ARTS, HUMANITIES, and INTERNATIONAL

Access to Historical Records: Major Initiatives program National Archives and Records Administration (NARA)

Notice seeking applications to develop projects that will significantly improve public discovery and use of major historical records collections to include, but not limited to, collections of America's early legal records, such as the records of colonial, territorial, county, and early statehood and tribal proceedings that document the evolution of the nation's legal history. New tools and methods for users to access records and digitized historical records are acceptable.

Required pre-applications are due January 16, 2020. Applications are due July 9, 2020. Approximately \$1 million is available for five awards to support projects lasting up to three years. 50 percent cost share is required.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Comic Series and Graphic Novel to Combat Violent Extremism Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to Cameroon

Notice seeking applications to convert a tv series into a long form graphic novel and, separately, create a 10-issue superhero comic addressing anti-violent extremism themes. These two products will address the issue of preventing violent extremism among young people in contemporary Cameroonian society and highlight the power of civic engagement and peaceful community involvement to enact positive change and provide an alternative to violent extremism.

Applications are due August 1, 2019. Approximately \$150,000 is available to support one award for 15 months or less.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Humanities Collections and Reference Resources National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH), Division of Preservation and Access

Notice seeking applications to support projects that provide an essential underpinning for scholarship, education, and public programming in the humanities. Thousands of libraries, archives, museums, and historical organizations across the country maintain important collections of books and manuscripts, photographs, sound recordings and moving images, archaeological and ethnographic artifacts, art and material culture, and digital objects.

Optional draft applications are due June 4, 2019. Applications are due July 16, 2019. The maximum award amount is \$350,000.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Innovations in Malaria Vaccine Development (IMV) United States Agency for International Development (USAID)

Notice seeking applications to enhance our malaria vaccine investments through a collaborative design process. The goal of USAID's Malaria Vaccine Development Program (MVDP) is to demonstrate the proof of concept of a vaccine to reduce morbidity and mortality due to malaria caused by infection with Plasmodium falciparum.

Expressions of Interest are due June 21, 2019 by 5 p.m. Approximately \$35.5 million is available to support one or more awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Living Independently and Be Included in the Community (LIBC) United States Agency for International Development (USAID), Georgia USAID-Tbilisi

Notice seeking concept papers that foster the equal right of all persons with disabilities to live independently and be included in the community.

Concept papers are due June 17, 2019. Approximately \$6 million is available to support multiple awards up to 36 months.

LINKS: Grants.gov

U.S. Embassy in the Philippines NOFO for WWII Programming Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to the Philippines

Notice seeking applications to organize a series of activities and programs to commemorate the shared history, heroism, courage, and friendship of Americans and Filipinos during World War II.

Applications are due July 6, 2019. Approximately \$120,000 is available for two awards to support projects.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

2019-20 U.S. Embassy Travel Logistics Support Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to South Africa

Notice seeking proposals to manage the travel logistics for exchange programming between South Africa and the United States.

Proposals are due July 22, 2019. Approximately \$24,900 is available to support one award.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

America's Role in the Fight Against Apartheid Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to South Africa

Notice seeking applications to conduct archival research (including photos and videos) and videointerviews of leading anti-Apartheid activists who were engaged in the United States in the struggle to end South Africa's Apartheid regime and support its liberation movement.

Applications are due July 20, 2019. Approx. \$300,000 is available to support one award in 18 months.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH), Division of Research Programs

Notice seeking applications to support institutions that provide fellowships for advanced humanities research in the U.S. and abroad, foster communities of intellectual exchange among participating scholars, and provide access to resources that might otherwise not be available to the participating scholars.

Optional draft applications are due July 10, 2019. Applications are due August 21, 2019. The maximum award amount is \$375,000.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Haiti Disaster Risk Reduction Project: Repair and Upgrading of Evacuation Centers United States Agency for International Development (USAID)

Notice seeking applications to implement the Haiti Disaster Risk Reduction Project: Repair and Upgrading of Evacuation Centers, which includes, but is not limited to: Conducting detailed assessments of several hundred evacuation centers in Sud, Sud-est, Grande Anse, and Nippes; undertaking repairs to activity areas; and providing evacuation planning activities and training to local officials.

Questions are due May 30, 2019. Applications are due June 21, 2019. Approximately \$4.8 million is available for one award to support a project lasting up to three years.

LINKS: Grants.gov

International Shared Waters Cooperation Department of State (State), Bureau of Oceans - Int. Environmental - Scientific (OES)

Notice seeking applications to build political will and advance cooperative processes on shared waters where the lack of political commitment/engagement is an impediment to cooperative action. Meeting this goal will increase shared prosperity and regional security. Applicants are expected to build cooperative relationships in at least two transboundary or shared water areas, from distinct geographic regions.

Applications are due July 8, 2019. Approximately \$690,000 is available to support one award.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Media Mentorship Program Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to North Macedonia

Notice seeking applications for a series of workshops for young journalists from the Republic of North Macedonia to promote a strong, free and independent media.

Applications are due July 1, 2019. Approximately \$100,000 is available to fund one award.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Agency Site

NEA Our Town, FY2020 National Endowment for the Arts (NEA)

Notice seeking applications to integrate arts, culture, and design activities into efforts that strengthen communities by advancing local economic, physical, and/or social outcomes.

Applications are due August 8, 2019. Approximately \$200,000 is available for multiple awards to support projects lasting up to two years. Cost sharing required.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

The Pastoral Areas Resilience Activity (PARA) United States Agency for International Development (USAID)

Notice seeking proposals to improve resilience to enhance food security and inclusive economic growth in

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Ethiopia by tackling the root causes of vulnerability for lowlands households to improve their capacity to withstand and recover from climate and conflict related shocks and stresses.

Applications are due June 28, 2019. Approximately \$56.9 million is available to fund one to two awards. Cost sharing of 10% is required.

LINKS: Grants.gov

US Study Abroad Engagement Grant Department of State (State)

Notice seeking applications to build institutional capacity and increase international student engagement through the establishment of a U.S./ Tanzanian exchange program.

Applications are due June 13, 2019. Approximately \$15,000 is available for one award to support a project lasting up to one year.

LINKS: Grants.gov

YSEALI Regional Workshop: Agri-Biz Incubator Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to Laos

Notice seeking applications to support the creation of innovative and sustainable small and medium enterprises (SMEs) in the field of agriculture that create jobs, improve livelihoods and open new potential areas for U.S. trade and investment across the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN).

Applications are due July 31, 2019. Approximately \$250,000 is available to support one award.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

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BJA FY 19 Data-led Governing: Raising the Bar for States' Criminal Justice Policy and Practice Department of Justice (Justice), Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA)

Notice seeking applications for funding for a new initiative designed to establish standards for the collection, analysis, and use of state- and local-level data in criminal justice policy and practice decision-making, including data-sharing protocols and resource allocation decisions.

Applications are due July 16, 2019. Approximately \$5 million is available to support one award.

LINKS: Grants.gov

NCD Progress Report 2020: Solving the Disability Employment Crisis A Call for Action by Congress and Executive Agencies National Council on Disability (National Council on Disability)

Notice seeking proposals that focus on the employment of people with disabilities by providing a retrospective of the issue of disability employment during the past 30 years. It will describe and assess the effectiveness of the federal response to the continued low rate of workforce participation and offer recommendations designed to increase workforce participation - including removal of well-documented federal barriers and implementation of federal-private initiatives to eliminate the barriers that continue to impede such participation.

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Proposals are due June 21, 2019. Approximately \$100,000 is available to support one award.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Public Engagement with Historical Records National Archives and Records Administration (NARA)

Notice seeking applications to create high level educational field sessions and educational programming that support the state, tribal, and local partners of The National Historical Publications and Records Commission.

Applications are due October 3, 2019. Approximately \$275,000 is available for three awards to support projects lasting up to three years.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Technical Advisory Committees; Notice of Recruitment of Members-Revised Department of Commerce (Commerce), Industry and Security Bureau (ISB)

Notice recruiting candidates to serve on one of its seven Technical Advisory Committees (TAC) composed of representatives from industry, academia, and the U.S. Government and reflect diverse points of view on the concerns of the exporting community.

Send a copy of your resume to Yvette Springer at Yvette.Springer@bis.doc.gov. Review TAC eligibility requirements before submitting an application.

LINKS: Federal Register

Authority to Accept Unsolicited Proposals for Research Partnerships Notice Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), Office of Policy Development and Research (OPDR)

Notice seeking unsolicited research proposals that address one or more of the following research priorities: promote economic opportunity; enhance rental assistance; reduce the average length of homelessness; support sustainable homeownership and financial viability; remove lead hazards from homes; provide effective disaster recovery; and deliver disaster recovery funds to communities.

Applications will be accepted until December 31, 2020. Multiple awards are anticipated with an estimated total program funding of \$2 million. Cost sharing is required.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Develop Phase III of Repeat Photography Program Department of the Interior (Interior), National Park Service (NPS)

Notice seeking applications to support a pre-planning process being implemented in Yellowstone to address interrelated problems associated with increasing summer visitation in order to protect resources and improve visitor experience.

Applications are due May 31, 2019. Approximately \$35,000 is available for one award.

LINKS: Grants.gov

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Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS)

Notice seeking applications for funding for both September 11th Day of Service and Remembrance (September 11th) and Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service (MLK). These grants are to mobilize more Americans to engage in service activities that meet vital community needs.

Encouraged notices of intent are due June 5, 2019. Applications are due June 19, 2019. Up to \$2.2 million is available. For MLK projects only, Cost share equal to 70 percent of the total program budget is required.

Limited Submission: Applicants may not submit more than one application for each Day of Service

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Personnel Development to Improve Services and Results for Children With Disabilities-Preparation of Special Education, Early Intervention, and Related Services Leadership Personnel Department of Education (Education), Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS)

Notice seeking applications to improve early childhood, educational, and employment outcomes and raise expectations for all people with disabilities, their families, their communities, and the Nation with two primary goals: 1.) help address State-identified needs for personnel preparation in special education, early intervention, related services, and regular education to work with children, including infants and toddlers, with disabilities; and 2.) ensure those personnel have the necessary skills and knowledge to be successful in serving those children.

Applications are due July 8, 2019. Approximately \$4.3 million is available for up to 17 awards to support projects lasting to five years. OSERS will post a pre-recorded informational webinar for interested applicants at: www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/apply/osep/new-osep-grants.html. In addition, OSERS will host a blog for interested applicants to post questions about the application requirements. The blog will become available at www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/apply/osep/new-osep-grants.html and will remain open until June 10, 2019.

LINKS: Federal Register, Grants.gov

Advisory Committee on Veterans' Employment, Training and Employer Outreach (ACVETEO): Meeting Department of Labor (Labor), Veterans' Employment and Training Service (VETS)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Advisory Committee on Veterans' Employment, Training and Employer Outreach Committee to discuss the DOL core programs and services that assist veterans seeking employment and raise employer awareness as to the advantages of hiring veterans.

The meeting will be held June 11, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. ET at the U.S. Department of Labor, Frances Perkins Building, 200 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC.

LINKS: Federal Register

Community Bank Advisory Council Meeting Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Community Bank Advisory Council to discuss broad policy matters related to the Bureau's Unified Regulatory Agenda and general scope of authority.

The meeting will be held Wednesday, June 5, 2019 from 12:30 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. and June 6, 2019, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. ET at the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection, 1700 G Street NW, Washington, DC.

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Consumer Advisory Board Meetings Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau Consumer Advisory Board to discuss business development issues.

The meeting will be held June 5, 2019 from 12:30 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. Et at the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection, 1700 G Street NW, Washington, DC.

LINKS: Federal Register

Credit Union Advisory Council Meeting Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Credit Union Advisory Council to discuss broad policy matters related to the Bureau's Unified Regulatory Agenda and general scope of authority.

The meeting will be held June 5, 2019 from 12:30 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. and June 6, 2019 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. ET at the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection, 1700 G Street NW, Washington, DC.

LINKS: Federal Register

Department of Defense Military Family Readiness Council; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting Department of Defense (Defense)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Military Family Readiness Council with the following agenda: Opening Remarks, Administrative Items, Review of Written Submissions, Council Member Presentations, Deliberations and Voting, Closing Remarks.

The meeting will be held June 13, 2019 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. ET at the Pentagon Library & Conference Center, Room B6, Washington, DC.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

June 6, 2019 Drone Advisory Committee (DAC) Meeting U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Drone Advisory Committee with the following agenda: FAA Update; Update on Counter-UAS Technology Trends; The FAA's Plan to Address the FAA Reauthorization Act of 2018; Discussion on Knowledge Test for Recreational Drone Operators; Industry-Led Technical Topics; and New Business/Agenda Topics.

The meeting will be held June 6, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ET at 2799 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

Medical Review Board (MRB) Meeting: Public Meeting U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Medical Review Board to discuss recommendations on revising the FMCSA Medical Examiners Handbook and discuss how to best provide educational materials on pharmacology to certified medical examiners.

The meeting will be held July 15-16, 2019 from 9:15 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. ET at the FMCSA National Training Center, 1310 N Courthouse Road, Arlington, VA, 6th Floor.

LINKS: Federal Register

National Security Education Board; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting Department of Defense (Defense)

Notice announcing a meeting of the National Security Education Board to review and make recommendations to the Secretary of Defense concerning requirements established by the David L. Boren National Security Education Act.

The meeting will be held June 10, 2019 from 10:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ET at 1127 Connecticut Avenue NW, Washington, DC.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

Technical Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting and Agenda Department of Labor (Labor)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Labor Statistics Technical Advisory Committee to discuss agency developments, worker supplements, U.S. productivity measurements, and the administrative trade data to create export price indexes.

The meeting will be held June 21, 2019 from 9:15 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ET at the Postal Square Building, 2 Massachusetts Avenue NE, Washington, DC.

LINKS: Federal Register

HEALTH and MENTAL HEALTH

American Indians into Medicine Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Indian Health Service (IHS)

Notice seeking applications to augment the number of Indian health professionals serving Indians by encouraging Indians to enter the health professions and removing the multiple barriers to serving Indians.

Applications are due June 20, 2019. Approximately \$400,000 is available for two awards to support projects lasting up to five years. Applicants must offer medical and other allied health programs accredited by an accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Secretary of Education to meet eligibility requirements.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Federal Register

American Indians into Nursing Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Indian Health Services (IHS)

Notice seeking applications to recruit, retain, graduate and increase the number of registered nurses, certified nurse midwives and nurse practitioners who deliver health care services to American Indian/Alaska Native communities.

Applications are due June 20, 2019. Approximately \$1.7 million is available for five awards to support projects lasting up to five years.

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LINKS: Grants.gov, Federal Register

American Indians into Psychology

Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Indian Health Services (IHS)

Notice seeking applications to recruit and train individuals to be Clinical Psychologists and provide scholarships to individuals enrolled in schools of clinical psychology to pay tuition, books, fees and stipends for living expenses.

Applications are due June 20, 2019. Approximately \$722,000 is available for three awards to support projects lasting up to five years.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Federal Register

DoD Peer Reviewed Alzheimer's, Convergence Science Research Award Army (Army), Department of Defense (Defense), U.S. Army Medical Research Acquisition Activity (USAMRAA)

Notice seeking applications to support innovative or novel efforts to generate research resources, tools, or research efforts for researchers and/or practitioners in health sciences related to the PRARP's mission.

Required pre-applications are due June 26, 2019. Applications are due July 17, 2019. Approximately \$2.2 million is available to support six Level I awards and approximately \$3.2 million is available to support four Level II awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

DoD Peer Reviewed Alzheimer's, Innovations in Care and Support Award Army (Army), Department of Defense (Defense), U.S. Army Medical Research Acquisition Activity (USAMRAA)

Notice seeking applications to support innovative research that improves the quality of life and care for individuals living with the common symptoms of traumatic brain injury (TBI) and/or AD/ADRD and/or their families and care providers, as related to the PRARP's mission.

Required pre-applications are due June 26, 2019. Applications are due July 17, 2019. Approximately \$1.8 million is available to support five Level I awards and approximately \$2.4 million is available to support three Level II awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

DoD Peer Reviewed Alzheimer's, Research Partnership Award Army (Army), Department of Defense (Defense), U.S. Army Medical Research Acquisition Activity (USAMRAA)

Notice seeking applications to create an avenue for collaborative research partnerships between/among investigators to address a research problem or question in a manner that would be unachievable through separate efforts as related to the PRARP's mission.

Required pre-applications are due June 26, 2019. Applications are due July 17, 2019. Approximately \$3.9 million is available to support three awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

DoD Peer Reviewed Orthopaedic, Applied Research Award

Army (Army), Department of Defense (Defense), U.S. Army Medical Research Acquisition Activity (USAMRAA)

Notice seeking applications focused on advancing optimal treatment and restoration of function for individuals with musculoskeletal injuries sustained during combat or combat-related activities. Applicants are encouraged to address how the proposed research will support patient care closer to the point of injury and/or allow patients to more quickly return to duty/work.

Required pre-applications are due June 26, 2019. Applications are due September 18, 2019. Approximately \$3.75 million is available to support five awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Information Sharing System for State-Regulated Drug Compounding Activities (U01) Clinical Trial Not Allowed

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

Notice seeking applications to establish an information-sharing system and conduct research on the information obtained by this system to improve the information available to state regulators and FDA about compounding pharmacies that distribute interstate and support better and more targeted regulation and oversight to reduce risk to patients.

Applications are due July 17, 2019. Approximately \$1.6 million is available to support projects lasting up to three years. The number of awards is contingent upon appropriations.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

PrEP for HIV Prevention among Substance Using Populations (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)

Notice seeking applications to research gaps related to PrEP and its use among substance users, with the goals of improving PrEP management and implementation to better understand the effects of substance use on PrEP effectiveness and PrEP implementation among substance users.

Requested letters of intent are due 30 days prior to the application due date. Applications are due November 8, 2019. Approximately \$2 million is available for three awards to support projects lasting up to five years.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Rehabilitation Engineering Research Centers (RERCs) Program: RERC on Technologies to Enhance Independence and Community Living for People with Cognitive Impairments Administration for Community Living (ACL), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking applications to improve the effectiveness of services authorized under the Rehabilitation Act by conducting advanced engineering research on and development of innovative technologies that are designed to solve particular rehabilitation problems or to remove environmental barriers.

Applications are due July 15, 2019. Approximately \$925,000 is available for one award to support a project lasting up to five years.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

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Sponsored Programs Administration Development (SPAD) Program (UC2 - Clinical Trial Not Allowed) National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking application that propose to establish Offices of Sponsored Programs (OSPs) or enhance the services of existing OSPs or similar entities at domestic institutions of higher learning. Program priorities include funding primarily undergraduate institutions with emerging biomedical research and/or undergraduate research training programs.

Applications are due July 25, 2019 and June 26, 2020. Approximately \$3 million is available to support 10 to 15 awards.

Limited Submission: Only one application per institution

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Capacity Building for Sickle Cell Disease Surveillance Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking proposals to participate in a rigorous course of activities to build capacity for a state-wide Sickle Cell Disease surveillance system. A population-based surveillance system will allow for the identification of individuals with the disease and the standardized collection of information about their clinical history. Component A awardees will develop new frameworks for surveillance systems, while Component B awardees will provide technical assistance to Component A.

Letters of intent are due June 14, 2019. Applications are due July 22, 2019. Approximately seven awards are anticipated with funding levels varying by Component.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Drug Screening with Biofabricated 3-D Skin Disease Tissue Models (U18 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences (NCATS)

Notice seeking applications to build upon the work that has begun under previous FOA RFA-TR-17-007 "NCATS Pilot Program for Collaborative Drug Discovery Research Using Bioprinted Skin Tissue" and utilize physiologically relevant and validated 3-D biofabricated skin disease tissue models in multi-well drug screening platforms.

Requested letters of intent are due July 1, 2019. Applications are due July 31, 2019. Approximately \$1.5 million is available for two awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Methods to Improve Reproducibility of Human iPSC Derivation, Growth and Differentiation (SBIR) (R44 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking applications to develop novel, reliable and cost-effective methods to standardize and increase the utility and reproducibility of induced pluripotent stem cells at all stages, from their derivation to their research and clinical applications.

Applications will be accepted between December 6, 2019 and January 6, 2020. Multiple awards are anticipated, with funding derived from the individual participating Institutes. There is no application limit by institution.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Postdoctoral Research Associate Training (PRAT) Program (Fi2) National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS)

Notice seeking applications to engage in high quality postdoctoral research training in the basic biomedical sciences with a diverse group of postdoctoral fellows in NIH Intramural research laboratories, and to prepare for a leadership position in a biomedical career. Research projects proposed should focus on areas within the NIGMS mission, which include but are not limited to biological chemistry, biophysics, bioinformatics, cellular and molecular biology, computational biosciences, developmental biology, genetics, immunology, neuroscience, pharmacology, physiology, and technology development.

Applications are due October 2, 2019; October 2, 2020; and October 4, 2021. Multiple awards are anticipated.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Rehabilitation Engineering Research Centers (RERCs) Program: RERC on Technology for People who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing

Administration for Community Living (ACL), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking applications to fund research and development that leads to innovative technological solutions and strategies to improve the accessibility, usability, and performance of technologies designed to benefit people who are deaf or hard of hearing.

Requested letters of intent are due June 24, 2019. Applications are due July 19, 2019. Approximately \$925,000 is available to support one award.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Research Projects in Cancer Systems Biology (U01 Clinical Trial Optional) National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Cancer Institute (NCI)

Notice seeking applications to address a well-defined, discrete, and circumscribed research question in cancer incorporating quantitative experimentation, analysis, modeling, and validation, which are the hallmarks of systems biology.

Letters of intent are due 30 days prior to the application due date. Applications are due July 15, 2019; November 15, 2019; July 10, 2020; November 17, 2020; July 9, 2021; and November 15, 2021 through November 16, 2021. The number of awards and budgets are contingent upon NIH appropriations to support projects lasting up to five years.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

SCAN: Standardized Centralized Alzheimer's and Related Dementias Neuroimaging (U24 Clinical Trials Not Allowed)

National Institutes of Health, Dept. of Health & Human Services, National Institute on Aging

Notice seeking applications to aggregate, harmonize, manage, and share existing and future neuroimaging data collected in NIA-supported Alzheimer's Disease Research Centers.

Requested letters of intent are due June 22, 2019. Applications are due July 22, 2019. Approximately \$1.5 million is available for one award to support a project lasting up five years.

Workshops on the Use of Adolescent Brain Cognitive Development (ABCD) Data (R25 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

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

Notice seeking applications to develop creative educational activities with a primary focus on courses for skills development, particularly short-term workshops that will allow participants to explore the hands-on use of ABCD data, through cooperative or competitive approaches.

Requested letters of intent are due September 17, 2019. Applications are due October 17, 2019. Approximately \$100,000 is available for up to two awards through the NIDA. Approximately \$200,000 is available for up to two awards through the NIMH. Project support is available for up to two years.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Center for Substance Abuse Prevention's (CSAP) Drug Testing Advisory Board (DTAB) Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Center for Substance Abuse Prevention's Drug Testing Advisory Board. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the proposed Mandatory Guidelines for Federal Workplace Drug Testing Programs with updates from the Department of Transportation, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, and the Department of Defense.

The meeting will be held June 11, 2019, from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. ET and June 12, 2019, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Hilton Washington DC/Rockville Hotel & Executive Meeting Center, 1750 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD.

LINKS: Federal Register

Meeting of the National Vaccine Advisory Committee Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice announcing a meeting of the National Vaccine Advisory Committee to discuss presentations on vaccine communications, adult immunization, and to receive updates from two newly formed working groups.

The teleconference will be held June 4 and 5, 2019 with the time to be determined.

LINKS: Federal Register, Agency Site

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

Notice announcing a meeting of the Sleep Disorders Research Advisory Board to Evaluate sleep and circadian research activities and conduct a discussion of NIH Sleep Disorders Research Plan Revisions.

The meeting will be held August 1, 2019 from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and August 2 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. ET at the John Edward Porter Neuroscience Research Center Building. Building 35A, 35 Convent Drive, Room 640, Bethesda, MD.

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Patient Safety Learning Laboratories (2019): Pursuing Safety in Diagnosis and Treatment at the Intersection of Design, Systems Engineering, and Health Services Research Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice announcing a meeting on "Patient Safety Learning Laboratories: Pursuing Safety in Diagnosis and Treatment at the Intersection of Design, Systems Engineering, and Health Services Research (R18)."

The meeting will be held June 12, 2019 from 8:00 a.m. to 8:15 at Bethesda Marriott Hotel, 5151 Pooks Hill Rd., Bethesda, MD.

LINKS: Federal Register

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, and MATHEMATICS

Broad Agency Announcement for The FY2020 Director's Innovation Initiative Program Department of Defense (Defense), National Reconnaissance Office (NRO)

Notice seeking proposals focusing on the following areas: 1) Remote Sensing 2) Apertures 3) Communications 4) System Design 5) Sense-making and 6) Other Disruptive Concepts and Technology.

Proposals are due July 19, 2019. Multiple awards are anticipated.

LINKS: FBO

GeoPRISMS Program Directorate for Geosciences (GEO), National Science Foundation (NSF)

Notice seeking proposals to investigate the coupled geodynamics, earth surface processes, and climate interactions that build and modify continental margins over a wide range of timescales. These interactions cross the shoreline and have applications to margin evolution and dynamics, construction of stratigraphic architecture, accumulation of economic resources, and associated geologic hazards and environmental management.

Proposals are due August 16, 2019 and March 2, 2020. Approximately \$3.5 million is available to support 10 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Management of Stewardship Science Graduate Fellowship (SSGF) and Laboratory Residency Graduate Fellowship (LRGF) Programs Department of Energy (Energy), National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA)

Notice seeking applications that involves sustaining and enhancing the strengths of the existing programs and the continual development of both programs to support the objectives of the Stewardship Science Academic Alliances (SSAA) Program.

Applications are due August 15, 2019. Approximately \$3.5 million is available to support one award in FY 2019.

LINKS: Grants.gov

National Science Foundation (NSF)

Notice seeking proposals to support active research participation by undergraduate students in any of the areas of research funded by the National Science Foundation. REU projects involve students in meaningful ways in ongoing research programs or in research projects specifically designed for the REU program.

Proposals are due August 28, 2019 and Fourth Wednesday in August, annually thereafter. Approximately \$76.37 million is available to support 1750 to 1800 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Business and Operations Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting National Science Foundation (NSF)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Business and Operations Advisory Committee. The purpose of the meeting is to provide advice concerning issues related to the oversight, integrity, development, and enhancement of NSF's business operations.

The meeting will be held June 4, 2019; 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 pm ET at the National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314; Room E 3410.

LINKS: Federal Register

Reserve Forces Policy Board; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting Department of Defense (Defense)

Notice announcing the Federal Advisory Committee of the Reserve Forces Policy Board will meet to obtain, review, and evaluate information related to strategies, policies, and practices designed to improve and enhance the capabilities, efficiency, and effectiveness of the Reserve Components.

The meeting will be held on June 5, 2019 from 2:15 p.m. to 3:35 p.m. at the Pentagon, Room 3E863, Arlington, VA.

LINKS: Federal Register

Economic Research and Analysis of the National Need for Technology Infrastructure to Support the Internet of Things (IoT) National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Department of Commerce (Commerce)

Notice seeking applications to assess the potential economic impacts, resulting from Federal research investments, of meeting the Nation's need for technology infrastructure to support the Internet of Things (IoT) and produce an economic study to help guide industry, academia, and federal researchers in their efforts to accelerate the critical research needed for timely IoT development.

Applications are due July 24, 2019. Approximately \$400,000 is available for one award to support a project lasting up to two years.

LINKS: Grants.gov

Innovative Technology Experiences for Students and Teachers Directorate for Education & Human Resources (EHR), National Science Foundation (NSF), Research on Learning in Formal and Informal Settings (DRL)

Notice seeking proposals that pursue innovative instructional approaches and practices in formal and informal learning environments, in close collaboration with strategic partnerships. ITEST proposals should

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broaden participation of all students, particularly those in underrepresented and underserved groups in STEM fields and related education and workforce domains.

Proposals are due August 19, 2019, August 14, 2020, and August 13, 2021. Approximately \$25 to \$30 million is available to support 22 to 30 awards.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

NSF Convergence Accelerator National Science Foundation (NSF), Office of Integrative Activities (OIA)

Notice seeking applications to focus on grand challenges that focus on a common research goal of national importance, but which may be pursuing many different approaches using a team, multiple stakeholder approach to include industry, academic, not-for-profits, and/or government entities.

Requests for information on future topics for the NSF Convergence Accelerator Awards are due June 24, 2019. Full proposals accepted anytime.

LINKS: Grants.gov, Solicitation

Advisory Committee for International Science and Engineering; Notice of Meeting National Science Foundation (NSF)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Advisory Committee for International Science and Engineering to provide advice, recommendations and counsel on major goals and policies pertaining to international STEM programs and activities.

The meeting will be held June 18, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and June 19 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. ET at 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA.

LINKS: Federal Register

Aerospace Safety Advisory Panel National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Aerospace Safety Advisory Panel. The agenda will include Updates on the Exploration Systems Development; Updates on the Commercial Crew Program and Updates on the International Space Station Program.

The meeting will be held Thursday, June 6, 2019, 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. ET at NASA Headquarters, Room 9H40, 300 E Street SW, Washington, DC.

LINKS: Federal Register

Committee on Equal Opportunities in Science and Engineering; Notice of Meeting National Science Foundation (NSF)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Committee on Equal Opportunities in Science and Engineering to study data, programs, policies, and other information pertinent to the National Science Foundation and to provide advice and recommendations concerning broadening participation in science and engineering.

The meeting will be held June 20, 2019 from 1:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. and June 21, 2019 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. ET at 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA.

Defense Advisory Committee on Women in the Services; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting Department of Defense (Defense)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Federal Advisory Committee meeting of the Defense Advisory Committee on Women in the Services to discuss findings from USCG 2019 Gender Diversity Study; childcare resources and initiatives; pregnancy and parenthood polices; and a new member swearing-in ceremony.

The meeting will be held June 11, 2019 from 9:15 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. ET at the Hilton Alexandria—Mark Center, 5000 Seminary Road, Alexandria, VA.

LINKS: Federal Register

Discover DSO Day (D3) Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA), Department of Defense (Defense), Defense Sciences Office (DSO)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Discover DSO Day to identify and create the next generation of scientific discovery that fuels innovation and leads to timely breakthrough solutions for current and future national security threats and challenges.

The meeting will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, June 18-19, 2019 at the DARPA Conference Center (675 North Randolph Street, Arlington, VA 22203). The event will be webcast for those who would like to participate remotely. Advance registration is required for both the physical meeting and the webcast. Registration are due by June 11, 2019 at http://events.sa-meetings.com/2019DiscoverDSODay

LINKS: FBO

U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS®) Advisory Committee National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Department of Commerce (Commerce)

Notice announcing a meeting of the U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System Advisory Committee to discuss administration, operation, management, and maintenance of the system along with ongoing committee priorities and developing the next set of recommendations.

The meeting will be held June 3, 2019 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and June 4, 2019 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. ET at the Consortium for Ocean Leadership Office, 1201 New York Ave. NW, Washington, DC.

LINKS: Federal Register

Notice of Intent and Request for Information: Quantum Information Science Centers Department of Energy (Energy), Office of Science

Notice seeking information to establish two or more multidisciplinary Quantum Information Science Centers to perform research to address the opportunities and challenges on scientific discovery and technological innovation in quantum science and technology.

Written comments and information are requested on or before July 5, 2019.

LINKS: Federal Register