Creation Date:	Nov 01, 2012
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Current Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 22, 2013
Archive Date:	Mar 24, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:	Education Environment Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	10
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$38,500
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	11.417 Sea Grant Support
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Prospective Fellows must be United States citizens. At the time of application, prospective Marine Resource Economics Fellows must be admitted to a PhD degree program in natural resource economics or a related field at an institution of higher education in the United States or its territories or submit a signed letter from the institution indicating provisional acceptance to a PhD degree program conditional on obtaining financial support such as this fellowship. Applications must be submitted by the institution of higher education, which may be any such institution in the United States or its territories.

#### **Agency Name**

Department of Commerce

#### Description

The Graduate Fellowship Program generally awards two new PhD fellowships each year to students who are interested in careers related to the development and implementation of quantitative methods for assessing the economics of the conservation and management of living marine resources. Fellows will work on thesis problems of public interest and relevance to NMFS under the guidance of NMFS mentors at participating NMFS Science Centers or Laboratories. The NMFS-Sea Grant Fellowships in Marine Resource Economics meets NOAA's Mission goal of "Protect, Restore and Manage the Use of Coastal and Ocean Resources Through Ecosystem-Based Management".

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#### **Corporation for National and Community Service**

#### General Program Overview

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### **Research:**

Air Force -- Research Lab FY12 Air Force Defense Research and Development Rapid Innovation Fund (RIF) Program Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=202933

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency DARPA - Defense Sciences Office Autonomous Diagnostics to Enable Prevention and Therapeutics: Prophylactic Options to Environmental and Contagious Threats (ADEPT-PROTECT) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205433

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Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA DOD FY12 Breast Cancer Research Program Postdoctoral Fellowship Award Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203153

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Dept. of the Army -- Space & Missile Defense Command Deployed War-Fighter Protection Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203353

Office of Naval Research SPAWAR SYSTEMS CENTER C4ISR and Information Dominance Research Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203313

Office of Naval Research Fiscal Year 2013 Office of Naval Research Young Investigator Program (YIP) Grant <u>http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=204213</u>

#### **Modifications:**

Defense Threat Reduction Agency Fundamental Research to Counter Weapons of Mass Destruction Modifications 8 & 9 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=49658

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA Medical Practice Initiative Augmented Reality for Medical Applications (MPI-ARM) Modification 1 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=201473

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA FY12 Militarily Relevant Peer Reviewed Alzheimer's Disease Research Program (MRPRA) Convergence Science Research Award Modifications 2 & 3 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=202893

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA DoD Traumatic Brain Injury Research Award Modification 2 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=191293

Office of Naval Research Naval Research Laboratory NRL WIDE BROAD AGENCY ANNOUNCEMENT BAA-N00173-02 Modification 1 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=100133

Office of Naval Research Special Program Announcement for the Office of Naval Research Modification 2 <u>http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203853</u>

#### **Department of Education**

#### Grant Programs Overview at the Department of Education

The Department of Education produces a forecast of funding opportunities under the Department's discretionary grant programs for Fiscal Year 2011. It is anticipated that this forecast will be updated in November. This tool can be used to determine the general schedule and variety of programs offered by the Department on an annual basis.

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#### PORECAST OF PUNDING OPPORTUNITIES UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DISCRETIONARY GRANT PROGRAMS FOR FISCAL YEAR (PY) 2011

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#### (As of September 22, 2011)

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Note: This document is advisory only and is not an affisial application notice of the Department of Education. We expect to provide updates to this document starting in the first week of November in a facility war and contruling through the following July.

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We have assigned to each principal office a separate chart as follows:

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Chart 2.- Institute of Education Sciences.

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Chart 8 - Office of Vecational and Adult Education.

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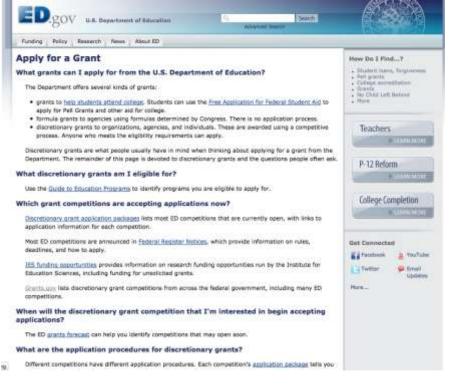
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#### http://www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html

#### The general information page for Education Grant funding:



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	Archive Date:	Feb 21, 2013	
	Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
	Category of Funding Activity:	Education	
	Category Explanation:		
	Expected Number of Awards:	10	
	Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,000,000	
	Award Ceiling:	\$200,000	
	Award Floor:		
	CFDA Number(s):	84.133 National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research	

Disability and Rehabilitation Research Projects and Centers Program: Field Initiated Projects Program Research CFDA Number 84.133G-1 Grant

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

#### **Eligible Applicants**

State governments County governments City or township governments Special district governments Independent school districts Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education For profit organizations other than small businesses Small businesses Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Eligible Applicants: States; public or private agencies, including for-profit agencies; public or private organizations, including for-profit organizations; IHEs; and Indian tribes and tribal organizations.

#### **Agency Name**

Department of Education

#### Description

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or methods, including designing and developing prototypes and processes, that are beneficial to the target population. "Target population" means the group of individuals, organizations, or other entities expected to be affected by the project. There may be more than one target population because a project may affect those who receive services, provide services, or administer services. Note: This program is in concert with NIDRR's currently approved long-range plan (the Plan). The Plan is comprehensive and integrates many issues relating to disability and rehabilitation research. The Plan, which was published in the Federal Register on February 15, 2006 (71 FR 8165), can be accessed on the Internet at: www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osers/nidrr/policy.html. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.133G-1 (Research) Applications for grants under the FI Projects program, CFDA Number 84.133G-1 (Research) or 84.133G-2 (Development), must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the FI Projects program--CFDA Number 84.133G-1 (Research) or 84.133G-2 (Development)--at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.133, not 84.133G).

### Link to Additional Information

Disability and Rehabilitation Research Projects and Centers Program: Field Initiated Projects Program Research CFDA Number 84.133G-1;Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year (FY) 2013

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Disability and Rehabilitation Research Projects and Centers Program: Field Initiated Projects Program Development CFDA Number 84.133G-2 Grant

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Archive Date:	Feb 21, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	10
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.133 National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Pequirement:	Vec

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#### Description

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authorized under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended. NIDRR makes two types of awards under the FI Projects program: Research grants (CFDA 84.133G-1) and development grants (CFDA 84.133G-2). In carrying out a research activity under an FI Projects research grant, a grantee must identify one or more hypotheses or research questions and, based on the hypotheses or research questions identified, perform an intensive, systematic study directed toward producing (1) new scientific knowledge, or (2) better understanding of the subject, problem studied, or body of knowledge. In carrying out a development activity under an FI Projects development grant, a grantee must use knowledge and understanding gained from research to create materials, devices, systems, or methods, including designing and developing prototypes and processes, that are beneficial to the target population. "Target population" means the group of individuals, organizations, or other entities expected to be affected by the project. There may be more than one target population because a project may affect those who receive services, provide services, or administer services. Note: This program is in concert with NIDRR's currently approved long-range plan (the Plan). The Plan is comprehensive and integrates many issues relating to disability and rehabilitation research. The Plan, which was published in the Federal Register on February 15, 2006 (71 FR 8165), can be accessed on the Internet at: www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osers/nidrr/policy.html. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.133G-2 (Development). Applications for grants under the FI Projects program, CFDA Number 84.133G-1 (Research) or 84.133G-2 (Development), must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the FI Projects program--CFDA Number 84.133G-1 (Research) or 84.133G-2 (Development)--at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.133, not 84.133G).

#### Link to Additional Information

Disability and Rehabilitation Research Projects and Centers Program: Field Initiated Projects Program Development CFDA Number 84.133G-2; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year (FY) 2013

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Modifications

#### **U.S. Department of Energy**



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Modifications:

Office of Science SBIR/STTR FY 2013 Phase II Release 1 Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0000782
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
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Archive Date:	Mar 11, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$0
Award Ceiling:	\$0
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	81.049 Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
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Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

### **Eligible Applicants**

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Only currently active DOE SBIR or STTR Phase I grantees are eligible to apply to this U. S. Department of Energy Phase II Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA). Only United States small business concerns (SBCs) are eligible to submit SBIR applications. Joint ventures, as defined in Appendices/Reference Material, may apply, provided the entity created also qualifies as a small business. A small business concern is one that, at the time of award for both Phase I and Phase II SBIR/STTR awards, meets all of the criteria listed in Part III of the FOA.

#### **Agency Name**

Office of Science

#### Description

The Department of Energy (DOE) invites only DOE SBIR/STTR Phase I Release I Awardees from FY 2012 to submit Phase II grant applications. The purpose of Phase II is to perform the research and development required to meet the DOE objectives stated in the technical topic of the Phase I Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA). In addition, it is intended that the small business grantee would be in a position to pursue commercial applications of the R&D at the end of Phase II. In many cases, Phase II results in a prototype product or a working process that can be demonstrated to a potential investor or customer (either in the private sector or in the Federal government, including the Department of Energy). This FOA is supplemental to the FY 2012 SBIR/STTR Phase I Release I FOA (DE-FOA-0000577); therefore, general information already provided in the FY 2012 FOA also applies to this Phase II process. If a conflict arises, this Phase II FOA will govern. The full text of the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA which can be obtained at: https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0000782&agency=DOE

#### Link to Additional Information

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<b>Rusiness Opportunities</b>	<ul> <li>Community Action for a Renewed Environment (CARE): provides funding to build</li> </ul>	
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	help the public make informed decisions that	
Social Media at EPA	affect environmental quality. • Environmental Information Exchange Network & Grant Program: provides funding to develop an Internet-based, secure network that supports the electronic collection, exchange, and integration of high-quality data. • Environmental Justice: includes the EJ Community/ University Partnership Grants	Every year, EPA awards grants through the P3 award competition to college teams across the country who participate in the National Sustainable Design Expo. Above, Harvard, Wellesley College, MIT, and Qinghal Normal University students developed a 3-in-1 solar cooker, heater, and electricity generator to help bring clean energy to the rural Himalayas. Read more about this project.
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	<ul> <li>Fellowships and other student programs: Grants, fellowships, and research associateships</li> <li>National Clean Diesel Campaign Grants &amp; Funding: building diesel engine emission reduction programs across the country to improve air quality and protect public health.</li> <li>People, Prosperity and the Planet: college students address challenges from a wide range of categories: agriculture, built environment,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Apply for a grant?</li> <li>Write a proposal?</li> <li>Get grant management training?</li> <li>Find the closest EPA grants management office?</li> <li>Receive a payment?</li> </ul>

http://www.epa.gov/epahome/grants.htm

## **National Funding Opportunities**

EPA has developed this guide of national funding resources to assist local and state governments, communities, and non-governmental organizations who are addressing the varied aspects of smart growth. <u>Click here for state-specific resources</u>.

Please note that this list is not an exhaustive compilation of all possible funding resources in the smart growth arena. It lists federal resources and directories of funding sources maintained by outside organizations.

For all available federal grants, see <u>www.grants.gov</u>, and for all federal funding programs, see the <u>Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance</u>.

- <u>Affordable Housing and Community Development</u>
- Brownfields
- Energy

- Foundations
- General Smart Growth or Environmental
- Green Building
- <u>Historic Preservation</u>
- Land Preservation and Conservation
- <u>Rural and Agricultural</u>
- Transportation (includes trails, bike, pedestrian)
- Water Quality, Wetlands, and Coasts

http://www.epa.gov/smartgrowth/national\_funding.htm

### **EPA Environmental Justice Grants**

EPA is seeking applicants for a total of \$1.5 million in environmental justice small grants to be awarded in 2013. EPA's environmental justice efforts aim to ensure equal environmental and health protections for all Americans, regardless of race or socioeconomic status. The 2013 grant solicitation is now open and will close on Jan. 7, 2013. Applicants must be incorporated non-profits or tribal organizations working to educate, empower and enable their communities to understand and address local environmental and public health issues. EPA will host four pre-application teleconference calls on Oct. 30, 2012; Nov. 14, 2012; Dec. 1, 2012; and Dec. 13, 2012 to help applicants understand the requirements. More information about the Environmental Justice Small Grants program.

Environment Justice Small Grants 2013 Request for Proposals and schedule of pre-application teleconference calls.http://www.epa.gov/environmentaljustice/resources/publications/grants/ej-smgrants-rfp-2013.pdf

Previous grants have supported activities including projects to better protect children in the Boston-area from incidences of lead poisoning and asthma attacks, conduct research on air quality in a portside Philadelphia community and provide support to residents on the Red Lake Reservation in Minnesota to repair failing septic systems and identify water that is unsafe to drink.

Fall 2013 EPA Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For Undergraduate Environmental Study Grant

> Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number: Opportunity Category:

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Archive Date:	Jan 04, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Other
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	40
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$50,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	66.513 Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For Undergraduate Environmental Study

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

## **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

## **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

See Section III of the announcement for additional eligibility information.

## **Agency Name**

Environmental Protection Agency

## Description

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), as part of its Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships program, is offering undergraduate fellowships for bachelor level students in environmental fields of study. The deadline for receipt of applications is December 5, 2012, at 11:59:59 PM ET. Subject to availability of funding and other applicable considerations, the Agency plans to award approximately 40 new fellowships in the summer of 2013. Eligible students will receive support for their junior and senior years of undergraduate study and for an internship at an EPA facility during the summer of their junior year. The fellowship provides up to \$20,700 per academic year of support and \$8,600 of support for a three-month summer internship. This solicitation does not provide the opportunity for the submission of applications for projects that involve human subjects research. Human subjects research supported by the EPA is governed by EPA Regulation 40 CFR Part 26 (Protection of Human Subjects). Applications proposing human subjects research will not be considered for funding and will be deemed ineligible.

### Link to Additional Information

Fall 2013 EPA Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships For Undergraduate Environmental Study

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### **Synopsis Modification History**

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Fall 2013 EPA Science to Achieve Results (STAR) Fellowships for Graduate Environmental Study Grant And Modification 1

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Archive Date:	Dec 27, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Other
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	80
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$3,400,000
Award Ceiling:	\$126,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	66.514 Science To Achieve Results (STAR) Fellowship Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

## **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

## Additional Information on Eligibility:

See Section III of the announcement for additional eligibility information.

## **Agency Name**

Environmental Protection Agency

## Description

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), as part of its Science to Achieve Results (STAR) program, is offering Graduate Fellowships for master's and doctoral level students in environmental fields of study. The deadline for submission of applications is November 15, 2012 at 11:59:59 PM. Subject to availability of funding and other applicable considerations, the Agency plans to award approximately 80 new fellowships in the late summer of 2013. Master's level students may receive support for a maximum of two years. Doctoral students may be supported for a maximum of three years, usable over a period of five years. The fellowship program provides up to \$42,000 per year of support per fellowship. This solicitation does not provide the opportunity for the submission of applications for projects that involve human subjects research. Human subjects research supported by the EPA is governed by EPA Regulation 40 CFR Part 26 (Protection of Human Subjects). Applications proposing human subjects research will not be considered for funding and will be deemed ineligible.

### Link to Additional Information

Fall 2013 EPA Science to Achieve Results (STAR) Fellowships for Graduate Environmental Study

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#### Modifications:

Brownfields Area-Wide Planning Grant Modification 1

#### **Brownfields Area-Wide Planning Grants**

The Brownfields Area-Wide Planning Grant program provides funding to facilitate community involvement and conduct research, training and technical assistance necessary to facilitate brownfields assessment, cleanup, and subsequent reuse. Grants will be funded up to \$200,000 for a two-year project period. The proposal deadline is November 30, 2012.

More information on application guidelines are at this location.

Please note this significant change to the Proposal Guidelines for Brownfields Area-Wide Planning Grants in FY13. As part of threshold requirements applicants must identify catalyst, high-priority sites within the project area. At least 50% of these catalyst and other high-priority brownfields sites must meet the CERCLA definition of a "brownfield" to be considered for award.

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Funding Opportunity Number:	EPA-OSWER-OBLR-12-06
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Current Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 30, 2012 Please refer to the announcement, including Section IV, for additional information on submission methods and due

	dates.
Archive Date:	Dec 30, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	20
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$4,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Award Floor:	\$200,000
CFDA Number(s):	66.814 Brownfields Training, Research, and Technical Assistance Grants and Cooperative Agreements

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

See Section III of the announcement for additional eligibility information.

#### **Agency Name**

**Environmental Protection Agency** 

#### Description

This notice announces the availability of EPA grant funds for projects from eligible entities to facilitate community involvement and conduct research, training and technical assistance necessary to develop area-wide plans and implementation strategies to facilitate brownfields assessment, cleanup, and subsequent reuse. Brownfields area-wide planning grant funding must be directed to specific areas affected by a single large or multiple brownfield sites, such as a neighborhood, downtown district, city block or local commercial corridor. The grant funding will result in an area-wide plan, including implementation strategies, for the brownfieldsaffected area. The brownfields area-wide plan will inform the assessment, cleanup and reuse of brownfields properties and promote area-wide revitalization.

### Link to Additional Information

#### **Brownfields Area-Wide Planning Grant**

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FY13 Guidelines for Brownfields Assessment Grants Modification 1

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Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 03, 2012 Please see the announcement, including Section IV, for additional submission information.
Archive Date:	Jan 02, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment

Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	133
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$34,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$600,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	66.818 Brownfields Assessment and Cleanup Cooperative Agreements
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

See Section III of announcement for eligibility information.

#### **Agency Name**

**Environmental Protection Agency** 

#### Description

The Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act ("Brownfields Law", P.L. 107-118) requires the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to publish guidance to assist applicants in preparing proposals for grants to assess and clean up brownfield sites. EPA's Brownfields Program provides funds to empower states, communities, tribes, and nonprofits to prevent, inventory, assess, clean up, and reuse brownfield sites. EPA provides brownfields funding for three types of grants: 1. Brownfields Assessment Grants – provides funds to inventory, characterize, assess, and conduct planning (including cleanup planning) and community involvement related to brownfield sites.2. Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) Grants - provides funds for a grant recipient to capitalize a revolving fund and to make loans and provide subgrants to carry out cleanup activities at brownfield sites.3. Brownfields Cleanup Grants – provides funds to carry out cleanup activities at a specific brownfield site owned by the applicant. Under these guidelines, EPA is seeking proposals for Assessment Grants only. If you are interested in requesting funding for RLF and/or Cleanup Grants, please refer to announcement EPA-OSWER-OBLR-12-08 (RLF Grant

guidelines) and EPA-OSWER-OBLR-12-09 (Cleanup Grant guidelines) posted separately on www.grants.gov and www.epa.gov/brownfields.

### Link to Additional Information

FY13 Guidelines for Brownfields Assessment Grants

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FY13 Guidelines for Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund Grants Modification 1

## Brownfields Assessment, Revolving Loan Fund and Cleanup Grants

The Brownfields Assessment, Revolving Loan Fund and Cleanup Grants program provides funding to address sites contaminated by petroleum and hazardous substances, pollutants, or contaminants (including hazardous substances comingled with petroleum). Opportunities for funding are as follows: Brownfields Assessment Grants (each funded up to \$200,000 over three years; coalitions are funded up to \$600,000 over three years), Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) Grants (each funded up to \$1,000,000 over five years) and Brownfields Cleanup Grants (each funded up to \$200,000 over three years). The proposal submission deadline is December 3, 2012.

More information on application guidelines are at this location.

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Archive Date:	Jan 02, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	13
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$10,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	66.818 Brownfields Assessment and Cleanup Cooperative Agreements
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Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Please see Section III of the announcement for eligibility information.

## **Agency Name**

Environmental Protection Agency

## Description

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#### Link to Additional Information

### FY13 Guidelines for Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund Grants

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FY13 Guidelines for Brownfields Cleanup Grants Modification 1

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Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement			
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment			
Category Explanation:				
Expected Number of Awards:	73			
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$14,000,000			
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000			
Award Floor:	\$0			
CFDA Number(s):	66.818 Brownfields Assessment and Cleanup Cooperative Agreements			
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement.	Yes			

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

## **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

## Additional Information on Eligibility:

Please see section III of announcement for eligibility information.

## **Agency Name**

Environmental Protection Agency

## Description

The Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act ("Brownfields Law", P.L. 107-118) requires the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to publish guidance to assist applicants in preparing proposals for grants to assess and clean up brownfield sites. EPA's Brownfields Program provides funds to empower states, communities, tribes, and nonprofits to prevent, inventory, assess, clean up, and reuse brownfield sites. EPA provides brownfields funding for three types of grants: 1. Brownfields Assessment Grants - provides funds to inventory, characterize, assess, and conduct planning (including cleanup planning) and community involvement related to brownfield sites.2. Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) Grants – provides funding for a grant recipient to capitalize a revolving fund and to make loans and provide subgrants to carry out cleanup activities at brownfield sites.3. Brownfields Cleanup Grants - provides funds to carry out cleanup activities at a specific brownfield site owned by the applicant. Under these guidelines, EPA is seeking proposals for Cleanup Grants only. If you are interested in requesting funding for Assessment or RLF funding, please refer to announcement EPA-OSWER-OBLR-12-07 (Assessment Grant guidelines) or EPA-OSWER-OBLR-12-08 (RLF Grant guidelines) posted separately on www.grants.gov and www.epa.gov/brownfields

### Link to Additional Information

#### FY13 Guidelines for Brownfields Cleanup Grants

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Environmental Education Regional Grants -- Solicitation Notice for 2012 Modification 1

December 12, 2012. Please see revised	announcement for details.
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Funding Opportunity Number:	EPA-EE-12-01
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
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Creation Date:	Nov 06, 2012
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Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 12, 2012 Please refer to the full announcement, including Section IV, for additional information on submission methods and due dates.
Archive Date:	Jan 11, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	10
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,160,000
Award Ceiling:	\$216,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	66.951 Environmental Education Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirements	Ves

The deadline for application submission has been extended to December 12, 2012. Please see revised announcement for details.

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

## **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

## **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

See Section III of the announcement for additional eligibility information.

## **Agency Name**

**Environmental Protection Agency** 

### Description

Under this solicitation EPA is seeking grant proposals from eligible applicants to support environmental education projects that promote environmental stewardship and help develop knowledgeable and responsible students, teachers, and citizens. This grant program provides financial support for projects that design, demonstrate, and/or disseminate environmental education practices, methods, or techniques, as described in this notice, and that will serve as models that can be replicated in a variety of settings. Under this solicitation EPA expects to award environmental education grants from the 10 EPA Regional offices.

### Link to Additional Information

Environmental Education Regional Grants -- Solicitation Notice for 2012

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#### **Department of Health and Human Services**

Grants Forecast and Overview

The Department of Health and Human Services' Grants Forecast is a database of planned grant opportunities proposed by its <u>agencies</u>. Each Forecast record contains actual or estimated dates and funding levels for grants that the agency

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### **Research:**

Agency for Health Care Research and Quality AHRQ Conference Grant Program (R13) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=206094

National Institutes of Health Early-Stage Innovative Molecular Analysis Technology Development for Cancer Research (R21) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=206213

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National Institutes of Health Tuberculosis Research Units (U19) Grant <u>http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205873</u>

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Early-Stage Development of Innovative Technologies for Biospecimen Science (R21) Grant

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Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Institutional Predoctoral Training Program in Systems Developmental Biology (T32) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=206253

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Collaborative Network for Clinical Research on Immune Tolerance (UM1) Grant <u>http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205793</u>

National Institutes of Health Novel Assays for Screening the Effects of Chemical Toxicants on Cell Differentiation (SBIR [R43]) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205853

National Institutes of Health NHLBI Clinical Trial Pilot Studies (R34) Grant <u>http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203035</u>

National Institutes of Health Functional Assays to Screen Genomic Hits (R21/R33) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203037

National Institutes of Health Centers for Collaborative Research in Fragile X (U01) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203053

National Institutes of Health Paul B. Beeson Clinical Scientist Development Award in Aging (K08) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203133

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Paul B. Beeson Patient-Oriented Research Career Development Award in Aging (K23) Grant

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Epigenetic Inheritance and Transgenerational Effects of Alcohol (R01) Grant <u>http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203155</u>

National Institutes of Health Epigenetic Inheritance and Transgenerational Effects of Alcohol (R21) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203156

National Institutes of Health Countermeasures Against Chemical Threats (CounterACT) Exploratory/Developmental Projects in Translational Research (R21) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203193

National Institutes of Health Limited Competition: Continuation of the National Institute on Aging Multicenter Clinical Trial The LIFE Study (U01) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203433

National Institutes of Health

Limited Competition: Data Coordinating Center for The Environmental Determinants of Diabetes in the Young (TEDDY) Study (UC4) Grant <a href="http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203934">http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203934</a>

National Institutes of Health New Directions in Hematology Research (SHINE-II) (R01) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203793

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Early-Stage Pharmacological Validation of Novel Targets and Accompanying Pre-Therapeutic Leads for Diseases of Interest to the NIDDK (R01) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203773

National Institutes of Health Dynamics of Host-Associated Microbial Communities (R01) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=204273

National Institutes of Health Shared Instrumentation Grant Program (S10) http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=204173

National Institutes of Health Initiative to Maximize Research Education in Genomics: Courses (R25) Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=204914

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National Institutes of Health Lab to Marketplace: Tools for Biomedical and Behavioral Research (SBIR [R43/R44]) Modification 2 Added CFDA# 93.351 Document Type: Modification to Previous Grants

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Category of Funding Activity:	Education
	Food and Nutrition
	Health

Category Explanation: Expected Number of Awards: Estimated Total Program Funding: Award Ceiling: Award Floor:

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93.172 -- Human Genome Research 93.173 -- Research Related to **Deafness and Communication** Disorders 93.213 -- Research and Training in Complementary and Alternative Medicine 93.286 -- Discovery and Applied Research for Technological Innovations to Improve Human Health 93.350 -- National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences 93.351 -- Research Infrastructure Programs 93.361 -- Nursing Research 93.846 -- Arthritis, Musculoskeletal and Skin **Diseases Research** 93.847 -- Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases Extramural Research 93.859 -- Biomedical Research and Research Training 93.866 -- Aging Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Small businesses

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

#### **Agency Name**

National Institutes of Health

#### Description

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) encourages the translation of technologies for biomedical or behavioral research from academic and other non-small business research sectors to the marketplace. Small Business Concerns (SBCs) are encouraged to submit Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant applications that propose to further develop, make more robust, and make more user-friendly such technologies in preparation for commercial dissemination. It is expected that this activity will require partnerships and close collaboration between the original developers of these technologies and SBCs, which may be accomplished in any of a number of ways, including the use of multiple principle investigators.

#### Link to Additional Information

http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-335.html

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National Institutes of Health Lab to Marketplace: Tools for Biomedical and Behavioral Research (SBIR [R43/R44]) Modification 3 <u>http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=121135</u>

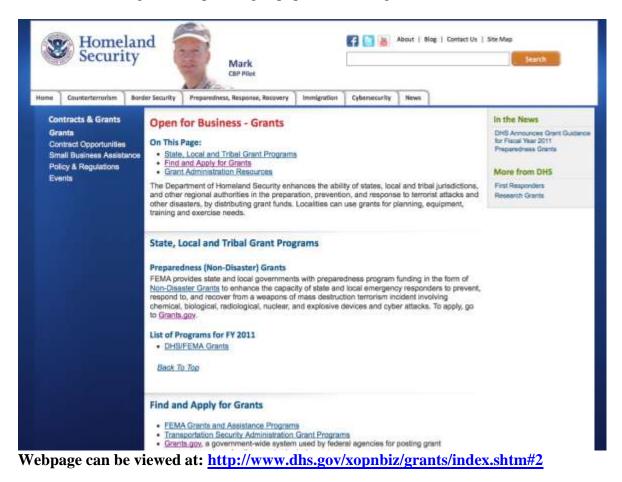
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National Institutes of Health Novel Tools for Investigating Brain-derived GPCRs in Mental Health Research (SBIR [R43/R44]) Modification 1 <u>http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=51010</u>

#### **Department of Homeland Security**

The Department of Homeland Security enhances the ability of states, local and tribal jurisdictions, and other regional authorities in the preparation, prevention,

and response to terrorist attacks and other disasters, by distributing grant funds. Localities can use grants for planning, equipment, training and exercise needs.



Application Tools Available Now For Planning A 2012 Fire Prevention And Safety Grant Application

The application period for fiscal year (FY) 2012 Fire Prevention and Safety (FP&S) Grants will open later this fall. Specific dates for the application period will be announced soon.

Download these updated grant application tools and start planning your grant request before the start of the application period.

- <u>FY 2012 FP&S Grants Get Ready Guide</u>. This short guide will help you kick-start your grant application. It identifies the most important elements of all the grant application questions.
- <u>FY 2012 FP&S Grant Self-Evaluation Sheet</u>. This tool is based on the application scoring dimensions used by the peer reviewers. It can help you assess your organization's readiness to apply for a grant and help you plan your application.

#### **Video Resources**

Two short Fire Prevention and Safety Program videos provide information that can help potential applicants.

- The <u>FP&S Grants video</u> gives an overview of the FP&S Grant Program, describing the purpose of the grants, eligible activities, and evaluation criteria.
- The <u>Community Risk Assessment video</u> describes the different types of risk assessments that applicants can use and explains how the risk assessment's information can support grant requests. Community risk assessments are critical to creating an effective fire prevention and safety project, and they are required to obtain a FP&S grant.

#### Website Resources

Visit the <u>FP&S Grants home page</u> on the <u>Assistance to Firefighters Grants (AFG)</u> <u>website</u> to find more information about recent awardees and models of successful FP&S projects.

Modifications To Fire Stations And Facilities Grant Applicants: Prepare For Environmental And Historic Preservation (EHP) Reviews

Federal laws and regulations require that all AFG-funded projects for modifications to fire stations and other facilities undergo an Environmental and Historic Preservation (EHP) review and receive EHP clearance **before any work begins and before any project funds are spent**. FEMA must consider the potential impact of all projects funded on natural and cultural resources, and this is accomplished through FEMA's EHP Review process.

**If you requested a modifications to facilities grant, start preparing now by gathering the information that will be needed for the EHP screening**. You will be asked to provide the following for each modifications project awarded:

- Age of the structure(s)
- Address of the structure(s)
- Description of how the structure will be modified, e.g., how the equipment will be installed or the renovations made
- Clear, good quality exterior photographs of the structure(s), assuming the modification will be visible from the outside
- Clear, good quality interior photographs that show where equipment will be installed or where the renovations will be made
- Technical drawings, maps, or site plans, if applicable
- Documentation of any previous EHP-related statements or reviews

### **Multiple Projects**

If your grant includes funding for other AFG project activities in addition to the fire station or facilities modification, like personal protective equipment or training projects, you may access those project funds immediately. To do this, send an e-mail to AFG requesting that the grant funds be released and affirming that you will not proceed with your modification project until the EHP review has been completed and approved.

#### **Common Reasons for Delays in EHP Reviews**

By planning ahead, you can avoid some of these problems that can delay the completion and approval of EHP reviews:

- Poor or absent ground-level photographs
- Poor or absent aerial photographs
- Inadequate project description
- Inadequate information on project location (no physical addresses or latitude-longitude)

Extent of ground disturbance

#### Department of Housing and Urban Development



### HUD - Notice of Funds Available

For detailed information click here

FY 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section to HUD's FY2013 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs This Notice provides prospective applicants for HUD's competitive funding with the opportunity to become familiar with the General Section to HUD's FY2013 Notices of Funding Availability (NOFAs) for Discretionary Funding (program NOFA), in advance of publication of any individual FY2013 program NOFAs. This General Section and the individual FY2013 program NOFA Sections comprise the entirety of the FY2013 NOFA instructions.

- <u>General Section</u>
- <u>FONSI</u>
- <u>New Application Attachment Filename Requirement</u>

#### Funding Opportunity Number: FR-5700-N-01

**Opportunity Title:** Policy Requirements and General Section **Competition ID:** GS-01

**CFDA No.:** 14. - All of HUD programs will start with 14. \_\_\_\_ **Open Date:** July 23, 2012

Close Date: December 31, 2013

**Contact:** For further information on HUD's FY2013 Policy Requirements and General Section, contact the Office of Strategic Planning and Management, Grants Management Division, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW, Room 3156, Washington, DC 20410-3000, telephone number (202) 708-0667. This is not a toll-free number. Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access this number via TTY by calling the Federal Relay Service at 800-877-8339.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** To help applicants with electronic application registration and submission, HUD advises applicants to use the help features on the Dun and Bradstreet (D&B), Central Contractor Registration (CCR)/ SAM.gov, and Grants.gov websites. These sites all have User Guides and Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) which are updated on an ongoing basis. HUD believes that early publication of this General Section is beneficial to prospective applicants by providing advance notice of the Department's Strategic Plan Goals, Policy Priorities, NOFA threshold requirements and other requirements that are applicable to individual FY2013 program NOFAs.

Individuals looking for assistance, please note: HUD does not provide grants and/or loans directly to individuals - the funding is made available to state and local governments; public housing agencies (PHAs); nonprofit organizations including colleges and universities; Indian tribes and tribally designated housing entities (TDHEs); graduate students; public housing resident organizations; owners of federally assisted low-income housing; and for-profit professional and technical services companies, however we do have a website, which provides resource information which may be of assistance to you. Individuals may visit the USA.gov website. This site allows you to complete a questionnaire; all of the questions must be answered in order to obtain an initial list of benefit results and to move on to the next sections of the Benefit Finder. Providing any additional information will further increase the accuracy of the individuals result. The website is user friendly; once the questionnaire is complete the site directs the individual to click the "View Benefit Results" tab to see a listing of programs that they may be eligible to receive.



#### Continuum of Care Program Competition Grant

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Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	
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CFDA Number(s):	14.267 Continuum of Care Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

2. Eligible Applicants. a. CoC Consolidated Applications. CoCs for which a FY2012 CoC Registration was approved by HUD during the FY2012 CoC Registration process must designate a Collaborative Applicant to submit the CoC Consolidated Application on behalf of the CoC. Collaborative Applicants will not be able to access the CoC Consolidated Application in e-snaps if the CoC does not have an approved Registration. b. Amendments to Registration. If a geographic area that includes projects eligible to apply for renewal during the FY2012 CoC Program Competition was not claimed by a CoC with an approved Registration, a contiguous CoC or the Balance of State CoC may contact HUD in writing to request that its Registration and Grants Inventory Worksheet (GIW) be amended to include the unclaimed geographic area and the renewal projects. In addition, in the event a CoC with an approved FY2012 CoC Registration failed to include a project on the CoC's Grant Inventory Worksheet, that CoC may contact HUD in writing to request that the CoC's Registration be amended. c. Project Applicants. Eligible project applicants for the CoC Program are identified in Section III.A.

#### **Agency Name**

Department of Housing and Urban Development

#### Description

The CoC Program is designed to promote a community-wide commitment to the goal of ending homelessness; to provide funding for efforts by nonprofit providers, States, and local governments to quickly re-house homeless individuals and families while minimizing the trauma and dislocation caused to homeless individuals, families, and communities by homelessness; to promote access to and effective utilization of mainstream programs by homeless individuals and families; and to optimize selfsufficiency among individuals and families experiencing homelessness.

#### Link to Additional Information

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#### **Modifications:**

Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section Modification 2

#### **Description of Modification**

TECHNICAL CORRECTION: This Notice provides a technical correction to HUD's Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section to HUD's FY2013 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs, hereafter referred to as the General Section, to correct language on Page 9, regarding Threshold Requirements and the timing of when they would be applied during HUD's application review process. This technical correction also corrects the title of the Threshold Requirement in Section III.C. .2. d.; and adds a new Threshold Requirement entitled K. Do Not Pay.gov Review. In addition, Section III.C.4 is renumbered to read Section 3. "Compliance with non-discrimination and Other Requirements" and the subsequent paragraphs modified from lettered paragraphs to numbered paragraphs. HUD is also correcting the letter order in Section III.C.3.

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	FR-5700-N-01
Opportunity Category:	Other
Posted Date:	Aug 08, 2012
Creation Date:	Nov 08, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 31, 2013 THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 31, 2013 THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.
Archive Date:	Jan 31, 2014
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Category Explanation: Housing THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

Expected Number of Awards: Estimated Total Program Funding: Award Ceiling: Award Floor: CFDA Number(s): Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### Additional Information on Eligibility:

The individual program NOFA will describe the applicant eligibility requirements. Applicants should be aware that HUD does not directly fund individuals through its formula-based programs or its competitive program NOFA process. THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

#### **Agency Name**

Department of Housing and Urban Development

#### Description

The General Section describes the requirements that are applicable to all of HUD's FY2013 individual program NOFAs. The General Section also provides overall guidance regarding HUD's Policy Priorities and their relationship to HUD's Strategic Plan Goals as stated in the Department's Strategic Plan for FY2010-2015. Each individual program NOFA will describe additional procedures and requirements that apply to the individual program NOFA, including a description of the eligible applicants, eligible activities, threshold requirements, cross-program requirements such as nondiscrimination and environmental protection, and any additional program requirements for any program for which you intend to apply, please carefully read and respond to both this General Section and the individual program NOFAs. THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

#### Link to Additional Information

<u>Click on Housing and Urban Development for a listing of ALL HUD</u> NOFAs.

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For further information on HUD's FY2013 Policy Requirements and General Section, contact the Office of Strategic Planning and Management 202-708-0667. This is not a toll-free number. <u>Email questions to above individual.</u>

#### **Synopsis Modification History**

The following files represent the modifications to this synopsis with the changes noted within the documents. The list of files is arranged from newest to oldest with the newest file representing the current synopsis. Changed sections from the previous document are shown in a light grey background.

File Name	Date
Modification #1	Aug 22, 2012
Original Synopsis	Aug 08, 2012

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#### **Institute of Museum and Library Services**

Summary of Available Grants and FY 2012 Grant Program Guidelines

Application forms and guidelines for the current fiscal year are made available approximately 90 days before the grant deadline. Until that time, applications and guidelines from the previous year are available for your reference, but you must use the current fiscal year application when you apply.

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http://www.imls.gov/applicants/available\_grants.aspx

# Call for Applications: FY 2013

### Museums for America and National Leadership Grants for Museums

New guidelines for nation's largest museum grant programs New deadline is January 15, 2013

**Washington, DC**—IMLS is accepting applications for its Museums for America (MFA) and National Leadership Grants for Museums (NLG-M) programs. We encourage museums of all sizes and of all types, from art, history, science, and children's museums to zoos, botanic gardens, and aquaria, to review the new guidelines, participate in our webinars, and submit applications.

MFA and NLG-M programs will support projects that do the following:

- Place the learner at the center and create engaging experiences in museums that prepare people to be full participants in their local communities and global society
- Promote museums as strong community anchors that enhance civic engagement, cultural opportunities, and economic vitality
- Support exemplary stewardship of museum collections and promote the use of technology to facilitate discovery of knowledge and cultural heritage

The two grant programs together are the largest source of federal funding specifically for museums in the United States.

We encourage all museums to learn about these grant opportunities and use IMLS resources to help them submit applications:

- New Deadline: January 15, 2013
- Museums for America: <u>Program Guidelines and IMLS Contacts on the</u> <u>IMLS website</u>
- National Leadership Grants for Museums: <u>Program Guidelines and</u> IMLS Contacts on the IMLS website

We invite any interested museums to participate in one of five free pre-application **webinars** to learn more about the grant programs and application process, ask questions, and listen to the questions and comments of other participants. Directions for participating are on the IMLS program pages for MFA and NLG-M.

Five Informational Webinars (Each session covers both grant programs.):

- Thursday, October 25, 2012, from 2 3 pm Eastern Time
- Thursday, November 8, 2012, from 2 3 pm Eastern Time
- Tuesday, November 20, 2012, from 2 3 pm Eastern Time
- Wednesday, December 5, 2012, from 2 3 pm Eastern Time
- Wednesday, December 19, 2012, from 2 3 pm Eastern Time

Museums with additional questions may get in touch with the IMLS contacts listed on the MFA and NLG-M pages of the IMLS website.

Returning applicants will notice some changes in the grant guidelines. The purposes of the Conservation Project Support and the 21st Century Museum Professionals programs have been incorporated under the MFA and NLG-M funding umbrella, resulting in the following improvements:

- Applicants may now combine activities into one project. Previously they would have had to apply to two different programs to fund overlapping work.
- There will be *no* restrictions on the number of applications a museum may submit to MFA or NLG-Museums in FY 2013.
- Partnership statements are no longer required. Letters of commitment are recommended instead.
- Some documents that were formerly required are now optional and can be submitted as supporting documents.
- Fewer sections are required in the narrative. The narrative section is restructured.
- Eligibility criteria are presented in a way that makes them more easily understandable.
- The Program Information Sheet clarifies the information sought.

# Modifications

Museum Grants for African American History and Culture Modification 1

Modification to Previous Grants Notice
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Nov 01, 2012
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45.309 Museum Grants for African American History and Culture

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Eligible applicants include museums whose primary purpose is African American life, art, history, and/or culture, encompassing: the period of slavery; the era of Reconstruction; the Harlem renaissance; the civil rights movement; and other periods of the African American diaspora. Nonprofit organizations whose primary purpose is to support museums identified above may also apply. Historically Black Colleges or Universities (HBCUs) are also eligible. Please see program guidelines for specific eligibility criteria.

#### **Agency Name**

Institute of Museum and Library Services

#### Description

Museum Grants for African American History and Culture are intended to enhance institutional capacity and sustainability through professional training, technical assistance, internships, outside expertise, and other tools. Successful proposals will focus on one or more of the following three goals: (1) developing or strengthening knowledge, skills, and other expertise of current staff at African American museums; (2) attracting and retaining professionals with the skills needed to strengthen African American museums; and (3) attracting new staff to African American museum practice and providing them with the expertise needed to sustain them in the museum field.

#### Link to Additional Information

http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?GrantId=12

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#### **Department of the Interior**

#### Working with Interior

The Interior Department provides assistance to the public, local governments and businesses through a number of programs. For a general overview see: <a href="http://www.doi.gov/index.cfm">http://www.doi.gov/index.cfm</a>

Businesses should go to: http://www.doi.gov/businesses/index.cfm



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**Modifications:** 

#### **Department of Justice**

#### Grants and Contract Overview

The Department offers funding opportunities to conduct research, to support law enforcement activities in state and local jurisdictions, to provide training and technical assistance, and to implement programs that improve the criminal justice system.

The DOJ agencies listed below also have sites that provide grant information specific to that agency. Examples of what can be found on these sites are programs, funding opportunities, application assistance, and other useful information.

- Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA)
- Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS)
- National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS)
- National Institute of Justice (NIJ)
- Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP)
- Office of Sex Offender Sentencing, Monitoring, Apprehending, Registering, and Tracking (SMART)
- Office for Victims of Crime (OVC)

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	the Grants Management System (GMS). Of particular use to new applicants, the OLP Gesuin use portal presents a step-by-snep guide through the grant application process.	JUSTICE.GOV IN ESPAÑOL
01	The Office on Violence Against Women administers 19 grant programs to help provide victims of domestic violence, second assault, dating violence, and stalking with the protection and services they need to punnee safe and healthy lives and enable communities to hold offenders accountable for their violence.	
CO	The Community Oriented Policing Hericas Office (COP5) offers grants to help law enforcement agencies to hire more community policing officers, to acquire new technologies and equipment, to hire civilians for administrative tasks, and to promote innevative approaches to solving crime. The COPY Office Response Center provides information on programs, grants, and application assistance for the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services. The COPS office Response Center also assists COPS grantees with financial questions.	DEPARTMENT of JUSTICE ACTION CENTER Report & Crime Sets. Job

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OVW FY 2013 Court Training and Improveme	nts Program: Domestic Violence
Mentor Grant	
Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	OVW-2013-3391
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Nov 01, 2012
Creation Date:	Nov 01, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 07, 2012
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 07, 2012
Archive Date:	Jan 06, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$150,000
Award Ceiling:	\$37,500
Award Floor:	\$10,000
CFDA Number(s):	16.013 Violence Against Women Act Court Training and Improvement Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

# Eligible Applicants

State governments County governments City or township governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

### Additional Information on Eligibility:

# **Agency Name**

Office of Violence Against Women

#### Description

The Mentor Court Initiative creates a unique opportunity to recognize well-established specialized courts and enable them to guide other courts and court-based programs that wish to significantly improve their court responses to sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence and stalking cases and ensure victim safety and offender accountability. Please read the Call for Concept Papers in its entirety before beginning your application. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that the application is complete and that all eligibility requirements have been met at the time of application submission. OVW may remove an application from consideration if the application is incomplete. Final award decisions are not appealable.

#### Link to Additional Information

OVW FY 2013 Court Training and Improvements Program: Domestic Violence Mentor Court Initiative Call for Concept Papers

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http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205373

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#### **Department of Labor**

Agency Grants and Contract General Overview

Department of Labor Grant Programs

• Bureau of International Labor Affairs (ILAB): provides grants (cooperative agreements) for the implementation of projects designed to assist developing countries combat the worse forms of child labor, forced labor, and human trafficking; and support worker rights and improve working conditions. Solicitations for grant applications are announced on <u>www.grants.gov/</u> and at <u>www.dol.gov/ILAB/grants/main.htm</u>. ILAB grants are awarded by the <u>OASAM grant office</u>.

- **Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS):** provides project grants (cooperative agreements) and the dissemination of technical statistical data and related information on labor force activities; provides data on prices (CPI) and cost of living; data on productivity and technology data; data on compensation and working conditions; data on employment projections.
- Employment and Training (ETA): ETA administers financial assistance programs pursuant to the Workforce Investment Act (WIA), administering State formula grant programs for youth, adults and dislocated workers, national emergency grants for workers affected by mass layoffs, plant closures, and disasters; grant programs for workers with disabilities, Indians and Native Americans, and for migrant and seasonal farmworkers. ETA also administers grant programs for older American workers, apprenticeship programs, Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) programs, and assistance for research and development of workforce programs. In addition, ETA is responsible for the operation and maintenance of a national system of public employment service offices and for the national unemployment insurance program.
- Mine Safety and Health (MSHA): provides grants for research, education and training programs to ensure an adequate and competent staff of trained inspectors; and assistance for establishing or improving State mine health and safety programs through technical assistance.
- Occupational Safety and Health (OSHA): provides grants to non-profit organizations to provide training, educational services, and technical assistance; assistance to states to administer and enforce state programs; assistance to states to provide occupational safety and health technical assistance and consultant services.
- Office of Disability Employment Policy (ODEP): The Office of Disability Employment Policy awards competitive grants establishing short-term pilot and technical assistance projects designed to identify, develop, test, evaluate, and disseminate policies to increase employment by expanding access to training, education, employment supports, assistive and systems technology, integrated employment, entrepreneurial development, and small business opportunities for adults and youth with disabilities. Current pilots projects focus on customized employment, Olmstead populations, and innovative demonstration youth grants, among others. Solicitations for grant applications are published in the Federal Register and announced at <a href="https://www.dol.gov/odep">www.dol.gov/odep</a>. ODEP grants are awarded by the OASAM grant office.
- Veterans' Employment and Training (VETS): provides special employment and training assistance for veterans through the <u>Disabled</u> Veterans' Outreach Program (DVOP) Solicitation for Grant Applications; the Local Veterans' Employment Representative Program (LVER); Veterans' Workforce Investment Program (VWIP); elaws Advisor on veterans' employment and reemployment rights; and the <u>Homeless</u> Veterans Reintegration Project (HVRP). VETS grants are awarded by the OASAM grant office.

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#### National Aeronautics and Space Administration

#### **Research and Contracting Opportunities**

NASA Research Opportunities Online - Various NASA offices publish their research announcements over the Internet, broadening the opportunity for researchers to apply for funding. This site provides access to current research announcements along with their specific due dates.

The site below provides a more general overview.



http://education1.nasa.gov/divisions/higher/grants/index.html

Competitions:

NASA Headquarters NASA Space Technology Research Fellowships - Fall 2013 Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203774

NASA Headquarters

ROSES 2012: Astrophysics Explorer U.S. Participating Investigator Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=204394

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NASA Headquarters ROSES 2012: Maturation of Instruments for Solar System Exploration Modification 1 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=191113

#### National Archives and Records Administration

Grant Opportunities General Overview

To access the information below: click here



### National Endowment for the Arts

Agency Grant Overview - http://nea.gov/grants/apply/index.html

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# NEA Our Town, FY 2013 Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	2013NEA01OT
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Oct 11, 2012
Creation Date:	Oct 11, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 14, 2013 The Grants.gov system must receive your validated and accepted application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on January 14, 2013. We strongly

Current Closing Date for Applications:	recommend that you submit at least 10 days in advance of the deadline to give yourself ample time to resolve any problems that you might encounter. We will not accept late applications. Jan 14, 2013 The Grants.gov system must receive your validated and accepted application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on January 14, 2013. We strongly recommend that you submit at least 10 days in advance of the deadline to give yourself ample time to resolve any problems that you might encounter. We will not accept late applications.
Archive Date:	Feb 13, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Award Floor:	\$25,000
CFDA Number(s):	45.024 Promotion of the Arts Grants to Organizations and Individuals
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Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

### **Eligible Applicants**

State governments County governments City or township governments Special district governments Independent school districts Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

All applications must have partnerships that involve two primary partners: a nonprofit organization and a local governmental entity. One of the two primary partners must be a cultural (arts or design) organization. Additional partners are encouraged. One of the two primary partners must act as the official applicant (lead applicant). This lead applicant must meet the eligibility requirements, submit the application, and assume full responsibility for the grant.

#### **Agency Name**

National Endowment for the Arts

#### Description

The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on or after September 1, 2013. Art works to improve the lives of America's citizens in many ways. Communities across our nation are leveraging the arts and engaging design to make their communities more livable with enhanced quality of life, increased creative activity, a distinct sense of place, and vibrant local economies that together capitalize on their existing assets. The NEA defines these efforts as the process of Creative Placemaking: "In creative placemaking, partners from public, private, nonprofit, and community sectors strategically shape the physical and social character of a neighborhood, town, tribe, city, or region around arts and cultural activities. Creative placemaking animates public and private spaces, rejuvenates structures and streetscapes, improves local business viability and public safety, and brings diverse people together to celebrate, inspire, and be inspired." Ann Markusen, Markusen Economic Research Services Anne Gadwa Nicodemus, Metris Arts Consulting From Creative Placemaking

#### Link to Additional Information

The NEA Design Director Jason Schupbach and Our Town specialist Jamie Hand will conduct one-hour Our Town guidelines webinars on November 6th and 13th at 3:00 p.m. EST. There will be an overview presentation followed by a Q&A session.

Please see the <u>2013 Our Town guidelines</u>. If you have questions about Our Town, please send email to  $\underline{ot@arts.gov}$ 

#### Webinar links:

November 6: http://artsgov.adobeconnect.com/our-town-guidelines-nov6/

November 13: <u>http://artsgov.adobeconnect.com/our-town-guidelines-nov13/</u> Instructions for joining the webinar:

Go to the URL for the specific webinar and click "Enter as Guest." Type in your full name, then click "Enter Room"

You will be muted and able to ask questions using the Q&A box. You can listen using your computer speakers or dial-in toll-free to 1-877-685-5350, participant code: 739587.

Please make sure you have the latest version of <u>Adobe Flash Player</u> installed. The webinars will be archived.

#### Complete NEA Website Announcement

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http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203833

#### NEA Research: Art Works, FY 2013 Modification 2

NOTICE: Due to Hurricane Sandy, the National Endowment for the Arts is extending the deadline for the Research: Art Works category for all applicants. The new deadline is November 20, 2012, at 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time. If you have already successfully submitted an application, you do not need to submit it again.

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	2013NEAORA
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Aug 01, 2012
Creation Date:	Oct 31, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 06, 2012 The Grants.gov system must receive your validated and accepted application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on November 6, 2012.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 20, 2012 NOTICE: Due to

	Hurricane Sandy, the National
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	extending the deadline for the
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Archive Date:	Dec 20, 2012
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Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$30,000
Award Floor:	\$10,000
CFDA Number(s):	45.024 Promotion of the Arts Grants to Organizations and Individuals

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

# Additional Information on Eligibility:

Nonprofit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3), U.S. organizations; units of state or local government; or federally recognized tribal communities or tribes may apply. This may include, but is not limited to, colleges and universities. See "How to Prepare and Submit an Application" for the documentation that is required to demonstrate eligibility. Ineligible applications will be returned. For projects that involve multiple organizations, one organization that meets the eligibility requirements below must act as the official applicant, submit the application, and assume full responsibility

for the grant. To be eligible, the applicant organization must: • Meet the Arts Endowment's "Legal Requirements," including nonprofit, tax-exempt status, as detailed in the FY 2013 Grants for Arts Projects guidelines LINK, at the time of application. • Have submitted acceptable Final Report packages by the due date(s) for all Arts Endowment awards(s) previously received. All applicants must have a DUNS number (www.dnb.com) and be registered with the Central Contractor Registration (CCR, www.ccr.gov) and maintain an active CCR registration until the application process is complete, and should a grant be made, throughout the life of the award.

#### **Agency Name**

National Endowment for the Arts

#### Description

NOTICE: Due to Hurricane Sandy, the National Endowment for the Arts is extending the deadline for the Research: Art Works category for all applicants. The new deadline is November 20, 2012, at 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time. If you have already successfully submitted an application, you do not need to submit it again. NOTICE: Due to Hurricane Sandy, the National Endowment for the Arts is extending the deadline for the Research: Art Works category for all applicants. The new deadline is November 20, 2012, at 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time. If you have already successfully submitted an application, you do not need to submit it again. The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on May 1, 2013, or any time thereafter. A grant period is not expected to exceed one year. Increasingly, the NEA has aimed to explore the factors and conditions affecting arts participation and art-making, and also illuminate the impact of the arts on American lives and communities. Arts workers and arts industries depend on timely information and analyses to monitor patterns of employment, fiscal health, and public demand for their goods and services. The greater public, on the other hand, needs to know whether and how the arts should factor into such questions as where to live, how to spend one's discretionary time, and what kind of education to provide for one's children. The NEA's strategic plan identifies research as a missioncritical goal -- specifically, "to promote public knowledge and understanding about the contribution of the arts." Through high-quality research, the NEA will expand opportunities for rigorous research that investigates the value of the U.S. arts ecosystem and the impact of the arts on other domains of American life. The NEA's Office of Research & Analysis (ORA) has identified priorities in support of this overarching research goal, including: 1. Identifying and cultivating new and existing data sources in the arts. 2. Investigating the value of the U.S. arts ecosystem and the impact of the arts on other domains of American life.3. Elevating the public profile of arts-related research. To help achieve these goals, the ORA have implemented a grants program for research in and about the arts.

#### Link to Additional Information

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#### National Endowment for the Humanities

**Grant Overview** - <u>http://www.neh.gov/grants/grantsbydivision.html</u>

MEL	Grant Progr	rams and E	Deadlines
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Who We Are	<u>Challenge Grants</u>	<ul> <li>Public Pr</li> </ul>	ograms
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	Federal/State Partnership	• We the P	cople
Grant Management	Office of Digital Humani	tics	
News & Publications	Principles of Civility for N	EH Seminars, Institutes,	and Workshops.
NEH Projects	Learn more about the Divi programs.	sions and Offices that ad	minister NEH grant
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	Forms: Links to the forms noted at the beginning of e necessary materials, you w	ach guideline. In order to	o download all of the
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	Program	Receipt Deadline	Beginning
	Bridging Cultures at Community Colleges Cooperative Agreement	August 23, 2011	February 2012
	Bridging Cultures: Implementation Grants	August 2, 2011	January 2012

Grants Notice
20130117-РЈ
Discretionary
Oct 10, 2012
Oct 10, 2012
Jan 17, 2013
Jan 17, 2013
Feb 16, 2013
Cooperative Agreement
Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
\$350,000
\$0
45.149 Promotion of the Humanities Division of Preservation and Access

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

### **Eligible Applicants**

State governments County governments City or township governments Special district governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education

# Additional Information on Eligibility:

**Agency Name** 

National Endowment for the Humanities

#### Description

NEH is soliciting proposals from institutions to participate in the National Digital Newspaper Program (NDNP). NDNP is creating a national digital resource of historically significant newspapers published between 1836 and 1922, from all the states and U.S. territories. This searchable database will be permanently maintained at the Library of Congress (LC) and be freely accessible via the Internet. (See the website, Chronicling America: Historic American Newspapers.) An accompanying national newspaper directory of bibliographic and holdings information on the website directs users to newspaper titles available in all types of formats. During the course of its partnership with NEH, LC will also digitize and contribute to the NDNP database a significant number of newspaper pages drawn from its own collections. NEH intends to support projects in all states and U.S. territories, provided that sufficient funds allocated for this purpose are available. One organization within each U.S. state or territory will receive an award to collaborate with relevant state partners in this effort. Previously funded projects will be eligible to receive supplements for continued work, but the program will give priority to new projects. In particular, the program will give priority to projects from states and territories that have not received NDNP funding.

#### Link to Additional Information

http://www.neh.gov/grants/preservation/national-digital-newspaperprogram

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National Digital Newspaper Program Division of Preservation and Access Room 411 National Endowment for the Humanities 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20506 202-606-8570 preservation@neh.gov preservation@neh.gov

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Digital Humanities Implementation Grants

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	20130123-НК
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Oct 10, 2012
Creation Date:	Oct 10, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 23, 2013
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 23, 2013
Archive Date:	Feb 22, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$325,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	45.169 Promotion of the Humanities Office of Digital Humanities

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

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#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

#### **Agency Name**

National Endowment for the Humanities

#### Description

This program is designed to fund the implementation of innovative digitalhumanities projects that have successfully completed a start-up phase and demonstrated their value to the field. Such projects might enhance our understanding of central problems in the humanities, raise new questions in the humanities, or develop new digital applications and approaches for use in the humanities. The program can support innovative digitalhumanities projects that address multiple audiences, including scholars, teachers, librarians, and the public. Applications from recipients of NEH's Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants are welcome. Unlike NEH's start-up grant program, which emphasizes basic research, prototyping, experimentation, and potential impact, the Digital Humanities Implementation Grants program seeks to identify projects that have successfully completed their start-up phase and are well positioned to have a major impact. Proposals are welcome for digital initiatives in any area of the humanities. Digital Humanities Implementation Grants may involve • implementation of computationally-based methods or techniques for humanities research; • implementation of new digital tools for use in humanities research, public programming, or educational settings; • efforts to ensure the completion and long-term sustainability of existing digital resources (typically in conjunction with a library or archive); • studies that examine the philosophical or practical implications of the use of emerging technologies in specific fields or disciplines of the humanities, or in interdisciplinary collaborations involving several fields or disciplines; or • implementation of new digital modes of scholarly communication that facilitate peer review, collaboration, or the dissemination of humanities scholarship for various audiences. Successful projects must make digital innovations and be significant to the humanities.

#### Link to Additional Information

http://www.neh.gov/grants/odh/digital-humanities-implementation-grants

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If you have questions about the program, contact the ODH staff at odh@neh.gov. Applicants wishing to speak to a staff member by telephone should provide in an e-mail message a telephone number and a preferred time to call. <u>odh@neh.gov</u>

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Challenge Grants for Two-year Colleges Grant

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Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
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Current Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 20, 2013
Archive Date:	Mar 22, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	45.130 Promotion of the Humanities Challenge Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

The only eligible applicants are accredited U.S. two-year colleges and community colleges that predominantly award associate degrees that can be earned in two years of study. Both private, independent colleges and government-supported colleges are eligible. Community-college districts and two-year-college consortia may also apply, in collaboration with at least one two-year college.

#### **Agency Name**

National Endowment for the Humanities

#### Description

The National Endowment for the Humanities invites two-year colleges to apply in a special Challenge Grant competition to strengthen their longterm humanities programs and resources. Two-year colleges are major educational assets that have too often been overlooked, even though over half of students in post-secondary education attend two-year institutions. The humanities can and should play a vital role in community colleges. The perspectives of history, philosophy, and literature can enrich the educational experience of students attending two-year colleges, deepening their understanding of questions related to differences among cultures, as manifested in diverse understandings of citizenship, politics, and ethics. NEH seeks to encourage two-year colleges to develop models of excellence that enhance the role of the humanities on their campuses. The goals of this initiative are • to enable two-year colleges to strengthen programs in the humanities, especially the study of the world's many cultures and civilizations; • to support model humanities curricula at twoyear colleges that may be replicated at other institutions; and • to encourage two-year colleges to broaden the base of financial support for the humanities.

#### Link to Additional Information

http://www.neh.gov/grants/challenge/challenge-grants-two-year-colleges

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#### **Modifications:**

America's Historical and Cultural Organizations Grant And Modification 1

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
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Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
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Creation Date:	Oct 05, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 09, 2013
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 09, 2013
Archive Date:	Feb 08, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	45.164 Promotion of the Humanities Public Programs

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

State governments County governments City or township governments Special district governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education

### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

#### **Agency Name**

National Endowment for the Humanities

#### Description

America's Historical and Cultural Organizations grants provide support for museums, libraries, historic places, and other organizations that produce public programs in the humanities. Grants support the following formats:• exhibitions at museums, libraries, and other venues;• interpretations of historic places, sites, or regions;• book/film discussion programs; living history presentations; other face-to-face programs at libraries, community centers, and other public venues; and• interpretive websites. Types of America's Historical and Cultural Organizations awards Planning grants support the early stages of project development, including consultation with scholars, refinement of humanities themes, preliminary design, and audience evaluation. Implementation grants support final scholarly research and consultation, design development, production, and installation of a project for presentation to the public. See application guidelines for Implementation Grants.

#### Link to Additional Information

http://www.neh.gov/grants/ahco

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America's Media Makers Modification 1

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Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	45.164 Promotion of the Humanities Public Programs
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

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## **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

## **Agency Name**

National Endowment for the Humanities

#### Description

America's Media Makers (AMM) grants support the following formats: interactive digital media; film and television projects; and radio projects. Interactive digital media may be websites, games, mobile applications, virtual environments, streaming video, or podcasts. Film and television projects may be single programs that address or a series that addresses significant figures, events, or developments and draw their content from humanities scholarship. They must be intended for national distribution. Radio projects may involve single programs, limited series, or segments within an ongoing program vehicle. They may also develop new humanities content to augment existing radio programming or add greater historical background or humanities analysis to the subjects of existing programs. They may be intended for regional or national distribution. NEH encourages projects that feature multiple formats to engage the public in the exploration of humanities ideas. Proposed projects might include complementary components that expand or deepen the audience's understanding of a subject: for example, museum exhibitions, book/film discussion programs, or other formats that enhance the programs' humanities content, engage audiences in new ways, and expand the distribution of programs. Grant Categories Development grants enable media producers to collaborate with scholars to develop humanities content and to prepare programs for production. Grants should result in a script or a design document and should also yield a detailed plan for outreach and public engagement in collaboration with a partner organization or organizations. Production grants support the production and distribution of digital projects, films, television programs, radio programs, and related programs that promise to engage the public.

#### Link to Additional Information

http://www.neh.gov/grants/amm

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## **National Science Foundation**

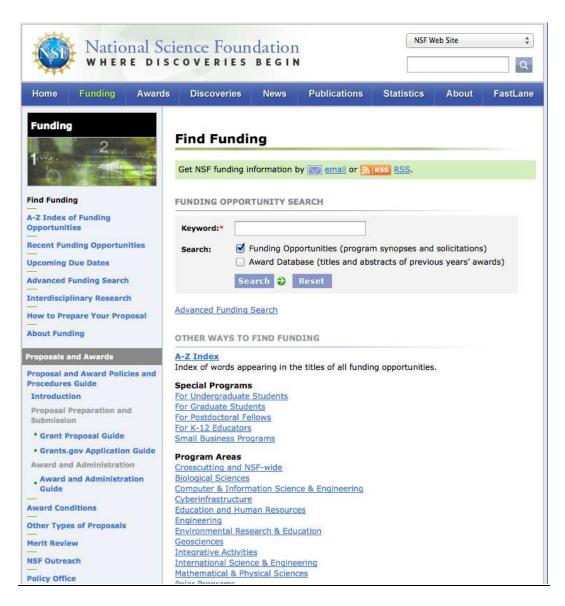
#### General Funding Overview

The National Science Foundation funds research and education in most <u>fields of</u> <u>science and engineering</u>. It does this through grants, and cooperative agreements to more than 2,000 colleges, universities, K-12 school systems, businesses, informal science organizations and other research organizations throughout the United States. The Foundation accounts for about one-fourth of federal support to academic institutions for basic research.

NSF receives approximately 40,000 proposals each year for research, education and training projects, of which approximately 11,000 are funded. In addition, the Foundation receives several thousand applications for graduate and postdoctoral fellowships.

The agency operates no laboratories itself but does support National Research Centers, user facilities, certain oceanographic vessels and Antarctic research stations. The Foundation also supports cooperative research between universities and industry, US participation in international scientific and engineering efforts, and educational activities at every academic level.

For assistance in finding funding: <u>http://nsf.gov/funding/</u>



## **Research and Program Grants:**

Alliances for Graduate Education and the Professoriate Modification 1 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=56945

Bureau Of Educational and Cultural Affairs Study of the U.S. Institutes for Student Leaders Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=206054

Control Systems Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203213

Cyber-Enabled Sustainability Science and Engineering Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203334 Cyber-Physical Systems Grant

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Division of Environmental Biology Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205214

Division of Integrative Organismal Systems Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205813

Division of Molecular and Cellular Biosciences: Investigator-initiated research projects Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205714

Emerging Frontiers in Research and Innovation (EFRI) Grant

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EPSCoR Research Infrastructure Improvement Program: Track-2 Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205213

Exploiting Parallelism and Scalability Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205814

Historically Black Colleges and Universities - Undergraduate Program Grant <u>http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=206055</u>

Mechanics of Materials Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=206053

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Catalyzing New International Collaborations Modification 1 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=183533

Chemical Synthesis Modification 11 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=48428

Chemical Theory, Models and Computational Methods Modification 11 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=48429

Chemical Catalysis Modification 15 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=48430

Cognitive Neuroscience Modification 9 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=47844

Combinatorics Modification 7 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=56769

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Developmental and Learning Sciences Modification 8 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=46236

Division of Environmental Biology Modification 1 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=117394

Documenting Endangered Languages Modification 4 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=101056

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Geomorphology and Land Use Dynamics Modification 8 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=63973

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Mechanics of Materials Modification 6 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=51181

Methodology, Measurement, and Statistics Modification 2 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=130113

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Research in Engineering Education Modification 6 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=58510

Research Experiences for Teachers (RET) in Engineering and Computer Science Modification 6 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=58924

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Expeditions in Training, Research, and Education for Mathematics and Statistics through Quantitative Explorations of Data Modification 1 <u>http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=197993</u>

#### **Small Business Administration**

General Overview Finding Loans & Grants

Federal, state and local governments offer a wide range of financing programs to help small businesses start and grow their operations. These programs include

low-interest loans, venture capital, and scientific and economic development grants.

Use SBA.gov's <u>Loans and Grants Search Tool</u> to get a list of financing programs for which you may qualify, or visit the resources below to learn more about small business financing programs.

To get to the main SBA.gov funding page click here

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## Entrepreneurship Bootcamp for Veterans with Disabilities Program Grant

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Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Oct 22, 2012
Creation Date:	Oct 22, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 22, 2012 The closing date is November 22, 2012 at 11:59pm Eastern Time.

Current Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 22, 2012 The closing date is November 22, 2012 at 11:59pm Eastern Time.
Archive Date:	Dec 22, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Business and Commerce
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	25
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$450,000
Award Ceiling:	\$150,000
Award Floor:	\$25,000
CFDA Number(s):	59.044 Veterans Business Development

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

See Synopsis

Agency Name

Small Business Administration

#### Description

The purpose of this Program Announcement is to invite proposals for funding from Public or Private Institutions interested in obtaining administrative funding to further build their capacity to market and promote their existing EBV Program to post 9/11 service-disabled veterans and to expand their existing Consortium of world-class, 4-year Colleges and Universities that offer entrepreneurship training to servicedisabled veterans from the Wars in Iraq and Afghanistan. This Program Announcement is subject to the availability of funding.

## Link to Additional Information

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

David De Leva Grants Management Officer Phone 202-205-7051 <u>david.deleva@sba.gov</u>

http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=204474

## General Overview and Resources for Program Administrators Advice on Funding Opportunities:

- The Bureau of Educational & Cultural Affairs Grant Process (PDF)
- Proposal Solicitation Eligibility and Process (PDF)
- <u>Making Your Grant Proposal Competitive</u> (PDF)
- Grantee Recipients Alumni Outreach, Tracking and Engagement (PDF)

General Information:

- Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs Grants Division
- Open Grant Opportunities (Requests for Grant Proposals)

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Bureau Of Educational and Cultural Affairs The Future Leaders Exchange (FLEX) Program: Host Family and School Placement and Monitoring Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=202973 International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affair Afghanistan Prisoner Rehabilitation Programs Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=206233

Bureau Of Educational and Cultural Affairs Study of the U.S. Institutes for Scholars and Secondary Educators Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205313

#### **Modifications**:

Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration FY 2013 Funding Opportunity Announcement for NGO Programs Benefiting Refugees in Kenya, Ethiopia, and Yemen Modification 1 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=204893

Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration FY 2013 Funding Opportunity Announcement for NGO programs benefiting refugees in Rwanda, Tanzania, and Uganda. Modifications 2 & 3 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205955

#### **Department of Transportation**

General Grant Program Overview

In 2011, DOT administered 14 grant programs totaling over \$417 million. In previous years, some funding for these grant programs was designated by Congress and the remainder was discretionary and awarded through a competitive process. In the FY11 budget passed in April, Congress directed that all funds were discretionary. This is expected to continue in the next fiscal year.

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Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation: Expected Number of Awards: 10 Estimated Total Program Funding: Award Ceiling: Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s):

20.109 -- Air Transportation Centers of Excellence

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

### **Eligible Applicants**

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education

## **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

#### Agency Name

DOT - FAA Centers of Excellence

## Description

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)Notice of Public Meeting: Establishment of the FAA Center of Excellence (COE) for Environment and Energy (E&E) SUMMARY: The FAA is forming a Center of Excellence for Environment and Energy during FY-13. The COE will be a consortium of the FAA, university partners, and private industry affiliates selected by the FAA Administrator to work collectively on business and operational issues of mutual interest and concern. DATES: The FAA will discuss COE and technical requirements at a Public Meeting conducted on November 15 and 16 in the Washington, DC area. Contact Patricia.Watts@faa.gov for further information regarding the COE Program, or to register for the COE Public Meeting or to receive additional information, contact jessica.shaw@faa.gov. Potential applicants are encouraged but not required to attend this meeting. SELECTION CRITERIA: The COE will be selected on the ability of the applicant to meet the following criteria mandated by Congress:--The extent to which the needs of the State in which the applicant is located are representative of the needs of the region for improved air transportation services and facilities.--The demonstrated research and extension resources available to the applicant for carrying out the intent of the legislation.--The capability of the applicant to provide leadership in making national and regional contributions to the solution of both long-range and immediate air transportation problems.--The extent to which the applicant has an established air transportation program.--The demonstrated ability of the applicant to disseminate results of air transportation research and educational programs through a statewide or region-wide continuing education program.--The research projects that the applicant proposes to carry out under the grant. Specific projects will be defined, evaluated, and funded throughout the life of the Center RESEARCH AREAS: The FAA

intends for the Center members to conduct a broad range of study areas to include, but not be limited to, the following areas: 1. Aircraft Noise and Impacts Characterization2. Aircraft Emissions and Impacts Characterization 3. Aircraft Technology Assessment4. Compatible Land Use Management 5. Alternative Jet Fuels Research6. Environmentally and Energy Efficient Gate-to-Gate Aircraft Operations7. Aviation Environmental Modeling and Analysis8. Aviation Environmental Policy The FAA anticipates the COE will attract interest from other organizations such as the airline industry, other industrial groups, airport authorities, and other governmental entities to solve various unique and difficult aviation problems related to environment and energy. These organizations may be considered as affiliate members by the COE core universities and may contribute to and receive funding from the COE. AWARD DATE: The FAA Administrator will announce the final selection of the Center of Excellence for Environment & Energy in FY 13Issued in Atlantic County, New Jersey on October 11, 2012

### Link to Additional Information

COE Website

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#### **Modifications:**

DOT/Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration FY 2013 CMVOST Notice of Funding Availability Modification 2 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=203953

#### **U.S. Agency for International Development**

General Overview Funding Opportunities

USAID has working relationships with thousands of American companies and hundreds of U.S.-based private voluntary organizations. For more information on our business and procurement opportunities, please visit our <u>Business</u> section.

For the general overview of funding opportunities: click here



## Ghana USAID-Accra Agir pour la Planification Familiale-AGIR PF Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=204973

Ghana USAID-Accra Feed the Future Agriculture Technology Transfer Project Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=206193

Haiti USAID-Port Au Prince Nutrition Security Program In Haiti Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=204473

Pakistan USAID-Islamabad Health System Strengthening Project Grant http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=204673

### **Modifications**

FY 2013 American Schools and Hospitals Abroad (ASHA) Program Worldwide Modifications 1 & 2 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=204133

Development Innovation Ventures Modification 2 http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=164553

## **Department of Veterans Affairs**

VA Office of Mental Health VA Supportive Services for Veteran Families Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	VA-SSVF-2013
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Oct 31, 2012
Creation Date:	Oct 31, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 01, 2013 Applications for initial and renewal supportive services grants under the SSVF Program must be received by the SSVF Program Office by 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time on February 1, 2013. In the interest of fairness to all competing applicants, this deadline is firm as to date and

Current Closing Data for Applications:	hour, and VA will treat as ineligible for consideration any application that is received after the deadline. Applicants should take this practice into account and make early submission of their materials to avoid any risk of loss of eligibility brought about by unanticipated delays, computer service outages, or other delivery- related problems.
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	of eligibility brought about by unanticipated delays, computer
	service outages, or other delivery-
	related problems.
Archive Date:	Feb 04, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Housing
Category Explanation:	150
Expected Number of Awards:	450
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$300,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$2,000,000
Award Floor:	\$0 (4.022 VA Summarting
CFDA Number(s):	64.033 VA Supportive Services for Veteran Families
	Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	-

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

# **Eligible Applicants**

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

## **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

As set forth in § 62.2 of the Final Rule, the definition of these entities are as follows: Private non-profit organization means any of the following: (1) An incorporated private institution or foundation that: (i) Has no part of the net earnings that inure to the benefit of any member, founder, contributor, or individual; (ii) Has a governing board that is responsible for the operation of the supportive services provided under this part; and (iii) Is approved by VA as to financial responsibility. (2) A for-profit limited partnership, the sole general partner of which is an organization meeting the requirements of paragraphs (1)(i), (ii) and (iii) of this definition. (3) A corporation wholly owned and controlled by an organization meeting the requirements of paragraphs (1)(i), (ii), and (iii) of this definition. (4) A tribally designated housing entity (as defined in section 4 of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 (25 U.S.C. 4103)). Consumer cooperative has the meaning given such term in section 202 of the Housing Act of 1959 (12 U.S.C. 1701q).

## Agency Name

VA Office of Mental Health

## Description

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) is announcing the availability of funds for supportive services grants under the SSVF Program. This Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) contains information concerning the Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF) Program, initial and renewal supportive services grant application processes, and amount of funding available. The Funding Opportunity Number is VA–SSVF–120112. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number is 62.033.

## Link to Additional Information

SSVF Program Webpage

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

John Kuhn, SSVF Director 877-737-0111 <u>SSVF Program email</u>

http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=205153

# **REMINDERS!**

## The Small Business Innovative Research Program - SBIR Program

The Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) program is a highly competitive program that encourages domestic small businesses to engage in Federal Research/Research and Development (R/R&D) that has the potential for commercialization. Through a competitive awards-based program, SBIR enables small businesses to explore their technological potential and provides the incentive to profit from its commercialization. By including qualified small businesses in the nation's R&D arena, high-tech innovation is stimulated and the United States gains entrepreneurial spirit as it meets its specific research and development needs.

# **SBIR Mission and Program Goals**

The mission of the SBIR program is to support scientific excellence and technological innovation through the investment of Federal research funds in critical American priorities to build a strong national economy.

The program's goals are four-fold:

- Stimulate technological innovation
- Meet Federal research and development needs.
- Foster and encourage participation in innovation and entrepreneurship by socially and economically disadvantaged persons.
- Increase private-sector commercialization of innovations derived from Federal research and development funding.

# **SBIR-Participating Agencies**

Each year, Federal agencies with extramural research and development (R&D) budgets that exceed \$100 million are required to allocate 2.5 percent of their R&D budget to these programs. Currently, eleven Federal agencies participate in the program:

- Department of Agriculture
- Department of Commerce <u>National Institute of Standards and</u> <u>Technology</u>
- Department of Commerce <u>National Oceanic and Atmospheric</u> <u>Administration</u>
- Department of Defense
- Department of Education
- Department of Energy
- Department of Health and Human Services
- Department of Homeland Security
- Department of Transportation
- Environmental Protection Agency

- National Aeronautics and Space Administration
- <u>National Science Foundation</u>

Each agency administers its own individual program within guidelines established by Congress. These agencies designate R&D topics in their solicitations and accept proposals from small businesses. Awards are made on a competitive basis after proposal evaluation.

## **Three-Phase Program**

The SBIR Program is structured in three phases:

*Phase I.* The objective of Phase I is to establish the technical merit, feasibility, and commercial potential of the proposed R/R&D efforts and to determine the quality of performance of the small business awardee organization prior to providing further Federal support in Phase II. SBIR Phase I awards normally do not exceed \$150,000 total costs for 6 months.

*Phase II.* The objective of Phase II is to continue the R/R&D efforts initiated in Phase I. Funding is based on the results achieved in Phase I and the scientific and technical merit and commercial potential of the project proposed in Phase II. Only Phase I awardees are eligible for a Phase II award. SBIR Phase II awards normally do not exceed \$1,000,000 total costs for 2 years.

*Phase III.* The objective of Phase III, where appropriate, is for the small business to pursue commercialization objectives resulting from the Phase I/II R/R&D activities. The SBIR program does not fund Phase III. Some Federal agencies, Phase III may involve follow-on non-SBIR funded R&D or production contracts for products, processes or services intended for use by the U.S. Government

Economic Development Administration Planning Program and Local Technical Assistance Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EDAPLANNING2012
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Aug 03, 2012
Creation Date:	Aug 03, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Applications are accepted on a continuing basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until superseded by a future announcement.

Current Closing Date for Applications:	Applications are accepted on a continuing basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until superseded by a future announcement.
Archive Date:	
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Regional Development
Category Explanation:	Regional planning and local technical assistance
Expected Number of Awards:	425
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$100,000
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.302 Economic Development Support for Planning Organizations 11.303 Economic
	Development Technical Assistance
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement	· Yes

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

## **Eligible Applicants**

State governments County governments City or township governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### Additional Information on Eligibility:

Pursuant to section 3 of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. § 3122) (PWEDA) and EDA's regulation at 13 C.F.R. § 300.3, the following types of entities are eligible to receive funding assistance from EDA: 1. District Organizations (as defined in 13 C.F.R. § 300.3); 2. Indian Tribes or a consortium of Indian Tribes; 3. States, cities, or other political subdivisions of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; 4. Institutions of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or 5. Public or private non-profit organizations or associations acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State.

#### **Agency Name**

Economic Development Administration

#### Description

Pursuant to PWEDA, EDA announces general policies and application procedures for grant-based investments under the Planning and Local Technical Assistance programs. Under the Planning program EDA assists eligible recipients in creating regional economic development plans designed to stimulate and guide the economic development efforts of a community or region. As part of this program, EDA supports Partnership Planning investments to facilitate the development, implementation, revision, or replacement of Comprehensive Economic Development Strategies (CEDS), which articulate and prioritize the strategic economic goals of recipients' respective regions. In general, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to the designated planning organization (e.g., District Organization) serving EDA-designated Economic Development Districts to enable these organizations to develop and implement relevant CEDS. In addition, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to Indian Tribes to help develop and implement CEDS and associated economic development activities. The Planning program also helps support planning organizations, including District Organizations, Indian Tribes, and other eligible Recipients, with Short Term and State Planning investments designed to guide the eventual creation and retention of higher-skill, higher-wage jobs, particularly for the unemployed and underemployed in the Nation's most economically distressed regions. The Local Technical Assistance program strengthens the capacity of local or State organizations, institutions of higher education, and other eligible recipients to undertake and promote effective economic development programs through projects such as feasibility analyses and impact studies.

## Link to Additional Information

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

David Ives Planning and Local TA email

http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=189193

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Department of Energy - Office of Science Office of Science	
Early Career Research Program Grant	
Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0000751
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Jul 20, 2012
Creation Date:	Jul 20, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	
	Nov 26, 2012
Archive Date:	Feb 26, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	50
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$6,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$0
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	81.049 Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No	
Eligible Applicants	

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

## **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Only U.S. academic institutions are eligible to apply. Other Federal agencies, Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of

the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995 are not eligible to apply.

## **Agency Name**

Office of Science

## Description

The Office of Science of the Department of Energy hereby invites grant applications for support under the Early Career Research Program in the following program areas: Advanced Scientific Computing Research (ASCR); Biological and Environmental Research (BER); Basic Energy Sciences (BES), Fusion Energy Sciences (FES); High Energy Physics (HEP), and Nuclear Physics (NP). The purpose of this program is to support the development of individual research programs of outstanding scientists early in their careers and to stimulate research careers in the areas supported by the DOE Office of Science.

## Link to Additional Information

**FedConnect** 

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http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=185733

#### HUD

Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section And Modification 1

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	FR-5700-N-01
Opportunity Category:	Other
Posted Date:	Aug 08, 2012
Creation Date:	Aug 22, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 31, 2013 THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 31, 2013 THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.
Archive Date:	Jan 31, 2014
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Category Explanation: Grant Housing THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

Expected Number of Awards: Estimated Total Program Funding: Award Ceiling: Award Floor: CFDA Number(s): Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### Additional Information on Eligibility:

The individual program NOFA will describe the applicant eligibility requirements. Applicants should be aware that HUD does not directly fund individuals through its formula-based programs or its competitive program NOFA process. THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

#### **Agency Name**

Department of Housing and Urban Development

#### Description

The General Section describes the requirements that are applicable to all of HUD's FY2013 individual program NOFAs. The General Section also provides overall guidance regarding HUD's Policy Priorities and their relationship to HUD's Strategic Plan Goals as stated in the Department's Strategic Plan for FY2010-2015. Each individual program NOFA will describe additional procedures and requirements that apply to the individual program NOFA, including a description of the eligible applicants, eligible activities, threshold requirements, cross-program requirements such as nondiscrimination and environmental protection, and any additional program requirements for any program for which you intend to apply, please carefully read and respond to both this General Section and the individual program NOFAs. THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

## Link to Additional Information

<u>Click on Housing and Urban Development for a listing of ALL HUD</u> <u>NOFAs.</u>

# If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

For further information on HUD's FY2013 Policy Requirements and General Section, contact the Office of Strategic Planning and Management 202-708-0667. This is not a toll-free number. <u>Email questions to above individual.</u>

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Dept of the Army -- Materiel Command

Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	W911NF-12-R-0011
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	May 31, 2012
Creation Date:	May 31, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Archive Date:	Apr 30, 2017
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant

	Other Procurement Contract
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and
Catagory Exploration:	other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	1000
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number(s):	12.431 Basic Scientific Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement	: No

#### **Eligible Applicants**

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

#### **Agency Name**

Dept of the Army -- Materiel Command

#### Description

This Broad Agency Announcement (BAA), which sets forth research areas of interest to the Army Research Laboratory (ARL) Directorates and Army Research Office (ARO), is issued under the paragraph 6.102(d)(2) of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR), which provides for the competitive selection of basic research proposals. Proposals submitted in response to this BAA and selected for award are considered to be the result of full and open competition and in full compliance with the provision of Public Law 98-369, "The Competition in Contracting Act of 1984" and subsequent amendments.

#### Link to Additional Information

ARL BAA home web page

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Kevin Bassler Procurement Analyst Phone 919-549-4295 BAA Mailbox

## http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=173578

National Science Foundation Small Business Technology Transfer Program I Grant	Phase I Solicitation FY-2013
Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	12-592
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Aug 06, 2012
Creation Date:	Aug 06, 2012
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Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	25
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$5,625,000
Award Ceiling:	\$225,000
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number(s):	47.041 Engineering Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

## **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

## Additional Information on Eligibility:

\*Organization Limit: Proposals may only be submitted by the following: - Only firms qualifying as a <a

href="http://www.nsf.gov/eng/iip/sbir/definitions.jsp#sbc">small business concern</a>are eligible to participate in the STTR program. Socially and economically disadvantaged small business concerns and women-owned small business concerns are particularly encouraged to participate. For an STTR Phase I Proposal, a minimum of 40% of the research, as measured by the budget, must be performed by the small business concern and a minimum of 30% of the research, as measured by the budget, must be performed by the collaborating research institution. Proposals from joint ventures and partnerships are permitted, provided the entity created qualifies as a small business in accordance with this solicitation. Proposing firms are also encouraged to take advantage of research expertise and facilities that may be available to them at colleges, universities, national laboratories, and from other research providers. Such collaborations may include research subcontracts, consulting agreements, or the employment of faculty as senior personnel and of graduate or undergraduate students as assistants by the small business. \*PI Limit:p class="MsoNormal"><span style="font-family: Verdana, sans-serif; color: black">The primary employment of the Principal Investigator (PI) must be with the small business concern at the time of the award. A PI must spend a minimum of two calendar months on an STTR Phase I project. Employment releases and certifications of intent shall be required prior to award. </span> <span style="font-family: Verdana, sans-serif; color: black">Primary employment is defined as 51% employed by the small business. </span><span style="font-family: Verdana, sans-serif; color: black">NSF considers a fulltime work week to be normally 40 hours and considers employment elsewhere of greater than 19.6 hours to be in conflict with this requirement.</span>

#### **Agency Name**

National Science Foundation

#### Description

The Small Business Technology Transfer program stimulates technological innovation in the private sector by strengthening the role of small business concerns in meeting Federal research and development needs, increasing the commercial application of federally supported research results, and fostering and encouraging participation by socially and economically disadvantaged and women-owned small businesses. The Small Business Technology Transfer Program (STTR) requires researchers at universities and other non-profit research institutions to play a significant intellectual role in the conduct of each STTR project. These researchers, by joining forces with a small company, can spin-off their commercially promising ideas while they remain primarily employed at the research institution. The program is governed by Public Law 112-81 (SBIR/STTR Reauthorization Act of 2011). NSF seeks to help reach the nation's biological innovation goals, and the larger objective of growing the bioeconomy The bioeconomy has emerged as a national priority because of its growth potential across many key industries and its societal benefits, which include transforming manufacturing processes, increasing agricultural productivity, advancing medicine, addressing energy needs, and meeting challenges in the environment. The STTR research topic for this solicitation is Enhancing the Bioeconomy using emerging Biological Technologies (EBBT). Proposals must use a biologically-based approach, such as synthetic biology, systems biology, metabolic engineering, proteomics, bioinformatics, and computational biology, to address business opportunities in key industry sectors including biomedical, biomanufacturing, and sustainable agriculture. For additional information reference section A.10.WEBINAR: A webinar will be held within 6 weeks of the release date of this solicitation to answer any questions about the solicitation. Details will be posted on the SBIR/STTR website: http://www.nsf.gov/eng/iip/sbir/index.jsp as they become available.

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#### NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program Grant

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Archive Date:	Dec 19, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	2000
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$243,000,000
Award Ceiling:	
Award Floor:	\$42,000
CFDA Number(s):	47.041 Engineering Grants
	47.049 Mathematical and Physical Sciences
	47.050 Geosciences
	47.070 Computer and
	Information Science and
	Engineering
	47.074 Biological Sciences
	47.075 Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences
	47.076 Education and Human
	Resources
	47.078 Polar Programs
	47.079 International Science and Engineering (OISE)
	47.080 Office of Cyber
	infrastructure
	47.081 Office of Experimental
	Program to Stimulate
Cast Sharing on Matching Description	Competitive Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

## **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

## **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

\*Organization Limit: Proposals may only be submitted by the following: -Fellowship applications must be submitted by the prospective Fellow. Applicants must register with Fastlane (<a href="https://www.fastlane.nsf.gov/fastlane.jsp">https://www.fastlane.nsf. gov/fastlane.jsp</a>) prior to submitting an application. Confirmation of acceptance in an NSF-approved graduate degree program is required at the time of Fellowship acceptance, by May 1, 2013. Prospective Fellows must enroll in an accredited United States university, college, or non-profit academic institution of higher education offering advanced degrees in science and engineering by Fall 2013. \*PI Limit: Refer to Section IV. Additional Eligibility Information.

## **Agency Name**

National Science Foundation

#### Description

The purpose of the NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP) is to help ensure the vitality and diversity of the scientific and engineering workforce in the United States. The program recognizes and supports outstanding graduate students who are pursuing research-based master's and doctoral degrees in fields within NSF's mission. The GRFP provides three years of support for the graduate education of individuals who have demonstrated their potential for significant achievements in science and engineering research.

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National Science Foundation Small Business Innovation Research Program Phase I Solicitation FY-2013 Grant

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Archive Date:	Jan 03, 2013
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	200
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$30,000,000
Award Ceiling:	
Award Floor:	\$150,000
CFDA Number(s):	47.041 Engineering Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement	: No

### **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

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href="http://www.nsf.gov/eng/iip/sbir/definitions.jsp#sbc">small business concern</a>are eligible to participate in the SBIR program. Socially and economically disadvantaged small business concerns and women-owned small business concerns are particularly encouraged to participate. For an SBIR Phase I Proposal, a minimum of two-thirds of the research, as measured by the budget, must be performed by the small business concern and the balance may be outsourced to a consultant or subcontractor or a combination of the two. Proposals from joint ventures and partnerships are permitted, provided the entity created qualifies as a<a href="http://www.nsf.gov/eng/iip/sbir/definitions.jsp#sbc">small business concern</a>.Proposing firms are also encouraged to take advantage of research expertise and facilities that may be available to them at colleges, universities, national laboratories, and from other research providers. Such collaborations may include research subcontracts, consulting agreements or the employment of faculty as senior personnel and of graduate or undergraduate students as assistants by the small business. \*PI Limit: The primary employment of the Principal Investigator (PI) must be with the small business concern at the time of the award. A PI must spend a minimum of one calendar month on an SBIR Phase I project. Primary employment is defined as 51% employed by the small business. NSF considers a fulltime work week to be normally 40 hours and considers employment elsewhere of greater than 19.6 hours to be in conflict with this requirement.

#### **Agency Name**

National Science Foundation

#### Description

The Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program stimulates technological innovation in the private sector by strengthening the role of small business concerns in meeting Federal research and development needs, increasing the commercial application of federally supported research results, and fostering and encouraging participation by socially and economically disadvantaged and women-owned small businesses. The SBIR program solicits proposals from the small business sector consistent with NSF's mission. The program is governed by Public Law 112-81 (SBIR/STTR Reauthorization Act of 2011). A main purpose of the legislation is to stimulate technological innovation and increase private sector commercialization. The NSF SBIR program is therefore in a unique position to meet both the goals of NSF and the purpose of the SBIR legislation by transforming scientific discovery into both social and economic benefit, and by emphasizing private sector commercialization. Accordingly, NSF has formulated broad solicitation topics for SBIR that conform to the high-technology investment sector's interests. The four broad topics are: Biological and Chemical Technologies (BC); Education Applications (EA); Electronics, Information and Communication Technologies (EI); Nanotechnology, Advanced Materials, and Manufacturing (NM) For detailed description of the four topics reference section V. Proposal Preparation and Submission Instructions, A.10. Research Topic.

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