

ARTS, HUMANITIES, and INTERNATIONAL

U.S. Embassy Kingston Public Diplomacy Grants Program

Notice seeking proposals that show clear benefit to the U.S.-Jamaica bilateral relationship and seek to promote a safer, stronger, and more prosperous Jamaica AND America and/or celebrate American excellence. Priority program areas include: Combating Financial Scamming and Other Criminal Activity; Programs for At-Risk Youth; Anti-Corruption and Transparency; Economic Prosperity; Global Health; Human Rights and Democracy; and Science, Technology, and Innovation.

Concept Notes are due May 16, 2025. The maximum award amount is \$25,000.

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

EDUCATION and ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Generic Clearance for Community Resilience Data Collections

Notice seeking comments regarding an extension of a previously approved submission. The results of the data collected will be used to decrease negative impacts of disasters on society, and, in turn, increase community resilience to disasters within the U.S. communities.

Comments must be received on or before June 10, 2025. Comments can be submitted by mail or email.

LINKS: [Federal Register](#)

Empower to Grow (E2G) Program Manufacturing

Notice seeking applications to empower small businesses, bring manufacturing jobs back to the United States, and address workforce shortages, operational inefficiencies, and limited access to contract opportunities.

Applications are due May 12, 2025. An estimated \$1.15 million is available.

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

Research Grants on Education - Large

Notice seeking proposals to support education research projects with the potential to contribute to the improvement of education, broadly conceived. The program supports proposals from multiple disciplinary and methodological perspectives, both domestically and internationally, from scholars at various stages in their careers.

Intents to apply are due May 14, 2025. Grants of \$125,000 to \$500,000 over one to five years will be awarded.

LINKS: [Solicitation](#); [Spencer Foundation](#)

HEALTH and MENTAL HEALTH

2025 Seed Grants

Notice seeking applications for research on gambling disorder and responsible gambling. It's in support of a variety of research activities, exploring the etiology, prevention and treatment of gambling disorder, and the development and evaluation of responsible gambling strategies, such as: Pilot and feasibility studies; Secondary analysis of existing data; Small, self-contained research projects; Development of research methodology; and Development of new research technology.

Applications are due May 16, 2025. Grant amounts are up to \$40,000 for one year.

LINKS: [Solicitation](#); [International Center for Responsible Gaming](#)

Pediatric Research

Notice seeking concept papers for projects that focus on improving the health, nutrition, and/or developmental outcomes for infants and young children. The focus areas include: Pediatric Health, Pediatric Nutrition, and Environmental Hazards (Nutrient Competitors).

Concept papers are due May 15, 2025. Grants are up to \$350,000 over three years.

LINKS: [Agency Site](#); [Gerber Foundation](#)

Autism and Neuroscience Conferences and Courses Awards

Notice seeking applications for funding of courses and conferences that align with the following Simons programs: Simons Foundation Autism Research Initiative, the Simons Collaboration on Plasticity and the Aging Brain, and/or the Simons Collaboration on the Global Brain.

Letters of intent are due May 22, 2025. Full proposals by invitation only are due July 24, 2025. For requesting amounts greater than \$25,000 per year, applicants must receive prior written consent and must do so by reaching out to the contact below by May 9, 2025.

LINKS: [Solicitation](#); [Simons Foundation](#)

Career Transition Fellowship

Notice seeking applications that targets current postdoctoral trainees who demonstrate both commitment and exceptional potential to conduct MS-related research.

Pre-applications are due May 14, 2025. The award provides approximately \$600,000 over five years to support a two-year period of advanced postdoctoral training in MS research and the first three years of research support in a new faculty appointment.

LINKS: [Solicitation](#); [National Multiple Sclerosis Society](#)

National Cancer Institute (NCI) Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Innovative Concept Award Program - Fiscal Year 2026

Notice seeking proposals to demonstrate technical feasibility and proof-of-concept for the development of highly innovative and potentially transformative technologies in the following areas: 1) development of therapeutic or preventative technologies for the treatment or prevention of pediatric cancers and/or rare cancers; 2) development of devices, diagnostic technologies, or digital health tools for the treatment, detection, and diagnosis of pediatric cancers and/or rare cancers.

Proposals are due September 26, 2025. Eligibility is limited to small businesses, but partnership opportunities exist for colleges and universities.

LINKS: [Contract Opportunities](#)

Ovarian Cancer Research

Notice seeking applications for its 2025 ovarian cancer medical research program. It offers women's health and wellness services, including public awareness and education of the signs, symptoms and risk factors of ovarian cancer, provides support to those impacted by the disease, and raises funds for research in order to find a screening test and a cure.

Applications are accepted on a rolling basis until April 13, 2026. Requests of up to \$20,000 per year will be considered.

LINKS: [Solicitation](#); [Tell Every Amazing Lady About Ovarian Cancer Louisa M. McGregor Ovarian Cancer Foundation](#)

Research on the Effects of Advertising and Messaging in Lottery Gambling

Notice seeking applications designed to support research that examines how lottery-specific advertising and messaging contribute to awareness, prevention, and treatment efforts for gambling disorder. The goal is to generate actionable insights to inform responsible advertising practices and public health strategies that minimize harm while encouraging individuals with gambling-related problems to seek help.

Applications are due May 16, 2025. Grants of up to \$75,000 per year for up to two years will be awarded to explore research exploring the impact of advertising, promotions, and public awareness messaging on lottery gambling and gambling-related harms.

LINKS: [Solicitation](#); [International Center for Responsible Gaming](#)

National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases; Notice of Meeting

Notice announcing a hybrid public meeting. The agenda includes: a call to order; introductions; consideration of minutes and overview of council operating procedures; NIAMS director's report; open discussion and other business of council.

The meeting will be held June 3, 2025. Comments may be submitted to contact person.

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

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, and MATHEMATICS

AFRL RX Functional Materials Open BAA

Notice seeking white papers that enable new warfighting capabilities, significantly improve the effectiveness of warfighters and their current and future systems and solve urgent operational needs.

White papers are due any time until October 28, 2026. An estimated \$75 million is available per contract. Multiple awards are anticipated.

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

Air Dominance Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)

Notice seeking white papers to support research as defined to be the scientific study and experimentation directed at increasing knowledge and understanding in relation to long term national security needs.

Technical research areas range from Modeling, Simulation, & Analysis (MS&A) to Artificial Intelligence / Autonomy.

White papers are accepted on a rolling basis until 2029. The anticipated cumulative amount for awards issued under this BAA will not exceed \$750 million.

LINKS: [Contract Opportunities](#)

C2 Cross Functional Team (CFT) Broad Agency Announcement

Notice seeking white papers aiming research to assist the Army with modernizing network with technology currently available. To be eligible for consideration and possible award, the technology or methodology shall be either basic research, applied research, or advanced technology development.

White papers are accepted on a rolling basis until the termination of this Broad Agency Announcement.

LINKS: [Contract Opportunities](#)

FY24 25 Naval Aviation North Stars Enterprise-Wide Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)

Notice seeking white papers detailing innovative research, rapid prototyping, demonstration, and experimentation projects that enhance integrated warfighting capabilities. Key focus areas range from Cyber Resilient Secure Communications to Multi-Domain Awareness (MDA).

White papers are due any time until September 3, 2025. Multiple awards are anticipated.

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

Incorporating Human Behavior in Epidemiological Models (IHBEM)

Notice seeking proposals outlining research that incorporates social and behavioral processes in mathematical epidemiological models. The Incorporating Human Behavior in Epidemiological Models (IHBEM) program provides support for projects that involve integrated participation from the mathematical and social, behavioral, and economic sciences.

Proposals are due July 14, 2025. An anticipated \$4 million to \$6 million is available to fund 10 to 15 awards.

LINKS: [Solicitation](#)

Mojave Desert Tortoise Recovery Partnership 2025

Notice seeking proposals for the NFWF's Mojave Desert Tortoise Recovery Partnership with goals to restore, protect, and enhance populations of Mojave desert tortoise and their habitat in California's western Mojave Desert.

Proposals are due May 14, 2025. Awards may vary.

LINKS: [Solicitation](#); [National Fish and Wildlife Foundation](#)

NeedipeDIA Commercial Solutions Opening (CSO), Call # CSO-0025-001, Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning (AI ML) Task Force SABRE

Notice seeking white papers outlining revolutionary or innovative Artificial Intelligence (AI) Machine Learning (ML) prototype project, focusing on the next generation of capabilities and platforms to outpace strategic competitors and advance enterprise integration. Projects will develop and demonstrate new AI/ML capabilities currently not resident in legacy systems, but may significantly improve existing capabilities, and/or will apply techniques developed for commercial or non-intelligence applications to current intelligence gaps in an ingenious manner.

White papers are due April 30, 2025. Award funding and number of awards will depend on the availability of program funds and on the number and applicability of submissions received.

LINKS: [Contract Opportunities](#)

NGA - Boosting Innovative GEOINT - Science & Technology Broad Agency Announcement (BIG-ST BAA)

Notice seeking proposals to promote NGA Research in its goal to deliver future Geospatial-Intelligence (GEOINT) capabilities to users for operational impact. NGA Research promotes research initiatives across a broad spectrum of science and engineering disciplines, and transforms these initiatives into disruptive GEOINT capabilities in support of U.S. national security.

Abstracts and Proposals will be announced via Topic Calls throughout the open period of this BAA which ends on December 14, 2026.

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

Pivot Fellowships

Notice seeking applications for the Pivot Fellowship program that will support researchers with a strong track record of success and achievement in their current field, and a deep interest, curiosity and drive to make contributions to a new discipline within the natural sciences.

Applications are due May 15, 2025. A Pivot Fellowship provides one year of salary support of the fellow's academic-year salary and a \$10,000 research, travel and professional development during the fellowship training year. Mentors will receive a \$50,000 research fund during the fellowship year. Fellows and mentors must hold a PhD, MD, or equivalent degree in the natural sciences and be faculty at an academic institution or hold an equivalent position.

LINKS: [Solicitation](#); [Simons Foundation](#)

Air Force Research Lab, Autonomy Industry Day, Dayton OH

Notice announcing an Industry Day event with industry partners invested in technologies related to autonomy software. The objective is to align the government-industry community by (a) gathering situational awareness on industry's readiness to help AFRL develop, prototype, and transition autonomy technologies in the current or next epochs and (b) informing and guiding IR&D and other investments to align with DAF and DoD needs.

The event will be held during of week of May 6-8, 2025 hosted by the Air Force Research Laboratory in Dayton, Ohio.

LINKS: [Contract Opportunities](#); [Registration](#)

Archaeology Program Senior Research Awards

Notice seeking proposals that supports anthropologically relevant archaeological research to increase understanding of past behaviors. This means that the value of the proposed research can be justified within

an anthropological context. It is the responsibility of the investigator to explain convincingly why the focus of their research is significant and has the potential to contribute to anthropological knowledge.

Proposals are due July 1, 2025. An estimated \$5 million to \$6 million is available to fund 20 to 30 awards.

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

Artificial Intelligence Integration Center (AI2C) - Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)

Notice seeking seeking artificial intelligence research and development whitepapers and proposals in support of new technologies and translational research-based approaches that support the identification, alignment, and exploitation of basic, applied, and advanced research.

Proposals are accepted anytime until May 31, 2029.

LINKS: [Contract Opportunities](#)

Education and Broadening Participation in Earth Sciences

Notice seeking proposals that engage a wide range of audiences in Earth Sciences research efforts, which are: 1) Research Experiences for Undergraduates and Teachers; 2) EAR Postdoctoral Fellowships and 3) Faculty Early Career Development (CAREER).

Proposals are accepted anytime.

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

Mind, Machine and Motor Nexus

Notice seeking proposals that supports fundamental research that enables intelligent engineered systems and humans to engage in bidirectional interaction in a physics-based environment, to enhance and ensure safety, productivity, and well-being.

Proposals are accepted anytime.

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

The Research on Research Security Program

Notice seeking proposals that supports interdisciplinary, evidence-based research to enhance understanding of security risks, practices and policies to safeguard the U.S. research enterprise and foster a strong academic field in research security.

Proposals are accepted anytime.

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