SPOTLIGHTED OPPORTUNITIES FOR UNO

• IAHS/ICCE: International Conference on Erosion & Sediment
  
  Conference Themes: * Monitoring and modeling erosion on hills, floodplains, and coastal shorelines * Monitoring and modeling sediment transport in streams, rivers, and estuaries * Erosion and sediment-associated chemical transport and pollution across landscape and waterscape * Land use and climate change effects on erosion and sediment transport * Interactions between sediment hydrodynamics, channel morphodynamics, river delta, and coastal processes Submission deadline for the conference (http://www.rnr.lsu.edu/icce2014/) is in about a week. Please consider submitting your exciting work today.
  
  Links: http://www.rnr.lsu.edu/icce2014/

• Water Institute of the Gulf: Request for Proposals: Fish and Shellfish Modeling
  
  The Water Institute of the Gulf seeks proposals for numerical modeling of fish and shellfish community dynamics in Louisiana estuaries as part of a number of modeling improvements being conducted in support of Louisiana's 2017 Coastal Master Plan. Model development and testing will initially focus on community interactions among species within the Barataria and Pontchartrain Basins. Calibrated and validated models will be integrated, to the extent possible, with the landscape models (i.e., Integrated Compartment Models) being developed by master plan modeling teams. The modeling suite will be used to provide CPRA with estimates of fish and shellfish community response to certain kinds of restoration and protection projects as part of the development of the 2017 Coastal Master Plan. The deadline for submission is November 27, 2013 at 12:00pm (noon) central time.
  
  Links: http://bit.ly/1a3TtNk

ARTS, HUMANITIES AND INTERNATIONAL

• National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities; National Endowment of the Humanities (NEH): Meeting of National Council on the Humanities
  
  Notice announcing a semi-public meeting to advise the Acting Chairman of the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) with respect to policies, programs and procedures for carrying out her functions; to review applications for financial assistance. The public portion of the meeting will be held on November 14, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. ET at the Old Post Office Building, 1100 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W., Washington, D.C.
  
  Links: Federal Register

• U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID): FY 2014 American Schools and Hospitals Abroad (ASHA) Program [Request for Comments]
  
  Notice seeking comments providing support for schools and medical centers outside the United States that serve as study and demonstration centers for ideas and practices of the United States. Comments are due by November 1, 2013.
  
  Links: Grants.gov

• U.S. Department of the Interior (DOI); Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID): Wildlife Without Borders - Africa
  
  Notice seeking applications to improve protected area management, reduce threats to key wildlife populations, and develop the requisite individual and institutional conservation capacity to undertake long-term conservation programs. Applications are due January 15, 2014. Awards of up to $500,000 are available to support seven different types of projects of varying duration.
  
  Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

EDUCATION and ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

• State Justice Institute (SJI): Grant Guideline, Notice
  
  Notice announcing the administrative, programmatic, and financial requirements attendant to FY 14 State Justice Institute grants, cooperative agreements, and contracts. The purpose is to improve the administration of justice in the state courts of the United States. See Federal Register notice for details. National nonprofit organizations for the education and training of judges and support personnel of the judicial branch of state governments are eligible.
  
  Links: Federal Register
• U.S. Department of Commerce (DoC), International Trade Administration (ITA): Meeting of the Manufacturing Council

Notice announcing a meeting to discuss the work the Council will focus on for the remainder of its term. The Council will hear updates from its four subcommittees on workforce development and public perception of manufacturing; manufacturing energy policy; tax policy and export growth; and innovation, research and development. The Council will discuss current workforce development efforts by the federal government, the importance of alternative energy technologies for manufacturers, the effects of current tax policies on manufacturers, and the importance of continued research and development for the manufacturing industry. The meeting will be held at the Hilton Americas–Houston, 1600 Lamar Street, Houston, TX 77010 in the Lanier Grand Ballroom on November 13, 2013, from 9:00 a.m.to 12:00 p.m. (CST). Pre-registration is required and should be submitted by November 6, 2013, to Elizabeth Emanuel, the Manufacturing Council, Room 4043, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC.

Links: [Federal Register](#)


Notice seeking white papers proposals to help identify and assess knowledge, skill, and ability (KSA) requirements for soldiers and leaders. White papers should be sent to the contact by December 17, 2013, with the subject line, "ARI BAA W911NF-13-R-0001 Assessment White Paper." Invited full proposals are due February 17, 2014.

Links: [Solicitation, FBO notice](#)


Notice seeking white paper proposals to develop innovative theories and models of organizational culture that can be used to improve our ability to understand and predict cognition and behavior within and across social and organizational contexts. White papers should be sent to the contact by December 17, 2013, with the subject line, subject line "ARI BAA W911NF-13-R-0001 Assessment White Paper." Invited full proposals are due February 17, 2014.

Links: [Solicitation, FBO notice](#)

• U.S. Department of Defense (DOD); U.S. Department of the Coast Guard, U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS): National Non-Profit Organization Grant Program

Notice seeking applications to develop boating safety programs which reduce the number of boating accidents, injuries and deaths. Applications are due January 31, 2014. Approximately $4.5 to $5.5 million is available for multiple awards. Eligibility is limited to non-profit organizations, but opportunities exist for collaborations with colleges and universities.

Links: [Grants.gov](#)

• U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ); Office of Justice Programs (OJP): VAIW National Baseline Study Research Contractor

Notice seeking white papers that demonstrate capability to support a Violence Against Indian Women (VAIW) pilot study. White papers are due November 6, 2013.

Links: [FBO notice](#)

**HEALTH and MENTAL HEALTH**

• U.S. Department of Defense (DoD); Department of Army (ARMY); Congressionally Directed Medical Programs (CDMRP): DoD Clinical and Rehabilitative Medicine Neurosensory Research Award

Notice seeking applications for both applied (preclinical) research and clinical trials within specific Focus Areas of pain management, hearing loss/dysfunction, balance disorders, and/or tinnitus. Applications focused on traumatic brain injury (TBI) are highly encouraged. Pre-applications are required and due November 25, 2013. Invited applications are due February 11, 2014. Approximately $15.2 million is available to support approximately six applied research and two clinical trial awards. Eligibility is unrestricted.

Links: [Grants.gov](#)

• U.S. Department of Defense (DoD); Department of the Army (ARMY); Congressionally Directed Medical Programs (CDMRP): DoD FY13 CRMRP VRP Hypothesis Development Award

Notice seeking proposals to support conceptually innovative, high-risk/high-reward research that could ultimately lead to critical discoveries or major advancements that will drive the field of vision research forward. Research projects should include a testable hypothesis based on a strong scientific rationale. This award is not intended to support the continuation of existing studies or the next logical extension and/or incremental step. Invited applications are due February 6, 2014. Approximately $2.5 million is available to support 10 awards.

Links: [Grants.gov](#)
Notice seeking proposals to support translational research that will accelerate the movement of promising ideas in vision research into clinical applications. Observations that drive a research idea may be derived from a laboratory discovery, population-based studies, or a clinician’s first-hand knowledge of patients and anecdotal data. Pre-applications are required and due November 25, 2013. Invited applications are due February 6, 2014. Approximately $12 million is available to support 12 awards.

Links: Grants.gov

Notice seeking proposals to support Phase I or II clinical trials focused on extremity regeneration, craniomaxillofacial regeneration, vascularity composite allografts, and/or genitourinary/lower abdomen reconstruction. Funding from this award mechanism cannot be used for preclinical research studies. Pre-Application are required and due November 25, 2013. Invited applications are due February 11, 2014. Approximately $11.1 million is available to support four to five awards.

Links: Grants.gov

Notice seeking applications for preclinical research and clinical trials on the functional utility of assistive devices related to the human-device interface, secondary health effects following severe extremity injury, and optimizing rehabilitation and device prescription for patients with severe extremity trauma. Focus Areas include: Improving the functional utility of assistive devices related to the human-device interface, Improvements in prosthetic socket comfort, residual limb health, and function. Providing proprioceptive and other sensory inputs to the user, Improving user intent control of assistive devices, etc. Pre-applications are required and due November 25, 2013. Invited applications are due February 11, 2014. Approximately $8.3 million is available to support two preclinical research and three clinical trial awards. Eligibility is unrestricted.

Links: Grants.gov

Notice seeking to promote and facilitate research on HIV and cancer in Africa through collaborative efforts between investigators in United States (U.S.) and investigators in sub-Saharan African countries. Seeking applications that propose between two to four research projects that address high-priority questions relevant to the African country. The proposed projects may range, as appropriate, from basic research to translational efforts as well as population and implementation studies. Clinical trials, will not be supported. The proposed Consortium must include two mandatory cores; an Administrative/Coordinating Core and a Mentoring/Career Development Core. Letters of intent are requested and due December 17, 2013. Applications are due January 17, 2014. Approximately $5.4 million is available to support six to seven awards.

Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

Notice announcing a public meeting of the National Advisory Council for Healthcare Research and Quality to discuss priorities for health care research, the field of health care research including training needs and information dissemination on health care quality, and the role of the agency in light of private sector activity and opportunities for public private partnerships. The meeting will be held on Friday, November 15, 2013, from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. ET at the Eisenberg Conference Center, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, 540 Gaither Road, Rockville, Maryland. The final agenda will be available on the AHRQ Web site at www.AHRQ.gov no later than Friday, November 8, 2013.

Links: Federal Register

Notice seeking applications to provide support for research to determine the effectiveness of empiric influenza antiviral therapy, in addition to standard care, for hospitalized patients with lower respiratory tract illness during the periods when influenza viruses are circulating in the community. Applications are due December 9, 2013. Approximately $200,000 is available to support one award for a period of one year. LIMITED SUBMISSION: One application per institution is allowed.

Links: Grants.gov

Notice announcing a public meeting of the Board of Scientific Counselors (BSC) to discuss the recommendations of the Health Communication Portfolio Review panel and to discuss research strategies needed to guide the Center’s focus, as well as potential topics for the upcoming Portfolio Review. The meeting will be held November 15, 2013, from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, ET, via teleconference: dial 877/937-9818 and enter code 7551384.

Links: Federal Register
Weekly Funding Opportunities

November 4, 2013

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC); National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics (NCVHS): National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics: Meeting Standards Subcommittee**

Notice announcing a public meeting to gather industry input on the state of health data standards used by public health and population health programs, and the scope of the meeting will include standards used for electronic exchange of information between public health and external stakeholders. The meeting will be held on November 12, 2013 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. ET at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, 3311 Toledo Road, Auditorium B & C, Hyattsville, Maryland.

Links: [Federal Register](http://www.federalregister.gov)

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC); National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics (NCVHS): National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics: Meeting Full Committee**

Notice announcing a public meeting to review the status of NCVHS activities, strategically plan for 2014 objectives and deliverables, and examine the Committee efforts in light of its Guiding Principles and Convergence Framework. The Working Group on HHS Data Access and Use will continue strategic discussions on community health data issues. The meeting will take place on November 13, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:15 p.m. ET, and on November 14, 2013 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. ET at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, 3311 Toledo Road, Auditorium B & C, Hyattsville, Maryland.

Links: [Federal Register](http://www.federalregister.gov)

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC); National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH): Subcommittee for Dose Reconstruction Reviews (SDRR), Advisory Board on Radiation and Worker Health (ABRWH), National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH)**

Notice announcing a meeting of the Subcommittee for Dose Reconstruction Reviews to discuss dose recommendation program quality management and assurance activities. The meeting will be held November 20, 2013, from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm, ET, via teleconference: dial 866/659-0537 and enter code 9933701. Written comments received in advance of the meeting will be included in the official record of the meeting.

Links: [Federal Register](http://www.federalregister.gov)

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); Food and Drug Administration (FDA): Request for Nominations for Voting Members on a Public Advisory Committee; Tobacco Products Scientific Advisory Committee**

Notice seeking nominations for voting members to serve on the Tobacco Products Scientific Advisory Committee, Office of Science, Center for Tobacco Products. Nominations received on or before December 30, 2013 will be given first consideration; nominations received later will be considered for nomination to the committee as later vacancies occur.

Links: [Agency website](http://www.tobacco.gov), [Federal Register](http://www.federalregister.gov)

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA): CDC/HRSA Advisory Committee on HIV, Viral Hepatitis and STD Prevention and Treatment**

Notice announcing a meeting of the CDC/HRSA Advisory Committee on HIV, Viral Hepatitis and STD Prevention and Treatment. The purpose of the meeting is to advise the Director, CDC, and the Administrator, HRSA, regarding activities related to prevention and control of HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis and other STDs, the support of health care services to persons living with HIV/AIDS, and education of health professionals and the public about HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, and other STDs. The meeting will be held November 13, 2013, 10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. November 14, 2013, 10:00 a.m.- 12:30 p.m. This meeting is accessible via audio conference call and Adobe Connect Pro. See notice for details.

Links: [Federal Register](http://www.federalregister.gov)

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA): Primary Care Services Resources Coordination and Development**

Notice seeking applications to improve primary care service delivery and workforce availability in the State or territory to meet the needs of underserved populations. Applications are due on December 31, 2013. Approximately $11 million is available to support 54 grants over five years. LIMITED SUBMISSION: One application per institution is allowed.

Links: [Grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov)

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA): National Advisory Council on Nurse Education and Practice; Notice of Meeting**

Notice announcing a public webinar to identify the key issues facing nursing workforce development to respond to the Affordable Care Act and health care system redesign, and to formulate policy recommendations for Congress and the Secretary to ensure the nursing workforce is ready to meet these challenges. The webinar will be held on November 7, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ET, and November 8, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ET. Members of the public and interested parties may request to participate in the meeting by contacting Jeanne Brown to obtain access information. Access is by invitation only and will be granted on a first come, first served basis. Space is limited.

Links: [Federal Register](http://www.federalregister.gov)
**Weekly Funding Opportunities**

**November 4, 2013**

- **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):** Enhancing the Capacity for Biomedical Research on Tuberculosis for HIV-infected Mothers and Children in India (R01)

  Notice seeking applications that propose to include HIV-infected and uninfected children and pregnant women with TB exposure, infection, or disease within these recently established programs in India. Letters of intent are requested and due November 27, 2013. Applications are due December 27, 2013. Approximately $1 million is available to support two to three awards.

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

- **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); National Institutes of Health (NIH); Multiple Institutes:** Analysis of Genome-Wide Gene-Environment \((G \times E)\) Interactions (R21)

  Notice seeking applications to provide support for research projects that involve secondary data analyses of existing genome-wide data from genome-wide association studies or other large genomic datasets for the purpose of identifying gene-environment interactions. Letters of intent are requested and due January 14, 2014. Applications are due February 14, 2014.

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

- **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); National Institutes of Health (NIH); National Cancer Institute (NCI):** Cancer Detection, Diagnostic and Treatment Technologies for Global Health (UH2/UH3)

  Notice seeking applications to support the development of cancer-relevant technologies suitable for use in low- and middle-income countries (LMICs). Specifically, the FOA solicits applications for projects to adapt, apply, and validate existing or emerging technologies into a new generation of user-friendly, low-cost devices or assays that are clinically comparable to currently used technologies for imaging, in vitro detection/diagnosis, or treatment of cancers in humans living in LMICs. Letters of intent are required and due December 6, 2013. Applications are due January 6, 2014. Approximately $3 million is available to support up to six awards UH2 phase.

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

**SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, and MATHEMATICS**

- **National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA):** Planetary Protection Subcommittee

  Notice announcing a meeting of the Planetary Protection Subcommittee. The purpose of the meeting is to solicit, from the scientific community and other persons, scientific and technical information relevant to program planning. The meeting will be held Tuesday, November 12, 2013, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and Wednesday, November 13, 2013, 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Local Time at the NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, 8800 Greenbelt Road, Greenbelt, MD.

  Links: [Federal Register](#)

- **National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA):** National Space-Based Positioning, Navigation, and Timing (PNT) Advisory Board; Meeting

  Notice announcing a public meeting to discuss PNT and Global Positioning System technology and policy. The meeting will be held December 4, 2013, from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, ET, and December 5, 2013, from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm, ET, at The Omni Shoreham Hotel, 2500 Calvert Street NW, Washington, DC.

  Links: [Federal Register](#)

- **National Science Foundation (NSF); Directorate for Biological Sciences: Division of Environmental Biology**

  Notice seeking proposals to support fundamental research on populations, species, communities, and ecosystems. Scientific emphases range across many evolutionary and ecological patterns and processes at all spatial and temporal scales. Preliminary proposals are required and due January 23, 2014 and January 23, annually thereafter. Proposals are due August 4, 2014 and August 2, annually thereafter. Approximately $72 million is available to support 200 awards per year.

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

- **National Science Foundation (NSF); Directorate for Biological Sciences (BIO); Division of Environmental Biology:** Long Term Research in Environmental Biology

  Notice seeking proposals to fund projects which generate data over extended periods of time to address important questions in evolutionary biology, ecology, and ecosystem science. Preliminary proposals are due January 30, 2014, and annually thereafter. Invited full proposals are due August 1, 2014, and annually thereafter. Approximately $750,000 per year is available for six to eight awards to support projects lasting up to 10 years.

  Links: [Solicitation](#), [Grants.gov](#)
Notice seeking proposals for support in the development, implementation, study, and dissemination of innovative models and standards of graduate education and postdoctoral training that are designed to improve underrepresented minorities? participation, preparation, and success. AGEP intends to support the following types of projects: Transformation; Knowledge Adoption and Translation (AGEP-KAT); and Broadening Participation Research in STEM Education (AGEP-BPR). Proposals for Transformation are due February 5, 2014. Proposals for AGEP-KAT and for AGEP-BPR are due February 12, 2014. Approximately $4.8 million is available to support 11 awards. LIMITED SUBMISSION: An institution may serve as the lead on only one AGEP-Transformation proposal.

Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

Notice seeking proposals for awards supporting the creation of new tenure-track faculty positions to integrate research topics in solar and space physics into basic physics, astronomy, electrical engineering, geoscience, meteorology, computer science, and applied mathematics programs, and to develop space physics graduate programs capable of training the next generation of leaders in this field. Proposals are due January 27, 2014, August 31, 2015, and August 31, every other year thereafter. Approximately $600,000 is available to support two awards. Proposals should be up to $400,000 per year, for up to five years. LIMITED SUBMISSION: One proposal per institution

Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

Notice seeking proposals for support of collaborative activities that will advance the understanding of nervous system structure and function, mechanisms underlying nervous system disorders, and computational strategies used by the nervous system. Proposals are due January 27, 2014; October 28, 2014; and October 29, 2015. Approximately $5 to $20 million is available to support 15 to 25 awards per year.

Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

Notice seeking applications for the FY 14 AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program Notice seeking applications for the FY 14 AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program Notice seeking applications for the FY 14 AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program

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Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

Notice seeking comments on the preliminary version of the Cybersecurity Framework developed by NIST. Comments are due December 12, 2013. Applications are due February 20, 2014. Approximately $6 million is available to support an undetermined number of awards.

Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

Notice seeking comments on the preliminary version of the Cybersecurity Framework developed by NIST. Comments are due December 13, 2013, and may be submitted by mail or electronically through the NIST website.

Links: NIST website, Federal Register

Notice seeking proposals for NOAA?s National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), in coordination with the New England and Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Councils (Councils), on monkfish research to utilize 500 Monkfish Days-at-Sea (DAS) that have been set aside by the Councils to fund monkfish research endeavors through the 2014 Monkfish Research Set-Aside (RSA) Program. Proposals are due January 6, 2014. No Federal funds are provided for research; rather, proceeds generated from the sale of monkfish harvested during a set-aside DAS will be used to fund research activities and compensate vessels that participate in research activities and/or harvest set-aside quota.

Links: Grants.gov

Notice announcing a meeting of the National Climate Assessment and Development Advisory Committee. The purpose of the meeting is to synthesize and summarize the science and information pertaining to current and future impacts of climate change upon the United States. The meeting will be held Monday, November 18, 2013 from 3:15 p.m.-5:00 p.m. ET. This meeting will be a conference call. Public access and materials will be available at the office of the U.S. Global Change Research Program, Conference Room A, Suite 250, 1717 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC. Please check the National Climate Assessment Web site for additional information at http://www.globalchange.gov/what-we-do/assessment.

Links: Federal Register

Notice providing funding opportunities for NASA’s Interagency Ocean Observation Committee Meeting of the Data Management and Communications Steering Team

Links: Federal Register

• National Science Foundation (NSF); Directorate for Education & Human Resources (EHR); Directorate for Mathematical & Physical Sciences (MPS): Alliances for Graduate Education and the Professorate

• National Science Foundation (NSF); Directorate for Geosciences (GEO); Division of Atmospheric and Geospace Sciences: Faculty Development in the Space Sciences

• National Science Foundation (NSF); Multiple Directorates U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); National Institutes of Health (NIH); Multiple Institutes: Collaborative Research in Computational Neuroscience

• U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA); National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA); Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI): AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program

• U.S. Department of Commerce (DoC); National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST): Request for Comments on the Preliminary Cybersecurity Framework

• U.S. Department of Commerce (DoC); National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA): Fiscal Year 2014 Monkfish Research Set-Aside

• U.S. Department of Commerce (DOC); National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA); National Climate Assessment and Development Advisory Committee (NCADAC)

• U.S. Department of Commerce (DOC); National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA); National Ocean Service (NOS): Interagency Ocean Observation Committee, Meeting of the Data Management and Communications Steering Team
Notice announcing a public meeting of representatives from federal, academic, non-profit, private, regional and state sectors, to discuss business of the Interagency Ocean Observation Committee’s Data Management and Communications Steering Team. The meeting will be held November 19, 2013, from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm and November 20, 2013, between 9:00 am and 12:00 pm, ET at Consortium for Ocean Leadership, 1201 New York Avenue NW, 4th Floor, Washington, DC.

Links: Federal Register

- U.S. Department of Defense (DoD); Department of the Navy (NAVY); Naval Sea Systems Command (NSSL); NSWC Carderock Division: Stiletto Maritime Demonstration Program

Notice seeking maritime related technology demonstration candidates for inclusion in future Capability Demonstration events conducted by the Stiletto maritime Technology Demonstration Program. Applications are due November 15, 2013.

Links: FBO notice

- U.S. Department of Defense (DOD); U.S. Department of the Air Force: Full Spectrum Signals Intelligence (SIGINT) and Cyber Operations Technology

Notice seeking white papers for various scientific studies, investigations, and experiments to increase our knowledge, understanding and capability in order to expand cyber operations technologies. White papers are due September 28, 2018. Approximately $49.8 million is available for multiple awards over four years.

Links: FBO notice

- U.S. Department of Defense (DOD); U.S. Department of the Air Force; Air Force Research Laboratory (AFRL): MULTI-SOURCE ANALYSIS (MSA)

Notice seeking white papers for various scientific studies, analytical tools, algorithm developments, projects, and experiments focused on developing Multi-Source, Activity-Based Analysis capabilities to provide the Air Force the means to better conduct Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance. White papers are due September 28, 2018. Approximately $49.9 million is available for multiple awards over four years.

Links: FBO notice

- U.S. Department of Energy (DoE): Reliable Electricity Based on Electrochemical Systems (REBELS)

Notice seeking applications for financial assistance to fund new intermediate temperature fuel cell (ITFC) technologies that efficiently generate stationary power from fossil fuels in the near-term, while simultaneously building a bridge to a zero carbon future. Any organization that would like to be included on this list should complete all required fields in the following link: https://arpa-e-foa.energy.gov/Applicantprofile.aspx.

Links: Grants.gov

- U.S. Department of Energy (DoE); Golden Field Office: Research and Development for Hydrogen Storage

Notice seeking applications to enable the widespread commercialization of hydrogen and fuel cell technologies and specifically to provide adequate hydrogen storage for onboard vehicle applications that meet the DOE hydrogen storage targets, as well as enabling early market applications such as materials handling equipment and portable power applications. Concept papers are required and due November 18, 2013. Question will be accepted no later than 3 business days prior to the application due date. Applications are due January 17, 2014. Approximately $4 million or more is available to support up to four awards.

Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

- U.S. Department of Energy (DoE); Idaho Field Office: FY2014 Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research

Notice seeking applications that support national laboratory, university and industry led crosscutting research in the areas of reactor materials, advanced sensors and instrumentation, and advanced methods for manufacturing. Pre-Applications are required and due December 2, 2013. Applications are due April 3, 2014. Approximately $800,000 to $33 million is available for multiple awards over three years. Cost sharing is not required but is encouraged.

Links: Grants.gov

- U.S. Department of Energy (DOE); Idaho Operations Office: FY2014 Scientific Infrastructure Support for Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research

Notice seeking applications to support scientific infrastructure support for consolidated innovative nuclear research and reactor upgrades for the research community. Applications are due April 3, 2014. Approximately $300,000 to $3.5 million is available to support multiple awards for three years. Cost sharing is not required, but is encouraged for certain types of partnerships. Please refer to the solicitation for details. LIMITED SUBMISSIONS: One application per institution is allowed.

Links: Grants.gov

- U.S. Department of Energy (DOE); Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE): Demonstration and Deployment Strategies

Notice seeking feedback from industry, academia, research laboratories, government agencies, and other stakeholders on issues related to
• U.S. Department of Energy (DOE); Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE): State Energy Advisory Board (STEAB)

Notice of public meeting to discuss current initiatives and programs, participate in round-table discussions with EERE Program Directors, explore energy innovative financing options, discuss strategic planning opportunities, and update the Board on routine business matters and other topics of interest. The meeting will take place on December 3, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ET, and on December 4, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ET at the Fairfax at Embassy Row, 2100 Massachusetts Ave. N.W., Washington, D.C.

Links: Federal Register

• U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA); Office of Research and Development (ORD); National Center for Environmental Research (NCER): INDOOR AIR AND CLIMATE CHANGE

Notice seeking applications proposing research to improve understanding of the effects of climate change on indoor air quality and the resulting health effects. EPA is interested in supporting research that will explore the anticipated effects of climate change on indoor air quality directly through a variety of mechanisms, and indirectly through adaptations in building use and design. Applications are due January 23, 2014. Approximately $4.5 million is available to support three regular and three early career awards. Only PIs with outstanding promise at the Assistant Professor or equivalent level are eligible to apply for the early career projects and they must hold a doctoral degree in a field of science or engineering by the closing date of the RFA; be untenured at the closing date of the RFA; by the award date, be employed in a tenure-track position (or tenure-track-equivalent position) as an assistant professor (or equivalent title) at an institution in the U.S., its territories, or possessions.

Links: Solicitation, Grants.gov

Early Career Projects: Solicitation, Grants.gov

STATE and REGIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

• Migratory Bird Joint Ventures Midwest Region FY2014 Opportunities

Links: Grants.gov

• Commission of Fine Arts, Notice of Meeting

Links: Federal Register

• Appalachian States Low-Level Radioactive Waste Commission

Links: Federal Register

• Black Hills National Forest Advisory Board

Links: Federal Register

• Resource Advisory Council to the Boise District, Public Meeting

Links: Federal Register

• New England Fishery Management Council (NEFMC); Public Meetings

Links: Federal Register, New England Fishery