ARTS, HUMANITIES AND INTERNATIONAL

• Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS): Social Innovation Fund Pay for Success Grant Competition

Notice seeking proposals from eligible nonprofit organizations and city and state governments seeking to advance and evaluate emerging models that align payment for social services with verified social outcomes. Consistent with the broader mission of the SIF, the PFS Competition intends to encourage the implementation of PFS projects in order to enhance the reach and impact of innovative community-based solutions in low-income communities. Informational webinars will be held June 20, July 8, and July 16, 2014. Requested Notices of Intent are due July 15, 2014. Applications are due July 31, 2014. Approximately $11.2 million is available in support. 1:1 cost share is required.

Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

• U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) - Ethiopia: Promoting Opportunities through Training, Education, Transition Investment, and Livelihoods for Youth (POTENTIAL)

Notice seeking proposals providing linkages and demand-driven skills development to allow for transition into productive adulthood. Two core objectives: (1) Enable youth to increase their incomes and quality of employment including family livelihoods. (2) Enable local institutions to better prepare youth for work by increasing their ability to coordinate among service providers, to improve the quality of services offered closely tied to market demands, and to target and meet the needs of under-served youth, including young women. Applications are due July 31, 2014. Approximately $17.5 million is available to support one award.

Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

• U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID); Haiti USAID-Port Au Prince: Strengthening Voluntary Medical Male Circumcision (MMC), Early Infant Male Circumcision (EIMC) and Pre-Service Education in Lesotho

Notice seeking proposals to conduct an activity titled Strengthening Voluntary Medical Male Circumcision (VMMC), Early Infant Male Circumcision (EIMC) and Pre-Service Education in Lesotho This project is funded through the U.S. President’s Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) and has a goal of strengthening the Government of Lesotho’s (GOL) capacity to respond to national priorities in health and HIV and AIDS and contribute to the national target of reducing the number of new HIV infections. Questions are due by July 11, 2014. Applications are due July 31, 2014. Approximately $23.8 million is available to support one award over five years.

Links: Grants.gov

• U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID); Nicaragua USAID: Voices for All Program

Notice seeking proposals to strengthen the presence of independent media in Nicaragua through the following major components: internal activities that strengthen key media outlets and voices through grants and capacity building, and external activities that improve the media operating environment through alliances, research and policy analysis. Questions are due by July 18, 2014. Applications are due August 4, 2014. Approximately $3.85 million is available to support one award over a five year period.

Links: Grants.gov

• U.S. Department of State (DOS); U.S. Mission to Afghanistan: Strengthening the Capacity of Private Universities in Northern Afghanistan to Provide Quality Education

Notice seeking proposals to strengthen the young and growing private university sector in northern Afghanistan. Applications are due July 31, 2014. Approximately $200,000 is available to support one award. Organizations must demonstrate appropriate expertise in the higher education sector, including previous work with internationally recognized institutions of higher education, and a proven track record of success implementing projects in this sector.

Links: Grants.gov

• U.S. Department of State (DOS); U.S. Mission to Afghanistan: Provincial Youth Community Service Projects

Notice seeking proposals to 1) engage youth nationwide in community leadership training; 2) facilitate opportunities for them to learn about each other’s communities; 3) exchange opinions and ideas about how to improve their local communities; 4) jointly develop proposals for community service projects to address those needs; and 5) return to their home communities to implement the service projects they developed. Questions are due by July 14, 2014. Applications are due August 2, 2014. Approximately $700,000 is available to support one award.

Links: Grants.gov

• U.S. Department of State (DOS); U.S. Mission to Saudi Arabia: Saudi American Educational and Cultural Initiative Grant

Notice seeking proposals for U.S.-Saudi partnerships to work together to develop or expand educational, professional and cultural exchange activities and promote dialogue and partnership between the people of the United States and the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. Proposals will be accepted on a rolling basis until June 30, 2015. Approximately $25,000 is available in support of each of up to ten awards.

Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov
EDUCATION and ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

- **U.S. Department of Commerce (DOC); U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO):** Request for Comments on Trial Proceedings Under the America Invents Act Before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board

  Notice announcing that USPTO now is seeking public comment on all aspects of the new administrative trial proceedings, including the administrative trial proceeding rules and trial practice guide surrounding the Leahy-Smith America Invents Act (AIA). Written comments must be sent to: TrialsRFC2014@uspto.gov and received on or before September 16, 2014. The comments will be available for viewing via the USPTO's Internet Web site.

  Links: Federal Register

- **U.S. Department of Education (ED); National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research (NIDRR); Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS):** OSERS/NIDRR: Disability and Rehabilitation Research Projects and Centers Program: Minority-Serving Institution Field-Initiated Projects Program

  Notice seeking research and development applications to maximize the full inclusion and integration into society, employment, independent living, family support, and economic and social self-sufficiency of individuals with disabilities, especially individuals with the most severe disabilities. A pre-application meeting will be held on July 22, 2014, between 1:00 pm and 3:00 pm, ET, via conference call. Applications are due September 2, 2014. Approximately $200,000 is available to support one award for up to 36 months. Eligibility is limited to minority entities (IHE whose minority student enrollment is at least fifty percent) and Indian tribes.

  Links: Federal Register

- **U.S. Department of Education (ED); Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII):** Extension of Deadline; Teacher Quality Partnership Grant Program

  Notice announcing an extension of the deadline date for transmittal of applications to July 15, 2014. All other information in the May 28, 2014, notice inviting applications for this competition remains the same, including the application submission instructions.

  Links: Federal Register

- **U.S. Department of Education (ED); Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS):** Technical Assistance and Dissemination To Improve Services and Results for Children With Disabilities—National Technical Assistance Center on Improving Transition to Postsecondary Education and Employment for Students With Disabilities

  Notice seeking applications to promote academic achievement and to improve results for children with disabilities by providing technical assistance (TA), supporting model demonstration projects, disseminating useful information, and implementing activities that are supported by scientifically based research. Applications are due August 18, 2014. Approximately $2.5 million is available to support one award.

  Links: Federal Register, Grants.gov

- **U.S. Department of State (DOS); Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation:** Implementation of Law Enforcement Trainings on Preventing of Chemical Weapons Attacks

  Notice seeking proposals to develop and implement a project or projects to advance the Biosecurity Engagement Program (BEP) mission. Project categories include: promoting biorisk management practices; securing life science institutions and pathogens in priority regions; decreasing the risk that scientists with dual-use expertise will misuse pathogens; and promoting the adoption of and compliance with comprehensive international frameworks that advance U.S. biological nonproliferation objectives. Applications are due August 25, 2014. Approximately $2.2 million is available to support one award.

  Links: Grants.gov

- **U.S. Department of State (DOS); International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affair (INL):** Multidisciplinary Study Tour on Combatting Sexual and Gender-Based Violence

  Notice seeking proposals for multidisciplinary study tours in the U.S. that support Egyptian efforts to develop appropriate and comprehensive response mechanisms by illustrating the coordinated system for handling sexual and gender-based violence (SGBV) in the United States. Proposals are due August 2, 2014. Approximately $1.15 million is available to support one award. Nonprofits are eligible.

  Links: Grants.gov

- **U.S. Department of the Interior (DOI); National Park Service (NPS):** National Maritime Heritage Grant Program

  Notice seeking applications for National Maritime Heritage Grants for education or preservation projects. Applications are due September 23, 2014. Up to $50,000 is available in support of each education project, and up to $200,000 is available in support of each preservation project. Private nonprofit organizations are eligible.

  Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov
**HEALTH and MENTAL HEALTH**

• **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC); Office of Infectious Diseases; National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention:** SERVICES - Monitoring Juvenile Onset Recurrent Respiratory Papillomatosis

Notice seeking seeks services for monitoring Juvenile Onset Recurrent Respiratory Papillomatosis. Applications are due July 27, 2014. Eligibility is unrestricted.

Links: [FBO notice](#)

• **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); National Institutes of Health (NIH); Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD):** Pharmacogenetics, Pharmacoeqipigenetics and Personalized Medicine in Children (R01)

Notice seeking applications for pharmacogenetic and epigenetic studies and improved phenotyping in children’s pharmacotherapy that will allow individualization of treatment in children. Letters of intent are requested by September 5, 2014. Applications are due February 5, June 5, and October 5, annually. Solicitation expires September 8, 2017.

Links: [Solicitation](#), [Grants.gov](#)

• **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); National Institutes of Health (NIH); National Cancer Institute (NCI):** Outstanding Investigator Award (R35)

Notice seeking applications in any area of cancer research. Program seeks to provide long-term support to experienced investigators with outstanding records of cancer research productivity who propose to conduct exceptional research. The OIA is intended to allow investigators the opportunity to take greater risks, be more adventurous in their lines of inquiry, or take the time to develop new techniques. Letters of intent are requested by September 20, 2014. Applications are due October 20, 2014.

Links: [Solicitation](#), [Grants.gov](#)

• **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); National Institutes of Health (NIH); National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID):** Innovative Assays to Quantify the Latent HIV Reservoir (R01)

Notice seeking applications to support research on new or improved methods for quantifying latently infected cells in HIV-positive individuals on effective antiretroviral therapy. Letters of intent are requested by October 7, 2014. Applications are due November 7, 2014. Approximately $1.3 million is available to support two to four awards.

Links: [Solicitation](#), [Grants.gov](#)

• **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); National Institutes of Health (NIH); National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID); National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK):** NIAID SBIR - Technology Transfer Direct Phase II (SBIR-TT) (R44)

Notice seeking proposals to move commercially-viable diagnostic inventions from NIAID and NIDDK intramural research laboratories into the marketplace. Letters of intent are requested by October 14, 2014. Applications are due November 14, 2014. Approximately $2 million is available in support of up to two awards from NIAID, approximately $1 million is available in support of one award from NIDDK. Eligibility is limited to small businesses, but opportunities exist for collaborations with colleges and universities.

Links: [Solicitation](#), [Grants.gov](#)

• **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); National Institutes of Health (NIH); National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD); National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK); National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS):** Innovative Therapies and Tools for Screenable Disorders in Newborns

Notice seeking proposals for research relevant to the basic understanding and development of therapeutic interventions for currently screened conditions and ‘high priority’ genetic conditions for which screening could be possible in the near future. Letters of intent are requested 30 days before the application deadline. R01 Applications are due October 5, February 5, and June 5, annually. R03 and R21 applications are due October 16, February 16, and June 16, annually. AIDS-related applications are due September 7, January 7, and May 7, annually. Solicitation expires September 8, 2017.

Links: [R01: Solicitation](#), [Grants.gov](#)
[R03: Solicitation](#), [Grants.gov](#)
[R21: Solicitation](#), [Grants.gov](#)
Notice seeking applications for research leading to identification, validation, dissemination and implementation of effective approaches to prevent disease or facilitate treatments, helping to reduce and ultimately eliminate oral health disparities and inequalities in children. Letters of intent are requested by November 9, 2014. Applications are due December 9, 2014. Approximately $2.2 million is available to support one U01 award. Approximately $5 million is available to support eight UH2/UH3 awards.

Links: UH2/UH3: Solicitation, Grants.gov
U01: Solicitation, Grants.gov

Notice seeking applications to encourage research to develop the next-generation of rapid tests and point-of-care (POC) diagnostic devices. Letters of intent are requested by October 20, 2014. Applications are due November 20, 2014. Approximately $2 million is available to support up to 10 awards. Eligibility is limited to small businesses, but opportunities exist for collaborations with colleges and universities.

Links: R41/R42: Solicitation, Grants.gov
R43/R44: Solicitation, Grants.gov

Notice seeking applications for the purpose of fostering international collaborations between alcohol research investigators within the United States and investigators located at non-United States laboratories and performance sites for the mutual advancement of our understanding of alcohol problems and of clinical and public health approaches to their solutions. Letters of intent are requested 30 days before the application due date. Applications are due February 5, June 5, and October 5, annually. AIDS-related applications are due September 7, January 7, and May 7, annually. Solicitation expires September 8, 2017. Approximately $250,000 is available in support of each five-year award.

Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

Notice announcing a public workshop titled "The Development of New Antibacterial Products: Charting a Course for the Future." The workshop is being held to: (1) Examine key issues and challenges related to antibacterial product development, (2) discuss regulatory pathways for bringing new antibacterial drugs to market, (3) identify strategies for promoting clinical trials for antibacterial drugs, and (4) encourage partnerships to accelerate the development of new antibacterial drugs. The workshop will be held on July 30 and 31, 2014, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:15 p.m. and from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., respectively, at the Bethesda North Marriott Hotel and Conference Center, 5701 Marinelli Road, North Bethesda, Maryland. The registration deadline is July 14, 2014.

Links: Federal Register

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, and MATHEMATICS

• Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA): Proposers' Day for Wireless Network Defense (WND) Phase 2 and 3

Notice announcing that DARPA will host a Proposers' Day Workshop in support of the anticipated DARPA-BAA-14-44, Wireless Network Defense (WND) program for Phases 2 and 3. The purpose of this conference is to provide information on the WND program for Phases 2 and 3; promote additional discussion on this topic; address questions from potential proposers; and provide a forum for potential proposers to present their capabilities for teaming opportunities. The event will be held on July 21, 2014 at the DARPA Conference Center, 675 North Randolph Street, Arlington, VA from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., ET. Advance registration is required no later than July 16, 2014.

Links: FBO notice

• National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA); Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC): NASA GSFC Early Career Initiative

Notice announcing that the NASA Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC) is seeking innovative, agile external collaborators for the development of out-of-the-box space technologies in response to the NASA Space Technology Mission Directorates Early Career Initiative (ECI) opportunity. Proposing teams will include one to four NASA Goddard civil servants and one to four external partners (e.g., from industry or academia). Responses are due July 16, 2014.

Links: FBO notice

• National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA); Science Mission Directorate (SMD): Draft Announcement of Opportunity

Notice announcing the release of a draft announcement to solicit principal investigator-led space science investigations for the Discovery Program. The goal of NASA's Discovery Program is to provide frequent flight opportunities for high quality, high value, focused, planetary science investigations that can be accomplished under a not to exceed cost cap. Comments on this draft text are due to the point of contact by July 16, 2014. The draft text can be downloaded from the NSPIRES web page at https://nspires.nasaprs.com/ by selecting Solicitations and searching for Discovery 2014 or NNH14ZDA009J.

Links: FBO notice
• **National Science Foundation (NSF); Multiple Directorates:** Facilitating Research at Primarily Undergraduate Institutions: Research in Undergraduate Institutions (RUI) and Research Opportunity Awards (ROA)

Notice seeking proposals for research by faculty members at predominantly undergraduate institutions that engages faculty in their professional field(s), builds capacity for research at their home institution, and supports the integration of research and undergraduate education. Deadlines vary by program. Approximately $56 million is available to support up to 245 awards.

Links: [Solicitation](#), [Grants.gov](#)

• **U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA); Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service:** Request for Proposal to Collect Positive Samples for Foot and Mouth Disease, African Swine Fever, and Classical Swine Fever

Notice seeking proposals to collect and submit positive samples from affected countries to the Foreign Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory (FADDL) which will be used for validation of current test platforms being developed. Applications are due September 1, 2014. Approximately $160,000 is available to support up to five awards. Eligibility is limited to land-grant universities, non-land-grant colleges of agriculture, and colleges of veterinary medicine. An applicant may submit only one application.

Links: [Grants.gov](#)

• **U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA); National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA):** Capacity Building Grants for Non Land Grant Colleges of Agriculture (NLGCA) Program

Notice seeking applications to address critical issues and challenges of national, regional, state, local and multi-institutional scope that establish or strengthen research, teaching and outreach capacity needed by NLGCA Institutions to assist USDA in its mission to ensure a competent, professional work force in the food and agricultural sciences of sufficient size and demographic composition to be representative of the U.S. population. Applications are due September 5, 2014. Approximately $4 million is available in support of an undetermined number of awards. Eligibility is limited to Non-Land Grant Colleges of Agriculture (NLGCAs) certified as such by NIFA.

Links: [Solicitation](#), [Grants.gov](#)

• **U.S. Department of Commerce (DOC); National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA); National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS):** Marine Fisheries Initiative (MARFIN)

Notice seeking proposals for research and development projects that optimize the use of fisheries in the Gulf of Mexico, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and off the South Atlantic states of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida involving the U.S. fishing industry (recreational and commercial), including fishery biology, resource assessment, socio-economic assessment, management and conservation, selected harvesting methods, and fish handling and processing. Applications are due October 2, 2014. Approximately $2 million is available to support up to six awards.

Links: [Grants.gov](#)

• **U.S. Department of Defense (DOD); Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA); Microsystems Technology Office:** Hyper-wideband Enabled RF Messaging (HERMES)

Notice seeking innovative research proposals to explore the feasibility of a wideband spread-spectrum RF communications system with greater than 10 GHz of instantaneous bandwidth. Proposals are due August 13, 2014. Approximately $4.5 million is available to support multiple awards.

Links: [FBO notice](#), [Grants.gov](#)

• **U.S. Department of Defense (DOD); Department of the Navy:** NSRP ASE Research Announcement

Notice seeking proposals for the National Shipbuilding Research Program Advanced Shipbuilding Enterprise. The goal is to reduce the cost of building and maintaining U.S. Navy ships. Proposals are due September 17, 2014. Approximately $6 to $8 million is available to support multiple awards. Eligibility is unrestricted.

Links: [FBO notice](#)

• **U.S. Department of Energy (DOE); Office of Science:** Advanced Scientific Computing Advisory Committee

Notice announcing a meeting of the Advanced Scientific Computing Advisory Committee. The purpose of the meeting is to provide advice and guidance on a continuing basis to the Department of Energy on scientific priorities within the field of advanced scientific computing research. The meeting will be held Tuesday, July 15, 2014, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. ET. The meeting is open to the public. To access the call: 1) Dial Toll-Free Number: 866-740-1260 (U.S. & Canada); 2) International participants dial: http://www.readytalk.com/intl; 3) Enter access code 8083012, followed by "."

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• U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS); Science and Technology Directorate (S&T); Office of University Programs (OUP): DHS SDHS S&T Critical Infrastructure Resilience Center of Excellence (CIRC) - Center Partner

Notice seeking applications to serve as a partner institution for a Critical Infrastructure Resilience Center of Excellence (CIRC). The DHS COEs are university consortia that work closely with DHS to conduct research, develop and transition mission-relevant science and technology, and educate the next generation of homeland security technical experts. DHS COEs operate using a unique research management approach where researchers work alongside operational and decision-making personnel to explore opportunities and enhance capabilities. Applications are due September 23, 2014. Approximately up to $500,000 is available to support up to three awards.

Links: Grants.gov

• U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS); Science and Technology Directorate (S&T); Office of University Programs (OUP): DHS S&T Critical Infrastructure Resilience Center of Excellence - Center Lead

Notice seeking applications to serve as a lead institution for a Critical Infrastructure Resilience Center of Excellence (CIRC). The DHS COEs are university consortia that work closely with DHS to conduct research, develop and transition mission-relevant science and technology, and educate the next generation of homeland security technical experts. DHS COEs operate using a unique research management approach where researchers work alongside operational and decision-making personnel to explore opportunities and enhance capabilities. Applications are due September 23, 2014. Approximately $4 million is available to support one award over five years.

Links: Grants.gov

• U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS); United States Coast Guard (USCG): Integrated Design, Test & Evaluation (IDT&E) Services

Notice seeking applications for professional Integrated Design, Testing and Evaluation (IDT&E) services to support Research and Development (R&D) efforts across all functional areas at the USCG Research & Development Center (RDC). Tasking may include IDT&E for any or all of the following RDC functional areas: Acquisition Support & Analysis, Aviation, C4ISR, Environment & Waterways, Surface, and Modeling & Simulation. Specific tasking within these functional areas will include test demonstrations, design and planning, data collection, data management, data analysis, test demonstration logistics and execution, and prototype design and fabrication. Applications are due August 12, 2014. Eligibility is unrestricted.

Links: FBO notice

• U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA): National Environmental Education Advisory Council Meetings

Notice announcing a series of public teleconference meetings of the National Environmental Education Advisory Council (NEEAC) to discuss specific topics of relevance for consideration by the council in order to provide advice and insights to the EPA on environmental education. The teleconferences will be held on July 7, August 8, and September 12, 2014, from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm, Mountain Standard Time. Members of the public interested in attending the teleconference, making comments, or providing written statements should notify the contact at least 10 days prior to each meeting.

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STATE and REGIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

• FA BLM AZ Environmental Quality Website Enhancements and Modification

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• Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC); Public Meeting

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• FA BLM CESU Cooperative Extension Monitoring Agreement, Gila District

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• BLM AZ San Miguel High School Intern Program

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