

## ARTS, HUMANITIES, and INTERNATIONAL

Civic Engagement and Constitutional Rights: Comparing the U.S. and Indian Constitutions  
Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to India

Notice seeking applications to train 150 young women and men on their rights guaranteed under the Indian constitution with underlining themes addressing the following: 1) shared tradition of constitutional democracy between the United States and India; and 2) increase knowledge of civil engagement amongst emerging, conscious community leaders.

Applications are due July 15, 2019. Approximately \$25,000 is available for one award to support projects lasting up to one year.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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Connecting Cultures: Cross-border Slam Poetry Program  
Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to India

Notice seeking applications to identify and train two groups of youth--from India and Pakistan--on poetry writing and delivery that addresses perceptions of one another's countries, about conflict and peace building, or about other topics of concern to them as young people.

Applications are due July 15, 2019. Approximately \$100,000 is available for one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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Emerging Cuban Leaders  
Department of State (State), Bureau of Western Hemisphere Affairs

Notice seeking project proposals that will develop the skills and abilities of a new generation of independent leaders to bolster Cubans' abilities to develop independent civil society communities and express ideas regarding human rights and democracy to peers and those outside Cuba. This cadre of professionals will model effective leadership of civil society organizations that effectively advocate for public interests, promote community engagement, support diversity, and further democratic practices in Cuba.

Proposals are due July 26, 2019. Approximately \$1.03 million is available for one award.

Limited Submission: One application per organization

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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Media Startups Skills: Reshaping Journalism  
Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to India

Notice seeking applications to organize and implement a total of four, two-day workshops on "Media Startup Skills: Reshaping Journalism" for practicing journalists and journalism students.

Applications are due July 15, 2019. Approximately \$35,000 is available for one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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Sri Lanka Forensic Lab Capacity Assessment and Training  
Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs (INL), Department of State (State)

Notice seeking applications to bolster the capacity of the Forensic Science Division of Sri Lanka's Government Analyst's Department (GAD). The GAD analyzes the evidence collected by police at crime scenes including narcotics and DNA. The approved project will identify gaps in the GAD's forensic capacities, determine strategies to address those gaps, and provide capacity building training and technical assistance.

Applications are due August 6, 2019. One award is available for up to \$500,000.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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Water Smart Exchanges (WiSE)  
Department of State (State), Bureau of Oceans - Int. Environmental - Scientific (OES)

Notice seeking applications to pair cities in the ASEAN Smart Cities Network (ASCN), water districts, and utilities with counterparts in the United States to expand the adoption of new technologies and innovative approaches to modernize and improve the management of water resources in order to improve water quality and to strengthen water security, sustainability and resiliency.

Applications are due July 25, 2019. Approximately \$1.4 million is available for one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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E-Teacher Alumni Train the Trainers  
Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to India

Notice seeking applications to support 25 E-Teacher alumni to become trainers of English language teachers in various cities around India. E-Teacher Alumni Train the Trainers project will be a four-phase program using virtual programming for professional development of English language teachers.

Applications are due July 15, 2019. The maximum award amount is \$50,000.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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FY 2019 Notice of Cultural Grants Program  
Department of State (State), U.S. Mission to Slovenia

Notice seeking proposals for well-designed and managed projects that encourage and promote cultural and artistic cooperation, collaboration and exchange between the United States and Slovenia. The focus of successful projects should be the presentation and promotion of American values, culture, and/or history through art, music, literature, dance, and/or other cultural mediums, to Slovenian audiences.

Applications are due August 12, 2019. The maximum available for a cultural grant is \$10,000, although most grants average between \$1,000-\$5,000.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov), [Solicitation](#)

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Media Projects  
National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH), Division of Public Programs

Notice seeking proposals for development and production media projects supporting the collaboration of media producers and scholars to develop humanities content and to prepare documentary film, television, radio, and podcast projects that engage public audiences with humanities ideas in creative and appealing ways.

Applications are due August 14, 2019. Approximately \$1 million is available to fund 11 awards.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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Pacific Islands Good Governance Initiative  
Department of State (State)

Notice seeking proposals for an initiative in the Pacific Islands that can promote sound, just, and responsive governance within the region to empower citizens, help combat corruption, and strengthen nations' sovereignty. Transparent and accountable governments that promote civil society and rule of law are essential to strengthening the free and open Indo-Pacific region.

Applications are due August 12, 2019. Approximately \$12 million is available for one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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Promoting the Benefits of U.S. Economic Engagement in Indonesia  
Department of State (State), Global Engagement Center (GEC)

Notice seeking applications to design and execute a program promoting the benefits of U.S. economic engagement in Indonesia. The project will be used to tell a compelling story of how cumulative U.S. economic engagement in Indonesia has benefitted individuals, communities, and the nation as a whole.

Applications are due July 12, 2019. Approximately \$200,000 is available to support one award for 12 months.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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Sport for Change: Empowering Youth Ambassadors to Action  
Department of State (State)

Notice seeking proposals for a week-long capacity-building camp for approximately 30 young leaders between the ages of 18-25 years from underserved or marginalized communities in the Kolkata Consular District. The sessions will use the medium of sport, along with "of the field" seminars and discussions, to impart American ideals of leadership, equality, volunteerism, respect, tolerance, and community engagement both on and off the field.

Applications are due July 15, 2019. Approximately \$45,000 is available to fund one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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Strengthening International Engagement on Security in Cyberspace  
Department of State (State), Office of the Coordinator for Cyber Issues (S/CCI)

Notice seeking proposals to support travel, lodging and other logistics for civilian government officials to participate in these key cyber-related discussions, as well as other UN events that may discuss non-security cyber issues of concern (e.g. Internet governance, cybercrime, and Internet freedom). The recipient will also develop an online training course, which aims to provide foundational understandings on core U.S. cyber policy concepts for foreign civilian government officials, particularly regarding international security and stability in cyberspace.

Proposals are due August 9, 2019. Approximately \$500,000 is available to support one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov)

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Strengthening Youth Voices: Promoting Diversity, Peace, and Inclusion  
Department of State (State)

Notice seeking proposals to use theater to foster youth partnerships and leadership to promote peace and stability in the South Asia region, specifically in India, Bangladesh, and Nepal.

Applications are due July 15, 2019. Approximately \$60,000 is available to fund one project.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Summer Stipends  
National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH), Division of Research Programs

Notice seeking applications to stimulate new research in the humanities and its publication. The program works to accomplish this goal by: Providing small awards to individuals pursuing advanced research that is of value to humanities scholars, general audiences, or both; Supporting projects at any stage of development, but most especially early-stage research and late-stage writing in which small awards are most effective; and Furthering the NEH's commitment to diversity and inclusion in the humanities by encouraging applications from independent scholars and faculty at Hispanic Serving Institutions, Historically Black Colleges and Universities, tribal colleges and universities, and community colleges.

Applications are due September 25, 2019. The maximum award amount is \$6,000. 77 awards are anticipated.

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

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Widening the Support Circle: Women in STEM  
Department of State (State)

Notice seeking proposals for biweekly mentoring workshops in Guwahati for 30 women between the ages of 20-25 pursuing undergraduate studies in STEM fields in Guwahati who have little to no exposure to the U.S and the American higher education system. The workshops will be conducted by experts/mentors, preferably female alumni who have built successful careers.

Applications are due July 15, 2019. Approximately \$30,000 is available to fund one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Working Together to Combat the Dark Web of Human Trafficking  
Department of State (State)

Notice seeking proposals for a three-day conclave at the American Center in Kolkata that will convene stakeholders across the Indo-Pacific region to collaborate and build solutions to identify the threats and develop solutions to reduce the human trafficking incidents through cybercrimes.

Applications are due July 15, 2019. Approximately \$70,000 is available to fund one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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U.S. Department of Commerce Trade Finance Advisory Council  
Department of Commerce (Commerce), International Trade Administration (ITA)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Trade Finance Advisory Council wherein subcommittee members will present initial proposals for potential recommendations on policies and programs that can increase

awareness of, and expand access to, export financing resources for U.S. exporters for discussion with the broader TFAC and officials from the Department of Commerce and other agencies.

The meeting will be held via conference call on June 20, 2019 from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. ET.

LINKS: [Federal Register](#), [Agency Site](#)

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Notice of Re-Chartering and Continuation of Requests for Nominations for the Agricultural Trade Advisory Committees  
United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Notice requesting nominations for the Agricultural Trade Advisory Committees, which provide detailed policy and technical advice, information, and recommendations regarding trade barriers, negotiation of trade agreements, and implementation of existing trade agreements affecting food and agricultural products, including the performance of other advisory functions relevant to U.S. agricultural trade policy matters.

Nominations may be submitted at any time until June, 2023.

LINKS: [Federal Register](#), [Agency Site](#)

## **EDUCATION and ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

BJA FY 19 Comprehensive Corrections Training and Technical Assistance  
Department of Justice (Justice), Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA)

Notice seeking applications to provide comprehensive and high-quality training and technical assistance (TTA) to BJA's grantees and criminal justice practitioners to improve the delivery of correctional services and increase public safety by improving outcomes for people detained and incarcerated in correctional facilities.

Applications are due July 31, 2019. Approximately \$13.7 million is available for multiple awards.

Limited Submission: One application per lead applicant will be considered. However, an applicant may be proposed as a subrecipient (subgrantee) in multiple proposals.

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

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Forest Finance and Investment Incubator  
Department of State (State), Bureau of Oceans - Int. Environmental - Scientific (OES)

Notice seeking applications to spur private sector financing of national and sub-national climate strategies. The Forest Finance and Investment Incubator program will utilize existing strategies and developing country frameworks to assess readiness for the development of concrete financial investment plans for forests and other landscapes. These investment plans will lead to the identification of mechanisms for investment from the U.S. forestry and agriculture sectors that mobilize financial resources for downstream forest activities and projects.

Applications are due August 2, 2019. Approximately \$4.3 million is available for one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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OVC FY 2019 Transforming America's Response to Elder Abuse: Enhanced Multidisciplinary Teams (E-MDTs) for Older Victims of Abuse and Financial Exploitation

Department of Justice (Justice), Office for Victims of Crime (OVC)

Notice seeking applications to develop and/or enhance multi-disciplinary teams that better identify, respond to, and serve cases involving victims of elder abuse and financial exploitation. Support is also available to fund a National Elder Abuse Training and Technical Assistance Center.

Applications are due July 8, 2019. Approximately \$3 million, per award, is available for 16 awards to support projects lasting up to three years. OVC will conduct a pre-application webinar on June 17, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. ET. To attend, register here: [www.ovc.gov/grants/webinars.html](http://www.ovc.gov/grants/webinars.html)

LINKS: [Grants.gov](http://Grants.gov)

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OVC FY 2019 Using Telehealth to Improve Care, Access and Quality of Sexual Assault Forensic Exams  
Department of Justice (Justice), Office for Victims of Crime (OVC)

Notice seeking applications to enhance the care for sexual assault victims, improve access and quality of forensic examinations, and expand access to the expertise of Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners (SANEs) through telehealth technology for communities with limited access to trained SANEs.

Applications are due July 17, 2019. Approximately \$14 million is available for four awards to support projects lasting up to three years.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](http://Grants.gov)

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YouthBuild

Department of Labor (Labor), Employment and Training Administration (ETA)

Notice seeking applications to assist disadvantaged youth (16-24) in distressed communities in completing their high school education and to provide training on housing for homeless persons and low-income families. Goal is to promote self-sufficiency.

Applications are due August 6, 2019. Approximately \$85 million is available for 70 awards. A 25% match is required.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](http://Grants.gov), [Solicitation](#)

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Federal Advisory Committee, Diversity and Digital Empowerment  
Federal Communications Commission (FCC)

Notice announcing a meeting of the Federal Advisory Committee on Diversity and Digital Empowerment to allow committee working groups to report on their work under the current charter, which expires July 5, 2019.

The meeting will be held June 24, 2019 beginning at 10:00 a.m. ET at 445 12th Street SW, Room TW-C305, Washington, DC.

LINKS: [Federal Register](http://Federal Register)

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National Advisory Committee on Institutional Quality and Integrity Meeting  
Department of Education (Education)

Notice announcing a meeting of the National Advisory Committee on Institutional Quality and Integrity with the following agenda: hear from agencies applying for initial recognition; hear from agencies applying for renewal; compliance report; applications for an expansion of scope; report from the Subcommittee on Substantive Change; and other items.

The meeting will be held July 30 and 31, 2019 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. ET at 1767 King Street, Alexandria, VA.

LINKS: [Federal Register](#)

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Request for Nominations for the Preservation Technology and Training Board  
Department of the Interior (Interior), National Park Service (NPS)

Notice requesting nominations for qualified persons to serve as members of the Preservation Technology and Training Board.

Written nominations are due July 8, 2019. Mail documents to Kirk A. Cordell, Executive Director, National Center for Preservation Technology and Training, National Park Service, 645 University Parkway, Natchitoches, LA 71457 or fax to 318-35-9119.

LINKS: [Federal Register](#)

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BJA FY 19 Gulf States Regional Law Enforcement Technology Training and Technical Assistance Initiative  
Department of Justice (Justice), Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA)

Notice seeking applications for an innovative new program that seeks to provide resources, training, and technical assistance to law enforcement jurisdictions within the five Gulf States (Florida, Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Texas) to assist with information and intelligence sharing to reduce crime and illegal drug trafficking.

Applications are due August 8, 2019. Approximately \$3 million is available to support one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Children, Youth and Families at Risk (CYFAR) 4-H Military Partnership Professional Development and Technical Assistance Program  
National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA), United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Notice seeking applications to support the implementation and capacity of the 4-H Military Partnership and Outreach Support Program. Professional development and technical assistance are provided to the land-grant institutions and Cooperative Extension System, so that, in collaboration with other organizations, they are able to develop and deliver educational programs for military-connected youth.

Applications are due July 26, 2019. Approximately \$550,000 is available to support one award. Land-grant colleges and universities are eligible.

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

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Doctoral Training Consortia Associated with High-Intensity Needs CFDA Number 84.325H  
Department of Education (Education), Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS)

Notice seeking applications to support three doctoral training consortia that will prepare leaders with highly specialized skills, knowledge, and expertise to address the needs of children, including infants, toddlers, and youth (referred to as "children" hereafter), with disabilities with high-intensity needs.

Applications are due July 29, 2019. Approximately \$3.9 million is available to support three awards up to 60 months. Cost sharing is required.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Establishment of a National Center on Restorative Justice, FY2019  
Department of Justice (Justice), National Institute of Justice (NIJ)

Notice seeking proposals to fund an accredited university of higher education or an accredited law school for the purposes of establishing a National Center on Restorative Justice. The Center will educate and train the next generation of juvenile and criminal justice leaders and support rigorous scientific research on the efficacy and effectiveness of restorative justice approaches.

Applications are due August 12, 2019. Approximately \$3 million is available to support one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Evaluation of Juvenile Corrections Executive Leadership Training, FY 2019  
Department of Justice (Justice), National Institute of Justice (NIJ)

Notice seeking proposals for a single evaluation project to examine the implementation and effectiveness of juvenile corrections executive leadership training.

Applications are due August 12, 2019. Approximately \$750,000 is available to fund one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Evaluation of Street Law Programs, FY 2019  
Department of Justice (Justice), National Institute of Justice (NIJ)

Notice seeking applications to implement a two-year expansion of the Police & Teens and Legal Life Skills programs. These programs provide training to adult volunteers and professionals to deliver educational programs for youth that are designed to build young people's knowledge and understanding of the law in order to advance civic responsibility, accountability, problem solving, and community participation.

Applications are due August 12, 2019. Approximately \$750,000 is available to support one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Human Dignity and Civil Rights for People with Disabilities  
Administration for Community Living (ACL), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking applications to ensure that Americans with intellectual disabilities and/or developmental disabilities (ID/DD) experience improved access to health care, life-saving treatments, and to mental health care - leading to greater equitable health care across our nation free from discrimination by carrying out the following three main activities: Conduct gap analysis of existing data and research, medical curricula, policies, guidelines, and protocols around medical discrimination issues that exist for the ID/DD population, including in areas such as organ transplants, pre-natal counseling, aging, end of life, mental health referrals, suicide ideation and any others identified by the applicant; Convene a panel of partners and stakeholders to use findings from gap analysis to develop and validate protocols to support medical professionals treating patients with ID/DD without discrimination; and Conduct national disseminate of protocols to multiple professionals in the medical and allied health fields to raise awareness of the issue and the resources.

Applications are due August 12, 2019. Approximately \$442,868 is available to support one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#), [Agency Site](#)

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Maternity Group Home Program  
Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking proposals to provide safe, stable, and appropriate shelter only for pregnant and/or parenting youth ages 16 to under 22 and their dependent child(ren) for 18 months and, under extenuating circumstances, up to 21 months. Service providers must accommodate for the needs and safety of the dependent children to include facility safety standards for infants and children on the premises.

Applications are due July 25, 2019. Approximately \$4.5 million is available to fund up to 18 awards.

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

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NV Fisheries and Aquatic Resource Management  
Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Department of the Interior (Interior)

Notice seeking applications to develop strategies that provide protection for sensitive riparian and wetland areas as well as maintain or restore stream function and stream access to floodplains while supporting multiple uses on public lands. The program manages and guides fish and aquatic habitat conservation, riparian and wetland conservation, control of aquatic invasive species, aquatic organism passage, and monitoring riparian and in stream habitat conditions and water quantity and quality condition and trends.

Applications are due July 12, 2019, August 12, 2019, and September 1, 2019. Up to \$175,000 is available to support two to three awards.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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OVC FY 2019 Specialized Human Trafficking Training and Technical Assistance and Resource Development  
Department of Justice (Justice), Office for Victims of Crime (OVC)

Notice seeking applications to enhance the quality of services available to assist victims of human trafficking by providing specialized training and technical assistance (TTA) to legal and social service providers, community organizations, and other stakeholders; to develop resources that commemorate the 20th anniversary of the passage of the Trafficking Victim Protection Act (TVPA) to raise public awareness, promote community outreach, and create educational activities around the country to address human trafficking; and to develop a key resource to improve the response to victims of human trafficking wherever they are identified.

Applications are due July 10, 2019. Approximately \$3.9 million is available to support up to five awards.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Promoting Postbaccalaureate Opportunities for Hispanic Americans Program CFDA Number 84.031M  
Department of Education (Education), Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE)

Notice seeking applications to receive funds in promotion of postbaccalaureate educational opportunities for, and to improve the academic attainment of, Hispanic students; and to expand the postbaccalaureate academic offerings, as well as enhance the program quality, in the institutions of higher education that are educating the majority of Hispanic college students and helping large numbers of Hispanic and low-income students complete postsecondary degrees.

Applications are due July 26, 2019. Approximately \$11.05 is available to support 21 awards. Eligibility limited to HSIs.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#), [Federal Register](#)

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School Climate Transformation Grant Program: Local Educational Agency Grants CFDA Number 84.184G  
Department of Education (Education), Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE)

Notice seeking applications to develop, enhance, or expand systems of support for, and technical assistance to, schools implementing a multi-tiered system of support, for improving school climate.

Applications are due July 22, 2019. Approximately \$40 million is available to support 80 awards. LEAs are eligible. Colleges and universities are eligible to partner.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#), [Federal Register](#)

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Notification of Request for Nominations to the National Environmental Justice Advisory Council  
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

Notice requesting nominations for the National Environmental Justice Advisory Council to provide advice regarding broad, cross-cutting issues related to environmental justice.

Nominations are due July 15, 2019.

LINKS: [Federal Register](#), [Agency Site](#)

## HEALTH and MENTAL HEALTH

Early-Stage Preclinical Validation of Therapeutic Leads for Diseases of Interest to the NIDDK (R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK)

Notice seeking applications to support translational research that provides strong justification for later-phase therapeutics discovery and development efforts in health-related outcomes relevant to the National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases. This includes outcomes relevant to obesity, diabetes and related aspects of endocrinology and metabolism, digestive diseases, liver diseases, nutrition, kidney and urological diseases, and hematology.

Optional letters of intent are due October 12 and June 14 annually through 2021. Applications are due November 12 and July 14 annually through 2021. Approximately \$1.5 million is available to fund three to four awards.

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

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Human Services Interoperability Innovations Department of Health and Human Services  
Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking applications to develop projects to identify effective and efficient data sharing solutions, and develop model practices for broader adoption across technology, business, legal, organizational, and process-oriented factors.

Letters of intent are due July 8, 2019. Applications are due August 6, 2019. Approximately \$1.2 million is available for three awards to support projects lasting up to one year. Grantees must provide at least 1 percent of the total approved cost of the project.

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

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NIAID New Innovators Awards (DP2 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

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

Notice seeking post-doctoral investigator applications to propose highly innovative bold new research with the potential to produce a major impact on broad, important problems in biomedical research of priority to NIAID. The program encourages creative, outside-the-box thinkers to pursue exciting and innovative ideas.

Requested letters of intent are due 30 days prior to the application due date. Applications are due October 10, 2019; October 14, 2020; and October 13, 2021 through October 14, 2021. The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations to support ten awards lasting up to five years.

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

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Pediatric Cardiac Genomics Consortium, Cardiovascular Developmental Biology Data Resource Center (U01 - Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

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

Notice seeking applications to identify genetic causes of human congenital heart disease (CHD) and to relate genetic variants in patients with CHD to clinical outcomes through collaborative, multi-center studies. The PCGC fosters investigation along the translational spectrum of CHD research through interactions with Cardiovascular Developmental Biology Data Resource Center and the Pediatric Heart Network (PHN). Together, they constitute the Bench to Bassinet Program (B2B). Sites not currently part of the PCGC are encouraged to apply and propose new directions for the consortium.

Optional letters of intent are due 30 days prior to application due date. Applications are due October 2, 2019. Over \$3 million is available for awards.

LINKS: [Grants.gov \(RFA-HL-20-015\)](#), [Grants.gov \(RFA-HL-20-017\)](#), [Solicitation \(RFA-HL-20-015\)](#)

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Research to Understand and Inform Interventions that Promote the Research Careers of Individuals in the Biomedical Sciences (R01 - Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

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

Notice seeking applications to test training, mentoring, and networking interventions intended to enhance research-oriented individuals' interest, motivation, persistence and preparedness for careers in the biomedical research workforce.

Requested letters of intent are due 30 days prior to the application due date. Applications are due February 5, June 5, and October 5, 2019 through January 8, 2022. Approximately \$250,000 in direct cost is available for up to five awards to support projects lasting up to five years.

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

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Aging, Driving and Early Detection of Dementia (R01 Clinical Trial Optional)

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

Notice seeking applications to conduct new research on automobile technology for signaling early signs of cognitive impairment in older drivers.

Optional letters of intent are due September 22, 2019. Applications are due October 22, 2019. Approximately \$3 million is available to fund four to six awards.

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

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Clinical Studies of Mental Illness (Collaborative R01 Clinical Trial Optional)  
National Institutes of Health (NIH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH)

Notice seeking applications to support collaborative clinical studies, not involving treatment development, efficacy, or effectiveness trials. Primary areas of focus include mental health genetics, biomarker studies, and studies of mental illnesses (e.g., psychopathology, neurodevelopmental trajectories of psychopathology) also when associated with HIV/AIDS. Applicants should apply to this FOA when two or more sites are needed to complete the study.

Applications are due annually on February 5, June 5, and October 5. Program expires September 8, 2022.

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

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Drug Development Tools Research Grants (U01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)  
Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (CDER)

Notice seeking applications to support research to continue the development of drug development tools that have an accepted Letter of Intent within CDER's Drug Development Tool Qualification Program.

Applications are due August 5, 2019. Approximately \$7 million is available to support up to 30 awards.

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

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Influenza Surveillance Networks and Response to Avian, Pandemic, and Seasonal Influenza by National Health Authorities Outside the United States  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking applications to support countries' full participation in a global influenza network; to enhance and maintain their surveillance efforts; further strengthen their connections between the influenza network and national institutions, especially WHO National Influenza Centers (NICs); and facilitate participation in the WHO Global Influenza Surveillance and Response System (GISRS) by sharing specimens and clinical and epidemiologic data on the circulation of influenza.

Requested letters of intent are due June 21, 2019. Applications are due July 26, 2019. Approximately \$6 million is available to support 14 awards.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Mental and Substance Use Disorder Practitioner Data  
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking applications to provide comprehensive data and analysis on individuals who comprise the prevention and treatment fields to address mental and substance use disorders. The goal of the program is to provide valid data on the existing practitioners and usable information to SAMHSA on which to make policy and planning decisions.

Applications are due August 12, 2019. Approximately \$1 million is available to fund one award.

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

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National Advisory Council for Healthcare Research and Quality: Request for Nominations for Members  
Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice requesting nominations for the National Advisory Council for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ). AHRQ produces evidence to make health care safer, higher quality, more accessible, equitable, and affordable, and to work within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and with other partners to make sure that the evidence is understood and used.

Nominations should be received no later than August 28, 2019.

LINKS: [Federal Register](#)

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Request for Information; Reducing Administrative Burden To Put Patients Over Paperwork  
Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice seeking public comment on ideas for regulatory, subregulatory, policy, practice, and procedural changes that reduce unnecessary administrative burdens for clinicians, providers, patients and their families in relation to Medicare and Medicaid.

Comments are due August 12, 2019.

LINKS: [Federal Register](#), [Agency Site](#)

## SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, and MATHEMATICS

2019 South FL Initiative  
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

Notice seeking applications to address multiple health and safety goals linked to projects for the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary Water Quality Protection Program, Southeast Florida Coral Reef Initiative, Caloosahatchee Estuary, Indian River Lagoon, Florida Bay and Biscayne Bay.

Applications are due July 15, 2019. Approximately \$2 million is available for up to 12 awards to support projects.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Advanced Transportation and Congestion Management Technologies Deployment Initiative  
U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)

Notice seeking applications to develop model deployment sites for large scale installation and operation of advanced transportation technologies to improve safety, efficiency, system performance, and infrastructure return on investment.

Applications are due July 18, 2019. Approximately \$60 million is available for multiple awards.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#), [Agency Site](#)

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AGC Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)  
Army (Army), Department of Defense (Defense)

Notice seeking Army Geospatial Center (AGC) proposals to provide for competitive selection of basic and applied research, advanced technology development, and advanced component development and

prototypes (hereinafter referred to as research). This announcement is general in nature and addresses multiple topic areas of research for the Systems and Acquisition Support Directorate and the Warfighter Support Directorate.

Proposals are due anytime until June 6, 2020. Multiple awards are anticipated.

LINKS: [FBO](#)

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Desert Tortoise Monitoring Final Database Developer  
Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS), Department of the Interior (Interior)

Notice seeking applications to prepare user-ready databases and perform related activities for data collected to monitor trends in densities of the Mojave population of the desert tortoise in Nevada, California, Arizona and Utah.

Applications are due August 7, 2019. Approximately \$190,000 is available for one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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NASA Kennedy Space Center - Technology Advancing Partnerships Cooperative Agreement Notice  
National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

Notice seeking proposals for a cooperative agreement with NASA that will enhance identified technology needs by sharing in the development cost of technology that meets a specified NASA interest, and interact with appointed contacts on a regular basis.

Proposals may be submitted at any time. Cost-sharing is required. Multiple awards of up to \$30,000 are anticipated.

LINKS: [FBO](#), [Solicitation](#)

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ROSBio-2018 Appendix C: Development of Microgravity Food Production: Plant Watering, Volume Management, and Novel Plant Research on the International Space Station  
National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

Notice seeking proposals to research and develop projects that will lead to the creation of a more reliable water and nutrient delivery approach/concept for growing edible pick-and-eat plants for multiple generations in microgravity and lay the foundation for new hardware.

Step I proposals are due July 5, 2019. Step II proposals are due September 26, 2019. Approximately \$225,000, per award, is available for five awards.

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

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Soundscapes and Auditory Evoked Potentials to Inform Acoustic Deterrents for Bigheaded Carp  
Department of the Interior (Interior)

Notice seeking applications to assess the hearing sensitivity of some native species of concern, specifically, Freshwater Drum and Bigmouth Buffalo and measure the ambient soundscape at a lock and dam (Lock and Dam 19) on the Mississippi River as a potential site for acoustic deterrent development.

Applications are due June 20, 2019. Approximately \$100,000 is available for one award.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Naval Air Warfare Center Aircraft Division (NAWCAD) Office-Wide  
Department of Defense (Defense), NAVAIR

Notice seeking white papers for Research and Development Projects which offer potential for advancement and improvement of Naval Air Warfare Center Aircraft Division operations.

White paper submission period ends June 6, 2020. Cost sharing is not required; however, it will be carefully considered where there is an applicable statutory condition relating to the selected funding instrument.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#), [FBO](#)

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Request for Information (RFI): Marine Sciences Laboratory  
Department of Energy (Energy), Golden Field Office

Notice soliciting feedback from industry, academia, research laboratories, government agencies, and other stakeholders on issues related to the growing Research and Development (R&D) interest in the use of the Pacific Northwest National Laboratory's (PNNL's) Marine Sciences Laboratory (MSL) facilities for renewable energy, maritime markets, and energy storage research, technology development and testing. This information will help DOE and PNNL prioritize resources and investments.

Responses to this RFI must be submitted electronically to [WPTORFI@ee.doe.gov](mailto:WPTORFI@ee.doe.gov) no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 8, 2019. Responses must be provided as attachments to an email. Only electronic responses will be accepted.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#), [Agency Site](#)

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Disruptive Capabilities for Future Warfare  
Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA), Department of Defense (Defense), Tactical Technology Office (TTO)

Notice seeking proposals or applied research, advanced technology development, and platform demonstrations that aim to enable disruptive capabilities for future warfare.

Proposals are due June 11, 2020. Multiple awards are anticipated.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#), [FBO](#)

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Dwight David Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship Program (DDETFP) Grants for Research Fellowship  
U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)

Notice seeking applications to provide funding for students to pursue master's or doctoral degrees in transportation-related disciplines. The program objectives are: 1) to attract the Nation's brightest minds to the field of transportation; 2) to enhance the careers of transportation professionals by encouraging them to seek advanced degrees; and 3) to retain top talent in the transportation industry of the United States.

Applications are due July 25, 2019. Approximately \$240,000 is available to support up to four awards.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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ROSES 2019: Studies with ICESat-2  
National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

Notice seeking proposals for Earth science research using observations from the Ice, Cloud, and land Elevation Satellite-2 (ICESat-2), which was launched on September 15, 2018. The Advanced Topographic

Laser Altimeter System (ATLAS) instrument on ICESat-2 is the most advanced, highest-resolution altimetry instrument ever placed in Earth orbit.

Requested notices of intent are due August 1, 2019. Proposals are due October 8, 2019. Approximately \$3.5 million is available.

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

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Development of Best Practices in Physiologically Based Pharmacokinetic Modeling to Support Clinical Pharmacology Regulatory Decision-Making; Public Workshop  
Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Notice announcing a public workshop to develop Best Practices in Physiologically Based Pharmacokinetic Modeling to Support Clinical Pharmacology Regulatory Decision-Making.

The workshop will be held November 18, 2019 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ET at the FDA White Oak Campus, 10903 New Hampshire Ave., Bldg. 31 Conference Center, the Great Room, Silver Spring, MD.

LINKS: [Federal Register](#), [Agency Site](#)

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Aquatic Species of Concern  
Department of Defense (Defense)

Notice seeking statements of interest to identify potential investigators for a project to be funded by Redstone Arsenal which provides professional and technical support for its Natural Resource Program in order to facilitate successful implementation of their commitments to manage resources in accordance with the Sikes Act.

Statements of interest are due June 21, 2019. Approximately \$142,000 is available.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

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Partnerships for Commercial Optical Communication Systems  
National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC)

Seeking proposals to advance commercial space-related efforts by facilitating access to NASA's spaceflight resources including technical expertise, assessments, lessons learned, and data. With this activity, NASA intends to focus on facilitating the development of integrated optical communications space capabilities.

Proposal Executive Summaries are due September 4, 2019. NASA does not intend to provide any funding to participants under these Reimbursable Space Act Agreements (SAAs).

LINKS: [FBO](#)

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Request for Nominations of Candidates for EPA's Science Advisory Board Economic Guidelines Review Panel  
Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

Notice requesting nominations for the EPA's Science Advisory Board Economic Guidelines Review Panel, which provides independent scientific and technical peer review, advice and recommendations to the EPA Administrator on the technical basis for EPA actions.

Nominations should be received by July 3, 2019.

LINKS: [Federal Register](#), [Agency Site](#)