

ARTS, HUMANITIES, and INTERNATIONAL

Advancing Global Health

Notice seeking applications to advance the America First Global Health Strategy through its new Advancing Global Health (AGH) program, which aims to save lives, strengthen health systems, enhance efficiency, foster self-reliance, and ensure U.S. investments benefit American safety, strength, and prosperity.

Applications are accepted on a rolling basis. An estimated \$4.5 billion is available to fund up to 100 awards.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

Sydney Brenner Research Fellowship

Notice seeking applications for work on a significant research project in the history of the life sciences. Ideal projects will be advanced and broad in scope, with at least some relevance to collections in the Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Archives.

Applications are due August 31, 2026. Stipends are up to \$5,000 to fund travel and other expenses. Scholars (at any career stage), journalists, writers, filmmakers, and creative artists are eligible.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#)

Collections Stewardship

Notice seeking applications to advance the preservation and availability of physical and digital collections important for research, teaching, and public engagement in the humanities.

Applications are due May 11, 2026. Awards are from \$50,000 to \$500,000.

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

Cultural Property Agreements Implementation Grants

Notice seeking applications for projects to protect cultural property from looting, theft, and trafficking, or other security threats.

Applications vary by participating U.S. embassy or consulate. An estimated \$500,000 is available to fund three to eight awards.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

EDUCATION and ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Horticultural Research Institute Grants

Notice seeking applications to fund research that specifically deals with green industry-related issues. HRI-supported projects focus on significant problems, regulatory issues, and emerging opportunities in the nursery, greenhouse, retail, and landscape industry. HRI research focuses on the propagation, production, distribution, marketing, and sale of plant material.

Applications are due May 31, 2026. Grants are typically between \$10,000 and \$35,000.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#)

WaterSMART: Applied Science Grants

Notice seeking applications to plan for and implement actions to increase water supply reliability through investments in existing infrastructure and attention to local water conflicts.

Applications are due July 8, 2026. An estimated \$6 million is available to fund approximately 20 awards. Eligibility is limited to organizations in Western U.S. states and U.S. territories including: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wyoming, American Samoa, Guam, the Northern Mariana Islands, the Virgin Islands, and Puerto Rico.

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

APSA Advancing Research Grants for Early Career Scholars

Notice seeking applications from early career scholars whose research areas focus on one or more of the following target research areas: race, ethnicity and politics; racial and social justice; systemic racism, inequality and inequity; gender, sexuality and politics; LGBTQ+ politics; and accessibility politics.

Applications are due May 3, 2026. Grants will range between \$2000 – \$2500.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#)

National Wildlife Federation Graduate Fellowships

Notice seeking applicants for graduate research fellowship opportunities. The three different research areas include, EcoLeader Community research, EcoCareer Green Jobs research, and Wildlife Education research. Applicants may be from any discipline.

Applications are due April 5, 2026. Fellows will receive a \$4,750 stipend.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#)

Puget Sound Action Agenda - Strategic Implementation Leads

Notice seeking applications to provide public federal funds to advance Puget Sound ecosystem recovery. The three focus areas of this NOFO are Habitat/Marine, Shellfish, and Stormwater.

Applications are due May 11, 2026. An estimated \$123 million is available to fund up to three awards. Cost sharing of 50% of the total project cost are required.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

SPSSI Grants-in-Aid Program

Notice seeking applications to support scientific research in social problem areas related to the basic interests and goals of SPSSI and particularly those that are not likely to receive support from traditional sources.

Applications are due May 15, 2026. Funding up to \$1000 is available for graduate student research. The applicant must be a member of SPSSI. Applicants may submit only one application per deadline. Membership is \$25 for graduate students.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#)

HEALTH and MENTAL HEALTH

2026 IOCDF Research Grant Awards

Notice seeking applications to advance scientific understanding of OCD and related disorders, improve existing therapies, and discover new and more effective treatments. Two types of grants will be offered in 2026: Michael Jenike Young Investigator Awards and an Innovator Award.

Applications are due April 14, 2026. Young Investigator Awards are worth up to \$50,000 and the Innovator Award is worth up to \$300,000.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#)

AACR-Lobular Breast Cancer Alliance Invasive Lobular Carcinoma

Notice seeking applications for a fellowship and grants to combat invasive lobular carcinoma (ILC), also known as lobular breast cancer. Both the fellowship and grants aim to support and encourage innovative research projects focused on ILC.

Applications are due April 9, 2026. The fellowship provides a two-year grant of \$130,000. Each grant provides \$50,000 over one year for expenses related to the research project. Eligibility is limited to applicants with a doctoral degree and must not be currently enrolled in a doctoral program.

LINKS: [Agency Site \(Fellowship\)](#); [Agency Site \(Grants\)](#)

Canine Health and Welfare Established Investigator, First Award, Pilot Study, and Fellowship Training Awards

Notice seeking pre-proposals to advance the health of animals, specifically focused on open-topic canine health and welfare. There are four award categories: Established Investigator, First Award, Pilot Study, and Fellowship Training.

Pre-proposals are due April 1, 2026. Award amounts and eligibility vary by award category.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#)

Development of Collaborative Research Facilities or Research-Resource Facilities (C06 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

Notice seeking applications to develop shared-use research facilities or research-supporting facilities that enable collaborative research and benefit broad research communities at large. There are two existing construction programs: The Biomedical Research Facilities (BRF) program and the HIV/AIDS Research Facilities (HRF) program.

Applications are due April 6, 2026. Multiple awards are anticipated with a minimum accepted budget being \$2 million. Program expires in January 26, 2028.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

Pharmacy Leadership Scholars Research Grant Program

Notice seeking applications for research on access to healthcare and health outcomes in patient-care practice settings that is conducted by early-stage pharmacist researchers.

Applications are due March 31, 2026. This program offers up to five grants of \$10,000 each. The principal investigator must be an early-stage licensed pharmacist within the first ten years post their terminal training.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#)

PhRMA Foundation Research Awards

Notice seeking applications for predoctoral fellowships, postdoctoral fellowships and Faculty Starter Grants under three Research areas: Drug Discovery, Drug Delivery, and Translational Medicine.

Fellowships and grants under Drug Discovery and Drug Delivery are due April 15, 2026. Fellowships and grants under Translational Medicine are due May 27, 2026. Funding amounts and eligibility vary by award.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#)

Virtual-Integrated Twin for Autonomous Lifesaving (VITAL) Proposers Day

Notice announcing a proposer's day event for the potential proposer community in support of the Virtual-Integrated Twin for Autonomous Lifesaving (VITAL) Program.

This event will take place on March 31, 2026 and will be available virtually. Registration must be completed by March 23, 2026.

LINKS: [Contract Opportunities](#); [Agency Site](#)

Charles W. Finley Visiting Scholar Education Grants

Notice seeking applications to accredited U.S. periodontal programs to offset honoraria, travel, promotion, and seminars by speakers in periodontology. The grants must be matched by funds from each department or institution.

Applications are due by April 1, 2026. Awards may vary.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#)

The Cure Starts Now Foundation Grants

Notice seeking applications to fund basic, translational and clinical trials that further efforts in a homerun cure strategy for all cancers, starting with pediatric brain cancer. Our core initiatives focus on diffuse intrinsic pontine glioma (DIPG), diffuse midline glioma (DMG) and Medulloblastoma – though we have a history of funding other pediatric brain tumor research that contributes to our mission.

Applications are due June 1, 2026. Awards may vary. Applicants must hold an MD, DO, PhD, DrPH. or equivalent degree and be affiliated with a non-profit organization or a recognized medical or scientific organization.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#)

National Advisory Council on Aging

Notice seeking participation in a public meeting. The open portion of the meeting includes updates and the Director's Status report.

The open meeting will be held May 13, 2026.

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

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, and MATHEMATICS

Snow Water Supply Forecasting Program FY 2026

Notice seeking applications to improve the skill of water supply forecasts by enhancing snow monitoring using emerging technologies to complement existing monitoring techniques and networks.

Applications are due May 5, 2026. An estimated \$6.5 million is available to fund up to seven awards ranging from \$300,000 to \$999,999.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

BAA DEVCOM AC Emerging Technologies

Notice seeking proposals for new and novel ideas are sought for the research and development of technologies to fill the complete spectrum of Armaments Center technology needs throughout our product life cycles through interactive collaborations with industry and academia, the Government expects to advance the development and maturation of areas of technology as applied to armament and associated systems.

Proposals and white papers may be submitted any time until March 4, 2031. Award may vary.

LINKS: [Contract Opportunities](#)

Organic Agriculture Research and Extension Initiative - OREI Planning Projects for Assistance in Development of Future OREI Proposals Requiring Multi-regional or Regional Coordination

Notice seeking applications to fund high priority integrated projects that will enhance the ability of producers and processors who have already adopted organic standards to grow and market high quality organic agricultural products and to increase resilience in American farming systems. Priority concerns include biological and physical sciences, and economics.

Applications are due May 14, 2026. An estimated \$550,000 is available to fund up to 11 awards.

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

Organic Agriculture Research and Extension Initiative - OREI Research Projects with Extension and-or Education Components

Notice seeking applications to fund high priority integrated projects that will enhance the ability of producers and processors who have already adopted organic standards to grow and market high quality organic agricultural products and to increase resilience in American farming systems. Priority concerns include biological and physical sciences, and economics.

Applications are due May 14, 2026. An estimated \$65 million is available to fund up to 26 awards. Cost sharing is required.

LINKS: [Grants.gov](#)

Organic Agriculture Research and Extension Initiative - OREI Workshop Projects

Notice seeking applications for OREI workshop projects for FY 2026 to solve U.S. organic agriculture issues, priorities, or problems through the integration of research, education, and extension/outreach. Workshop proposals support workshops or symposia bringing together scientists and others, including end users, to identify research, education, or extension/outreach needs; update information; or advance understanding of organic issues and problems using a systems-based approach.

Applications are due May 14, 2026. An estimated \$450,000 is available to fund up to six awards.

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

Quantum Benchmarking Initiative Topic (QBIT) Stage A

Notice seeking proposals to solicit innovative approaches addressing challenges related to quantum computing. The QBIT will examine approaches to constructing a utility-scale fault-tolerant quantum computer and computational workflows that include quantum compute steps. Proposed research should investigate approaches that enable revolutionary advances in design, engineering, testing, and evaluation of such systems. DARPA is currently soliciting abstracts for Stage A efforts only. Stage A will focus on the performer's concept for a USQC. It is anticipated that in the first three months, performers will develop a system concept report which will be delivered to the government test and evaluation (T&E) team and reviewed at a concept design review at month four.

Abstracts are due July 31, 2026. Awards are up to \$1 million.

LINKS: [Contract Opportunities](#)

NTIA Innovation Fund AI RAN Listening Session

Notice announcing a meeting of the Innovation Fund AI RAN Listening session. It supports U.S. leadership in the global telecommunications ecosystem, fosters competition, and strengthens our supply chain. This listening session will focus on advancing AI-native telecommunications networks through the Innovation Fund.

The listening session will be held on March 23, 2026, from 9:00 a.m. to 12 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time. The session will be held hybrid, with participation available both via Microsoft Teams and in-person at The MITRE Corporation's location in McLean, Virginia. Online slide share and dial-in information to be posted at www.ntia.gov/program/innovation-fund.

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