SPOTLIGHTED OPPORTUNITIES FOR UNO

Louisiana Sea Grant 2018-2020 Competitive Research Request for Proposals

Louisiana Sea Grant College Program

This request for competitive research proposals by Louisiana Sea Grant (LSG) seeks to promote interdisciplinary solutions using university research to address complex and often interrelated ecological, economic, and social challenges that affect the state’s adaptation strategies. The magnitude of the challenges in this dynamic, and more recently disturbed, natural and social landscape requires that limited resources available to LSG be distributed utilizing practical and well-defined approaches that are linked to community engagement through our outreach program.

An information webinar will be held on January 25, 2017, from 1:30-3:00 p.m. CST to discuss the Sea Grant research funding opportunity. Please visit the LSG funding webpage (www.laseagrant.org/research/rfp) for instructions on how to participate in the webinar. The webinar will also explain the use of the new eSeaGrant proposal submission system. The webinar will be recorded and a link will be posted on the LSG funding webpage.

Statements of Interest (SoI): SoI is required and due by 5 pm on Friday, March 3, 2017.

Full Proposals: Full Proposals will only be accepted if a SoI was submitted. Full Proposals due on May 22, 2017.

LINKS: http://www.laseagrant.org/research/rfp/

ARTS, HUMANITIES AND INTERNATIONAL

NGO Polio Eradication Project

United States Agency for International Development (USAID)

Notice seeking applications to support efforts to provide continued and uninterrupted support for non-governmental organizations (NGO) efforts to eradicate polio in Ethiopia, India, Nigeria, and South Sudan and for cross-border coordination efforts in the Horn, including Kenya and Somalia. Project goals include: Build effective partnerships between Private Voluntary Organizations (PVOs), NGOs, and international, national and regional organizations involved in polio; Support PVO/NGO efforts to strengthen national and regional immunization systems to achieve polio eradication; Support PVO/NGO involvement in national and regional planning and implementation of supplemental polio immunizations; Support PVO/NGO efforts to strengthen AFP case detection and reporting as well as case detection of other infectious diseases. Cost sharing is required.

Applications are due by February 17, 2017. Approximately $74 million is available to support one award.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Sahel Road Safety initiative Reintegration Program

Department of State (State), International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affair

Notice seeking applications to help Senegalese and Burkinabe law enforcement agencies increase road safety and improve citizens’ perceptions about law enforcement. Doing so will require both tangible improvement in performance and increased communications efforts to promote and publicize transparency, accountability, and performance improvements.

Applications are due March 9, 2017. Approximately $2 million is available.

LINKS: Grants.gov
SERVIR Amazonia

National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), United States Agency for International Development (USAID), Peru USAID-Lima

Notice seeking comments on a pending USAID/NASA solicitation to reduce the negative impacts on Amazon forest and water resources by large-scale infrastructure projects, extractive activities, and the effects of climate change through increased application of geospatial analysis for improved planning and decision-making. Comments are sought, among other requests, on the thematic focus areas: hydro-meteorological management decision support, with specific themes of drought and fire risk, water resources and hydro-climatic events, ecosystems management, and weather and climate.

Responses are due February 6, 2016.

LINKS: Grants.gov

FY 2017 Request for PRM Humanitarian Research Concept Notes

Department of State (State), Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration

Notice seeking concept notes for research projects to strengthen evidence-based humanitarian decision making by Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration (PRM) and its partners worldwide as it pertains to Pakistan and Afghanistan.

Proposals are due March 10, 2017. Up to $300,000 is available per award.

Limited Submission: Organizations may submit a maximum of one concept note.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Institutes for Advanced Topics in the Digital Humanities

National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH), Office of Digital Humanities

Notice seeking applications supporting the Institutes for Advanced Topics in the Digital Humanities training programs for scholars, humanities professionals, and advanced graduate students to broaden and extend their knowledge of digital humanities.

Applications are due March 14, 2017. Awards normally range from one to three years and from $50,000 to a maximum of $250,000 in outright funds.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Leading English Education Programs in Kyushu/Yamaguchi

Department of State (State), U.S. Consulate Fukuoka Public Affairs Section

Notice seeking applications for small grants to individuals or organizations to lead an English education program with American cultural content at the Fukuoka American Center (Japan), American Shelf partner institutions, and/or public space. These events should promote English language education, introduce American culture, and/or to encourage future travel to and study in the United States.

Applications are due March 15, 2017. Approximately $1,000 is available to support five awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov
Project Manager for Kenya PEPFAR Sites Analysis

Department of State (State)

Notice seeking applications to collect data over a 4 month period and provide project management across all Kenya PEPFAR sites for activities conducted from October 2013 through September 2016. The organization(s) selected will serve in the role of Project Manager, responsible for project management and for coordinating and undertaking an audit of all FY 2014-2016 Kenya PEPFAR facilities. Applications are due February 13, 2017.

LINES: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Supporting Livelihoods in Syria

United States Agency for International Development (USAID)

Notice seeking applications for projects that combine humanitarian assistance and development approaches to build resiliency at the household and community levels in Syria through strengthened food security and livelihood opportunities. Concept Papers are due February 10, 2017. Approximately $16 million is available to support three awards.

LINES: Grants.gov

YSEALI Regional Exchange Workshop

Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to Viet Nam

Notice seeking applications for a cooperative agreement to develop and implement a six-day workshop (inclusive of arrival and departure days) in Hanoi on YSEALI Economic Engagement in ASEAN for the Young Southeast Asian Leaders Initiative (YSEALI). The YSEALI Economic Engagement in ASEAN will bring together 80 YSEALI members from across ASEAN countries that have economic or business backgrounds and leadership potential. The workshop will enable participants to study about the newly established ASEAN Economic Community, the trade relations among ASEAN countries and with the U.S. through presentations, case studies and simulation that follow the model of the ASEAN Summit. Also included are leadership and other soft skills training. Applications are due February 28, 2017. Approximately $250,000 is available in funding.

LINES: Grants.gov

Arts Advisory Panel Meetings

National Endowment for the Arts (NEA)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Arts Advisory Panel to the National Council on the Arts. The state/regional advisory panel will meet to review the partnership agreements. The meeting will be held February 8, 2017 from 2:00 pm to 2:40 pm ET at 400 7th St. SW., Washington, DC.

LINES: Federal Register

Notice of a Public Meeting and Request for Comments on Funding Initiatives To End Modern Slavery

Department of State (State)

Notice announcing a meeting of DOS "Funding Initiatives to End Modern Slavery". The meeting will be held January 25, 2017 beginning at 10:00 am ET at 1800 G Street NW., Washington DC. Pre-registration is required by January 18, 2017.

LINES: Federal Register
EDUCATION and ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

College Assistance Migrant Program (CAMP) CFDA Number 84.149A

Department of Education (Education), Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE)

Notice seeking applications to provide academic and financial support to help migrant and seasonal farmworkers and members of their immediate family complete their first year of college and continue in postsecondary education.

Applications are due March 10, 2017. Approximately $4.54 million is available to support 11 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Federal Register

Fulbright-Hays Group Projects Abroad Program

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

Notice seeking applications to promote, improve, and develop modern foreign languages and area studies for faculty, teachers, and undergraduate and graduate students to conduct individual and group projects overseas to carry out research and study in the fields of modern foreign languages and area studies. Projects must focus on one of the listed geographic regions. Funds support both short-term and long-term projects. Short-term projects include: seminars, curriculum development, and group research projects. Projects that focus on Priority Languages, and/or include K-12 Educators are especially encouraged.

Applications are due by March 7, 2017. Approximately $2.8 million is available to support up to 20 awards between the two programs. Award caps vary by type of projects.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Federal Register

High School Equivalency Program (HEP) CFDA Number 84.141A

Department of Education (Education), Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE)

Notice seeking applications to help migrant and seasonal farmworkers and members of their immediate family: (1) Obtain a general education diploma that meets the guidelines for high school equivalency (HSE) established by the State in which the HEP project is conducted; and (2) gain employment or be placed in an institution of higher education (IHE) or other postsecondary education or training.

Applications are due March 10, 2017. Approximately $1.39 million is available to support three awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Federal Register

Household Water Well Grant Program

United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Utilities Programs

Notice seeking applications to create a revolving loan fund (RLF) to extend access to clean, reliable water to households in eligible rural areas.

Applications are due February 6, 2017. 10 awards are anticipated.

LINKS: Grants.gov
NIJ FY17 Research and Evaluation on Domestic Radicalization to Violent Extremism

Department of Justice (Justice), National Institute of Justice (NIJ)

Notice seeking applications to provide a more comprehensive and extensive understanding of domestic radicalization as it occurs in the U.S., and to provide federal, State, local and tribal criminal justice agencies evidence-based tools to address it. Applications are due March 22, 2017. Approximately $3.5 million is available.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

NIJ FY17 Strengthening the Medical Examiner-Coroner System Program

Department of Justice (Justice), National Institute of Justice (NIJ)

Notice seeking applications to support grants in two focus areas by: supporting forensic pathology fellowships; and providing resources necessary to achieve accreditation. Applications are due March 20, 2017. Approximately $4 million is available.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

OVW FY 2017 Research and Evaluation Solicitation

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

Notice seeking applications to research and evaluate approaches to combatting domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking.

Encouraged letters of registration are due February 8, 2017. Applications are due March 1, 2017. Approximately $3 million is available to support 15 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Research and Evaluation on Trafficking in Persons

Department of Justice (Justice), National Institute of Justice (NIJ)

Notice seeking applications supporting research and evaluation projects that support and inform federal, state, local and tribal criminal justice agencies and victim service providers to respond to the challenges that trafficking in persons pose in their jurisdictions. Focus areas include: building knowledge on domestic victims of labor trafficking; evaluation of the enhanced collaborative model to combat human trafficking; exploration of housing in human trafficking; and evaluation of the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention mentoring project sites for child victims of commercial sexual exploitation and domestic sex trafficking. Applications are due by March 17, 2017. Approximately $4 million is available to support up to eight awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

Research to Improve Officer Decision-making

Department of Justice (Justice), National Institute of Justice (NIJ)

Notice seeking applications supporting research and/or evaluation projects aimed at improving officer decision-making skills to include, but not limited to, evaluation of training programs and curricula, and the impact of organizational culture and individual personality traits. Funds support efforts to build knowledge of and improve outcomes in interactions between police and citizens, and/or prevent or reduce injuries or deaths. Applications are due by March 23, 2017. Approximately $3 million is available to support up to four awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site
Rural Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence and Stalking Program Solicitation

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

Notice seeking applications supporting efforts to increase the safety and well-being of women and children in rural communities. Funds support efforts to: identify, assess and appropriately respond to child, youth, and adult victims of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking in rural communities through encouraging collaboration among stakeholders; establish and expand nonprofit, nongovernmental, state, tribal, territorial, and local government victim services in rural communities to child, youth, and adult victims; deal directly and immediately with sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence and stalking occurring in rural communities; and create and implement strategies to increase awareness and prevent sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence and/or stalking.

Optional letters of registration are due by February 2, 2017. Applications are due by February 23, 2017. Approximately $33 million is available to support up to 50 awards between new and continuing awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

W.E.B. DuBois Program of Research on Race and Crime

Department of Justice (Justice), National Institute of Justice (NIJ)

Notice seeking applications supporting research on the intersections of race, offending, victimization, and/or the fair administration of justice for both juveniles and adults. Priority areas include: Homicide and other violence in minority communities; and Criminal court topics including screening and assessment, legal defense systems, and sentencing reform. Funds support both advanced scholars and early-career awards.

Applications are due by March 31, 2017. Approximately $3 million is available to support up to eight awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Advisory Committee

National Archives and Records Administration (NARA)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Freedom of Information Act Advisory Committee. The purpose of this meeting will be to review the work of the committee's three subcommittees.

You must register for the meeting by 5:00 pm ET on January 23, 2017. The meeting will be held January 26, 2017, from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm ET at the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA); 700 Pennsylvania Avenue NW.; William G. McGowan Theater, Washington, DC.

LINKS: Federal Register

Comprehensive Centers Program; CFDA Number: 84.283B

Department of Education (Education), Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE)

Notice seeking comments to waive the requirements in 34 CFR 75.250(a) and 75.261(c)(2) of the Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR). Respectively, these provisions generally prohibit project periods exceeding five years and project period extensions involving the obligation of additional Federal funds.

Comments are accepted through February 8, 2017.

LINKS: Federal Register
BJA FY 17 Human Trafficking Training and Technical Assistance Program (TTA)

Department of Justice (Justice), Bureau of Justice Assistance

Notice seeking applications supporting TTA resources that are critical to improving the capacity of state, local and tribal criminal justice systems to develop and implement anti-human trafficking task forces using the Enhanced Collaborative Model (ECM).

Applications are due March 9, 2017. Approximately $1 million is available to support one award.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

BJA FY 17 Violent Gang And Gun Crime Reduction Program (PSN)

Department of Justice (Justice)

Notice seeking applications from Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSN) fiscal agents for programs that invest in the development of practitioner-researcher partnerships that use data, evidence, and innovation to create strategies and interventions that are effective and economical. PSN is designed to create safer neighborhoods through a sustained reduction in gang violence and gun crime.

Applications are due March 28, 2017. Approximately $8.5 million is available to support 20 awards. Colleges and universities who are PSN fiscal agents are eligible.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

Community Connect Grant Program

United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Notice seeking applications to help broadband deployment into rural communities where it is not yet economically viable for private sector providers to deliver service.

Applications are due March 13, 2017. Approximately $3 million is available to support up to 10 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Federal-State Marketing Improvement Program

United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Agricultural Marketing Service

Notice seeking applications for matching funds on a competitive basis to assist eligible entities in exploring new market opportunities and to encourage research and innovation aimed at improving the efficiency and performance of the U.S. agricultural marketing system. Proposals may focus on addressing barriers, overcoming challenges or realizing opportunities manifesting at any stage of the marketing chain including direct, wholesale, and retail. Proposals must have a strong marketing focus, must involve research, and the primary beneficiaries must be agricultural producers and agribusinesses.

Applications are due March 27, 2017. Approximately $1 million is available for funding.

LINKS: Grants.gov
Kansas Conservation Innovation Grants FY 2017

United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Notice seeking applications to stimulate the development and adoption of innovative conservation approaches and technologies, while leveraging the Federal investment in environmental enhancements and protection in conjunction with agricultural production. CIG projects are expected to lead to the transfer of conservation technologies, management systems, and innovative approaches (such as market-based systems) into NRCS technical manuals and guides or to the private sector.

Applications are due March 15, 2017. Approximately $200,000 is available to support up to four awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

NIJ FY17 Investigator-Initiated Research and Evaluation on Firearms Violence

Department of Justice (Justice)

Notice seeking applications to strengthen our knowledge base and improve public safety by producing findings with practical implications for reducing firearms violence. The objectives of this solicitation are to fund research and evaluation projects that employ high-quality, rigorous, social science methods and produce results with practical implications for improving efforts to reduce intentional, interpersonal firearms violence.

Applications are due March 24, 2017. Approximately $3 million is available to support up to four awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

NIJ FY17 Research and Evaluation on Drugs and Crime 2017

Department of Justice (Justice)

Notice seeking applications to promote applied research that examines the feasibility, impact, and cost efficiency of criminal justice tools, protocols, and policies designed to address drug trafficking, markets, and use. NIJ has identified two drug priorities for FY 2017: heroin and other opioids (including diverted prescription drugs), and novel psychoactive substances (synthetic drugs).

Applications are due March 23, 2017. Approximately $1.5 million is available to support up to six awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

North Dakota Conservation Innovation Grants Fiscal Year 2017

United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Notice seeking applications to stimulate the development and adoption of innovative conservation approaches and technologies, while leveraging the Federal investment in environmental enhancement and protection in conjunction with agricultural production. CIG projects are expected to lead to the transfer of conservation technologies, management systems, and innovative approaches (such as market-based systems) into NRCS technical manuals and guides or to the private sector.

Applications are due March 14, 2017. Approximately $150,000 is available to support up to two awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site
Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for Applications for Credit Assistance Under the Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act (WIFIA) Program

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

Notice seeking letters of interest for water infrastructure investment credit assistance. Letters of interest are due April 10, 2017. Approximately $20 million is available to support multiple awards.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

OVW FY 2017 Grants to Reduce Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence and Stalking on Campus Program

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

Notice seeking applications encouraging a comprehensive coordinated community approach that enhances victim safety, provides services for victims and supports efforts to hold offenders accountable. Encouraged letters of intent are due February 2, 2017. Applications are due February 23, 2017. Approximately $20 million is available to support up to 45 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Regional Conservation Partnership Program

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

Notice seeking applications to identify and address natural resource objectives in balance with operational goals in order to benefit soil, water, wildlife, and related natural resources locally, regionally, and nationally. NRCS works in partnership with other entities to accelerate getting conservation on the ground.

Pre-applications are due April 21, 2017. Full applications are due August 31, 2017. Approximately $252.6 million is available to support up to 100 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

National Advisory Committee on Institutional Quality and Integrity Meeting

Department of Education (Education)

Notice announcing a meeting of the National Advisory Committee on Institutional Quality and Integrity (NACIQI). The meeting will be held February 22 - 24, 2017 from 8:30 am to 5:30 pm ET at 1767 King Street, Alexandria, VA.

LINKS: Federal Register

National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council

United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Notice announcing open teleconference meeting of the National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council to review the 2017 Work Plan and discuss the National ten year action plan (2016-2026) implementation. The teleconference will be held February 9, 2017 from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm ET.

LINKS: Federal Register
Agency Information Collection Activities: Citizenship and Integration Direct Services Grant Program, Form G-1482; Existing Collection in Use Without an OMB Control Number

Department of Homeland Security (Homeland Security)

Notice seeking comments on US Citizenship and Integration Direct Services Grant Program.
Comments are accepted through March 13, 2017.

LINKS: Federal Register

Nominations for the Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission Permanent Advisory Committee

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

Notice seeking nominations for the Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission.
Nominations are accepted through February 24, 2017.

LINKS: Federal Register

HEALTH and MENTAL HEALTH

Chronic Condition Self-Management in Children and Adolescents (R01) (R21)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR)

Notice seeking applications to encourage research to improve self-management and quality of life in children and adolescents with chronic conditions. Managing a chronic condition is an unremitting responsibility for children and their families.

R01 applications are due annually on February 5, June 5, and October 5. R21 applications are due annually on February 16, June 16 and October 16.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation (R01), Solicitation (R21)

Development of Socially-Assistive Robots (SARs) to Engage Persons with Alzheimer's Disease (AD) and AD-Related Dementias (ADRD), and their Caregivers (R41/R42) (R43/R44)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute on Aging (NIA)

Notice seeking applications to encourage small businesses to develop assistive robotics and related technology that would enhance health and reduce illness and disability in older Americans suffering from Alzheimer's Disease (AD), AD-related dementias (ADRD), and other comorbidities.

Requested letters of intent are due 30 days prior to the application due date. Applications are due annually on September 5, January 5, and April 5.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation (R43/R44), Solicitation (R41/R42)
Drug-Free Communities (DFC) Support Program-New and Continuing

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

Notice seeking applications supporting new and continuing applicants to the Drug-Free Communities Support Program. Funds support efforts to: Establish and strengthen collaboration among communities, public and private non-profit agencies, and federal, state, local, and tribal governments to support the efforts of community coalitions working to prevent and reduce substance abuse among youth; and Reduce substance abuse among youth and adults by addressing the factors in a community that increase the risk of substance abuse and promoting the factors that minimize the risk of substance abuse. Cost sharing is required.

Applications for both programs are due by March 15, 2017. Approximately $17.5 million is available to support up to 70 new awards and 70 continuing awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov (New), Grants.gov (Continuation), Solicitation (New)

Fc Receptor (FcR) and Antibody Effector Function in HIV Vaccine Discovery (R01)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID)

Notice seeking applications to stimulate and support investigator-driven collaborative research to: 1) probe how vaccine-elicited antibodies protect against viral acquisition via Fc receptor (FCR)-mediated mechanisms; and 2) determine the functional profiles of Fc receptor engagement in the context of immune responses elicited by protective vaccines, to inform advancement of similarly promising HIV vaccine candidates.

Applications are due annually on May 7, September 7, and January 7.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Minority Youth Violence Prevention II (MYVP II): Integrating Social Determinants of Health and Community Policing Approaches

Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health (OASH)

Notice seeking applications supporting efforts to support innovative approaches to significantly reduce the prevalence and impact of youth violence among racial and ethnic minority and/or disadvantaged at-risk youth. Funds support projects tailored to at-risk racial and ethnic minority and/or disadvantaged youth, that take a coordinated, multi-disciplinary approach, including at a minimum a public health agency, a local school or school district, a state, county or local law enforcement agency or government agency that has demonstrated collaboration/partnership with law enforcement and an institution of higher education or learning. Applications are due April 4, 2017. Approximately $3.6 million is available to support up to 11 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Neuroscience Research on Drug Abuse (R21) (R01)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)

Notice seeking applications to understand the neurobiological mechanisms underlying substance use disorders, with special emphasis on identifying changes and neuroadaptations that occur during dependence, withdrawal, and relapse to chronic substance use. R01 applications are due annually on February 5, June 5, and October 5. R21 applications are due annually on February 16, June 16, and October 16.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation (R21), Solicitation (R01)
NIDA Core Center of Excellence Grant Program (P30)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)

Notice seeking applications to enhance the effectiveness of existing research and also to extend the focus of research to drug abuse and addiction. It is expected that a Center will transform knowledge in the sciences it is studying. Incremental work should not be the focus of Center activities; rather, new and creative directions are encouraged.

Requested letters of intent are due 30 days prior to the application due date. Applications are due September 26, 2017; September 26, 2018, and September 26, 2019.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

NINDS Efficacy Clinical Trials (U01)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS)

Notice seeking applications supporting investigator-initiated efficacy clinical trials to the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS) that evaluate drugs, biologics, and devices, as well as surgical, behavioral and rehabilitation therapies to address questions within the mission and research interests of the NINDS.

Applications are due by March 21, 2017. Multiple awards are anticipated.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

NK Cells to Induce Immunological Memory to Prevent HIV Infection (R01)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID)

Notice seeking applications to support multidisciplinary, hypothesis-driven research on Natural Killer (NK) cells, leading to the discovery of pathways relevant for early immune responses and immune regulation impacting the potential protective immunity to be induced by HIV vaccination.

Applications are due annually on May 7, September 7, and January 7.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Reducing Health Disparities Among Minority and Underserved Children (R01) (R21)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR); National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD)

Notice seeking applications designed to stimulate research that targets the reduction of health disparities among children.

R01 applications are due annually on February 5, June 5, and October 5. R21 applications are due annually on February 16, June 16, and October 16.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation R01, Solicitation R21
Reducing Overscreening for Breast, Cervical, and Colorectal Cancers among Older Adults (R01)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Cancer Institute (NCI)

Notice seeking applications to promote research on interventions, based in healthcare settings, designed to reduce overscreening for breast, cervical, or colorectal cancers among average-risk older adults. While ongoing efforts to promote screening have been successful, there is growing concern that these tests may be overused, thereby subjecting adults to unnecessary risks.

Applications are due annually on February 5, June 5, and October 5.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Part F Dental Reimbursement Program

Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), HIV/AIDS Bureau

Notice seeking applications supporting accredited dental schools and other accredited dental education programs in their efforts to improve access to oral health care services for low-income, underinsured, and underserved people living with HIV (PLWH) and to train dental and hygiene students and dental residents to deliver dental care to PLWH. Funds defray a portion of unreimbursed dental care costs for low-income, underinsured, and underserved PLWH incurred by accredited dental or dental hygiene education programs.

Applications are due by March 22, 2017. Approximately $9.2 million is available to support up to 60 grants.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Strengthening HIV/AIDS Research in Kenya

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Center for HIV-AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention Extramural Research Program Office

Notice seeking applications to support research on HIV prevention with particular emphasis on biomedical interventions, including alternative methods for delivering HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis such as vaginal rings. Additional research studies may include research on: HIV transmission, optimization of HIV care and treatment, alternative biomedical modalities for HIV prevention and safety, HIV treatment cure, risk factors for and the epidemiology of HIV infections, and interventions that prevent or minimize HIV co-morbidities from other infections.

Optional letters of intent are due by March 3, 2017. Applications are due by April 4, 2017. Approximately $5 million is available to support up to one award.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Strengthening the HIV Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) Care Continuum through Behavioral, Social, and Implementation Science (R01) (R21)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH)

Notice seeking applications to solicit behavioral, social, and implementation science research designed to (a) identify gaps in the HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) care continuum and associated determinants; (b) develop and test interventions to strengthen PrEP delivery, use, and outcomes; and (c) reduce racial/ethnic and age-related disparities in PrEP uptake and use.

Applications are due annually on May 7, September 7, and January 7.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation (R01), Solicitation (R21)
Targeted basic behavioral and social science and intervention development for HIV prevention and care (R01) (R21)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH)

Notice seeking applications to encourages research designed to (a) conduct basic behavioral and social science research that is needed to advance the development of HIV prevention and care interventions, (b) translate and operationalize the findings from these basic studies to develop interventions and assess their acceptability and feasibility and (c) conduct tests of the efficacy of HIV prevention and care interventions.

Applications are due annually on May 7, September 7, and January 7.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation (R21), Solicitation (R01)

Center for Substance Abuse Treatment; Notice of Meeting

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

Notice announcing a meeting of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's (SAMHSA) Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAT) National Advisory Council. The meeting is open and will include consideration of minutes from the SAMHSA CSAT NAC meeting of August 24, 2016, the Director's report, a budget update, discussions of CSAT's role translating science to service, and discussion of technology assisted care.

The meeting will be held February 1, 2017, 9:00 am - 4:30 pm ET at the SAMHSA Headquarters at 5600 Fishers Lane, Conference Room 5 A503, Rockville, MD. The meeting is also accessible by telephone.

LINKS: Federal Register

National Advisory Council on the National Health Service Corps; Notice of a Meeting

Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice announcing a webinar meeting of the National Advisory Council on the National Health Service Corps to discuss Council priorities.

The webinar will be held January 25, 2017, from 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm ET.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission to OMB for Review and Approval; Public Comment Request; Advanced Education Nursing Traineeship (AENT) Program Specific Data Collection Forms

Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking comments for the Advanced Nursing Education Workforce (ANEW) program. The Advanced Nursing Education Workforce (ANEW) Program is a new program that incorporates elements of HRSA's Advanced Education Nursing Traineeship (AENT) and Advanced Nursing Education (ANE) programs.

Comments are due by February 8, 2017. Submit your comments, including the ICR Title, to the desk officer for HRSA, either by email to OIRA_submission@omb.eop.gov or by fax to 202/395-5806.

LINKS: Federal Register
Basic Mechanisms of Brain Development Mediating Substance Use and Dependence (R01)

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

Notice seeking applications supporting the study of the developing brain or brain areas that play significant roles in mediating emotional and motivated behavior and in substance use and dependence. Applications are due February 5, June 5, and October 5 annually. The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Discovering Novel Targets: The Molecular Genetics of Drug Addiction and Related Co-Morbidities (R01)

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

Notice seeking applications supporting research projects that identify, validate and/or functionally characterize loci, genetic variations and haplotypes that are associated with vulnerability to addiction and that potentially inform the likelihood of responsiveness to treatment. Applications are due February 5, June 5, and October 5, annually. The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Maternal and Child Health Collaborative Office Rounds (MCH COR)

Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking applications supporting MCH COR continuing education in psychosocial developmental aspects of child health that emphasizes the practical challenges confronted by community-based, primary care practitioners. Applications are due March 20, 2017. Approximately $150,000 is available to support 10 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

NINDS Exploratory Clinical Trials (R01)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS)

Notice seeking applications supporting investigator-initiated exploratory clinical trials to the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS). Applications are due March 21, 2017, then February 5, June 5, and October 5, annually. The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Advisory Committee for Women's Services (ACWS)

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

Notice announcing open meeting of the Advisory Committee for Women's Services to discuss the National Institutes of Health (NIH) women and girls research agendas; a Legislative update and an overview of the Cures Act; an overview of the Surgeon General's Report; a presentation on physical health/behavioral health integration activities; and a conversation with the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Mental Health and Substance Use. The meeting will be held February 1, 2017 from 9:00 am to 4:45 pm ET at SAMHSA, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD in Conference Room 5N76. The meeting is also available via telephone.

LINKS: Federal Register
Advisory Committee to the Director (ACD), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)-Health Disparities Subcommittee (HDS)

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice announcing a meeting of the CDC Health Disparities Subcommittee. The discussion will be the progress toward a Workforce Diversity Indicator.

The meeting will be held via teleconference on February 2, 2017 from 1:30 pm to 3:00 pm ET. Dial 866/918-8397 and enter code 9346283.

LINKS: Federal Register

Center for Substance Abuse Prevention; Notice of Meeting

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Center for Substance Abuse Prevention

Notice announcing a meeting of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration’s (SAMHSA) Center for Substance Abuse Prevention National Advisory Council (CSAP NAC) to discuss the substance use prevention workforce and the changing landscape of prevention, and to receive updates on CSAP program developments.

Meeting will be held February 1, 2017, from 9:30 am to 4:30 pm ET at SAMHSA, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 5A02 (lobby level), Rockville, MD and via Adobe Connect webcast at: https://samhsa-csap.adobeconnect.com/nac/. Register is required at: http://nac.samhsa.gov/Registration/meetingsRegistration.aspx

LINKS: Federal Register

Fogarty International Center; Notice of Meeting

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Fogarty International Center

Notice announcing a meeting of the Fogarty International Center Advisory Board to receive an update on and hold discussions about the current and planned FIC activities.

The open portion of the meeting will occur February 7, 2017 from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm ET at National Institutes of Health, Stone House, Building 16, Conference Room, Bethesda, MD.

LINKS: Federal Register

Joint Meeting of the Drug Safety and Risk Management Advisory Committee and the Anesthetic and Analgesic Drug Products Advisory Committee

Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice announcing a meeting of the public advisory committee meeting of the Drug Safety and Risk Management Advisory Committee and the Anesthetic and Analgesic Drug Products Advisory Committee. The general function of the committees is to provide advice and recommendations to the Agency on FDA's regulatory issues. At least one portion of the meeting will be closed to the public.

The open portions of the meeting will be held March 13, 2017 from 9:15 am to 5:00 pm ET and March 14, 2017 from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm ET at the College Park Marriott Hotel and Conference Center, Potomac Ballroom, 3501 University Blvd. East, Hyattsville, MD.

LINKS: Federal Register
National Cancer Institute; Notice of Meeting

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

Notice announcing a meeting of the National Cancer Institute Clinical Trials and Translational Research Advisory Committee to hold a strategic discussion of NCI's clinical and translational research programs.

Meeting will be held March 8, 2017 from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm ET at National Institutes of Health, Building 31, C-Wing, 6th Floor, Conference Rooms 9 and 10, 31 Center Drive, Bethesda, MD. The meeting will also be videocast and can be accessed from the NIH Videocasting and Podcasting Web site (http://videocast.nih.gov/)

LINKS: Federal Register, Institute's Site

Notice of Meeting

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

Notice announcing a meeting of SAMHSA National Advisory Council. There will be a discussion of "The 21st Century Cures Act."

The meeting will be held February 3, 2017 from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm ET at 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD.

LINKS: Federal Register

Notice of Meeting

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

Notice announcing a meeting of SAMHSA National Advisory Councils; the Center for Mental Health Services, the Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, the Center for Mental Health Services, and the Center for Substance Abuse Treatment.

The meeting will be held February 2, 2017 from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm ET at 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD.

LINKS: Federal Register

National Gene Vector Biorepository and Coordinating Center (NGVB)

FON:
HHS-NIH-NHLBI-SBSS-18HV00004R

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute (NHLBI)

Notice seeking information from small businesses and other qualified entities regarding their ability to continue NHLBI's support of the National Gene Vector Biorepository and Coordinating Center (NGVB) by transitioning it from a grant mechanism to a contract. The NGVB is an important component in NHLBI's current suite of three gene therapy resource programs, which provides gene therapy investigators with a variety of services that can enhance their research. The services currently offered by the NGVB, which are still expected under the contract mechanism, are focused on four main areas: 1.) reagent repository, 2.) pharmacology and toxicology resources, 3.) insertional site analysis on clinical trial specimens, and 4.) archiving services.

Submissions are due by January 30, 2017.

LINKS: FBO
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, and MATHEMATICS

Aerospace Systems Air Platform Technology Research (ASAPTR)
Department of Defense (Defense), Air Force Materiel Command

Notice seeking proposals to conduct research to develop, demonstrate, integrate and transition new aerospace vehicle technologies and systems that will provide affordable, revolutionary capabilities to the warfighter.


LINKS: FBO

BAA for Advancement of Technologies for Use by Special Operations Forces-Tactical Assault Light Operator Suit (TALOS)
Department of Defense (Defense), U.S. Special Operations Command (SOCOM)

Notice seeking applications supporting research into the Tactical Assault Light Operator Suit. Funds support efforts to provide enhanced warfighter protection, improved situational awareness, increased mobility, advancements in battlefield power generation and storage, and modernized ground force communication and control. Priority areas include: Survivability; Mobility/Agility; Operator Interface, Visual Augmentation System, Situational Awareness, Targeting, Mission Planning and Execution; Command, Control, Communications & Intelligence; Computing; Power and Energy; and Human Factors.

Required white papers are accepted at any time, with the deadline for review periods happening on: February 1, 2017; May 1, 2017; August 29, 2017; and December 16, 2017. Multiple awards are anticipated.

LINKS: FBO

CIRCUITS - SBIR
Department of Energy (Energy), Advanced Research Projects Agency Energy

Notice seeking applications for the CIRCUITS (Creating Innovative and Reliable Circuits Using Inventive Topologies and Semiconductors) program seeks to accelerate the development and deployment of a new class of efficient, lightweight, and reliable power converters based on wide bandgap (WBG) semiconductors through transformational system-level advances that enable effective operation at high switching frequency, high temperature, and low loss. Previous efforts by ARPA-E and others have primarily focused on WBG material and device development without focused consideration and redesign of the circuit topology.

Concept papers are due February 20, 2017. Approximately $10 million is available to support 5 to 10 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Creating Innovative and Reliable Circuits Using Inventive Topologies and Semiconductors (CIRCUITS)
Department of Energy (Energy), Advanced Research Projects Agency Energy (ARPA-E)

Notice seeking applications to fund transformational advances in next-generation advanced converter circuit topologies (building blocks) for use in power electronics systems. These converters should exhibit higher efficiency, more reliability, reduced size and weight, and lower cost relative to the current state of the art.

Concept papers are due February 21, 2017. Approximately $20 million is available 10 to 20 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation
Integrated Biorefinery Optimization

Department of Energy (Energy), United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Bioenergy Technologies Office (BETO); National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA)

Notice seeking applications supporting projects focused on addressing challenges, reducing risks, and providing resources to accelerate commercialization of biofuels and bioproducts. Focus areas include: Robust, continuous handling of solid materials (dry and wet feedstocks, biosolids, and/or residual solids remaining in the process) and feeding systems to reactors under various operating conditions; High value products from waste and/or other under-valued streams in an Integrated Biorefinery (IBR); Industrial separations within an IBR; and Analytical modeling of solid materials (dry and wet feedstocks, and/or residual solids remaining in the process) and reactor feeding systems.

Required concept papers are due by February 6, 2017. Applications are due by April 3, 2017. Approximately $3.5 million is available to support up to five awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Sedimentary Geology and Paleobiology

Directorate for Geosciences (GEO), National Science Foundation (NSF), Division of Earth Sciences

Notice seeking applications supporting innovative research that addresses the deep-time sedimentary crust and advances our understanding of environmental and evolutionary change. Focus areas include: the changing aspects of life, ecology, environments, and biogeography in geologic time based on fossil organisms and/or sedimentological data; all aspects of the Earth's sedimentary lithosphere – insights into the geological processes and rich organic and inorganic resources locked in rock sequences; the science of dating and measuring the sequence of events and rates of geological processes as manifested in Earth's deep-time (pre-Holocene) sedimentary and biological (fossil) record; and the geologic record of the production, transportation, and deposition of modern and ancient physical and chemical sediments.

Applications are accepted at any time. Approximately $7.4 million is available to support 20 to 30 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Specially Adapted Housing Assistive Technology Grant Program

Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), VA Loan Guaranty Service

Notice seeking applications supporting the development of new assistive technologies for specially adapted housing that could aid or enhance the ability of a Veteran or Servicemember to live in an adapted home. Funds do not support the construction or modification of residential dwellings for accessibility.

Applications are due by February 26, 2017. Approximately $1 million is available to support five awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

AgrAbility - Assistive Technology Program for Farmers with Disabilities

United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Notice seeking applications from cooperative extension services at 1862 and 1890 land-grant colleges and universities to provide education, assistance, and support to farmers with disabilities engaged in production agriculture, helping them and their families maintain optimal production and experience enhanced quality of life.

Applications are due February 15, 2017. Approximately $4 million is available to support awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov
Analytics for Prediction of Bio-Threat Incidents

Department of Homeland Security (Homeland Security)

Notice seeking white papers supporting "Surveillance and Detection: Advance" the capability to provide early warning and detection of a chemical or biological incident in a cost-sustainable way.

White papers are due February 7, 2017. Approximately $2 million is available to support multiple awards.

LINKS: FBO

Extending Industrial Assessment Centers to Underserved Areas

Department of Energy (Energy), Golden Field Office

Notice seeking applications to provide better national coverage by further expanding the geographic coverage of the Industrial Assessment Center (IAC) program to areas that are unlikely to be adequately serviced because of their distance from the 28 existing IACs. Extension IACs will provide training for undergraduate and graduate engineering students in industrial processes, energy assessment procedures, and energy management systems.

Optional letters of intent are due February 8, 2017. Full applications are due March 14, 2017.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Farmers Market Promotion Program

United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Notice seeking applications to develop, improve, expand, and provide outreach, training, and technical assistance to, or assisting in the development, improvement, and expansion of, domestic farmers markets, roadside stands, community-supported agriculture programs, agritourism activities, and other direct producer-to-consumer market opportunities in order to increase domestic consumption of, and access to, locally and regionally produced agricultural products, and to develop new market opportunities for farm and ranch operations serving local markets.

Applications are due March 27, 2017. Approximately $13 million is available in funding.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

FY 2017 Verification of the Origins of Rotation in Tornadoes Experiment in the Southeast U.S. (VORTEX-SE), and Infrasound Detection of Tornadoes

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

Notice seeking applications to improve tornado forecasts and warnings in the United States, particularly the southeastern United States, by obtaining new knowledge of atmospheric processes that are conducive to tornadoes, and of special importance, in the Southeast.

Applications are due March 15, 2017. Approximately $300,000 is available to support up to 20 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov
Local Food Promotion Program

United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Agricultural Marketing Service

Notice seeking applications for the development and expansion of local and regional food business enterprises to increase domestic consumption of, and access to, locally and regionally produced agricultural products, and to develop new market opportunities for farm and ranch operations serving local markets. There are two types of project applications are accepted under LFPP—planning grants and implementation grants. Applicants can apply for either but will receive only one type of grant in the same grant cycle.

Applications are due March 27, 2017. Approximately $13 million is available in funding.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Information Systems; Technical Advisory Committee; Notice of Open Meeting

Department of Commerce (Commerce), Industry and Security Bureau

Notice announcing a meeting of the Information Systems Technical Advisory Committee (ISTAC). ISTAC advises the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration on technical questions that affect the level of export controls applicable to information systems equipment and technology.

Meeting will be held January 25, 2017 from 9:00 am ET in the Herbert C. Hoover Building, Room 3884, 1401 Constitution Ave NW, Washington, DC and via teleconference. The open session will be accessible via teleconference to 20 participants on a first come, first serve basis. To join the conference, submit inquiries to Ms. Yvette Springer at Yvette.Springer@bis.doc.gov, no later than January 18, 2017.

LINKS: Federal Register

Secure Handhelds on Assured Resilient networks at the tactical Edge (SHARE)

DARPA (DARPA), Department of Defense (Defense)

Notice announcing a Proposer Day conference in support of DARPA Secure Handhelds on Assured Resilient networks at the tactical Edge (SHARE) program.

The conference will be held January 31, 2017 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm ET at 7515 Colshire Dr., McLean, VA. Registration is required by January 25, 2017.

LINKS: FBO, Solicitation

Nominations for the National Sea Grant Advisory Board (NSGAB)

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

Notice seeking nominations for the National Sea Grant Advisory Board (Board). The Board is a federal advisory committee that provides advice on the implementation of the National Sea Grant College Program.

Nominations should consist of a current resume. A cover letter highlighting specific areas of expertise relevant to the purpose of the Board is helpful, but not required. Applications will be accepted by email or surface mail via the instructions in the notice.

LINKS: Federal Register
Sources Sought for Subcontracting Opportunities for the Optical Telescope Assembly (OTA) for the WFIRST Project

National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

Notice seeking capability information from all categories of Small Businesses and HBCU/MSIs for the purpose of determining the appropriate level of Small Business and HBCU/MSI subcontracting goals for a requirement for the refurbishment, assembly, integration and test of the Wide Field Infrared Survey Telescope (WFIRST) Optical Telescope Assembly (OTA). This work includes the refurbishment and/or modification of existing hardware and integration with newly fabricated hardware, the testing and qualification of the sub-assemblies and integrated hardware, payload integration, and on-orbit commissioning of the WFIRST OTA. NASA/GSFC is seeking capability statements from all interested parties that possess the technical capability to provide support for the requirements as a subcontractor.

Submissions are due by January 24, 2017.

LINKS: FBO