



GRANTS ASSISTANCE INFORMATION NEWSLETTER

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Special Federal Program Notices

HAWAII APPLICANTS ENCOURAGED

Reminders:

**Institute of Museum and Library Services
Native Hawaiian Library Services Grants Program**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NAG-HAWAIIAN-FY15
Funding Opportunity Title:	Native Hawaiian Library Services Grants Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA) Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5
CFDA Number(s):	45.311 -- Native American and Native Hawaiian Library Services
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 29, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 29, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 1, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 1, 2015
Archive Date:	May 1, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$550,000
Award Ceiling:	\$150,000
Award Floor:	\$10,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Native Hawaiian Library Services grants are available to

nonprofit organizations that primarily serve and represent Native Hawaiians (as the term is defined in 20 U.S.C. § 7517). The term "Native Hawaiian" refers to an individual who is a citizen of the United States and a descendant of the aboriginal people who, before 1778, occupied and exercised sovereignty in the area that now comprises the State of Hawaii.

Agency Name:

Institute of Museum and Library Services

Description:

Native Hawaiian Library Services grant projects may enhance existing library services or implement new library services, particularly as they relate to the following goals in the updated Museum and Library Services Act (20 U.S.C. §9141): 1. Expanding services for learning and access to information and educational resources in a variety of formats, in all types of libraries, for individuals of all ages in order to support such individuals' needs for education, lifelong learning, workforce development, and digital literacy skills 2. Establishing or enhancing electronic and other linkages and improved coordination among and between libraries and entities for the purpose of improving the quality of and access to library and information services 3. (A) Providing training and professional development, including continuing education, to enhance the skills of the current library workforce and leadership, and advance the delivery of library and information services, and (B) Enhancing efforts to recruit future professionals to the field of library and information services 4. Developing public and private partnerships with other agencies and community-based organizations 5. Targeting library services to individuals of diverse geographic, cultural, and socioeconomic backgrounds, to individuals with disabilities, and to individuals with limited functional literacy or information skills 6. Targeting library and information services to persons having difficulty using a library and to underserved urban and rural communities, including children (from birth through age 17) from families with incomes below the poverty line (as defined by the Office of Management and Budget and revised annually in accordance with section 9902(2) of title 42) applicable to a family of the size involved 7. Developing library services that provide all users access to information through local, state, regional, national, and international collaborations and networks 8. Carrying out other activities consistent with the purposes of the Library Services and Technology subchapter of the IMLS statute (20 U.S.C. §9121)

Link to Additional Information:

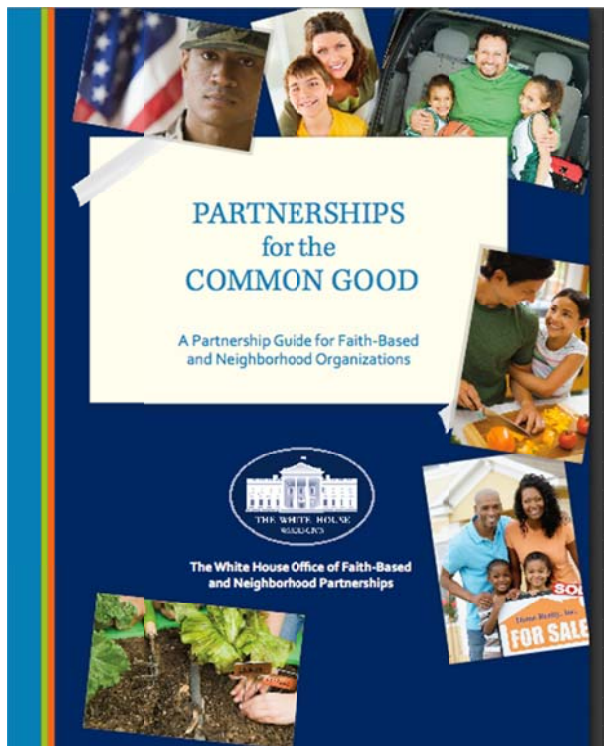
<http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?GrantId=18>

Contact Information:

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=272409>



This Manual for faith-based organizations is an excellent guide to review and use.

<http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/faithbasedtoolkit.pdf>

Reminders:

Consumer Product Safety Commission
Pool Safety Grant Program
Modifications 1 & 3

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number:

Funding Opportunity Title:

Opportunity Category:

Funding Instrument Type:

Category of Funding Activity:

Grants Notice

CP-VGB-15-001

Pool Safety Grant Program

Discretionary

Grant

Consumer Protection

Education

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category")

Category Explanation:	of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Expected Number of Awards:	none
CFDA Number(s):	4
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	87.002 -- Virginia Graeme Baker Pool and Spa Safety
Posted Date:	No
Creation Date:	Feb 2, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 4, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 19, 2015 No Explanation
Archive Date:	Mar 19, 2015 No Explanation
Estimated Total Program Funding:	Apr 18, 2015
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000
Award Floor:	\$250,000
Eligible Applicants:	\$0
	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
	State governments
	County governments
	City or township governments
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Applicants shall demonstrate to CPSC satisfaction that the applicant has a state or local law that meets the requirements specified in Sections 1405 and 1406 of the VGB Act (15 U.S.C. Sections 8004 and 8005). The VGB Act can be accessed at: www.poolsafely.gov/pool-spa-safety-act/read/ . Additional information regarding the PGSP can be accessed at: http://www.poolsafely.gov/grants/vgbfy15/
Agency Name:	Consumer Product Safety Commission
Description:	In accordance with the Virginia Graeme Baker Pool and Spa Safety Act (VGB Act), the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) is accepting applications for the Fiscal Year 2015 Pool Safely Grant Program (PSGP). The purpose of this program is to prevent the drowning and drain entrapments of children in pools and spas. The PSGP seeks to provide state and local governments with assistance for prevention education and enforcement of pool safety requirements.
Link to Additional Information:	Pool Safely Grant Program
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:
	Grants.gov Contact Center Phone Number: 1-800-518-4726
	Hours of operation are 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. The contact center is closed on federal holidays.
	support@grants.gov
	Grants.gov Customer Support

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=272588>

Social Security Administration

SSA Work Incentives Planning and Assistance Program (WIPA) Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	WIPA-WIP-15-001
Funding Opportunity Title:	SSA Work Incentives Planning and Assistance Program (WIPA)
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Income Security and Social Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	100
CFDA Number(s):	96.008 -- Social Security - Work Incentives Planning and Assistance Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Jan 30, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 30, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 30, 2015 No Explanation
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 30, 2015 No Explanation
Archive Date:	Apr 29, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$20,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$300,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Small businesses State governments For profit organizations other than small businesses Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education City or township governments Special district governments Independent school districts Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) County governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Agency Name:	Social Security Administration
Description:	The purpose of these projects is to disseminate accurate information to beneficiaries with disabilities (including transition-to-work aged youth) about work incentives programs and issues related to such programs, to enable them to make informed choices about working and whether or when to assign their Ticket to Work, as well as how

available work incentives can facilitate their transition into the workforce. The ultimate goal of the work incentives planning and assistance projects is to assist SSA beneficiaries with disabilities succeed in their return to work efforts.

Link to Additional Information:

[SSA Work Incentives Planning and Assistance Program \(WIPA\)](#)

Contact Information:

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=272436>

Please review each department's General Grant and Funding Overview. These overviews are the key web pages on each departmental website dedicated to the agency's funding opportunities. Check back often to note the department updates and use these sources to assist you in your planning.

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U.S. Department of Agriculture

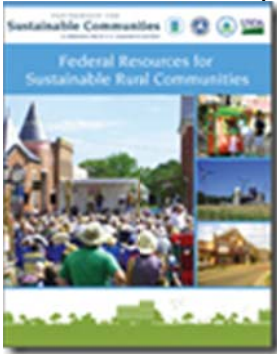


Grants and Loans Overview

http://usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=GRANTS_LOANS

USDA posts rural funding guide for local governments

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) recently posted a useful guide outlining federal funding programs available to support rural communities.



[Federal Resources for Sustainable Rural Communities](#) (PDF 44p 6MB) is a guide to programs from the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) that rural communities can use to promote economic competitiveness, protect healthy environments, and enhance quality of life. It is a collaborative effort among USDA, the Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Department of Transportation and the Environmental Protection Agency.

The guide has key information on funding and technical assistance opportunities available from the four agencies, as well as examples of how rural communities across the country have benefitted from federal resources. [The resource guide can be accessed here.](#)

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Tools and Key Resources

One of the goals of the Partnership for Sustainable Communities is to help communities develop and support neighborhoods that provide transportation choices and affordable housing while increasing economic competitiveness and directing resources toward places with existing infrastructure.

To help support these communities, the Partnership agencies compiled this list of useful tools and key resources. All of the resources here have been developed by or sponsored by Partnership agencies. Click on the categories in the sidebar on the right to access these materials.

Rural Communities

[Federal Resources for Sustainable Rural Communities](#) (PDF 44p 6MB) is a guide to programs from the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) that rural communities can use to promote economic competitiveness, protect healthy environments, and enhance quality of life.

[Supporting Sustainable Rural Communities](#) (PDF 52p 3MB)
Produced by the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and USDA, this report features case studies showcasing rural accomplishments, sample funding and technical assistance opportunities, and performance measures rural communities can use to assess their progress.


[Putting Smart Growth to Work in Rural Communities](#)
Focuses on smart growth strategies that can help guide growth in rural areas while protecting natural and working lands and preserving the rural character of existing communities.

[US Department of Agriculture Rural Development Program](#)
Provides resources, tools, and programs to assist communities with improving the economy and quality of life in rural America.




[US Department of Agriculture Atlas of Rural and Small Town America](#)
An interactive data tool to view statistics on people, jobs, and agriculture in your community.

[Rural Transportation Planning Resources](#)

Key Resources Links

- Partnership Publications
- Clean Air and Water
- Community Planning
- Economic Development & Brownfields Redevelopment
- Energy Efficiency
- Equity & Environmental Justice
- Housing Choices
- Performance Measures/Data
-  Rural Communities
- Transportation Choices

Links to Partnership Agencies

-  **Department of Housing and Urban Development**
Office of Sustainable Housing and Communities
-  **Department of Transportation**
Office of Transportation Policy
-  **Environmental Protection Agency**

<http://www.sustainablecommunities.gov/toolsKeyResources.html>



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USDA Programs and Services

Grants and Loans

[Visit the Federal Trade Commission's Identify Theft Website](#)

This FTC website to help you deter, detect, and defend against identity theft. You can learn how to avoid theft, or learn what to do if your identity is stolen.

[Farm Loans](#)

FSA makes direct and guaranteed farm ownership and operating loans to family-size farmers and ranchers who cannot obtain commercial credit from a bank, Farm Credit System institution, or other lender. FSA loans can be used to purchase land, livestock, equipment, feed, seed, and supplies. Loans can also be used to construct buildings or make farm improvements.

[Housing Assistance](#)

USDA provides homeownership opportunities to low- and moderate-income rural Americans through several loan, grant, and loan guarantee programs. The programs also make funding available to individuals to finance vital improvements necessary to make their homes decent, safe, and sanitary. USDA Multi-Family Housing Programs offer Rural Rental Housing Loans to provide affordable multi-family rental housing for very low-, low-, and moderate-income families; the elderly; and persons with disabilities. In addition, rental assistance is available to eligible families.

[Rural Development Loan Assistance](#)

USDA Rural Development forges partnerships with rural communities, funding projects that bring housing, community facilities, business guarantees, utilities and other services to rural America. USDA provides technical assistance and financial backing for rural businesses and cooperatives to create quality jobs in rural areas. Rural Development promotes the President's National Energy Policy and ultimately the nation's energy security by engaging the entrepreneurial spirit of rural America in the development of renewable energy and energy efficiency improvements. Rural Development works with low-income individuals, State, local and Indian tribal governments, as well as private and nonprofit organizations and user-owned cooperatives.

Utility Services

USDA supports deployment of reliable and affordable water, waste treatment, electric power and telecommunications services, including broadband, to help rural areas expand economic opportunities and improve the quality of life for rural residents. Rural Development provides funding opportunities in the form of payments, grants, loans, and loan guarantees, for the development and commercialization of vital utility services. These programs revitalize rural communities with a variety of improvements, and create sustainable opportunities for wealth, new jobs, and increased economic activity in rural America.

Crop and Livestock Insurance

USDA helps producers manage their business risks. The mission of USDA's Risk Management Agency (RMA) is to promote, support, and regulate sound risk management solutions to preserve and strengthen the economic stability of America's agricultural producers. As part of this mission, RMA operates and manages the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC).

RMA has three divisions: Insurance Services, Product Management, and Risk Compliance. Seventeen private-sector insurance companies sell and service the policies. RMA develops and/or approves the premium rate, administers premium and expense subsidies, approves and supports products, and reinsures the companies. RMA also sponsors educational and outreach programs and seminars on the general topic of risk.

Federal State Marketing Improvement Program

This matching grant program, also known as FSMIP, provides matching funds to State Departments of Agriculture and other appropriate State agencies to assist in exploring new market opportunities for food and agricultural products, and to encourage research and innovation aimed at improving the efficiency and performance of the marketing system.

Specialty Crop Block Grant Program

The SCBGP funds can be requested to enhance the competitiveness of specialty crops. Specialty crops are defined as fruits and vegetables, tree nuts, dried fruits, and nursery crops (including floriculture).

The Farmers Market Promotion Program

The FMPP was created through a recent amendment of the Farmer-to-Consumer Direct Marketing Act of 1976. The grants, authorized by the FMPP, are targeted to help improve and expand domestic farmers markets, roadside stands, community-supported agriculture programs and other direct producer-to-consumer market opportunities.

Organic Cost Share Program

AMS administers two organic certification cost share programs. Each program provides cost share assistance, through participating States, to organic producers and/or organic handlers. Recipients must receive initial certification or continuation of certification from a USDA accredited certifying agent (ACA).

Last Date Modified: 12/31/2013

http://usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=GRANTS_LOANS

Programs:

Utilities Programs
Revolving Fund Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	RDRUS-15-01-RFP
Funding Opportunity Title:	Revolving Fund Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Community Development Environment Health

Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	3
CFDA Number(s):	10.864 -- Grant Program to Establish a Fund for Financing Water and Wastewater Projects
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 20, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 20, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 13, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 13, 2015
Archive Date:	May 13, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$100,000
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Agency Name:	Utilities Programs
Description:	The Revolving Fund Program (RFP) has been established to assist communities with water or wastewater systems. Qualified private, non-profit organizations, who are selected for funding, will receive RFP grant funds to establish a lending program for eligible entities. Eligible entities for the revolving loan fund will be the same entities eligible to obtain a loan, loan guarantee, or grant from the Water and Waste Disposal loan and grant programs administered by RUS, under 7 U.S.C.1926(a)(1) and (2). As grant recipients, the non-profit organizations will set up a revolving loan fund to provide loans to finance predevelopment costs of water or wastewater projects, or short-term small capital projects not part of the regular operation and maintenance of current water and wastewater systems. The amount of financing to an eligible entity shall not exceed \$100,000.00 and shall be repaid in a term not to exceed 10 years. The rate shall be determined in the approved grant work plan.
Link to Additional Information:	Revolving Fund Program Webpage
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Joyce Taylor Community Specialist 202-720-0499
[email address](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274685>

Funding Opportunity Number:	OAO-00008
Funding Opportunity Title:	Outreach and Assistance for Socially Disadvantaged Farmers and Ranchers and Veteran Farmers and Ranchers
Opportunity Category:	Mandatory
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Education Employment, Labor and Training Food and Nutrition Health Natural Resources
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	40
CFDA Number(s):	10.443 -- Outreach and Assistance for Socially Disadvantaged and Veteran Farmers and Ranchers
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 17, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 17, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 13, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 13, 2015
Archive Date:	May 13, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$9,100,000
Award Ceiling:	\$400,000
Award Floor:	\$100
Eligible Applicants:	Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Agency Name:	DM-Office of Advocacy and Outreach
Description:	The primary purpose of the Outreach Assistance for Socially Disadvantaged Farmers and Ranchers and Veteran Farmers and Ranchers Grant Program (2501 Program) is to enhance the coordination of outreach, technical assistance, and education efforts, to reach socially disadvantaged and veteran farmers and ranchers in a linguistically appropriate manner and to improve their participation in the full range of USDA programs. This program will assist eligible community-based and non-profit organizations, higher education institutions, and tribal entities in providing outreach and technical assistance to socially disadvantaged and veteran farmers and ranchers.
Link to Additional Information:	Website for Grant Information

Contact Information:

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274608>

National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Foundational Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004915
Funding Opportunity Title:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Foundational Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part I.C (see Part IV A). Please note that a LOI is not required for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part 1.C.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part I.C (see Part IV A). Please note that a LOI is not required for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the deadline date indicated in the Program Area Descriptions section beginning in Part 1.C.
Archive Date:	Oct 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$116,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Description:

The AFRI Foundational Program is offered to support research grants in the six AFRI priority areas to continue building a foundation of knowledge critical for solving current and future societal challenges. The six priority areas are: Plant Health and Production and Plant Products; Animal Health and Production and Animal Products; Food Safety, Nutrition, and Health; Renewable Energy, Natural Resources, and Environment; Agriculture Systems and Technology; and Agriculture Economics and Rural Communities. Single-function Research Projects, multi-function Integrated Projects and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants are expected to address one of the Program Area Priorities (see Foundational Program RFA for details).

Link to Additional Information:

[Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Foundational Program](#)

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Water for Agriculture Challenge Area Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004918

Funding Opportunity Title:

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Water for Agriculture Challenge Area

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Natural Resources

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:****CFDA Number(s):**

10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Feb 18, 2015

Creation Date:

Feb 18, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jul 16, 2015 Letters of Intent must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on April 9, 2015. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on July 16, 2015.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jul 16, 2015 Letters of Intent must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on April 9, 2015. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on July 16, 2015.

Archive Date: Aug 15, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$30,000,000

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: Eligibility is linked to the project type. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.

Agency Name: National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Description: NIFA initiates a new challenge area to address critical water resources issues such as drought, excess soil moisture, flooding, quality and others in an agricultural context. Funding will be used to develop management practices, technologies, and tools for farmers, ranchers, forest owners and managers, public decision makers, public and private managers, and citizens to improve water resource quantity and quality. NIFA's approach will link social, economic, and behavioral sciences with traditional biophysical sciences and engineering to address regional-scale issues with shared hydrological processes and meteorological and basin characteristics.

Link to Additional Information: [Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Water for Agriculture Challenge Area](#)

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Childhood Obesity Prevention Challenge Area Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004917

Funding Opportunity Title: Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Childhood Obesity Prevention Challenge Area

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Agriculture
Food and Nutrition
Health

Category Explanation:
Expected Number of Awards:
CFDA Number(s): 10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes
Posted Date: Feb 18, 2015
Creation Date: Feb 18, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Apr 23, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications: Apr 23, 2015
Archive Date: May 23, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$6,000,000
Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility: Eligibility is described in Part III, A.
Agency Name: National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description: This Challenge Area Focuses on the societal challenge to end obesity among children, the number one nutrition-related problem in the US. Food is an integral part of the process that leads to obesity and USDA has a unique responsibility for the food system in the United States. This program is designed to achieve the long-term outcome of reducing the prevalence of overweight and obesity among children and adolescents 2-19 years. The Childhood Obesity Prevention Program supports Multi-function Integrated Research, Education, and/or Extension Projects and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants.

Link to Additional Information: [Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Childhood Obesity Prevention Challenge Area](#)

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
 Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Food Safety Challenge Area Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004916
Funding Opportunity Title: Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Food Safety Challenge Area

Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Food and Nutrition Health
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 18, 2015 APPLICATION DEADLINE for "Enhancing Food Safety through Improved Processing Technologies" (A4131): May 18, 2015. APPLICATION DEADLINE for "Effective Mitigation Strategies for Antimicrobial Resistance" (A4171): May 13, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 18, 2015 APPLICATION DEADLINE for "Enhancing Food Safety through Improved Processing Technologies" (A4131): May 18, 2015. APPLICATION DEADLINE for "Effective Mitigation Strategies for Antimicrobial Resistance" (A4171): May 13, 2015.
Archive Date:	Jun 17, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$6,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	This AFRI Challenge Area promotes and enhances the scientific discipline of food safety, with an overall aim of protecting consumers from microbial and chemical contaminants that may occur during all stages of the food chain, from production to consumption. This requires an understanding of the interdependencies of human, animal, and ecosystem health as it pertains to foodborne pathogens. The long-term outcome for this program is to reduce foodborne illnesses and deaths by improving the safety of the food supply, which will result in reduced impacts on public health and on our economy. In order to achieve this outcome, this program will support single-function Research Projects and multi-function Integrated Research, Education, and/or Extension Projects, and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants that address one of the Program Area Priorities (see Food Safety RFA for details).
Link to Additional Information:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Food Safety Challenge Area
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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Agriculture and Natural Resources Science for Climate Variability and Change Challenge Area Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004919
Funding Opportunity Title:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Agriculture and Natural Resources Science for Climate Variability and Change Challenge Area
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Energy Natural Resources
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 4, 2015 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by (applications for conference grants are excluded from LOI requirement) 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on April 2, 2015 (see Part IV, A. of this RFA). Applications must be received via Grants.gov by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on June 4, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 4, 2015 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by (applications for conference grants are excluded from LOI requirement) 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on April 2, 2015 (see Part IV, A. of this RFA). Applications must be received via Grants.gov by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on June 4, 2015.
Archive Date:	Jul 4, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$5,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:**Agency Name:****Description:**

Eligibility is linked to the project type requested in Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.

National Institute of Food and Agriculture

This AFRI Challenge Area focuses on the priority to mitigate and adapt to climate variability and change. It supports activities that reduce greenhouse gas emissions, increase carbon sequestration in agricultural and forest production systems, and prepare the nation's agriculture and forests to adapt to variable climates. The long-term outcome for this program is to reduce the use of energy, nitrogen fertilizer, and water by ten percent and increase carbon sequestration by fifteen percent through resilient agriculture and forest production systems. In order to achieve this outcome, this program will support multi-function Integrated Research, Education, and/or Extension Projects and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants applications that address one of the Program Area Priorities (see Climate Variability and Change RFA for details).

Link to Additional Information:

[Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Agriculture and Natural Resources Science for Climate Variability and Change Challenge Area](#)

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Biotechnology Risk Assessment Grants Program

Document Type:**Funding Opportunity Number:****Funding Opportunity Title:****Opportunity Category:****Funding Instrument Type:****Category of Funding Activity:****Category Explanation:****Expected Number of Awards:****CFDA Number(s):****Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:****Posted Date:**

Grants Notice

USDA-NIFA-BRAP-004935

Biotechnology Risk Assessment Grants Program

Discretionary

Grant

Agriculture

10.219 -- Biotechnology Risk Assessment Research

Yes

Feb 20, 2015

Creation Date: Feb 20, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Apr 17, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications: Apr 17, 2015
Archive Date: May 17, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$3,600,000
Award Ceiling: \$1,000,000
Award Floor: \$25,000
Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility: Applications may only be submitted by United States public or private research or educational institution or organization.
Agency Name: National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description: The purpose of the BRAG program is to support the generation of new information that will assist Federal regulatory agencies in making science-based decisions about the effects of introducing into the environment genetically engineered organisms (GE), including plants, microorganisms (including fungi, bacteria, and viruses), arthropods, fish, birds, mammals and other animals excluding humans. Investigations of effects on both managed and natural environments are relevant. The BRAG program accomplishes its purpose by providing Federal regulatory agencies with scientific information relevant to regulatory issues. See RFA for details.
Link to Additional Information: [Biotechnology Risk Assessment Grants Program](#)
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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Crop Protection and Pest Management Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: USDA-NIFA-CPPM-004955
Funding Opportunity Title: Crop Protection and Pest Management
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Agriculture

Environment

Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.329 -- Crop Protection and Pest Management Competitive Grants Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 23, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 23, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 7, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 7, 2015
Archive Date:	May 7, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$4,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Applications may only be submitted by colleges and universities (as defined in section 1404 of NARETPA) (7 U.S.C. 3103).
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	The purpose of the Crop Protection and Pest Management program is to address high priority issues related to pests and their management using IPM approaches at the state, regional and national levels. The CPPM program supports projects that will increase food security and respond effectively to other major societal challenges with comprehensive IPM approaches that are economically viable, environmentally sound and will help protect human health. The CPPM program addresses IPM challenges for emerging issues and existing priority pest concerns that can be addressed more effectively with new and emerging technologies. The outcomes of the CPPM program are effective, affordable, and environmentally sound IPM practices and strategies supporting more vital communities.
Link to Additional Information:	Crop Protection and Pest Management
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Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-CGP-004896
Funding Opportunity Title:	Higher Education Challenge Grants Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.217 -- Higher Education - Institution Challenge Grants Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 6, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 6, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 19, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 19, 2015
Archive Date:	Apr 18, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$4,770,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Applications may be submitted by: (a) U.S. public or private nonprofit colleges and universities offering a baccalaureate or first professional degree in at least one discipline or area of the food and agricultural sciences; (b) land-grant colleges and universities, (including land grant institutions in the Insular Areas); (c) colleges and universities having significant minority enrollments and a demonstrable capacity to carry out the teaching of food and agricultural sciences; and (d) other colleges and universities having a demonstrable capacity to carry out the teaching of food and agricultural sciences.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	Projects supported by the Higher Education Challenge Grants Program will: (1) address a State, regional, national, or international educational need; (2) involve a creative or non-traditional approach toward addressing that need that can serve as a model to others; (3) encourage and facilitate better working relationships in the university science and education community, as well as between universities and the private sector, to enhance program quality and supplement available resources; and (4) result in benefits that will likely transcend the project duration and USDA support.
Link to Additional Information:	Higher Education Challenge Grants Program
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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Biomass Research and Development Initiative Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-9008-004957
Funding Opportunity Title:	Biomass Research and Development Initiative
Opportunity Category:	Mandatory
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 10.312 -- Biomass Research and Development Initiative
Competitive Grants Program (BRDI)

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Posted Date: Feb 26, 2015

Creation Date: Feb 26, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jul 27, 2015 Concept Paper Due Date: 03/27/2015, 5:00
PM Eastern Time. Full Application Due Date: 7/27/2015,
5:00 PM Eastern Time.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jul 27, 2015 Concept Paper Due Date: 03/27/2015, 5:00
PM Eastern Time. Full Application Due Date: 7/27/2015,
5:00 PM Eastern Time.

Archive Date: Aug 26, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$8,700,000

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on
Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: All entities listed under Section 9008(e)(5) of FSRIA, as
amended (7 U.S.C. 8108(e)(5)), are eligible to apply.
Eligible entities are: (A) An institution of higher
education; (B) A National Laboratory; (C) A Federal
research agency; (D) A State research agency; (E) A
private sector entity; (F) A nonprofit organization; or (G)
A consortium of 2 or more entities described in (A)
through (F) above.

Agency Name: National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Description: The USDA's, National Institute of Food and Agriculture
(NIFA), Institute of Bioenergy, Climate, and
Environment (IBCE) and the Department of Energy's
Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Golden Field
Office, Bioenergy Technologies Office announce the

interagency Program to support the development of a biomass-based industry in the United States, as originally established in Section 9001(a) of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (FCEA) (Pub. L. 110-246), re-authorized the Biomass Research and Development Initiative (BRDI) financial assistance program by amending section 9008 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (FSRIA), as amended, (Pub. L. 107-171) (7 U.S.C. 8108). Collaboration between DOE and USDA on BRDI is directed under section 9008(e)(1) of FSRIA, as amended. Additionally, DOE provides funds guided by certain administrative provisions of the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 and the Energy Policy Act of 2005. Section 9008(e)(3) of FSRIA provides direction and guidance on the technical areas as described in BRDI. The technical areas are: (A) Feedstocks development, (B) Biofuels and biobased products development, and (C) Biofuels development analysis.

Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Organic Transitions Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-ICGP-004958
Funding Opportunity Title:	Organic Transitions
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.303 -- Integrated Programs
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 26, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 26, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 16, 2015 Prospective

applicants are asked to email a Notice of Intent to Submit an Application by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on March 26, 2015. This notification is not required and does not enter into the review of a subsequent application, but will inform the review process. It will not be used for screening for project appropriateness or applicant eligibility, nor will feedback be offered.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 16, 2015 Prospective applicants are asked to email a Notice of Intent to Submit an Application by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on March 26, 2015. This notification is not required and does not enter into the review of a subsequent application, but will inform the review process. It will not be used for screening for project appropriateness or applicant eligibility, nor will feedback be offered.

Archive Date:

May 16, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$4,000,000

Eligible Applicants:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Colleges and universities (as defined in section 1404 of NARETPA) (7 U.S.C. 3103) are eligible to submit applications to the ORG program. Section 1404 of NARETPA was amended by section 7101 of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (Public Law 110-246) to define Hispanic-serving Agricultural Colleges and Universities (HSACUs) (defined in 7 CFR 3430, and referred to in Part VIII, E.), and to include research

Agency Name:	foundations maintained by eligible colleges or universities. National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	The overall goal of the Organic Transitions Program (ORG) is to support the development and implementation of research, extension and higher education programs to improve the competitiveness of organic livestock and crop producers, as well as those who are adopting organic practices. In FY 2015, ORG will continue to prioritize environmental services provided by organic farming systems in the area of soil conservation and climate change mitigation, including greenhouse gases (GHG). Two new priorities have been added to support (1) the development of educational tools for Cooperative Extension personnel and other agricultural professionals who advise producers on organic practices and (2) the development of cultural practices and other allowable alternatives to substances recommended for removal from the National Organic Programs National List of Allowed and Prohibited Substances. Practices and systems to be addressed include those associated with organic crops, organic animal production, and organic systems integrating plant and animal production.
Link to Additional Information:	Organic Transitions Program
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Modifications:

National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Secondary Education, Two-Year Postsecondary Education, and Agriculture in the K-12 Classroom
Challenge Grants Program
Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-SAECP-004897
Funding Opportunity Title:	Secondary Education, Two-Year Postsecondary Education, and Agriculture in the K-12 Classroom Challenge Grants Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.226 -- Secondary and Two-Year Postsecondary Agriculture Education Challenge Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 6, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 6, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 6, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 13, 2015
Archive Date:	Apr 5, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$900,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Applications may only be submitted by: (1) public secondary schools, (2) public or private nonprofit junior and community colleges, (3) institutions of higher education, or (4) nonprofit organizations (Attach IRS 501(c)(3) status under R&R 'Other Project Information' Field 12 Other Attachments).

Agency

National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Name:**Description:**

The Secondary Education, Two-Year Postsecondary Education, and Agriculture in the K-12 Classroom Challenge Grants (SPECAs) program seeks to: (a) promote and strengthen secondary education and two-year postsecondary education in agriscience and agribusiness in order to help ensure the existence in the United States of a qualified workforce to serve the food and agricultural sciences system; and (b) promote complementary and synergistic linkages among secondary, two-year postsecondary, and higher education programs in the food and agricultural sciences in order to advance excellence in education and encourage more young Americans to pursue and complete a baccalaureate or higher degree in the food and agricultural sciences.

Link to**Additional****Information:**

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Reminders:

National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Beginning Farmer and Rancher Development Program Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NIFA-BFR-004835

Funding Opportunity Title:

Beginning Farmer and Rancher Development Program

Opportunity Category:

Mandatory

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:****CFDA Number(s):**

10.311 -- Beginning Farmer and Rancher Development Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Jan 9, 2015

Creation Date:

Jan 9, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 13, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 13, 2015

Archive Date:

Apr 12, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$18,540,000

Eligible Applicants:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Applications may only be submitted by a collaborative state, tribal, local, or regionally-based network or partnership of qualified public and/or private entities. These collaborations may include the following entities: State Cooperative Extension Services; Federal, State, or tribal agencies; community based organizations; nongovernmental organizations; junior and four-year colleges or universities or foundations maintained by a college or university; private for-profit organizations; and other appropriate partners. Inclusion of beginning and/or non-beginning farmers and ranchers as part of the collaborative group is strongly encouraged. Applications submitted by individuals, or by organizations that do not involve other entities in a network or partnership, are not eligible for consideration under any category applicable to the BFRDP.

Agency Name:

National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Description:

Beginning farmer education for adult and young audiences in the United States can be generally traced back to the advent of the 1862 and the 1890 Morrill Land Grant Acts. But for the first time, the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (Pub .L. No. 110-234, Section 7410), appropriated \$75 million for FY 2009 to FY 2012 to develop and offer education, training, outreach and mentoring programs to enhance the sustainability of the next generation of farmers. The Agriculture Act of 2014 provided an additional \$20 million per year for 2014 through 2018. The reasons for the renewed interest in beginning farmer and rancher programs are: the rising average age of U.S. farmers, the 8% projected decrease in the number of farmers and ranchers between 2008 and 2018, and the growing recognition that new programs are needed to address the needs of the next generation of beginning farmers and ranchers.

Link to Additional Information:

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Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Food Security Challenge Area Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004875
Funding Opportunity Title:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Food Security Challenge Area
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Jan 30, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 4, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 4, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 4, 2015
Archive Date:	Jun 5, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$16,800,000
Award Ceiling:	\$4,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Small businesses Individuals Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education For profit organizations other than small businesses Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Please review Part III, A for more specific eligibility requirements.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	The goal of the Food Security Challenge Area for FY 2015 is to develop agricultural production research, education, and extension to develop more sustainable, productive, and economically viable plant and animal production systems. This program will also develop regionally adapted crop cultivars and livestock/breeds that contribute to rural economic development and prosperity while enhancing food security. These investments will increase food security by improving agricultural production systems at the regional and national levels and by encouraging diversification of agricultural production.
Link to Additional Information:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Food Security

Contact Information:

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Programs:

National Institute of Standards and Technology
NIST Center for Neutron Research (NCNR) Comprehensive Grant Program

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	2015-NIST-NCNR-01
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIST Center for Neutron Research (NCNR) Comprehensive Grant Program

Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.609 -- Measurement and Engineering Research and Standards
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 3, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 3, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 17, 2015 Electronic applications must be received no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, April 17, 2015. Paper applications must be received by NIST by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, April 17, 2015. Applications received after the respective deadline will not be reviewed or considered.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 17, 2015 Electronic applications must be received no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, April 17, 2015. Paper applications must be received by NIST by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, April 17, 2015. Applications received after the respective deadline will not be reviewed or considered.
Archive Date:	May 17, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Institutions of higher education; hospitals; non-profit organizations; commercial organizations; State, Tribal and local governments; foreign governments; organizations under the jurisdiction of foreign governments; and international organizations.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Standards and Technology
Description:	NIST is soliciting applications to support research involving neutron scattering and spectroscopy specifically aimed at developing new instrumentation for neutron research, conducting collaborative research with NIST and visiting scientists, and to conduct other outreach and educational activities that advance the use of neutrons by U.S. academia and industrial scientists. This will entail awardee(s) stationing scientific staff at the NCNR to collaborate with NIST and other visiting scientists to advance these objectives.
Link to Additional Information:	2015-NIST-NCNR-01 Full Announcement/FFO document
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Christopher Hunton Grants Technical Assistant Phone

301-975-5718
[Agency Contact](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=272870>

FY 2016 Implementation of the U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS[®]) Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-NOS-IOOS-2016-2004378
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2016 Implementation of the U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS [®])
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Natural Resources Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	12
CFDA Number(s):	11.012 -- Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 11, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 11, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 31, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 31, 2015
Archive Date:	Sep 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$29,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$4,000,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000,000

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273928>

FY 2015 Economic Development Assistance Programs - Application submission and program requirements for EDA's Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance programs Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-NOS-IOOS-2016-2004378
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2016 Implementation of the U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS [®])
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Natural Resources Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	

Expected Number of Awards:	12
CFDA Number(s):	11.012 -- Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 11, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 11, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 31, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 31, 2015
Archive Date:	Sep 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$29,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$4,000,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	<p>For profit organizations other than small businesses</p> <p>Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)</p> <p>Public and State controlled institutions of higher education</p> <p>Private institutions of higher education</p> <p>State governments</p> <p>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education</p> <p>Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education</p> <p>Special district governments</p> <p>City or township governments</p> <p>Small businesses</p> <p>County governments</p>
Agency Name:	Department of Commerce
Description:	<p>The U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS®) is a national and regional partnership working to provide observations, data, and new tools and forecasts to improve safety, enhance the economy, and protect our environment. NOAA is requesting proposals for coordinated regional efforts that further the IOOS in two topic areas, 1) sustaining and enhancing comprehensive regional observing systems and 2) verification and validation of observing technologies for studying and monitoring coastal and ocean environments. NOAA invites applicants to submit proposals for one or both of these topic areas, described in detail below, and requests applicants submit separate applications for each topic area. For single topic proposals, clearly identify the topic area and present all required information such that merit reviewers can associate proposal elements (project description, partners, budgets) with the specific topic area. NOAA anticipates making multiple awards, subject to the availability of funds, in amounts ranging from \$1,000,000 to \$4,000,000 per year, for up to five years.</p>
Link to Additional Information:	

Contact Information:

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Dave Easter, US IOOS Program 1100 Wayne Avenue
Suite 1225 Silver Spring, MD 20910 301-427-2451
[work](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273468>

National Institute of Standards and Technology

NIST Standards Services Curricula Development (SSCD) Cooperative Agreement Program Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

2015-NIST-SSCD-01

Funding Opportunity Title:

NIST Standards Services Curricula Development (SSCD)
Cooperative Agreement Program

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Science and Technology and other Research and
Development

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:****CFDA Number(s):**

11.620 -- Science, Technology, Business and/or
Education Outreach

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Feb 11, 2015

Creation Date:

Feb 11, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 13, 2015 Applications must be received electronically through Grants.gov no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday, April 13, 2015. Applications received after this deadline will not be reviewed or considered.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 13, 2015 Applications must be received electronically through Grants.gov no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday, April 13, 2015. Applications received after this deadline will not be reviewed or considered.

Archive Date:

May 13, 2015

Eligible Applicants:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Accredited institutions of higher education; non-profit organizations; commercial organizations; state, local, and Indian tribal governments located in the United States and its territories. An eligible applicant may work individually or include proposed sub-awards or contracts with others in a project application, effectively forming a team or consortium.

Agency Name: National Institute of Standards and Technology
Description: The NIST SSCD Cooperative Agreement Program provides financial assistance to support curriculum development for the undergraduate and/or graduate level. These cooperative agreements support the integration of standards and standardization information and content into seminars, courses, and learning resources. The recipients will work with NIST to strengthen education and learning about standards and standardization.
Link to Additional Information: [2015-NIST-SSCD-01 Full Announcement/FFO document](#)
Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273988>

National Institute of Standards and Technology
National Strategy for Trusted Identities in Cyberspace (NSTIC) Pilots Cooperative Agreement
Program Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: 2015-NIST-NSTIC-01
Funding Opportunity Title: National Strategy for Trusted Identities in Cyberspace (NSTIC) Pilots Cooperative Agreement Program
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:
Expected Number of Awards:
CFDA Number(s): 11.619 -- Arrangements for Interdisciplinary Research Infrastructure
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No
Posted Date: Feb 11, 2015
Creation Date: Feb 11, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Mar 17, 2015 Abbreviated Applications must be received through Grants.gov no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Tuesday, March 17, 2015. Abbreviated Applications received after this deadline will not be reviewed or considered. NIST requires Abbreviated Applications under the NSTIC Pilots Cooperative Agreement Program, and the Selection Official will then select finalists from among the Abbreviated Applications. Only those applicants whose Abbreviated Applications

	are selected as finalists will be invited to submit Full Applications. Full Applications must be received electronically through Grants.gov no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Tuesday, May 21, 2015. Full Applications received after this deadline will not be reviewed or considered. Full Applications received from applicants who were not invited to submit a Full Application will not be reviewed or considered.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 17, 2015 Abbreviated Applications must be received through Grants.gov no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Tuesday, March 17, 2015. Abbreviated Applications received after this deadline will not be reviewed or considered. NIST requires Abbreviated Applications under the NSTIC Pilots Cooperative Agreement Program, and the Selection Official will then select finalists from among the Abbreviated Applications. Only those applicants whose Abbreviated Applications are selected as finalists will be invited to submit Full Applications. Full Applications must be received electronically through Grants.gov no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Tuesday, May 21, 2015. Full Applications received after this deadline will not be reviewed or considered. Full Applications received from applicants who were not invited to submit a Full Application will not be reviewed or considered.
Archive Date:	Apr 16, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Accredited institutions of higher education; non-profit organizations; commercial organizations; and state, local, and Indian tribal governments located in the United States and its territories. While the applicant must be located in the United States, the applicant may have a parent organization outside the United States. An eligible organization may work individually or include proposed subawardees, contractors or other collaborators in a project, effectively forming a team or consortium. An organization may submit more than one application but each must be on a distinct topic. Federal agencies may participate in projects but may not receive NIST funding.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Standards and Technology
Description:	NIST is soliciting applications from eligible applicants to pilot online identity solutions that embrace and advance the NSTIC vision of an Identity Ecosystem Framework. Specifically, the Federal government seeks to initiate and support pilots that address the needs of individuals, private sector organizations, and all levels of government in accordance with the NSTIC Guiding Principles that

identity solutions will be (1) privacy-enhancing and voluntary, (2) secure and resilient, (3) interoperable, and (4) cost-effective and easy-to-use. Pilots that maximize their contribution to the development of the broader Identity Ecosystem Framework through public forums such as the Identity Ecosystem Steering Group (IDESG) (see page 6 of the Full Announcement/FFO document) are encouraged. NIST will fund projects that are intended to demonstrate or deploy new solutions, models, and frameworks that either do not exist or are not widely adopted in the marketplace today.

Link to Additional Information:

[2015-NIST-NSTIC-01 Full Announcement/FFO document](#)

Contact Information:

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273968>

NOAA Sea Grant Aquaculture Extension and Technology Transfer 2015 Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

NOAA-OAR-SG-2015-2004399

Funding Opportunity Title:

NOAA Sea Grant Aquaculture Extension and
Technology Transfer 2015

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Education
Environment
Science and Technology and other Research and
Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

10

CFDA Number(s):

11.417 -- Sea Grant Support

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Feb 24, 2015

Creation Date:

Feb 24, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 27, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 27, 2015

Archive Date:

May 27, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$3,200,000

Award Ceiling:

\$300,000

Award Floor:

\$0

Eligible Applicants:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligibility" for clarification)

The following entities are eligible to apply to this funding opportunity: Sea Grant College Programs, Sea Grant Institutional Programs, Sea Grant Coherent Area Programs, and the National Sea Grant Law Center. A given proposal can involve two or more of these Sea Grant Programs working in collaboration. In the case of proposals submitted jointly by multiple Sea Grant Programs, the project must be submitted as a single proposal with one Sea Grant Program designated as responsible for the proposal (awardee of record) and other Sea Grant Programs listed as sub-awards. Other interested parties are encouraged to work with the Sea Grant Programs in their region to explore opportunities for partnering. Contact information for all eligible state Sea Grant programs can be found at <http://seagrant.noaa.gov/WhoWeAre/Leadership/SeaGrantDirectors.aspx> or may also be obtained by contacting the Agency Contact listed in Section VII.

Agency Name:

Department of Commerce

Description:

Depending on availability of funds, NOAA Sea Grant expects to have available about \$1,600,000 for each of FY 2015 and FY 2016 for a national competition to fund marine aquaculture extension and technology transfer efforts, as part of the overall plan to support the development of environmentally and economically sustainable ocean, coastal and Great Lakes aquaculture. Aquaculture that occurs in the Great Lakes or its coastal zone is considered marine aquaculture for this competition. This Federal Funding Opportunity includes information on application and criteria for aquaculture extension proposals requesting a maximum of \$300,000 in total federal funding for up to a two-year period. Matching funds are required. Proposals are required to include a partnership (e.g., with local community governments, state and Federal agencies, regional management efforts, industry, non-governmental organizations). Awards are anticipated to start no later than September 1, 2015. Additional proposals from this competition may be selected for funding in subsequent fiscal years, subject to the availability of funds.

Link to Additional Information:

Contact Information:

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Dorn Carlson, 301-734-1080 or Devin Brakob, 301-734-1085;

[Program E-Mail Address](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274777>

Modifications:

Reminders:

National Institute of Standards and Technology

NIST Summer Institute for Middle School Science Teachers (NIST Summer Institute) Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	2015-NIST-SUMMER-INSTITUTE-01
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIST Summer Institute for Middle School Science Teachers (NIST Summer Institute) Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.620 -- Science, Technology, Business and/or Education Outreach
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Dec 16, 2014
Creation Date:	Dec 16, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 13, 2015 Electronic applications must be received no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, March 13, 2015. Paper applications must be received by NIST by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, March 13, 2015. Applications received after the respective deadline will not be reviewed or considered.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 13, 2015 Electronic applications must be received no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, March 13, 2015. Paper applications must be received by NIST by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, March 13, 2015. Applications received after the respective deadline will not be reviewed or considered.
Archive Date:	Apr 12, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Public school districts and accredited private educational institutions in the U.S. and its territories that offer science classes at grade levels 6-8 (often termed middle school). Such school districts and institutions must offer instruction in general science fields, such as earth science, physical science, chemistry, physics, and/or biology. Individual

Agency Name:
Description:

public school teachers and individual public middle schools are not eligible to submit applications directly to NIST and instead must be nominated by their school district. Individual teachers at private educational institutions are not eligible to submit applications directly to NIST and instead must be nominated by their private educational institution. The individual teachers that are nominated to participate in the NIST Summer Institute Program must meet the eligibility requirements in Section III.1. of the Full Announcement/FFO document.

National Institute of Standards and Technology
NIST is soliciting applications from eligible public school districts and accredited private educational institutions in the U.S. and its territories nominating middle school science teachers to participate in the NIST Summer Institute Program. The NIST Summer Institute Program will provide selected teachers hands-on activities, lectures, tours, and visits with NIST scientists and engineers at the NIST Campus in Gaithersburg, Maryland. The NIST Summer Institute Program will be held on July 6-17, 2015.

Link to Additional Information:

[2015-NIST-SUMMER-INSTITUTE-01 Full Announcement/FFO document](#)

Contact Information:

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[Agency Contact](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=270552>

Fiscal Year 2016 National Sea Grant College Program Dean John A. Knauss Marine Policy Fellowship Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

NOAA-OAR-SG-2016-2004335

Funding Opportunity Title:

Fiscal Year 2016 National Sea Grant College Program Dean John A. Knauss Marine Policy Fellowship

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Environment

Natural Resources

Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

60

CFDA Number(s):

11.417 -- Sea Grant Support

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No
Posted Date: Dec 9, 2014
Creation Date: Jan 6, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Feb 13, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications: Mar 31, 2015
Archive Date: Apr 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$3,390,000
Award Ceiling: \$56,500
Award Floor: \$56,500
Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility: Eligible applicant is any student, regardless of citizenship, who, on February 13, 2015, is enrolled towards a degree in a graduate or professional program, who has an interest in ocean, coastal and Great Lakes resources and in the national policy decisions affecting those resources. The graduate degree needs to be awarded through a United States accredited institution of higher education in the United States or U.S. Territories. Applications must come from Sea Grant programs and must be submitted through www.Grants.gov.
Agency Name: Department of Commerce
Description: This notice announces that applications may be submitted for the 2016 National Sea Grant College Program Dean John A. Knauss Marine Policy Fellowship (Sea Grant Knauss Fellowship Program). Sea Grant anticipates funding not less than 30 selected applicants, of which those assigned to the Legislative branch may be limited to 10. Each award will be funded at a total of \$56,500 in federal funding.
Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Chris Hayes (301) 734-1057
[work](mailto:chhayes@noaa.gov)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=270300>

Economic Development Administration
FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance Programs
And Modification 1

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: EDAP2014
Funding Opportunity Title: FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance Programs
Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Regional Development
Category Explanation:	The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO) announcement, EDA will make construction, non-construction, and revolving loan fund investments under the Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's ability to compete in the global marketplace. Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving economic conditions.
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.300 -- Investments for Public Works and Economic Development Facilities 11.307 -- Economic Adjustment Assistance
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Nov 25, 2013
Creation Date:	Nov 26, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:	The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2014 and the first funding cycle of FY 2015 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2014 is covered under EDA's FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 26, 2012. EDA strongly

encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped by Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are: December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2014; March 14, 2014 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2014; June 13, 2014 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2014; and October 17, 2015 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement

Current Closing Date for Applications:

The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2014 and the first funding cycle of FY 2015 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2014 is covered under EDA's FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 26, 2012. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped by Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of

applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are: December 13, 2013 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2014; March 14, 2014 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2014; June 13, 2014 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2014 ; and October 17, 2015 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section

IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Eligible Applicants:

City or township governments

Private institutions of higher education

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

State governments

County governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Pursuant to EDA's authorizing statute, the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (PWEDA), eligible applicants for and eligible recipients of EDA investment assistance include a(n): (i) District Organization; (ii) Indian Tribe or a consortium of Indian Tribes; (iii) State, city, or other political subdivision of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; (iv) institution of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or (v) public or private non-profit organization or association acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State. See section 3 of PWEDA (42 U.S.C. § 3122) and 13 C.F.R. § 300.3. EDA is not authorized to provide grants directly to individuals or to for-profit entities seeking to start or expand a private business. Such requests may be referred to State or local agencies, or to non-profit economic development organizations serving the region in which the project will be located.

Agency Name:

Economic Development Administration

Description:

The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for

economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO) announcement, EDA will make construction, non-construction, and revolving loan fund investments under the Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's ability to compete in the global marketplace. Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving economic conditions.

**Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:**

[EDA Website](#)

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If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact your state representative. Please direct any questions to the EDA representative for your state. A complete list of EDA representatives is available on EDA's website at <http://eda.gov/contacts.htm>

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248297>

**Economic Development Administration
Planning Program and Local Technical Assistance Program Grant**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EDAPLANNING2012
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Aug 03, 2012

Creation Date: Aug 03, 2012

Original Closing Date for Applications: Applications are accepted on a continuing basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until superseded by a future announcement.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Applications are accepted on a continuing basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until superseded by a future announcement.

Archive Date:

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Regional Development

Category Explanation: Regional planning and local technical assistance

Expected Number of Awards: 425

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$100,000

Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s): 11.302 -- Economic Development Support for Planning Organizations
11.303 -- Economic Development Technical Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Eligible Applicants

State governments
County governments
City or township governments
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Private institutions of higher education
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Pursuant to section 3 of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. § 3122) (PWEDA) and EDA's regulation at 13 C.F.R. § 300.3, the following types of entities are eligible to receive funding assistance from EDA: 1. District Organizations (as defined in 13 C.F.R. § 300.3); 2. Indian Tribes or a consortium of Indian Tribes; 3. States, cities, or other political

subdivisions of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; 4. Institutions of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or 5. Public or private non-profit organizations or associations acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State.

Agency Name

Economic Development Administration

Description

Pursuant to PWEDA, EDA announces general policies and application procedures for grant-based investments under the Planning and Local Technical Assistance programs. Under the Planning program EDA assists eligible recipients in creating regional economic development plans designed to stimulate and guide the economic development efforts of a community or region. As part of this program, EDA supports Partnership Planning investments to facilitate the development, implementation, revision, or replacement of Comprehensive Economic Development Strategies (CEDS), which articulate and prioritize the strategic economic goals of recipients' respective regions. In general, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to the designated planning organization (e.g., District Organization) serving EDA-designated Economic Development Districts to enable these organizations to develop and implement relevant CEDS. In addition, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to Indian Tribes to help develop and implement CEDS and associated economic development activities. The Planning program also helps support planning organizations, including District Organizations, Indian Tribes, and other eligible Recipients, with Short Term and State Planning investments designed to guide the eventual creation and retention of higher-skill, higher-wage jobs, particularly for the unemployed and underemployed in the Nation's most economically distressed regions. The Local Technical Assistance program strengthens the capacity of local or State organizations, institutions of higher education, and other eligible recipients to undertake and promote effective economic development programs through projects such as feasibility analyses and impact studies.

Link to Additional Information

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

David Ives [Planning and Local TA email](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=189193>

Economic Development Administration
FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance Programs Grant

Modification to Previous Grants Notice

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number:

EDAP2013

Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Nov 26, 2012
Creation Date:	Nov 27, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	<p>The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2013 and the first funding cycle of FY 2014 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2013 is covered under EDA's FY 2012 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 18, 2011. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped at Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are: December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2013; March 13, 2013 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2013; June 13, 2013 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2013; and September 13, 2013 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement.</p>
Current Closing Date for Applications:	<p>The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2013 and the first funding cycle of FY 2014 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2013 is covered under EDA's FY 2012 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 18, 2011. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped at Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received</p>

after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are: December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2013; March 13, 2013 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2013; June 13, 2013 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2013 ; and September 13, 2013 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement.

Archive Date:

Mar 31, 2014

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Regional Development

Category Explanation:

The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO) announcement, EDA will make construction, non-construction, and revolving loan fund investments under the Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's ability to compete in the global marketplace. Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving economic conditions.

Expected Number of Awards:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling:

Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s): 11.300 -- Investments for Public Works and Economic Development Facilities
11.307 -- Economic Adjustment Assistance
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Eligible Applicants

State governments
County governments
City or township governments
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Private institutions of higher education
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Pursuant to EDA's authorizing statute, the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (PWEDA), eligible applicants for and eligible recipients of EDA investment assistance include a (n): (i) District Organization; (ii) Indian Tribe or a consortium of Indian Tribes; (iii) State, city, or other political subdivision of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; (iv) institution of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or (v) public or private non-profit organization or association acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State. See section 3 of PWEDA (42 U.S.C. § 3122) and 13 C.F.R. § 300.3. EDA is not authorized to provide grants directly to individuals or to for-profit entities seeking to start or expand a private business. Such requests may be referred to State or local agencies, or to non-profit economic development organizations serving the region in which the project will be located.

Agency Name

Economic Development Administration

Description

EDA provides strategic investments that foster job creation and attract private investment to support development in economically distressed areas of the United States. Under this FFO, EDA solicits applications from both rural and urban areas to provide investments that support construction, non-construction, technical assistance, and revolving loan fund projects under EDA's Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance programs. Grants made under these programs are designed to leverage existing regional assets to support the implementation of economic

development strategies that advance new ideas and creative approaches to advance economic prosperity in distressed communities.

Link to Additional Information

[EDA's website](#)

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Kerstin Millius
Senior Program Analyst [Kerstin Millius](#)

Synopsis Modification History

The following files represent the modifications to this synopsis with the changes noted within the documents. The list of files is arranged from newest to oldest with the newest file representing the current synopsis. Changed sections from the previous document are shown in a light grey background.

File Name	Date
Original Synopsis	Nov 26, 2012

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=208353>



Corporation for National and Community Service

General Program Overview

AmeriCorps provides resources, both human and financial, to organizations that engage Americans in intensive service to meet our country's critical needs.

Grantees use the funding to support AmeriCorps members for intensive service in their community. AmeriCorps grants partially cover the expense of operating an AmeriCorps program and do not cover general organizational expenses. A cash and in-kind match is required.

The main website can be accessed here: <http://www.nationalservice.gov>

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Funding Opportunities

The Corporation of National and Community Service provides grants to national and local nonprofits, schools, government agencies, faith-based and community organizations, and other groups committed to strengthening their communities through volunteering. Our funding opportunities vary by program.

To review archived program grants, please visit the [Notices of Funding Availability / Notice of Funding Opportunities archive page](#).

Current Funding Opportunities

Jan 22, 2014

AmeriCorps State and National Grants FY 2014 (DRAFT)

See Previous Funding Opportunities >

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AmeriCorps

This year, AmeriCorps will provide more than **510** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, health, economic, and other pressing needs in communities across Hawaii. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the **Hawaii Commission on National & Community Service**, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by CNCS directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals serve through AmeriCorps VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight illiteracy, improve health services, create businesses, and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24. In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than **4,900 Hawaii** residents have served more than **5.1 million** hours and have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than **\$11,250,000**.

[Download: AmeriCorps in Hawaii \(PDF\)](#)

Senior Corps

More than **3,000** seniors in Hawaii contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than **480** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **250** homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols, renovate homes, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than **290** groups across Hawaii.

[Download: Senior Corps in Hawaii \(PDF\)](#)

The Corporation for National and Community Service is a federal agency that improves lives, strengthens communities, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. CNCS annually engages more than five million Americans in service to meet local needs through Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and national days of service; improves communities through the Social Innovation Fund, and leads President Obama's national call to service initiative, United We Serve. To learn more visit NationalService.gov or Serve.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 1-800-833-3722.

Reminder:

2015 Social Innovation Fund Grant Competition Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	CNCS-GRANTS-01232015
Funding Opportunity Title:	2015 Social Innovation Fund Grant Competition
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Education Employment, Labor and Training Food and Nutrition Health Housing Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	94.019 -- Social Innovation Fund
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Jan 23, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 23, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 17, 2015 5:00 PM EST
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 17, 2015 5:00 PM EST
Archive Date:	Mar 18, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$51,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$10,000,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Experience grantmaking institutions that invests in nonprofit community organizations or programs through grants as an essential rather than collateral means of fulfilling its mission and vision OR eligible partnerships between such institutions and (1) an additional grantmaking institution, (2) a State Commission on National and Community Service, or (3) a chief executive officer of a unit of general local government.
Agency Name:	Corporation for National and Community Service
Description:	The Social Innovation awards grants to grantmaking institutions, referred to as "intermediaries." These intermediaries in turn competitively select, provide grants to, and otherwise support high-performing community-based nonprofit organizations to implement evidence-based programs in the areas of healthy futures, economic opportunity and youth development. The intermediaries and the nonprofits must match the grant funds they

receive one-to-one in cash from non-federal sources.

Link to Additional Information:

[Full announcement and information about the competition.](#)

Contact Information:

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Phone (202) 606-3223
[competition direct email](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271934>



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This is the "how-to" section of working with the Department of Defense. Information includes guides on marketing to the DoD, government contracting basics and subcontracting fundamentals.

- [Guide to Marketing to the DoD](#)
- [Government Contracting: The Basics](#) [PDF]
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- [Marketing to the Department of Defense: The Basics](#) [PDF]
- [OSBP Guidebook to Facilitating Teaming Arrangements](#) [PDF]

Resources

[Procurement Technical Assistance Centers \(PTACs\)](#)

Procurement Technical Assistance Centers (PTACs), are charged with assisting businesses in learning how to do business with federal, state, and local governments. PTACs are a local resource available at no or nominal cost that can provide assistance to business firms in marketing their products and services. They offer training to businesses on how to research and bid on contracts, assist with registration requirements, provide bid-matching services, and assist with pre and post contracting issues.

http://www.acq.osd.mil/osbp/doing_business/index.htm

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A [list of quarterly video magazines](#) that provides a discussion of recent changes to the FAR and DFARS, insights into the regulatory process, and news/issues on the horizon. DPAP and DAU have embarked on this joint venture to provide contracting personnel with the latest news regarding actions effecting the FAR and DFARS.

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http://www.defense.gov/landing/contract_resources.aspx

DoD Small Business Opportunities

The purpose of this section is to identify areas of potential small business growth that are new, developing, or have recently come to the attention of this office. The intent is not to duplicate information which exists through traditional acquisition tools.

DoD Service Forecasts

Future acquisition forecasts are prepared by a number of organizations within DoD. Forecasting methodologies vary by service but constitute the 'best estimate' of each.

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Defense Logistics Agency

Research:

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command
 New and Innovative Ideas for Technology Focused Areas of Interest Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274622>

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command
 Army Research Institute for the Behavioral and Social Sciences (ARI) Foundational Science Research Unit (FSRU)- Broad Agency Announcement for Basic Scientific Research (FY 2015) Grant
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Long Range BAA for Navy and Marine Corps Science and Technology

Modification 1

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Reminders:

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command

Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research

Modification 3

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

W911NF-12-R-0011

Funding Opportunity Title:

Army Research Laboratory Broad
Agency Announcement for Basic and
Applied Scientific Research

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Grant

Other

Procurement Contract

Category of Funding Activity:

Science and Technology and other
Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

1000

CFDA Number(s):

12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

May 31, 2012

Creation Date:

Sep 5, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 31, 2017

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 31, 2017

Archive Date:

Apr 30, 2017

Eligible Applicants:

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of
entity above), subject to any
clarification in text field entitled
"Additional Information on Eligibility"

Description:

This Broad Agency Announcement (BAA), which sets forth research areas of interest to the Army

Research Laboratory (ARL) Directorates and Army Research Office (ARO), is issued under the paragraph 6.102(d)(2) of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR), which provides for the competitive selection of basic research proposals. Proposals submitted in response to this BAA and selected for award are considered to be the result of full and open competition and in full compliance with the provision of Public Law 98-369, "The Competition in Contracting Act of 1984" and subsequent amendments.

**Link to Additional
Information:**

[ARL BAA home web page](#)

Contact Information:

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Ernest Dixon III Procurement Analyst Phone 919-549-4270

[BAA Mailbox](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=173578>

Department of the Army -- Materiel Command

Army Research Office Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research
Modification 4

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

W911NF-12-R-0012

Funding Opportunity Title:

Army Research Office Broad Agency
Announcement for Basic and Applied
Scientific Research

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Grant

Other

Procurement Contract

Category of Funding Activity:

Science and Technology and other
Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

1000

CFDA Number(s):

12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

May 31, 2012

Creation Date:

Sep 5, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 31, 2017

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 31, 2017

Archive Date:

Apr 30, 2017

Eligible Applicants:

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of
entity above), subject to any
clarification in text field entitled
"Additional Information on Eligibility"

Description:

The purpose of this Broad Agency
Announcement (BAA) is to solicit
research proposals in the engineering,

physical, life, and information sciences for submission to the Army Research Office (ARO) for consideration for possible funding. For ease of reference, this BAA is an extraction of the ARO sections of the Army Research Laboratory BAA.

**Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:**

[ARL BAA web page](#)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=173593>

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command

Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	W911NF-12-R-0011
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	May 31, 2012
Creation Date:	May 31, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Archive Date:	Apr 30, 2017
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant Other Procurement Contract
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	1000
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	

Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s):

12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research

Cost Sharing or Matching
Requirement:

No Eligible Applicants

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command

Description

This Broad Agency Announcement (BAA), which sets forth research areas of interest to the Army Research Laboratory (ARL) Directorates and Army Research Office (ARO), is issued under the paragraph 6.102(d)(2) of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR), which provides for the competitive selection of basic research proposals. Proposals submitted in response to this BAA and selected for award are considered to be the result of full and open competition and in full compliance with the provision of Public Law 98-369, "The Competition in Contracting Act of 1984" and subsequent amendments.

Link to Additional Information

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FORECAST OF FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DISCRETIONARY GRANT PROGRAMS FOR FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2014

(As of December 20, 2013)

This document lists virtually all programs and competitions under which the Department (we) has invited or expects to invite applications for new awards and provides actual or estimated deadline dates for the transmittal of applications under these programs. The lists are in the form of charts -- organized according to the Department's principal program offices -- and include programs and competitions we have previously announced, as well as those we plan to announce at a later date. **If you are interested in applying for any upcoming grants with the Department of Education, please take the time to register with SAM at www.SAM.gov, as you must have an active account in order to submit a grant application with our agency. We recommend you register now even as you are looking for eligible grant programs so that your SAM registration is active by the time the application is published. This will allow you to focus on writing the application during the period the application is available and you are not spending a portion of that time obtaining SAM registration. Please click [here](#) to refer to the SAM tip sheet for additional information.**

Note: This document is advisory only and is not an official application notice of the Department of Education. We expect to provide updates to this document starting in the first week of November in a fiscal year and continuing through the following July.

Note on printing: For best results, print this document in landscape orientation.

ORGANIZATION OF THIS DOCUMENT

We have assigned to each principal office a separate chart as follows:

[Chart 1 - Institute of Education Sciences.](#)

[Chart 2 - Office of English Language Acquisition.](#)

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GRANT APPLICATION INFORMATION

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If we do not follow the date in column two with an FR citation, it means that we have yet to publish the application notice, and the dates (columns, two, four, and five) are estimates only. The actual dates will appear in the official application notice for that program or competition in the *Federal Register*.

Date of Application Notice. In column two of the charts, we list the actual or estimated date for publication of the application notice for a given program or competition.

Grant Programs Overview at the Department of Education

To see the complete document click here: <http://www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html>

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Programs:

Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE): Fulbright-Hays Group Projects Abroad Program: Short-Term Projects CFDA Number 84.021A Grant

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number:

Funding Opportunity Title:

Opportunity Category:

Grants Notice

ED-GRANTS-021915-001

Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE): Fulbright-Hays Group Projects Abroad Program: Short-Term Projects CFDA Number 84.021A

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	17
CFDA Number(s):	84.021 -- Overseas Programs - Group Projects Abroad
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 19, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 19, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 23, 2015 Applications Available: February 19, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: March 23, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 23, 2015 Applications Available: February 19, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: March 23, 2015.
Archive Date:	Apr 22, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,361,000
Award Ceiling:	\$125,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible Applicants: (1) IHEs, (2) State departments of education, (3) Private nonprofit educational organizations, and (4) Consortia of these entities.
Agency Name:	Department of Education
Description:	Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at: http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html . Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: The Fulbright-Hays Group Projects Abroad (Fulbright-Hays GPA) Program supports overseas projects in training, research, and curriculum development in modern foreign languages and area studies for groups of teachers, students, and faculty engaged in a common endeavor. Short-term projects may include seminars, curriculum development, or group research or study. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.021A. Applications for grants under the Fulbright-Hays GPA Program, CFDA number 84.021A, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov . Through this site, you

will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the Fulbright-Hays GPA Program at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this program by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.021, not 84.021A).

Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Postsecondary Education \(OPE\): Fulbright-Hays Group Projects Abroad Program: Short-Term Projects CFDA Number 84.021A; Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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[e-Mail: Program Manager](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274635>

Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII): Supporting Effective Educator Development (SEED) Grant Program CFDA Number 84.367D Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-021015-002

Funding Opportunity Title:

Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII): Supporting Effective Educator Development (SEED) Grant Program CFDA Number 84.367D

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Education

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

3

CFDA Number(s):

84.367 -- Improving Teacher Quality State Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Feb 10, 2015

Creation Date:

Feb 10, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 13, 2015 Applications Available: February 10, 2015. Deadline for Notice of Intent To Apply: March 12,

2015. Notice of Intent to Apply: March 12, 2015. The Department will be able to develop a more efficient process for reviewing grant applications if it has a better understanding of the number of entities that intend to apply for funding under this competition. Therefore, the Department strongly encourages each potential applicant to notify the Department by sending a short email message indicating the applicant's intent to submit an application for funding. The email need not include information regarding the content of the proposed application, only the applicant's intent to submit it. The Department requests that this email notification be sent to the SEED program inbox at: SEED@ed.gov. Eligible entities that fail to provide this email notification may still apply for funding. Dates of Informational Webinars: The SEED program intends to hold Webinars designed to provide technical assistance to interested applicants. Detailed information regarding these meetings will be provided on the SEED Web site at <http://www2.ed.gov/programs/edseed/index.html>. Dates of Informational Webinars: The SEED program intends to hold webinars designed to provide technical assistance to interested applicants. Detailed information regarding these meetings will be provided on the SEED Web site at <http://www2.ed.gov/programs/edseed/index.html>. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: April 13, 2015. May 13, 2015

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Eligible Applicants:

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible Applicants: As established in the SEED NFP (78 FR 9815), to be eligible for a SEED program grant, an entity must be a National Not-for-profit Organization. Each applicant must provide in its application documentation that it is a National Not-for-Profit Organization.

Agency Name:

Description:

Department of Education

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available on GPO Access at:
<http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: The SEED program provides funding for grants to National Not-for-Profit Organizations for projects that support teacher or principal training or professional enhancement activities and that are supported by at least Moderate Evidence of Effectiveness. The purpose of the program is to increase the number of Highly Effective Teachers and Principals by developing or expanding the implementation of practices that are demonstrated to have an impact on improving student achievement or Student Growth. These grants will allow eligible entities to develop, expand, and evaluate practices that can serve as models of best practices that can be sustained and disseminated. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.367D Applications for grants under the SEED program, CFDA number 84.367D, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the SEED program at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.367, not 84.367D).

Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Innovation and Improvement \(OII\): Supporting Effective Educator Development \(SEED\) Grant Program CFDA Number 84.367D; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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Modifications:

Reminders:

OSERS: OSEP: Educational Technology, Media, and Materials for Individuals with Disabilities: Television Access CFDA Number 84.327C Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-011415-001
Funding Opportunity Title:	OSERS: OSEP: Educational Technology, Media, and Materials for Individuals with Disabilities: Television Access CFDA Number 84.327C
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5
CFDA Number(s):	84.327 -- Special Education Educational Technology Media, and Materials for Individuals with Disabilities
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 14, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 14, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 16, 2015 Applications Available: January 14, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: March 16, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 16, 2015 Applications Available: January 14, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: March 16, 2015.
Archive Date:	Apr 15, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$400,000
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Private institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) State governments County governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) City or township governments For profit organizations other than small businesses

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name:

Description:

Special district governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Independent school districts

Eligible Applicants: State educational agencies (SEAs); local educational agencies (LEAs), including public charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law; IHEs; other public agencies; private nonprofit organizations; freely associated States and outlying areas; Indian tribes or tribal organizations; and for-profit organizations.

Department of Education

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Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: The purposes of the Educational Technology, Media, and Materials for Individuals with Disabilities Program \1\ are to improve results for children with disabilities by: (1) Promoting the development, demonstration, and use of technology; (2) supporting educational media activities designed to be of educational value in the classroom for students with disabilities; (3) providing support for captioning and video description that is appropriate for use in the classroom; and (4) providing accessible educational materials to students with disabilities in a timely manner. ----

\1\ This program was formerly called ``Technology and Media Services for Individuals with Disabilities." The Department has changed the name to Educational Technology, Media, and Materials for Individuals with Disabilities Program and updated the purposes of the program to more clearly convey that the program includes accessible educational materials. The program's activities and statutory authorization (20 U.S.C. 1474) remain unchanged. -----

----- Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.327C. Applications for grants under the Television Access competition, CFDA number 84.327C, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application

package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the Television Access competition at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.327, not 84.327C).

Link to Additional Information:

[OSERS: OSEP: Educational Technology, Media, and Materials for Individuals with Disabilities: Television Access CFDA Number 84.327C; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015](#)

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[e-Mail: Program Manager](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271449>

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Office of Indian Education (OIE): Indian education Formula Grants to Local Educational Agencies CFDA Number 84.060 Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-012315-001

Funding Opportunity Title:

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Office of Indian Education (OIE): Indian education Formula Grants to Local Educational Agencies CFDA Number 84.060

Opportunity Category:

Mandatory

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Education

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

1300

CFDA Number(s):

84.060 -- Indian Education Grants to Local Educational Agencies

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Jan 26, 2015

Creation Date:

Jan 26, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

May 15, 2015 Part I of the Formula Grant Electronic Application System for Indian Education (EASIE) Applications Available: January 26, 2015. Deadline for

	<p>Transmittal of Part I Applications: February 27, 2015. Part II of the Formula Grant EASIE Applications Available: April 10, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Part II Applications: May 15, 2015. Note: Applicants must meet the deadlines for both EASIE Part I and Part II to receive a grant. Any application not meeting the Part I and Part II deadlines will not be considered for funding. Failure to submit the required supplemental documentation, described in section IV. 2 Content and Form of Application Submission, by the EASIE Parts I and II deadlines will result in an incomplete application that will not be considered for funding. The Office of Indian Education recommends uploading the documentation at least three days prior to each closing date to ensure that any potential submission issues are resolved prior to the deadlines.</p>
Current Closing Date for Applications:	<p>May 15, 2015 Part I of the Formula Grant Electronic Application System for Indian Education (EASIE) Applications Available: January 26, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Part I Applications: February 27, 2015. Part II of the Formula Grant EASIE Applications Available: April 10, 2015. Deadline for Transmittal of Part II Applications: May 15, 2015. Note: Applicants must meet the deadlines for both EASIE Part I and Part II to receive a grant. Any application not meeting the Part I and Part II deadlines will not be considered for funding. Failure to submit the required supplemental documentation, described in section IV. 2 Content and Form of Application Submission, by the EASIE Parts I and II deadlines will result in an incomplete application that will not be considered for funding. The Office of Indian Education recommends uploading the documentation at least three days prior to each closing date to ensure that any potential submission issues are resolved prior to the deadlines.</p>
Archive Date:	Jun 14, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$100,381,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	<p>Eligible Applicants: Certain LEAs, including charter schools authorized as LEAs under State law, as prescribed by section 7112(b) of the ESEA, certain schools funded by the Bureau of Indian Education of the U.S. Department of the Interior, as prescribed by section 7113(d) of the ESEA, and Indian tribes under certain conditions, as prescribed by section 7112(c) of the ESEA.</p>
Agency Name:	Department of Education
Description:	Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official

application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at: <http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: The Indian Education Formula Grants to Local Educational Agencies (Formula Grants) program provides grants to support local educational agencies (LEAs) and other eligible entities described in this notice in reforming and improving elementary and secondary school programs that serve Indian students. The Department funds comprehensive programs that are designed to help Indian students meet the same State academic content and student academic achievement standards used for all students while addressing the language and cultural needs of Indian students. Such programs include supporting the professional development of teachers of Indian students. In addition, under section 7116 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended (ESEA), the Secretary will, upon receipt of an acceptable plan for the integration of education and related services, and in cooperation with other relevant Federal agencies, authorize the entity receiving the funds under this program to consolidate all Federal formula funds that are to be used exclusively for Indian students. Instructions for submitting an integration of education and related services plan are included in the EASIE, which is described under Application Process and Submission Information in section IV of this notice. Note: Under the Formula Grants program, applicants are required to develop the project for which an application is made: (a) In open consultation with parents and teachers of Indian students and, if appropriate, Indian students from secondary schools, including through public hearings held to provide a full opportunity to understand the program and to offer recommendations regarding the program (section 7114(c)(3)(C) of the ESEA); (b) with the participation of a parent committee selected in accordance with section 7114(c)(4) of the ESEA; and (c) with the written approval of that parent committee (section 7114(c)(4) of the ESEA). Program Authority: 20 U.S.C. 7421 et seq. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.060A. Applications for grants under the Formula Grants program, CFDA number 84.060A, must be submitted electronically using EASIE. Applications submitted in paper format will be rejected unless you qualify

for one of the exceptions to the electronic submission requirement described later in this section under Exception to Electronic Submission Requirement, and follow the submission rules outlined therein. EASIE Electronic Application System: EASIE is an easy-to-use, electronic application system. This system allows the Department to review applications and interact online with applicants during the application review and approval process.

Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Elementary and Secondary Education \(OESE\):](#)
[Office of Indian Education \(OIE\): Indian education Formula Grants to Local Educational Agencies CFDA Number 84.060A; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2015.](#)

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The Department's **Office of Nuclear Energy** re-established, in FY 1998, a competitive peer-reviewed program to provide grants allowing nuclear engineering faculty and students to conduct innovative research in nuclear engineering and related areas. The awards run from one to three years and are granted in eight separate technical areas related to nuclear engineering: reactor physics, reactor engineering, reactor materials, radiological engineering, radioactive waste management, applied radiation science, nuclear safety and risk analysis, and innovative technologies for next generation reactors, space power and propulsion, or radiation sources. This type of research is vital to the academic community to help promote excellence in nuclear engineering and provide resolution to issues confronting nuclear engineering in general.

The **Office of Nuclear Energy** provides tuition, stipends, and practicums to outstanding graduate students studying nuclear engineering and health physics and undergraduateships and practicums to students pursuing a nuclear engineering course of study to ensure that our country will have an adequate supply of trained nuclear scientists and engineers. As an element of this activity, the University Partnership Program pairs minority institutions with institutions offering a nuclear engineering degree to enable more minorities to enter the field of nuclear engineering.

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Programs:

National Energy Technology Laboratory

Request for Information for DE-FOA-0001237 Grant

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Golden Field Office

Program Strategy to Advance Marine and Hydrokinetics Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274188>

Golden Field Office

SOLAR POWERING AMERICA BY RECOGNIZING COMMUNITIES (SPARC) Grant
And Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273288>

National Energy Technology Laboratory

Emerging Technologies for Methane Production via Biological In-Situ Coal Conversion and Low Cost
Oxygen Production for Gasification Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273848>

Golden Field Office

Cleantech University Prize (Cleantech UP) Grant
And Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273930>

PAMS

Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

SBIR/STTR Phase II Release 2 Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273568>

Golden Field Office

DE-FOA-0001277 NOI for FOA DE-FOA-0001214: U.S. WIND MANUFACTURING: LARGER BLADES TO ACCESS GREATER WIND RESOUR Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274710>

Modifications:

Golden Field Office

DE-FOA-0001182: Marine and Hydrokinetic Systems Performance Advancement II (SPA II): Component Metric Validation

Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271282>

National Energy Technology Laboratory

Lab & Bench-Scale Applications for R&D of Transformational CO2 Capture

Modification 2

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National Energy Technology Laboratory

Fiscal Year 2015 Vehicle Technologies Program Wide Funding Opportunity Announcement

Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271829>

National Energy Technology Laboratory

Small and Large Scale Pilots for Reducing the Cost of CO2 Capture and Compression

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274062>

National Energy Technology Laboratory

Enabling Technologies for Advanced Combustion Systems (ACS)

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=272133>

Headquarters

Generators for Small Electrical and Thermal Systems (GENSETS)

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=268906>

National Energy Technology Laboratory

Lab & Bench-Scale Applications for R&D of Transformational CO2 Capture

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=272068>

National Energy Technology Laboratory

University Turbine Systems Research

Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=272433>

Golden Field Office

DE-FOA-0001182: Marine and Hydrokinetic Systems Performance Advancement II (SPA II): Component

Metric Validation

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271282>

Reminders:

Grants and Other Funding Opportunities

Current grant and other funding opportunities

- [See lists of all current EPA grants on Grants.gov](#) and on [EPA's grants website](#)
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Every year, EPA awards grants through the [P3 award competition](#) to college teams across the country who participate in the [National Sustainable Design Expo](#). Above, Harvard, Wellesley, MIT, and Qinghai Normal University students developed a 3-in-1 solar cooker, heater, and electricity generator to help bring clean energy to the rural Himalayas. [Read more about this project.](#)

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Programs:

FY 2015 National Priority Activities for the Section 303(d) Program, the Nonpoint Source (Section 319) Program, the Wetlands Program, and the Water Quality Monitoring Program Grant

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number:

Funding Opportunity Title:

Opportunity Category:

Funding Instrument Type:

Grants Notice

EPA-OW-OWOW-15-02

FY 2015 National Priority Activities for the Section 303(d) Program, the Nonpoint Source (Section 319) Program, the Wetlands Program, and the Water Quality Monitoring Program

Discretionary

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	10
CFDA Number(s):	66.436 -- Surveys, Studies, Investigations, Demonstrations, and Training Grants and Cooperative Agreements - Section 104(b)(3) of
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 5, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 5, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 24, 2015 Please refer to the announcement, including Section IV, for additional information on submission methods and due dates.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 24, 2015 Please refer to the announcement, including Section IV, for additional information on submission methods and due dates.
Archive Date:	Apr 23, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$3,915,000
Award Ceiling:	\$975,000
Award Floor:	\$80,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	See Section III of the announcement for eligibility information.
Agency Name:	Environmental Protection Agency
Description:	The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is soliciting proposals from eligible applicants to provide support for training and technical assistance activities to build the capacity of state and tribal officials and nongovernmental stakeholders in the Clean Water Act (CWA) Section 303(d) Program, the Nonpoint Source (CWA Section 319) Program, the Wetlands Program, and the Water Quality Monitoring Program.
Link to Additional Information:	FY 2015 National Priority Activities for the Section 303(d) Program, the Nonpoint Source (Section 319) Program, the Wetlands Program, and the Water Quality Monitoring Program
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Department of Health and Human Services

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HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CB-0806	National Abandoned Infants Resource Center	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2014-ACF-OCS-EI-0774	Assets for Independence Demonstration Program	ACF	01/02/2014

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HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CZ-0807	National Center for Legal and Judicial Excellence in Child Welfare	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CB-0806	National Abandoned Infants Resource Center	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2014-ACF-OCS-EI-0774	Assets for Independence Demonstration Program	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2013-IHS-BHSA-0001	Domestic Violence Prevention Initiative Sexual Assault Projects Expansion	IHS	01/02/2014
HHS-2013-IHS-TSGN-0001	Department of Health and Human Services, Indian Health Service, Tribal Self-Governance Program, Negotiation Cooperative Agreement	IHS	01/02/2014

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Street Outreach Program Grant

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number:

Funding Opportunity Title:

Opportunity Category:

Funding Instrument Type:

Category of Funding Activity:

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Posted Date:

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HHS-2015-ACF-ACYF-YO-0956

Street Outreach Program

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Income Security and Social Services

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93.557 -- Education and Prevention Grants to Reduce Sexual Abuse of Runaway, Homeless and Street Youth

Yes

Feb 9, 2015

Feb 9, 2015

Apr 10, 2015 Electronically submitted applications must be

Current Closing Date for Applications:

submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.

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Archive Date:

May 11, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$4,712,482

Award Ceiling:

\$200,000

Award Floor:

\$90,000

Eligible Applicants:

Special district governments

Independent school districts

Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

County governments

Private institutions of higher education

City or township governments

State governments

Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible applicants include public and non-profit private entities that include States, localities, and coordinated networks of such entities. Per RHY Act section 351, for-profit organizations are not eligible. In selecting eligible applicants to receive grants under this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), priority will be given to entities that have experience in providing shelter and services to runaway, homeless, or street youth as required by the RHY Act. Faith-based and community organizations that meet the eligibility requirements are eligible to receive awards under this funding opportunity announcement. Faith-based organizations are encouraged to review the ACF Policy on Grants to Faith-Based Organizations at: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/acf-policy-on-grants-to-faith-based-organizations>.

Applications from individuals (including sole proprietorships) and foreign entities are not eligible and will be disqualified from competitive review and from funding under this announcement.

Agency Name:

Administration for Children & Families - ACYF/FYSB

Description:

Today, in communities across the country, young people are living on the streets after running from or being asked to leave homes characterized by abuse, neglect, or parental drug and alcohol abuse. Once on the streets, such youth are at risk of being sexually exploited or abused by adults for

pleasure or profit. In addition, youth may engage in shoplifting, survival sex, or drug dealing in order to provide for their basic needs. Since 1996, SOP has been aiding this population by funding grantees to provide street-based services to runaway, homeless, and street youth who have been subjected to, or are at risk of being subjected to, sexual abuse, prostitution, or sexual exploitation. These services, which are provided in areas where street youth congregate, are designed to assist such youth in making healthy choices regarding where they live and how they behave.

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Health Resources and Services Administration
Rural Health Care Coordination Network Partnership Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	HRSA-15-123
Funding Opportunity Title:	Rural Health Care Coordination Network Partnership Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Health
Category Explanation:	https://grants.hrsa.gov/webExternal/SFO.asp?ID=e3af9abe-a716-4a40-be96-b8273fac43f6
Expected Number of Awards:	8
CFDA Number(s):	93.912 -- Rural Health Care Services Outreach, Rural Health Network Development and Small Health Care Provider Quality Improvement
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 5, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 5, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 6, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 6, 2015
Archive Date:	Jun 5, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,600,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	a) Ownership and Geographic Requirements: Applicants for the Rural Health Care Coordination Network Partnership

Program must meet the ownership and geographic requirements stated below. (Note: If an incorporated network does not apply on behalf of its members, the award will be made to only one member of the network that will be the grantee of record and only that organization needs to meet the eligibility criteria: 1) The lead applicant organization must be a public or private non-profit entity located in a rural area or in a rural census tract of an urban county, and all services provided by a HRSA grant awarded under this FOA must be provided in a rural county or census tract. The applicant's Employer Identification Number (EIN) provided by the Internal Revenue Service will verify it is a rural entity. To ascertain rural eligibility, please refer to: <http://datawarehouse.hrsa.gov/RuralAdvisor/> and enter the applicant organization's state and county. An application that proposes a network serving rural communities where the applicant organization is not in a designated rural area will not be considered for funding under this announcement. Rural faith-based and community-based organizations, Tribes, and tribal organizations are eligible to apply. 2) In addition to the States listed on the Rural Advisor (link above) only Guam, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, American Samoa, the U.S. Virgin Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the Republic of Palau may apply. Applications submitted from organizations located outside the 50 states, must meet the rural eligibility requirements. One of the following documents must be included in Attachment 3 to prove non-profit status (not applicable to State, local, and Tribal government entities; Tribal organizations, however, must provide one of the following):

Agency Name:

Description:

Health Resources and Services Administration
This announcement solicits applications for the Rural Health Care Coordination Network Partnership Program (Care Coordination Program). The purpose of the Rural Health Care Coordination Network Partnership Program is to support the development of formal, mature rural health networks that focus on care coordination activities for the following chronic conditions: diabetes, congestive heart failure (CHF) and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD). Care coordination in the primary care practice involves deliberately organizing patient care activities and sharing information among all of the participants concerned with a patient's care to achieve safer and more effective care. Rural Americans are unhealthier, with higher rates of chronic illnesses, such as diabetes, CHF, and COPD and have higher rates of high-risk behaviors such as smoking,

physical inactivity, and poor nutrition.[1],[2],[3],[4] These high-risk behaviors cause many of the illnesses, suffering and deaths due to chronic diseases and conditions.[5] The increasing prevalence of chronic diseases and the high cost of health care in the U.S. bring treatment of the whole person to the forefront, especially as there are often psychosocial (psychological and social) issues related to chronic diseases; for example, there is a link between diabetes and depression. In addition, more mental health problems are seen in the primary care setting than other health care settings; thus, integrating behavioral health care into primary care helps address both the physical and psychosocial aspects of health and wellness. Reviews and reports from the Agency for Healthcare Quality and Research (AHRQ) have shown a positive impact from integrating a team approach to care for a variety of disease conditions.[6] Health care coordination for people living with chronic conditions is vital to providing high quality care, especially in rural areas where access to health care is an issue. The main goal of care coordination is to meet patients' needs and preferences in the delivery of high-quality, high-value health care. This means that the patient's needs and preferences are known ahead of time and communicated at the right time to the right people; this information is used to provide safe, appropriate, and effective care to the patient. Care coordination is identified by the Institute of Medicine as a key strategy that has the potential to improve the effectiveness, safety, and efficiency of the American health care system. Well-designed, targeted care coordination that is delivered to the right people can improve outcomes for everyone: patients, providers, and payers.[7] Care coordination is especially important in the changing health care landscape where payments increasingly focus on value. The ultimate goal of the program is to promote the delivery of coordinated care in the primary care setting. There are numerous developments in state health policy that support the adoption of care coordination models, including patient centered medical homes (PCMH), accountable care organizations (ACO), and enhanced health information technology (HIT) such as electronic health records (EHR) and telehealth capabilities. Care coordination strategies can be tailored for a rural community's resources and challenges. Strategies may include a special emphasis on: recruiting or training personnel to assume care coordination responsibilities or supporting other staff, such as, community health workers, in taking on this role; developing new or making creative use of existing resources, such as co-locating available behavioral and primary health

care services; and addressing quality improvement through innovations like telehealth or system redesign using models such as, Six Sigma or the Lean Model, for example.[8] Applicants shall develop creative and innovative approaches to address outcomes in one or more of the three pre-specified disease states, diabetes, CHF, and/or COPD, through application of care coordination strategies. Applicants shall disseminate the information regionally or nationally, including efforts by grassroots, faith-based or community-based organizations. The proposed projects should demonstrate improved outcomes. Applicants may address the prevalence and management of diabetes, CHF, and COPD conditions using innovative or evidence-based care coordination strategies, relevant to their community needs. At a minimum, networks will be asked to report on four outcome measures for each chronic condition (Type 2 Diabetes, CHF and COPD). In addition to reporting on these outcome measures, networks will be also asked to report at least three care coordination measures. Performance on those measures will be aggregated across the funded sites to measure program impact. To review the outcome measures for each chronic condition, please refer to Section IV: Application and Submission Information. To the extent possible, grantees are encouraged to bill for third party reimbursement for covered services and participate in pay-for-performance and other incentive programs[9],[10] in order to aid in the sustainability of the project. By thinking beyond the day-to-day activities and services and planning for sustainability early in the grant cycle, organizations can better position their programs for long-term sustainability and leverage the investment of federal grant dollars to maintain successful programs that improve the health of rural Americans. [1] Downy LH. (2013). Rural Populations and Health: Determinants, Disparities, and Solutions [book review]. Preventing Chronic Disease; 10:130097. Available at: http://www.cdc.gov/pcd/issues/2013/13_0097.htm. [2] Why Rural America Needs Health Reform. National Rural Health Association. Available at: <http://www.ruralhealthweb.org/index.cfm?objectid=A771071A-3048-651A-FEAB6199CED39F8E>. [3] Dallas ME. (2012). COPD Deaths Highest in Rural, Poor Areas: CDC. HealthDay News. Available at: <http://consumer.healthday.com/diseases-and-conditions-information-37/misc-diseases-and-conditions-news-203/copd-deaths-highest-in-rural-poor-areas-cdc-669692.html>. [4] American College of Chest Physicians. (2012). Poverty, rural living linked to increased COPD mortality in the US. Science Daily. Available

at: <http://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2012/10/121022080655.htm>. [5] Chronic Diseases and Health Promotion. (2014). Atlanta, GA: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Available at: <http://www.cdc.gov/chronicdisease/overview/>. [6] Jortberg BT, Miller BF, Gabbay RA, Sparling K, Dickinson WP. (2012). Patient-Centered Medical Home: How it Affects Psychosocial Outcomes for Diabetes. *Current Diabetes Reports*;12:721-728. [7] Care Coordination. (2014). Rockville, MD: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality. Available at: <http://www.ahrq.gov/professionals/prevention-chronic-care/improve/coordination/index.html>. [8] Stanek M, Hanlon C, Shiras T. (2014). Realizing Rural Care Coordination: Considerations and Action Steps for State-Policy Makers. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. Available at: http://www.rwjf.org/content/dam/farm/reports/issue_briefs/2014/rwjf412058. [9] Pay-for-performance programs can either be from the private-sector such as, the California Pay for Performance Program or from the public-sector such as, the Medicare Hospital Value-Based Purchasing Program. An example of an incentive program is the Medicare and Medicaid EHR Incentive Programs, which provides financial incentives for the meaningful use of certified EHR technology to improve patient care. [10] James J. (2012). Health Policy Brief: Pay-for- Performance. Health Affairs. Available at: http://healthaffairs.org/healthpolicybriefs/brief_pdfs/healthpolicybrief_78.pdf.

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Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	HHS-2015-ACF-ACYF-CY-0957
Funding Opportunity Title:	Basic Center Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Income Security and Social Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	93
CFDA Number(s):	93.623 -- Basic Center Grant
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 9, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 9, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 10, 2015 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 10, 2015 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Archive Date:	May 11, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$14,593,033
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities Public and State controlled institutions of higher education City or township governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) State governments Special district governments County governments Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Additional Information on Eligibility:	In selecting eligible applicants to receive grants under this Funding

Opportunity Announcement, priority will be given to private entities that have experience in providing shelter and services to runaway, homeless and street youth as required by the RHY Act. Private institutions of higher education must be non-profit entities. In addition to both public and nonprofit private entities, a combination of such entities can receive grants per section 311(a)(1) of the RHY Act. (42 U.S.C. § 5711(a)(1)) Faith-based and community organizations that meet the eligibility requirements are eligible to receive awards under this funding opportunity announcement. Faith-based organizations are encouraged to review the ACF Policy on Grants to Faith-Based Organizations at: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/acf-policy-on-grants-to-faith-based-organizations>. Applications from individuals (including sole proprietorships) and foreign entities are not eligible and will be disqualified from competitive review and from funding under this announcement.

Agency Name:

Administration for Children & Families - ACYF/FYSB

Description:

The Administration for Children and Families' (ACF), Administration on Children, Youth and Families' (ACYF), Family and Youth Services Bureau (FYSB) will award funding for the Basic Center Program (BCP). The purpose of the BCP is to provide an alternative for runaway and homeless youth who might otherwise end up with law enforcement or in the child welfare, mental health, or juvenile justice systems. The BCP works to establish or strengthen community-based programs that meet the immediate needs of runaway and homeless youth and their families. The programs provide youth up to age

18 years with emergency shelter, food, clothing, counseling and referrals for health care. Most basic centers can provide 21 days of shelter for up to 20 youth at a time. There are exceptions for jurisdictions that have different standards for licensing. Basic Centers seek to reunite young people with their families, whenever possible, or to locate appropriate alternative placements. Services will include: street-based services; home-based services for families with youth at risk of separation from the family; drug abuse education and prevention services; and at the request of runaway and homeless youth, testing for sexually transmitted infections.

Link to Additional Information:

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Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration
Cooperative Agreements for Expansion and Sustainability of the Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children with Serious Emotional Disturbances Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

SM-15-009

Funding Opportunity Title:

Cooperative Agreements for Expansion and Sustainability of the Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children with Serious Emotional Disturbances

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Health

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

45

CFDA Number(s):

93.104 -- Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children with Serious Emotional Disturbances (SED)

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 9, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 9, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 10, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 10, 2015
Archive Date:	May 10, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$45,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$3,000,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	<p>Eligibility for this program is statutorily limited to public entities such as: State governments; Indian or tribal organizations (as defined in Section 4[b] and Section 4[c] of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act); Governmental units within political subdivisions of a state, such as a county, city or town; District of Columbia government; and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Northern Mariana Islands, Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, and Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (now Palau, Micronesia, and the Marshall Islands). Tribal organization means the recognized body of any AI/AN tribe; any legally established organization of American Indians/Alaska Natives which is controlled, sanctioned, or chartered by such governing body or which is democratically elected by the adult members of the Indian community to be served by such organization and which includes the maximum participation of American Indians/Alaska Natives in all phases of its activities. Note: Public entities that are currently receiving funds under the Implementation Cooperative Agreements for the Expansion of the Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children and Their Families Program (System of Care Expansion Implementation Cooperative Agreements), RFA SM-12-003 and RFA SM-14-002, are not eligible to apply under this funding announcement. State governments, Indian or tribal organizations; and Governmental units within political subdivisions of a state which have already received one of the grants are not eligible to apply. Eligible State applicants for this grant may not choose local jurisdictions that have received an implementation expansion grant previously or local jurisdictions that are applying separately under this cooperative agreement, as localities to implement services. Indian or tribal organizations, and governmental units within political subdivisions of a state, may apply as long as they have not received this grant previously and are not named as localities that the State has identified in its application for this grant. SAMHSA is limiting eligibility in</p>

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Description:

order to expand the number of states, jurisdictions and localities within a state, political subdivision, tribe, tribal organization or territory that wish to adopt and expand the SOC approach. See Appendix II of the RFA for a list of ineligible entities.

Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Adminis.
The purpose of this program is to improve mental health outcomes for children and youth (birth to 21 years of age) with serious emotional disturbances (SED) and their families. This program will support the wide scale operation, expansion and integration of the system of care (SOC) approach by creating sustainable infrastructure and services that are required as part of the Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children with Serious Emotional Disturbances (also known as the Children's Mental Health Initiative or CMHI). This cooperative agreement will support the provision of mental health and related recovery support services to children and youth with serious emotional disturbances. and those with early signs and symptoms of serious mental illness including first episode psychosis, and their families. The SOC Expansion and Sustainability Cooperative Agreements will build upon progress made in developing comprehensive systems of care across the country by focusing on sustainable financing, cross-agency collaboration, the creation of policy and infrastructure, and the development and implementation of evidence-based and evidence-informed services and supports. Other activities supported will include the implementation of systemic changes, training, and workforce development. The Children's Mental Health Initiative (CMHI) provides an excellent example of SAMHSA's Theory of Change (<http://store.samhsa.gov/product/PEP14-LEADCHANGE2>). Based on data demonstrating improved outcomes for children, youth and families, service system improvements, and a positive return on investment, CMHI has been successful in moving the system of care approach from a demonstration program towards a more wide-scale adoption of the system of care values and principles. The goal is to continue these efforts to ensure that this approach becomes the primary way in which mental health services for children and youth with SED are delivered throughout the nation. The System of Care Expansion and Sustainability Cooperative Agreements closely aligns with SAMHSA's Recovery Support Strategic Initiative (<http://www.samhsa.gov/about-us/strategic-initiatives>). In addition, this program seeks to address behavioral health disparities among racial and ethnic minorities by encouraging the implementation of strategies to decrease the

differences in access, service use and outcomes among the racial and ethnic minority populations served. (See PART II: Appendix G – Addressing Behavioral Health Disparities.) System of Care (SOC) Expansion and Sustainability Cooperative Agreements are authorized under Sections 561-565 of the Public Health Service Act, as amended. This announcement addresses Healthy People 2020 Mental Health and Mental Disorders Topic Area HP 2020-MHMD.

Link to Additional Information:

[Cooperative Agreements for Expansion and Sustainability of the Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children with Serious Emotional Disturbances](#)

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Building the Evidence for Family Group Decision-Making in Child Welfare Grant

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Administration for Community Living

Senior Medicare Patrol Projects - Empowering Seniors to Prevent Health Care Fraud Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273948>

Agency for Health Care Research and Quality

Patient Safety Learning Laboratories: Innovative Design and Development to Improve Healthcare
Delivery Systems (P30) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273228>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Increasing the Implementation of Evidence-Based Cancer Survivorship Interventions to Increase Quality
and Duration of Life among Cancer Patients Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274757>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

The National Syndromic Surveillance Program: Enhancing Syndromic Surveillance Capacity and Practice Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274053>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

The Healthy Brain Initiative: Implementing Public Health Actions related to Cognitive Health, Cognitive Impairment, and Caregiving at the State and Local Levels Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274791>

Health Resources and Services Administration

Ryan White HIV/AIDS Part C Capacity Development Program Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274823>

National Institutes of Health

Developing Paradigm-Shifting Innovations for in vivo Human Placental Assessment in Response to Environmental Influences (U01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274783>

National Institutes of Health

Early-life Factors and Cancer Development Later in Life (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274784>

National Institutes of Health

Early-life Factors and Cancer Development Later in Life (R21) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274785>

National Institutes of Health

Advancing Translational and Clinical Probiotic/Prebiotic and Human Microbiome Research (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274808>

National Institutes of Health

Children's Health Exposure Analysis Resource (CHEAR): National Exposure Assessment Laboratory Network (U2C) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274810>

National Institutes of Health

Early-life Factors and Cancer Development Later in Life (R03) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274816>

National Institutes of Health

Child Health Research Career Development Award (CHRCDA) Program (K12) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274064>

National Institutes of Health

Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Centers 2015 (U54) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274110>

National Institutes of Health

Sudden Cardiac Death in the Young: Population Based Studies (U01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274780>

National Institutes of Health

NHLBI SBIR Phase IIB Bridge Awards to Accelerate the Commercialization of Technologies for Heart, Lung, Blood, and Sleep Disorders and Diseases (R44) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274781>

National Institutes of Health

BRAIN Initiative: Optimization of Novel Tools and Technologies for Neuroscience Research (R44) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274665>

National Institutes of Health

NIDA Mentored Clinical Scientists Development Program Award in Drug Abuse and Addiction (K12) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273873>

National Institutes of Health

Administrative Supplements for Common Basic Sociobehavioral Mechanisms and Processes that Facilitate or Impede Self-Management of Chronic Conditions (Admin Supp) Grant

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National Institutes of Health

Eunice Kennedy Shriver NICHD Cooperative Multicenter Neonatal Research Network (UG1) Grant

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National Institutes of Health

Big Data to Knowledge (BD2K) Advancing Biomedical Science Using Crowdsourcing and Interactive Digital Media (UH2) Grant

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National Institutes of Health

Eunice Kennedy Shriver NICHD Maternal-Fetal Medicine Units (MFMU) Network (UG1) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274751>

National Institutes of Health

Collaborative Activities to promote High Dimensional Molecular Analyses in NIEHS-supported Children's Environmental Health Studies (Admin Supp) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274762>

National Institutes of Health

Phased Innovation Award for Exploratory Clinical Trials of Natural Products in NCCIH High Priority Research Topics (R21/R33) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273330>

National Institutes of Health

Exploratory Clinical Trials of Natural Products in NCCIH High Priority Research Topics (R33) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273331>

National Institutes of Health
Limited Competition for the Continuation of the Diabetes Prevention Program Outcomes Study (DPPOS)
Clinical Centers (Collaborative U01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273348>

National Institutes of Health
Gene-Environment Interplay in Substance Use Disorders (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273209>

National Institutes of Health
Clinical Observational (CO) Studies in Musculoskeletal, Rheumatic, and Skin Diseases (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273355>

National Institutes of Health
Gene-Environment Interplay in Substance Use Disorders (R03) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273213>

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Gene-Environment Interplay in Substance Use Disorders (R21) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273216>

National Institutes of Health
Advancing Exceptional Research on HIV/AIDS and Substance Abuse (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273728>

National Institutes of Health
NIDCD Planning Grant for Phase III Clinical Trials in Communication Disorders (U34) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273668>

National Institutes of Health
NIDCD Phase I/II/III Clinical Trials in Communication Disorders (U01)
Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273669>

National Institutes of Health
High-End Instrumentation (HEI) Grant Program (S10) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273671>

National Institutes of Health
Molecular Mechanisms of Combination Adjuvants (MMCA)(U01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273673>

HHS - Office of the Secretary
Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response
Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) Ebola Preparedness and Response Activities Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274709>

Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration
Capacity Building Initiative for Substance Abuse (SA) and HIV Prevention Services for At-Risk
Racial/Ethnic Minority Youth and Young Adults (HIV CBI) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274701>

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2015 Campus Suicide Prevention Grant
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Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration
Drug-Free Communities Mentoring Program Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273588>

Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration
National Consumer and Consumer Supporter Technical Assistance Centers (Short Title: Consumer and
Consumer Supporter TA Centers) Grant
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Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration
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(MAT-PDOA) Grant
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Population Health through National, Nonprofit Organizations—financed in part by 2013 Prevention and
Public Health Funds
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Organized Approaches to Increase Colorectal Cancer Screening
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The National Syndromic Surveillance Program: Enhancing Syndromic Surveillance Capacity and Practice
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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Enhancing HIV Prevention Communication and Mobilization Efforts through Strategic Partnerships
Modification 3

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Reducing the burden of neglected parasitic infections (NPIs) in the United States through evidence-based prevention and control activities

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

The CDC National Centers of Excellence in Youth Violence Prevention: Building the Evidence for Community- and Policy-Level Prevention

Modification 2

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Modification 1

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Modification 1

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Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Part F Dental Reimbursement Program (DRP)

Modification 1

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National Institutes of Health

BRAIN Initiative: Optimization of Novel Tools and Technologies for Neuroscience Research (R44)

Modification 1

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Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health

FY15 Announcement of the Anticipated Availability of Funds for Research Conferences on Research Integrity

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Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration

Screening, Brief Intervention, and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) Health Professions Student Training (SBIRT- Student Training)

Modification 2

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Reminders:

Health Resources and Services Administration
Rural Network Allied Health Training Program Grant
And Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	HRSA-15-068
Funding Opportunity Title:	Rural Network Allied Health Training Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Health
Category Explanation:	https://grants.hrsa.gov/webExternal/SFO.asp?ID=8a3ccedb-c206-47da-b651-eb7ccfed0e2
Expected Number of Awards:	10
CFDA Number(s):	93.912 -- Rural Health Care Services Outreach, Rural Health Network Development and Small Health Care Provider Quality Improvement
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 29, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 30, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2015
Archive Date:	May 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	<p>a) Ownership and Geographic Requirements: Applicants for the Rural Network Allied Health Training Program must meet the ownership and geographic requirements stated below. (Note: If an incorporated network does not apply on behalf of its members, the award will be made to only one member of the network that will be the grantee of record and only that organization needs to meet the eligibility criteria.):</p> <p>1) The lead applicant organization must be a public or private non-profit entity located in a rural area or in a rural census tract of an urban county, and all services must be provided in a rural county or census tract. The applicant's EIN number should verify it is a rural entity. To ascertain rural eligibility, please refer to: http://datawarehouse.hrsa.gov/RuralAdvisor/ and enter the applicant organization's state and county. A network serving rural communities but whose applicant organization is not in a designated rural area will not be considered for funding under this announcement. Rural faith-based and community-based organizations, Tribes, and tribal organizations are eligible to apply. 2) In addition to the several States, only Guam, the Commonwealth of Puerto</p>

Agency Name:
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Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, American Samoa, the U.S. Virgin Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the Republic of Palau may apply. If applicants are located outside the 50 states, they still have to meet the rural eligibility requirements.

Health Resources and Services Administration

This announcement solicits applications for the Rural Network Allied Health Training Program (Allied Health Training). The Rural Network Allied Health Training Program is a pilot program that will support the development of formal, mature[1] rural health networks that focus on activities that achieve efficiencies, expand access to, coordinate and improve the quality of essential health care services, and strengthen the rural health care system as a whole. In this project, it is anticipated that this purpose will be achieved through the recruitment, clinical training, and retention of allied health professionals. This program will further support integrated rural health networks that can partner with local community colleges and other accredited educational institutions (such as vocational and technical colleges) to develop formal clinical training programs. These formal training programs will target enrolled rural allied health professional students, to include displaced workers and veterans, in completing a rural, community-based clinical training rotation and obtaining eventual employment with a rural health care provider. Applicants will be required to focus their efforts to recruit, train, and retain allied health professionals from at least one of the following discipline categories[2] and associated discipline fields[3]: 1. clinicians · dental hygienists[4] 2. technologists and technicians · diagnostic imaging technologists (sonography, radiology, etc.) · medical/clinical laboratory technicians · paramedics[5] and community paramedics[6],[7] · pharmacy technicians · psychiatric/mental/behavioral health technicians 3. other allied health · physical therapy assistants · occupational therapy assistants

The Allied Health Training program goals are as follows:

1. Improving the viability of the network partners by increasing recruitment and retention of allied health professionals within their rural communities and other non-network rural communities;
2. Providing allied health students with training opportunities and experiences within culturally competent, community focused rural hospitals/clinics, which will build and reinforce ties within these rural communities;
3. Establishing a replicable model network approach to training allied health students in

rural areas; 4. Expanding the uptake of industry-validated credentials that are competency based, empowering job seekers and reducing barriers to hiring; and

5. Establishing partnerships between the network and community organizations that can serve as an ongoing vehicle for addressing workforce challenges. These networks can focus on a variety of different activities related to the recruitment, training, and retention of allied health professionals. [1] The definition of mature is located in the Other Information Section VIII.4. [2] The U.S. Health Workforce Chartbook. (2013). Rockville, MD: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, the National Center for Health Workforce Analysis. Available at: <http://bhpr.hrsa.gov/healthworkforce/supplydemand/usworkforce/chartbook/index.html>. [3] This list of allied health disciplines is not exhaustive. ORHP conducted an informal needs assessment to determine existing gaps for various allied health disciplines in rural areas and the key employment needs by rural health provider type. [4] Dental hygienists are generally not allowed to practice without a dentist on site. There may be a few state exceptions: https://www.adha.org/resources-docs/7513_Direct_Access_to_Care_from_DH.pdf. Applicants should verify and address this issue, if applicable, within the Needs Assessment of the Project Narrative Section IV.2.ii. [5] As based on the National Paramedic (NRP) Certification through the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians: <https://www.nremt.org/>. [6] Community paramedics are paramedics trained to provide more general medical services that address specific community needs: <http://www.naemt.org/Libraries/Community%20Paramedicine/Urgent%20Matters-Innovations-What%20is%20CP%200513.sflb>. [7] Applicants will be required to verify as a condition of award that community paramedicine is allowed by state scope of practice, statute and/or regulation, that there is an internationally standardized community paramedicine educational program provided by a local accredited college or university, and that there are available employment opportunities for community paramedics within rural parts of the state. Include this information in Attachment 15 for reviewers to accurately assess applicant need.

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**Health Resources and Services Administration
Rural Outreach Benefits Counseling Program Grant**

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Funding Opportunity Number:	HRSA-15-137
Funding Opportunity Title:	Rural Outreach Benefits Counseling Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
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Category of Funding Activity:	Health
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Expected Number of Awards:	10
CFDA Number(s):	93.912 -- Rural Health Care Services Outreach, Rural Health Network Development and Small Health Care Provider Quality Improvement
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 29, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 29, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 30, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 30, 2015
Archive Date:	May 29, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$750,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Please See Section 3.1 of the FOA
Agency Name:	Health Resources and Services Administration
Description:	This announcement solicits applications for the Rural Outreach Benefits Counseling Program (Benefits Counseling Program). The Benefits Counseling Program is a community-based pilot program targeted to improve outreach and service delivery in local and regional rural communities. The purpose of the three-year Benefits Counseling Program is to expand outreach, education and enrollment efforts to eligible uninsured individuals and families, and newly insured individuals and families in rural communities. For the purposes of this grant program, benefits counseling (outreach, education and enrollment efforts) will be limited to only public health insurance (Medicare, Medicaid and/or Children's Health Insurance

Program), qualified health plans offered through Health Insurance Marketplace and/or private health insurance plans. The overarching goals of this grant funding are to coordinate and conduct innovative outreach activities through a strong consortium in order to: 1) Identify and enroll uninsured individuals and families who are eligible for: public health insurance such as Medicare, Medicaid, and Children's Health Insurance Program, qualified health plans offered through Health Insurance Marketplaces and/or private health insurance plans in rural communities; and 2) Educate the newly insured individuals in rural communities about their health insurance benefits, help connect them to primary care and preventive services to which they now have access, and help them retain their health insurance coverage. Proposed projects will have an outcomes-oriented approach that will enhance and sustain the delivery of effective benefits counseling in rural communities. Another important program element is the requirement of consortiums to deliver these benefits counseling services. Consortiums bring together rural providers, agencies and community organizations to address health care problems that are not easily solved by a single entity. The Federal Office of Rural Health Policy (FORHP) has found the most successful consortiums have the following common characteristics - involving all consortium members in the planning process and clearly defining roles for each consortium member. An effective benefits counseling project should be coordinated and leverage partnerships with organizations who share an interest in increasing outreach, enrollment and education of health insurance coverage. By leveraging these partnerships and other resources, an applicant can maximize federal funds by sharing administrative duties, referring clients/consumers to entities that have the capacity to enroll the uninsured or identifying opportunities to conduct joint outreach events. Activities funded under this grant will focus on conducting outreach and education in settings where eligible uninsured individuals and families may be identified and enrolled in health insurance coverage. Outreach can include internal/in reach efforts and/or external efforts. Internal/in reach efforts focus on contacting and enrolling people who are already getting services at a health care provider entity and streamlining the administrative processes to build outreach into the staff's daily work. External outreach focuses on proactively seeking out uninsured people in the community, helping them find health care coverage and connecting them to care at an appropriate health care provider entity. Both kinds of outreach are important. All projects should incorporate enrollment and renewal assistance into their

proposed activities. This may include providing direct help to individuals/families seeking to enroll in health coverage or linking individuals/families with entities in the community who are trained to provide such application assistance. This grant will also support activities designed to educate the newly insured in how to utilize health insurance and help connect them to primary and preventive health care services. As health care increasingly moves toward a focus on enhancing value in health care delivery, applicants are encouraged to develop innovative and comprehensive approaches to improve health care coverage in their rural community. Applicants should think about how their proposed project addresses both goals of the Benefits Counseling Program and improves access for the large number of uninsured individuals and families in their community. The Presidents Improve Rural Health Care Initiative continues to increase efficiency and assess the way rural programs are administered by focusing on building an evidence base to improve health care in rural communities. The Benefits Counseling Program will support projects that demonstrate creative and effective models of outreach and benefits counseling services in rural communities that have a large number of uninsured individuals and families. As a recipient of a Benefits Counseling Program award, organizations may be offered targeted technical assistance throughout the three years of the project period to assist in achieving the projects desired outcomes and ensure program sustainability. This additional support is provided at no extra cost to grantees as this is an investment made by FORHP to contribute to the success of the grantee projects. FORHP has found that most grantees benefit greatly from the one-on-one support provided through this technical assistance. Additional information about targeted technical assistance will be provided to organizations after award.

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Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration
Drug-Free Communities Support Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	SP-15-001
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Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Health
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	170
CFDA Number(s):	93.276 -- Drug-Free Communities Support Program Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Jan 16, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 21, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 18, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 18, 2015
Archive Date:	Apr 17, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$21,250,000
Award Ceiling:	\$125,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible applicants are community-based coalitions addressing youth substance use that have never received a DFC grant; or have previously received a DFC grant, but experienced a lapse in funding; or have concluded the first five-year funding cycle and are applying for a second five-year funding cycle. Applicants must meet all Statutory Eligibility Requirements. See Section III-1 of the RFA for complete eligibility information.
Agency Name:	Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Adminis.
Description:	The DFC Program was created by the Drug-Free Communities Act of 1997 (Public Law 105-20). The DFC Support Program has two goals: 1. Establish and strengthen collaboration among communities, public and private non-profit agencies; as well as federal, state, local, and tribal governments to support the efforts of community coalitions working to prevent and reduce substance use among youth*. 2. Reduce substance use among youth and, over time, reduce substance abuse among adults by addressing the factors in a community that increase the risk of substance abuse and promoting the factors that minimize the risk of substance abuse.*For the purposes of this RFA, "youth" is defined as individuals 18 years of age and younger.
Link to Additional Information:	Drug-Free Communities Support Program
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Financial Assistance Overview

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Background

Although most DHS Components possess some grant-making programs, the majority of programs and funding exists within the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). DHS supports a wide variety of financial assistance including post-disaster relief and resilience, preparedness, boating safety, cybersecurity, research, university centers of excellence, and assistance to fire fighters. The chart below reflects the distribution of financial assistance activity and funding by DHS mission.

DHS Financial Assistance by Component

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FAPO is within the DHS Office of the Chief Financial Officer, Undersecretary of Management. The office is the functional lead for the Financial Assistance Line of Business. FAPO is responsible for providing oversight, to include the issuance of policy, for all DHS financial assistance programs. The team works with DHS Components to ensure a "One DHS" approach for financial assistance. The Office consists of four units: Information Management and Reporting, Financial Assistance Policy, Financial Assistance Oversight and Strategic

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- DHS Components/Directorates issuing financial assistance
- Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
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- Defense Nuclear Detection Office (DNDO)
- U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS)
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- Office of Health Affairs (OHA)
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Video Resources

Two short Fire Prevention and Safety Program videos provide information that can help potential applicants.

- The [FP&S Grants video](#) gives an overview of the FP&S Grant Program, describing the purpose of the grants, eligible activities, and evaluation criteria.
- The [Community Risk Assessment video](#) describes the different types of risk assessments that applicants can use and explains how the risk assessment's information can support grant requests. Community risk assessments are critical to creating an effective fire prevention and safety project, and they are required to obtain a FP&S grant.

Website Resources

Visit the [FP&S Grants home page](#) on the [Assistance to Firefighters Grants \(AFG\) website](#) to find more information about recent awardees and models of successful FP&S projects.

Federal Funding Alternative To AFG

State Administrative Agencies (SAA) apply for and administer Federal grants on behalf of their States, including FEMA Preparedness Grants. The SAA will work with eligible organizations to comply with the general requirements of grant programs or cooperative agreements. Contact your State's SAA to find out what current Federal funding opportunities may be available to your organization. A listing of the SAAs and points of contact can be found at <http://www.fema.gov/library/viewRecord.do?id=6363>.

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Fire Prevention & Safety Grants

[Main Content](#)

This section contains eligible category information, grant awards, success stories, and program contacts. The information is for fire departments and eligible organizations interested in reducing death and injuries due to fire related hazards.

Overview

The Fire Prevention and Safety (FP&S) Grants are part of the Assistance to Firefighters Grants (AFG) and support projects that enhance the safety of the public and firefighters from fire and related hazards. The primary goal is to reduce injury and prevent death among high-risk populations. In 2005, Congress reauthorized funding for FP&S and expanded the eligible uses of funds to include Firefighter Safety Research and Development.

FP&S Program Update

The FY 2014 The Fire Prevention & Safety (FP&S) application period is tentatively scheduled to begin on

March 16, 2015 at 8:00 AM EST and end on April 17, 2015 at 5:00 PM EST

- The [FY 2014 Fire Prevention & Safety Funding Opportunity Announcement \(FOA\)](#) is available now
- Additional application support tools coming soon
- FY 2014 FP&S Grant Award program information coming soon
- FY 2014 FP&S Application Assistance Tools coming soon
- FY 2013 FP & S grant award announcements. [View award list](#).
- To receive an FP & S award, you must be registered and have up-to-date information in the online System for Award Management (Sam.gov) registration is required of all AFG Program applicants and awardees. Please go to SAM.gov/portal/public/SAM/

and follow the [FAQs and User Guides](#) for help in completing the registration process.

- [FP & S Success Stories](#)
- If you are not currently receiving AFG Program E-Mail Alerts, be sure to sign up now on the [E-Mail Alert signup page](#)
- Questions regarding the FP&S Grants can be directed to the Federal Emergency Management Agency's Grant Programs Directorate (GPD) AFG Program staff at 1-866-274-0960 or e-mail firegrants@dhs.gov.

FY 2014 FP&S Application Assistance Tools

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FP&S RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (R&D) GRANT SECTION NOW AVAILABLE

Learn more about the research projects funded through AFG and how they are working to improve firefighter safety and health

Click [here](#) for more information

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FIRE PREVENTION & SAFETY PROGRAM VIDEOS

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Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DHS-14-GPD-044-000-98
Funding Opportunity Title:	Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 Fire Prevention and Safety Grant Program (FP
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	Fire Prevention
Expected Number of Awards:	100

CFDA Number(s):	97.044 -- Assistance to Firefighters Grant
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Jan 6, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 6, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Close date will be provided when the application period is set.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Close date will be provided when the application period is set.
Archive Date:	Sep 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$3,400,000
Award Ceiling:	\$1,500,000
Eligible Applicants:	County governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) City or township governments Private institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Fire Departments
Agency Name:	Department of Homeland Security - FEMA
Description:	The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA) Grants Programs Directorate is responsible for the implementation and administrations of the Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) Program. The purpose of the AFG Program is to enhance the safety of the public and firefighters with respect to fire and fire-related hazards. The Grants Programs Directorate administers the Fire Prevention and Safety (FP&S) grants as part of the AFG Program. FP&S offers grants to support activities in two categories: (1) activities designed to reach high-risk target groups and mitigate incidences of death and injuries caused by fire and fire-related hazards ("Fire Prevention and Safety Activity") and (2) research and development activities aimed at improving firefighter safety ("Firefighter Safety Research and Development Activity"). The program guidance document provides potential applicants with the details of the requirements, processing, and evaluation of an application for financial assistance for both of these activity areas.
Link to Additional Information:	www.fema.gov/firegrants
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact: FP&S Help Desk (866) 274-0960 firegrants@fema.gov firegrants@fema.gov

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FY 2014 SAFER APPLICATION PERIOD

The FY 2014 [Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response \(SAFER\)](#) application period began on February 9, 2015 at 8:00 AM EST and ends on March 6, 2015 at 5:00 PM EST

2014 APPLICATION ASSISTANCE TOOLS

- **FY 2014 SAFER Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA)**
- The Funding Opportunity Announcement contains official SAFER Grant program guidance including the Funding Opportunity description and application dates.
- **FY 2014 SAFER Application Checklist**
- Completing this checklist will help you prepare your SAFER Grant application.
- **FY 2014 SAFER Self-Evaluation – Hiring Grants**
- This Self Evaluation Sheet has been developed to help you understand the criteria that you must address in your Hiring Grant Narrative Statement
- **FY 2014 SAFER Self-Evaluation - Recruitment and Retention - Fire Departments**
- This Self Evaluation Sheet has been developed to help you understand the criteria that you must address in your Recruitment and Retention Narrative Statement
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- This Self Evaluation Sheet has been developed to help you understand the criteria that you must address in your Recruitment and Retention – Interest Organization Narrative Statement

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Funding Opportunity Number:

DHS-14-GPD-083-000-99

Funding Opportunity Title:

Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER)

Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Employment, Labor and Training
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	400
CFDA Number(s):	97.083 -- Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 6, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 6, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	The close date will be provided when the application period is set.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	The close date will be provided when the application period is set.
Archive Date:	Sep 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$340,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$0
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) City or township governments County governments Fire Departments
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Department of Homeland Security - FEMA
Agency Name:	The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA) Grant Programs Directorate implements and administers the Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) Grants. SAFER grants provide financial assistance to help fire departments increase frontline firefighters, rehire firefighters that have been laid off, retain firefighters facing imminent layoffs, or filling of positions that were vacated through attrition. SAFER offers grants to support activities in two categories: 1. Hiring of Firefighters 2. Recruitment and Retention of Volunteer Firefighters The authority for SAFER is derived from the Federal Fire Prevention and Control Act of 1974, as amended (15 U.S.C. §2229a et seq.). The program guidance document provides potential applicants with the details of the requirements, processing, and evaluation of an application for financial assistance for both of these activity areas.
Description:	
Link to Additional Information:	www.fema.gov/firegrants
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact: SAFER Help Desk (866) 274-0960 firegrants@dhs.gov firegrants@dhs.gov

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271071>



Department of Housing and Urban Development

A screenshot of the HUD.GOV website. The header includes the HUD.GOV logo, the department name, and the secretary's name. A navigation bar contains links like HOME, PRESS ROOM, HOMEOWNER HELP, etc. The main content area is titled "Grants" and contains a paragraph about HUD's grants program, a list of links (HUD's grants office, Funds Available, Funding announcements, Highest Scoring Grant Applications, Training, Important SAM Alert), and a section titled "Using Grants.Gov" with a news alert about an issue with Adobe Reader XI. The page also features a search bar, social media icons, and a "Print Friendly Version" link.

HUD.GOV
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
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Grants

HUD awards grants to organizations and groups for a variety of purposes. To participate in the HUD grants program, you need to be registered with Grants.gov.

- **HUD's grants office** - the Office of Departmental Grants Management and Oversight (ODGMO) was established to develop a Department-wide perspective on grants management.
- **Funds Available** - Identifies HUD's competitive funding opportunities, also known as Notice of Funding Availability (NOFAs).
- **Funding announcements** - Announcements of those who were awarded grants.
- **Highest Scoring Grant Applications**
- **Training** - identifies various training webcast relating to grants.
- **Important SAM Alert** - Application registration and submission

Using Grants.Gov

To participate in the HUD grants program, you will need to be registered with Grants.gov, obtain a DUNS number and Register with CCR.

► **NEWS Alert! The Grants.gov PMO has discovered an issue with the newest version of Adobe Reader XI**

Applicants may encounter the following error that will prevent them from submitting their application:

"At least one required field was empty. Please fill in the required field (highlighted) before continuing."

While we continue to investigate this issue, we recommend that if applicants encounter this issue, they submit their application using any version below Adobe Reader XI. Please refer to our [compatibility table](#) for additional information about supported versions of Adobe Reader.

Below are direct links to the Grants.gov website where the WebEx presentations can be viewed:

- **For Applicants**
- **For Grantors**
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HUD - Notice of Funds Available

For detailed information [click here](#)

FY 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section to HUD's FY2013 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs

This Notice provides prospective applicants for HUD's competitive funding with the opportunity to become familiar with the General Section to HUD's FY2013 Notices of Funding Availability (NOFAs) for Discretionary Funding (program NOFA), in advance of publication of any individual FY2013 program NOFAs. This General Section and the individual FY2013 program NOFA Sections comprise the entirety of the FY2013 NOFA instructions.

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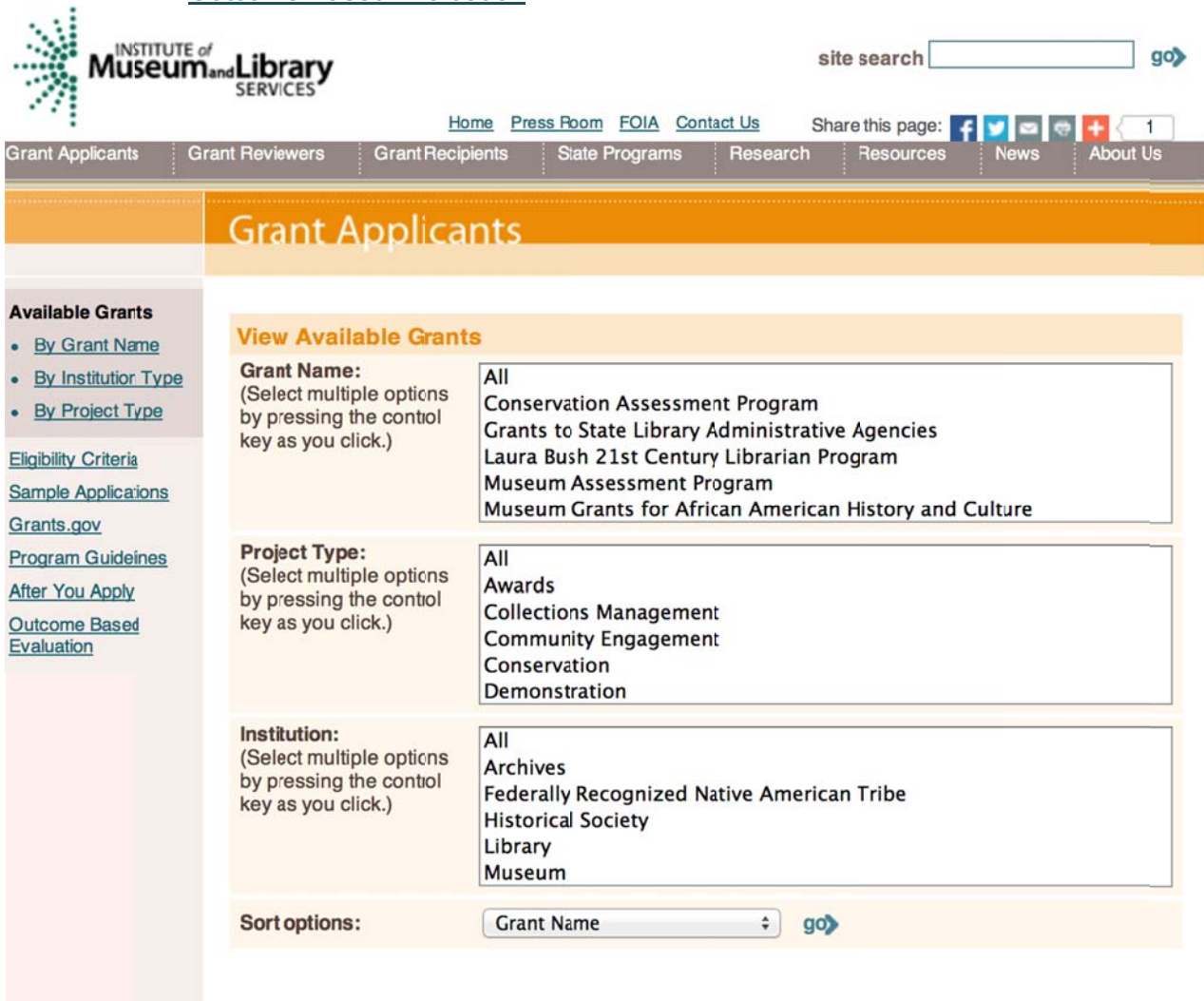
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The screenshot shows the IMLS website homepage. At the top is the IMLS logo and a site search bar. Below the logo is a navigation bar with links: Home, Press Room, FOIA, Contact Us, Share this page, and social media icons. A secondary navigation bar lists: Grant Applicants, Grant Reviewers, Grant Recipients, State Programs, Research, Resources, News, and About Us. The main content area is divided into several sections: a large banner for "A Nation of Learners" with a description of IMLS's mission and a dropdown menu for "Select an Issue Area"; a "Project Profile" section for the "Multimedia Story Project Gives Voice to Teens and Extends a Hand to Refugee Community"; a "Director's Message" section featuring a photo of the director and a link to "Read more"; a "WebWise" section for the 2014 event; a "grant search" sidebar with options to "Find Available Grants" and "Search Awarded Grants"; and a "news" sidebar with recent articles dated 12/17/2013 and 12/16/2013, including links to "What is the Library of the Future?" and "Call for Applications: 2014 Native American Library Services Basic and Enhancement Grants".

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Each grant program has specific eligibility requirements. The links below provide general eligibility criteria for museums, libraries, and tribal organizations, but please note that additional organizations may be eligible for grants under certain programs. Additionally, ineligible organizations may still be able to participate in grant programs through partnerships with eligible organizations. Please click on the links below to see general criteria and review Applications and Guidelines for specific information.

Museums ☐ **Libraries** ☐ **Tribal Organizations**

Institutions: Archives, Federally Recognized Native American Tribe, Historical Society, Library, Nonprofits that serve Native Hawaiians, Professional Association, Public or Private Non-profit Institutions of Higher Education, Regional Organization, State Library Administrative Agency, State or Local Government

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Department of the Interior

Working with Interior


The Interior Department provides assistance to the public, local governments and businesses through a number of programs. For a general overview see: <http://www.doi.gov/index.cfm>

Businesses should go to: <http://www.doi.gov/businesses/index.cfm>


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The U.S. Department of the Interior's Office of Acquisition and Property Management oversees the overall implementation of department's procurement and grant programs. This includes ensuring these programs perform in accordance with current applicable laws and regulations. Each of our bureaus, as well as other major organizations within Interior, has its own procurement office. These offices contract with the private sector for a variety of supplies, equipment and services. Services our procurement offices have acquired by contract include training, architect-engineer services, advisory and assistance services, custodial services, guard services, operation and maintenance, telecommunications services and information-technology services, maintenance and support.

To learn more about doing business with any of our bureaus, check out their acquisition and procurement Web sites:

- Bureau of Land Management - BLM Acquisition Organization
- Bureau of Reclamation - Acquisition and Assistance Management Services Reclamation Service Center (Denver, Colo.)
- U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service - Division of Contracting and Facilities Management (Arlington, Va.)
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Funding Opportunity Title:	The Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Natural Resources
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5000
CFDA Number(s):	15.631 -- Partners for Fish and Wildlife
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Oct 7, 2014
Creation Date:	Jan 30, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015 For the full program announcement and applications, please click the "Full Announcement" link above.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015 For the full program announcement and applications, please click the "Full Announcement" link above.
Archive Date:	Oct 7, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$52,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Eligible Applicants:	State governments Small businesses Individuals Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) City or township governments Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) For profit organizations other than small businesses Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education County governments
Agency Name:	Fish and Wildlife Service
Description:	The Partners for Fish and Wildlife (PFW) Program is a voluntary, incentive-based program that provides direct technical assistance and financial assistance in the form of cooperative agreements to private landowners to restore and conserve fish and

wildlife habitat for the benefit of federal trust resources. The PFW Program is delivered through more than 250 full-time staff, active in all 50 States and territories. Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program staff coordinate with project partners, stakeholders and other Service programs to identify geographic focus areas and develop habitat conservation priorities within these focus areas. Geographic focus areas are where the PFW Program directs resources to conserve habitat for federal trust species. Project work plans are developed strategically, in coordination with partners, and with substantial involvement from Service field staff. Projects must advance our mission, promote biological diversity, and be based upon sound scientific biological principles. Program strategic plans inform the types of projects funded under this opportunity. Applicants seeking funding under this program should review the program strategic plan and also contact the regional PFW Program office prior to submitting an application for funding.

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Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:

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Fish and Wildlife Service
Fiscal Year 2015 Recovery Implementation Fund Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	F15AS00038
Funding Opportunity Title:	Fiscal Year 2015 Recovery Implementation Fund
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant Procurement Contract
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Natural Resources

Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	15.657 -- Endangered Species Conservation - Recovery Implementation Funds
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Dec 5, 2014
Creation Date:	Dec 5, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 31, 2015 Applications are due by July 31, 2015. However, you may submit applications throughout the year. Consideration of applications ultimately will be based on the FWS budget cycle.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 31, 2015 Applications are due by July 31, 2015. However, you may submit applications throughout the year. Consideration of applications ultimately will be based on the FWS budget cycle.
Archive Date:	Oct 31, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Applicants must have a demonstrated knowledge and understanding of the biology of the involved endangered or threatened species in the United States and their ecosystem, including preferably having worked with the species in the field and holding a currently valid Endangered Species Act permit, issued by the FWS, authorizing them to work with these species (or that have previously held a permit to do so). If funding is awarded, applicants that do not currently hold a valid permit for the proposed activity may need to apply for and obtain a permit (http://www.fws.gov/endangered/permits/index.html) before beginning the proposed activity. FWS Regional (or Field Office) contacts will discuss potential proposals with interested parties if needed, and review eligible applications. The FWS Regional Office will refer interested parties to the appropriate FWS Field Office for further consideration as appropriate. For potential proposals submitted directly to the Field Office, the Field Office will conduct the proposal review and selection process. A list of FWS Regional Office contacts is available in the Full Announcement under section VII. Agency Contacts.
Agency Name:	Fish and Wildlife Service
Description:	The FWS Ecological Services Program provides Federal financial assistance on a competitive basis to States, other Federal agencies, landowners, educators, non-profit organizations, researchers, and other partners to secure information about endangered, threatened or

candidate species, to aid in the recovery of these species, to avert listing of species pursuant to the Endangered Species Act, and to help conserve the ecosystems upon which these species depend. The FWS and National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), which is part of the Department of Commerce's NOAA Fisheries office, share Endangered Species Act responsibilities for several species such as sea turtles. We have responsibility for sea turtles when they are on land, and NMFS has responsibility for sea turtles when they are in the water. Projects for NMFS-managed species are not included in this funding opportunity. This Recovery Implementation funding opportunity is intended for projects that will contribute to the recovery of FWS-managed endangered and threatened species in the United States, and is limited to projects carrying out actions described in a species approved recovery plan, in the implementation schedule of a species approved recovery plan, actions recommended in a completed 5-year status review of the species or in a spotlight species action plan, or projects documenting species response to climate change. For example: securing scientific information about endangered or threatened species, implementing restoration actions that will lead to delisting of a species, help prevent extinction of a species, or aid in the recovery of a species. Projects that address species response to climate change will receive additional consideration.

Link to Additional Information:

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National Park Service
FY 2015 NAGPRA Grant Program

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

P14AS00393

Funding Opportunity Title:

FY 2015 NAGPRA Grant Program

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other

Category Explanation:	Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Assisting in consultation, documentation, and repatriation of Native American cultural items, including human remains, funerary objects, sacred objects, and objects of cultural patrimony.
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	15.922 -- Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Oct 1, 2014
Creation Date:	Sep 29, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 11, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 11, 2015
Archive Date:	Aug 1, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,600,000
Award Ceiling:	\$90,000
Award Floor:	\$1
Eligible Applicants:	Private institutions of higher education City or township governments County governments Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) State governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Agency Name:	National Park Service
Description:	The National NAGPRA Program assists the Secretary of the Interior with some responsibilities under NAGPRA. Section 10 of NAGPRA authorizes the Secretary of the Interior to make grants to museums, Indian tribes, and Native Hawaiian organizations for the purposes of assisting in consultation, documentation, and repatriation of Native American cultural items, including human remains, funerary objects, sacred objects, and objects of cultural patrimony.
Link to Additional Information:	FY15 NAGPRA Grant Guidelines and Application
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact: JAMES TUCKER, 202-354-2067 hampton_tucker@nps.gov hampton_tucker@nps.gov

Fish and Wildlife Service
The Coastal Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	F15AS00005
Funding Opportunity Title:	The Coastal Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Natural Resources
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	500
CFDA Number(s):	15.630 -- Coastal Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Oct 8, 2014
Creation Date:	Oct 8, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015 Please click on the "Full Announcement" link above or contact the local Coastal Program office at http://www.fws.gov/coastal/contactUs.html
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015 Please click on the "Full Announcement" link above or contact the local Coastal Program office at http://www.fws.gov/coastal/contactUs.html
Archive Date:	Oct 1, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$6,000
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Private institutions of higher education State governments Small businesses Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education City or township governments Individuals For profit organizations other than small businesses County governments Special district governments
Agency Name:	Fish and Wildlife Service
Description:	The Coastal Program is a voluntary, incentive-based program that provides direct technical assistance and

financial assistance in the form of cooperative agreements to coastal communities and landowners to restore and protect fish and wildlife habitat on public and private lands. Coastal Program staff coordinate with project partners, stakeholders and other Service programs to identify geographic focus areas and develop habitat conservation priorities within these focus areas. Geographic focus areas are where the Coastal Program directs resources to conserve habitat for federal trust species. Project work plans are developed strategically, in coordination with partners, and with substantial involvement from Service field staff. Projects must advance our mission, promote biological diversity, and be based upon sound scientific biological principles. Program strategic plans inform the types of projects funded under this opportunity. Applicants seeking funding under this program should review the program strategic plan and also contact the regional Coastal Program office prior to submitting an application for funding.

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Fish and Wildlife Service

Cooperative Landscape Conservation and Science Support Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

F15AS00000

Funding Opportunity Title:

Cooperative Landscape Conservation and Science Support

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Natural Resources

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

15.669 -- Cooperative Landscape Conservation

15.670 -- Adaptive Science

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Oct 1, 2014

Creation Date:

Sep 30, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Sep 30, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Sep 30, 2015

Archive Date: Oct 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:
Award Ceiling: \$1,000,000
Award Floor: \$1,000
Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Agency Name: Fish and Wildlife Service
Description: The USFWS uses a science-based, adaptive framework for setting and achieving cross-program conservation objectives that strategically address the problems fish and wildlife will face in the future. This framework, called Strategic Habitat Conservation, is based on the principles of adaptive management and uses population and habitat data, ecological models, and focused monitoring and assessment efforts to develop and implement strategies that result in measurable fish and wildlife population outcomes. In addition, by leveraging resources and strategically targeting science to inform conservation decisions and actions, Landscape Conservation Cooperatives (LCCs) have created a network of partners working in unison to ensure the sustainability of America's land, water, wildlife and cultural resources. Financial assistance may be awarded for science projects and LCC-prioritized biological planning, conservation design and adaptive management projects to include: research; inventory design and implementation; monitoring; goal and priority setting associated with efficient and effective conservation; development of implementation strategies; and projects supporting all other FWS organizational efforts, including planning, establishment maintenance, and general business operations. Proposals will be reviewed and evaluated on a rolling basis subject to available funding.

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OJP Office of Justice Programs offers federal financial assistance to scholars, practitioners, experts, and state and local governments and agencies. Many of the program bureaus and offices award formula grants to state agencies which sub-grant funds to units of state and local government. Discretionary grant funds are announced in the Federal Register or through program solicitations that can also be found through bureau and OJP Websites. [Funding Opportunities at OJP](#) provides links to application kits, current funding opportunities listed by source, and the Grants Management System (GMS). Of particular use to new applicants, the [OJP Grants 101](#) portal presents a step-by-step guide through the grant application process.

OVW U.S. Department of Justice Office on Violence Against Women administers 19 grant programs to help provide victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking with the protection and services they need to pursue safe and healthy lives and enable communities to hold offenders accountable for their violence.

COPS The Community Oriented Policing Services Office (COPS) offers grants to help law enforcement agencies to hire more community policing officers, to acquire new technologies and equipment, to hire civilians for administrative tasks, and to promote innovative approaches to solving crime. The [COPS Office Response Center](#) provides information on programs, grants, and application assistance for the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services. The COPS Office Response Center also assists COPS grantees with financial questions and grant-related inquiries about COPS.

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The DOJ agencies listed below also have sites that provide grant information specific to that agency. Examples of what can be found on these sites are programs, funding opportunities, application assistance, and other useful information.

- [Bureau of Justice Assistance \(BJA\)](#)
- [Bureau of Justice Statistics \(BJS\)](#)
- [National Criminal Justice Reference Service \(NCJRS\)](#)
- [National Institute of Justice \(NIJ\)](#)
- [Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention \(OJJDP\)](#)
- [Office of Sex Offender Sentencing, Monitoring, Apprehending, Registering, and Tracking \(SMART\)](#)
- [Office for Victims of Crime \(OVC\)](#)

Programs:

Office of Justice Programs
Office on Violence Against Women
OVW FY 2015 Technical Assistance Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	OVW-2015-4042
Funding Opportunity Title:	OVW FY 2015 Technical Assistance Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Category Explanation:	Training and Technical Assistance on Violence Against Women Issues
Expected Number of Awards:	60
CFDA Number(s):	16.526 -- OVW Technical Assistance Initiative
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 26, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 26, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 9, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 9, 2015
Archive Date:	May 9, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$34,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$600,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Nonprofit national, tribal or statewide organizations and institutions of higher education. In rare circumstances, OVW will support projects from state, local or tribal governments or government agencies (e.g., police departments, prosecutor's offices, or probation departments), or local nonprofit organizations.

Agency Name: Office on Violence Against Women
Description: The primary purpose of the OVW Technical Assistance Program is to provide direct technical assistance to existing and potential grantees and sub grantees to enhance and support their efforts to successfully implement projects supported by OVW grant funds. In addition, OVW is focused on building the capacity of criminal justice and victim services organizations to respond effectively to sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence and stalking and fostering partnerships among organizations that have not traditionally worked together to address violence against women.
Link to Additional Information: [OVW FY 2015 Technical Assistance Program](#)
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Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance
BJA FY 15 Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	BJA-2015-4081
Funding Opportunity Title:	BJA FY 15 Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	30
CFDA Number(s):	16.745 -- Criminal and Juvenile Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 17, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 17, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 14, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 14, 2015
Archive Date:	May 14, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$250,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	State governments County governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

City or township governments

Eligible applicants are limited to states, units of local government, federally recognized Indian tribes (as determined by the Secretary of the Interior), and tribal organizations. BJA will only accept applications that demonstrate that the proposed project will be administered jointly by an agency with responsibility for criminal or juvenile justice activities and a mental health agency. Only one agency is responsible for the submission of the application in Grants.gov. This lead agency must be a state agency, unit of local government, federally recognized Indian tribe, or tribal organization. Per Pub. L. 108-414, a "criminal or juvenile justice agency" is an agency of state or local government or its contracted agency that is responsible for detection, arrest, enforcement, prosecution, defense, adjudication, incarceration, probation, or parole relating to the violation of the criminal laws of that state or local government (sec. 2991(a)(3)). A "mental health agency" is an agency of state or local government or its contracted agency that is responsible for mental health services or co-occurring mental health and substance abuse services (sec. 2991(a)(5)). A substance abuse agency is considered an eligible applicant if that agency provides services to individuals suffering from co-occurring mental health and substance abuse disorders.

Agency Name:

Bureau of Justice Assistance

Description:

The Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program (JMHP) supports innovative cross- system collaboration for individuals with mental illnesses or co-occurring mental health and substance abuse disorders who come into contact with the justice system. BJA is seeking applications that demonstrate a collaborative project between criminal justice and mental health partners from eligible applicants to plan, implement, or expand a justice and mental health collaboration program. This program is authorized by the Mentally Ill Offender Treatment and Crime Reduction Act of 2004 (MIOTCRA) (Pub. L. 108-414) and the Mentally Ill Offender Treatment and Crime Reduction Reauthorization and Improvement Act of 2008 (Pub. L. 110- 416).

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Office of Justice Programs

Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 Wrongful Conviction Review Program Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: BJA-2015-4098

Funding Opportunity Title: BJA FY 15 Wrongful Conviction Review Program

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 7

CFDA Number(s): 16.746 -- Capital Case Litigation Initiative

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Feb 18, 2015

Creation Date: Feb 18, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications: Apr 8, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications: Apr 8, 2015

Archive Date: May 8, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$250,000

Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: For Category 1, applicants are limited to public and non-profit organizations (including tribal nonprofit or for-profit organizations) dedicated to exonerating the innocent, institutions of higher learning (including tribal institutions of higher education), and state or local public defender offices. For Category 2, applicants are limited to public and non-profit organizations and for profit entities that agree to waive all profits and fees who have experience and expertise in providing representation to wrongfully convicted defendants in post-conviction claims of innocence cases.

Agency Name: Bureau of Justice Assistance

Description:

One of BJA's guiding principles is to promote a fair criminal justice system. Over the past two decades, the American justice system has been confronted with a steady stream of post-conviction exonerations, and the issue of wrongful convictions has emerged as a critical area for examination, innovation, and reform of criminal justice practices and policies. BJA is committed to assisting state and local law enforcement entities in adopting evidence-based practices and accessing the necessary technologies to improve outcomes for victims and to reduce the likelihood of a wrongful conviction occurring from the outset of each criminal investigation. BJA is also committed to ensuring that wrongful convictions are expeditiously detected and addressed when they occur. In support of the latter goal, BJA established the Wrongful Conviction Review Program, the funding for which is anticipated through the FY 2015 appropriation. While experts widely acknowledge that wrongful convictions constitute a small percentage of all findings of guilt by our nation's court systems, irreversible damage is sustained by those who are wrongly convicted. This damage extends far beyond the individual wrongfully convicted, as systemic errors cause harm to all those involved in the case, including the families of the wrongfully convicted person, the victims of the original crime, and confidence in the criminal justice system. In addition, wrongful convictions impact public safety by delaying or preventing the identification of the true perpetrators of these crimes.

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Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance
BJA FY 15 Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	BJA-2015-4095
Funding Opportunity Title:	BJA FY 15 Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	18
CFDA Number(s):	16.817 -- Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 19, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 19, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 20, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 20, 2015
Archive Date:	May 20, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$175,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	City or township governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) County governments
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible entities to serve as fiscal agent include states, units of local governments, non-profit organizations (including tribal non-profit organizations), and federally recognized Indian tribal governments as determined by the Secretary of the Interior. For this solicitation, community is defined broadly as a geographic area that has social meaning to residents. In urban areas, the term community may be used interchangeably with neighborhood to describe a specific geographic area that is delineated by major streets or physical topography. In urban areas, a community is typically less than two miles wide, while in rural and tribal areas it is often larger and part of an entire county. The BCJI application requires a consortium of partners (hereinafter referred to as "cross-sector partnership") to plan or implement a targeted strategy addressing crime in a specific community. The cross-sector partnership must designate one eligible entity to serve as the fiscal agent. ¹ The fiscal agent must

ensure that the cross-sector partnership is committed to and can successfully oversee key enforcement, prevention, intervention, and community engagement strategies AND access and analyze key data (crime and other) with regular input from the research and law enforcement agency partners. The fiscal agent will oversee coordination of the cross-sector partnership and manage any subawards for services. The fiscal agent will be legally responsible for complying with all applicable federal rules and regulations in receiving and expending federal funds. The application must demonstrate that the fiscal agent has the capacity, commitment, and community support to serve as fiscal agent. The fiscal agent must demonstrate such capacity by 1 Throughout this solicitation, “fiscal agent” and “applicant” are used interchangeably. BJA-2015-4095 2 showing experience engaging residents as well as core criminal justice and other partners in the implementation and sustainment of community justice strategies, especially in the targeted area. Jurisdictions are strongly encouraged to coordinate with and seek the support of their local U.S. Attorney and local policymakers. BJA may elect to make awards for applications submitted under this solicitation in future fiscal years, dependent on the merit of the applications and on the availability of appropriations.

Agency Name:

Bureau of Justice Assistance

Description:

Healthy, vibrant communities are places that provide the opportunities, resources, and an environment that children and adults need to maximize their life outcomes, including high-quality schools and cradle-to-career educational programs; high-quality and affordable housing; thriving commercial establishments; access to quality health care and health services; art and cultural amenities; parks and other recreational spaces; and the safety to take advantage of these opportunities.

Unfortunately, millions of Americans live in distressed communities² where a combination of crime, poverty, unemployment, poor health, struggling schools, inadequate housing, and disinvestment keep many residents from reaching their full potential. Research suggests that crime clustered in small areas, or crime “hot spots,” accounts for a disproportionate amount of crime and disorder in many communities. The complexity of these issues has led to the emergence of comprehensive place-based and community-oriented initiatives that involve service providers from multiple sectors, as well as community representatives from all types of organizations, to work together to reduce and

prevent crime and to revitalize communities. In many ways, community safety and crime prevention are prerequisites to the transformation of distressed communities, including the revitalization of civic engagement. Addressing community safety is the role of criminal justice agencies, the community, and its partners as a whole. To improve and revitalize communities, all relevant stakeholders should be included: law enforcement and criminal justice, education, housing, health and human services, community and faith-based non-profits, local volunteers, residents, and businesses. Given the significant needs and limited resources of some of these communities, local and tribal leaders need tools and information about crime trends in their jurisdiction and assistance in assessing, planning, and implementing the most effective use of criminal justice resources to address these issues. The criminal justice field has been creating new evidence-informed and evidence-based strategies designed to prevent and deter future crime in hot spots. This program is funded pursuant to the “Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015” under the Edward Byrne Memorial criminal justice innovation program appropriation (P.L. 113-235). The Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation (BCJI) program was created as part of a larger, interagency effort across multiple federal agencies to assist distressed communities to both build capacity and revitalize neighborhoods. For more details on these interagency programs, see the section titled “How does BCJI fit within larger place-based and neighborhood revitalization efforts across federal agencies?” on page 7.

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OVW FY 2015 Grants to Reduce Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking on Campus Program Grant
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Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	OVW-2015-4032
Funding Opportunity Title:	OVW FY 2015 Grants to Reduce Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking on Campus Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Category Explanation:	Victim Services
Expected Number of Awards:	35
CFDA Number(s):	16.525 -- Grants to Reduce Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking on Campus
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 7, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 9, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 20, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 20, 2015
Archive Date:	Apr 19, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$12,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$750,000
Eligible Applicants:	Private institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Agency Name:	Office on Violence Against Women
Description:	Please see the Campus TA Supplemental Product at http://www.justice.gov/sites/default/files/ovw/pages/attachments/2015/02/09/campustasupplementalproductimplementingvawprogram_comp.pdf Sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking are serious problems on college and university campuses. Congress created the Grants to Reduce Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking on Campus Program (hereinafter referred to as the Campus Program) in recognition of the unique issues and challenges that colleges and universities face in preventing and responding to these crimes. This program is authorized by 42 U.S.C. § 14045b. The Campus Program encourages a comprehensive coordinated community approach that enhances victim safety, provides services for victims and supports efforts to hold offenders accountable. The funding supports activities that develop and strengthen victim services and strategies to prevent, investigate,

respond to and prosecute these crimes. The development of campus-wide coordinated responses involving campus victim service providers, law enforcement officers, health providers, housing officials, administrators, student leaders, faith-based leaders, representatives from student organizations, and disciplinary board members is critical. To be effective, campus responses must also link to local off-campus criminal justice agencies and service providers, including local law enforcement agencies, prosecutors' offices, courts, and nonprofit, nongovernmental victim advocacy and victim services organizations. Campuses are encouraged to create or revitalize large-scale efforts that treat sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking as serious offenses by adopting policies and protocols, developing victim services and programs that prioritize victim safety, ensuring offender accountability, and implementing effective prevention approaches. Colleges and universities should demonstrate to every student that these crimes will not be tolerated, that perpetrators will face serious consequences, and that holistic services are available for victims.

Link to Additional Information:

[OVW FY 2015 Grants to Reduce Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking on Campus Program](#)

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Office of Justice Programs

Office on Violence Against Women

OVW FY 2015 Consolidated Grant Program to Address Children and Youth Experiencing Domestic and Sexual Assault and Engage Men and Boys as Allies Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

OVW-2015-4046

Funding Opportunity Title:

OVW FY 2015 Consolidated Grant Program to Address Children and Youth Experiencing Domestic and Sexual Assault and Engage Men and Boys as Allies

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)

Category Explanation:

Victim Services

Expected Number of Awards:	14
CFDA Number(s):	16.888 -- Consolidated And Technical Assistance Grant Program to Address Children and Youth Experiencing Domestic and Sexual Violence
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 6, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 5, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 19, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 19, 2015
Archive Date:	Apr 18, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$10,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$750,000
Award Floor:	\$350,000
Eligible Applicants:	City or township governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) County governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Agency Name:	Office on Violence Against Women
Description:	The Consolidated Grant Program to Address Children and Youth Experiencing Domestic and Sexual Assault and Engage Men and Boys as Allies (hereafter referred to as the Consolidated Youth Program) was enacted in the FY 2012, 2013, 2014, and 2015 appropriation acts, which consolidated four previously authorized and appropriated programs into one comprehensive program. The four programs included in the FY 2012, FY 2013, FY 2014, and FY 2015 consolidations were: Services to Advocate for and Respond to Youth (Youth Services), Grants to Assist Children and Youth Exposed to Violence (CEV), Engaging Men and Youth in Preventing Domestic Violence (EMY), and Supporting Teens through Education and Prevention (STEP). The Consolidated Youth Program supports projects designed to provide coordinated community responses that support child, youth and young adult victims through direct services, training, coordination and collaboration, effective intervention, treatment, response, and prevention strategies. The Consolidated Youth Program creates a unique opportunity for communities to increase collaboration among non-profit victim service providers; violence prevention, and children (0-10), youth (11-18), young adult (19-24) and men-serving organizations; tribes and tribal governments; local government agencies; schools; and programs that support men's role in

Link to Additional Information:

combating sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence and stalking.

[OVW FY 2015 Consolidated Grant Program to Address Children and Youth Experiencing Domestic and Sexual Assault and Engage Men and Boys as Allies](#)

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Office of Justice Programs

Office on Violence Against Women

OVW FY 2015 Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program Grant And Modifications 1 & 2

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

OVW-2015-4031

Funding Opportunity Title:

OVW FY 2015 Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

60

CFDA Number(s):

16.590 -- Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Feb 11, 2015

Creation Date:

Feb 20, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 24, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 24, 2015

Archive Date:

Apr 23, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$50,000,000

Award Ceiling:

\$950,000

Award Floor:

Eligible Applicants:

City or township governments

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

County governments

State governments

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility:

State or tribal sexual assault or domestic violence

Agency Name:**Description:**

coalitions, and certain governmental rape crisis centers (in a state other than a territory).
Office on Violence Against Women
The United States Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women(OVW) (www.ovw.usdoj.gov) is pleased to announce that it is seeking applications for the Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program. This program furthers the Department of Justice's mission by encouraging partnerships between state, local, and tribal governments, courts, victim service providers, coalitions and rape crisis centers, to ensure that sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking are treated as serious violations of criminal law requiring the coordinated involvement of the entire criminal justice system and community-based victim service organizations.

Link to Additional Information:

[OVW FY 2015 Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program](http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/ovw/fy15/grants-to-encourage-arrest-policies-and-enforcement-of-protection-orders-program)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273770>

Office of Justice Programs

Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 Justice Reinvestment Initiative: State-Level Technical Assistance Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

BJA-2015-4101

Funding Opportunity Title:

BJA FY 15 Justice Reinvestment Initiative: State-Level Technical Assistance

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:**

3

CFDA Number(s):

16.827 -- Justice Reinvestment Initiative

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Feb 23, 2015

Creation Date:

Feb 23, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 23, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 23, 2015

Archive Date:

May 23, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:**Award Ceiling:**

\$8,000,000

Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Private institutions of higher education
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible applicants are limited to national-scope private and non-profit organizations (including tribal nonprofit or for-profit organizations) and colleges and universities, both public and private (including tribal institutions of higher education). For-profit organizations must agree to forgo any profit or management fee. BJA welcomes applications that involve two or more entities; however, one eligible entity must be the applicant and the others must be proposed as subrecipients. The applicant must be the entity with primary responsibility for administering the funding and managing the entire project. Only one application per lead applicant will be considered; however, subrecipients may be part of multiple proposals.
Agency Name:	Bureau of Justice Assistance
Description:	Approximately 2.2 million people were incarcerated in federal, state, and local prisons and jails in 2013, a rate of 1 out of every 110 adults. ¹ After three years of declines, the prison population increased slightly in 2013, largely due to growth in state prison populations. These prisons face crowding and resource challenges. Accordingly, state spending on corrections has remained high. Over the last 25 years, state corrections expenditures have increased significantly—from \$12 billion in 1988 to more than \$55 billion in 2013. Justice reinvestment emerged as a way to address these issues through a targeted, data-driven policymaking process. BJA, in a public/private partnership with The Pew Charitable Trusts, launched the Justice Reinvestment Initiative (JRI) in 2010 as a multistaged process in which a jurisdiction increases the cost-effectiveness of its criminal justice system and reinvests savings into high-performing public safety strategies. JRI is a public-private partnership between BJA, the Pew Charitable Trusts, and JRI technical assistance (TA) and assessment providers. Funding from BJA is authorized under the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015, Pub. L. 113-235.
Link to Additional Information:	Full Announcement
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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Office of Justice Programs

Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 Smart Defense Initiative Answering Gideon's Call: Improving Public Defense Delivery Systems Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

BJA-2015-4080

Funding Opportunity Title:

BJA FY 15 Smart Defense Initiative Answering Gideon's Call: Improving Public Defense Delivery Systems

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

5

CFDA Number(s):

16.817 -- Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Feb 23, 2015

Creation Date:

Feb 23, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 22, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 22, 2015

Archive Date:

May 22, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling:

\$400,000

Eligible Applicants:

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
County governments
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
State governments
City or township governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible applicants are state or local government agencies, independent boards or commissions, state or local public defender organizations, and other organizations, including nonprofit organizations (including tribal nonprofit organizations).

Agency Name:

Bureau of Justice Assistance

Description:

The Smart Defense Initiative, administered by BJA, is part of BJA's "Smart Suite" of criminal justice programs including Smart Pretrial, Smart Policing, Smart

Supervision, and Smart Prosecution. BJA established the Smart Suite over 5 years ago with the creation of the Smart Policing Initiative. The Smart Suite supports criminal justice professionals in building evidencebased, data-driven criminal justice strategies that are effective, efficient, and economical. BJA's smart programs represent a strategic approach that brings more "science" into criminal justice operations by leveraging innovative applications of analysis, technology, and evidence-based practices. In many states, the public defense delivery system is in crisis, with too many defendants lacking access to quality advice and representation. In addition to being a matter of constitutional concern, this void can contribute to over-incarceration, reduced confidence in the justice system, and other inequities. Without quality effective representation, a defendant may not be treated fairly, may not understand the process, and may not get the benefit of available alternatives to incarceration for first-time or low-level offenses. Additionally, if these issues are not addressed, victims are ill served and the criminal justice system's shared goals of justice and public safety go unmet. To help jurisdictions strengthen state and local public defense delivery systems, BJA is releasing this competitive grant announcement. Under Smart Defense, BJA is seeking applicants who are interested in developing innovative, data-driven approaches to improve their public defense delivery systems guided by the Ten Principles of a Public Defense Delivery System. This program is funded under the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2014 (Pub. L. No. 113-76).

Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:

[Full Announcement](#)

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Modifications:

Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
NIJ FY 15 Using DNA Technology to Identify the Missing
Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NIJ-2015-4055
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIJ FY 15 Using DNA Technology to Identify the Missing
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	10
CFDA Number(s):	16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 12, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 12, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 28, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 28, 2015
Archive Date:	Jul 28, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Agency Name:	National Institute of Justice
Description:	The goal of the "Using DNA Technology to Identify the Missing" solicitation is threefold: 1. Assist eligible entities in performing DNA analysis on unidentified human remains and/or reference samples to support the efforts of States and units of local government to identify missing persons. 2. Enter the resulting DNA profiles into the FBI's National DNA Index System using the Combined DNA Index System (CODIS) version 7.0. 3. Enter any relevant case information related to unidentified remains into the National Missing and Unidentified Persons System (NamUs), as deemed appropriate by the submitting agency (if a case is not entered, a justification will be required).
Link to Additional Information:	Solicitation announcement.
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274129>

Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
NIJ FY 15 Postconviction Testing of DNA Evidence to Exonerate the Innocent
Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NIJ-2015-3980
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIJ FY 15 Postconviction Testing of DNA Evidence to Exonerate the Innocent
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	8
CFDA Number(s):	16.820 -- Postconviction Testing of DNA Evidence to Exonerate the Innocent
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 4, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 10, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 4, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 4, 2015
Archive Date:	Jun 3, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$3,600,000
Award Ceiling:	\$3,600,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	Special district governments State governments

Agency Name: County governments
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
City or township governments
Description: National Institute of Justice
NIJ seeks proposals for funding to assist in defraying the costs associated with postconviction DNA testing in cases of violent felony offenses (as defined by State law) in which actual innocence might be demonstrated. Funds may be used to identify and review such postconviction cases and to locate and analyze associated biological evidence.
Link to Additional Information: [Full Solicitation](#)
Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273149>

Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance
BJA FY 15 Law Enforcement and Missing Persons with Alzheimer's Disease
Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	BJA-2015-4076
Funding Opportunity Title:	BJA FY 15 Law Enforcement and Missing Persons with Alzheimer's Disease
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5
CFDA Number(s):	16.015 -- Missing Alzheimer's Disease Patient Assistance Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 9, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 9, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 6, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 6, 2015
Archive Date:	May 6, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$600,000
Award Ceiling:	\$120,000

Eligible Applicants:

City or township governments
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
County governments
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible applicants are local (city, county, or federally recognized tribal) law enforcement agencies serving communities with a significant percentage of the population is 65 years of age or older. BJA welcomes applications that involve two or more entities; however, one eligible entity must be the applicant and the others must be proposed as sub-recipients. The applicant must be the entity with primary responsibility for administering the funding and managing the entire project. Only one application per lead applicant will be considered; however, sub-recipients may be part of multiple proposals.

Agency Name:

Bureau of Justice Assistance

Description:

This FY 2015 grant announcement focuses on programs strategically targeted to address community and law enforcement needs. Specifically, this grant announcement focuses on developing community partnerships to assist law enforcement in locating and working with missing persons with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias. Funding for this initiative is anticipated through the FY 2015 appropriation.

Link to Additional Information:

[Full Announcement](#)

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Office of Justice Programs

National Institute of Justice

NIJ FY 15 Research and Development in Forensic Science for Criminal Justice Purposes

Modification 3

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:	NIJ-2015-3985
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIJ FY 15 Research and Development in Forensic Science for Criminal Justice Purposes
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	40
CFDA Number(s):	16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 8, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 10, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 8, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 8, 2015
Archive Date:	Jun 8, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$15,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$15,000,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Agency Name:	National Institute of Justice
Description:	With this solicitation, NIJ seeks proposals for basic or applied research and development projects that will: (1) increase the body of knowledge to guide and inform forensic science policy and practice or (2) result in the production of useful materials, devices, systems, or methods that have the potential for forensic application. The intent of this program is to direct the findings of basic scientific research, research and development in broader scientific fields applicable to forensic science, and ongoing forensic science research toward the development of highly discriminating, accurate, reliable, cost-effective, and rapid methods for the identification, analysis, and interpretation of physical evidence for criminal justice purposes. The operational needs and requirements discussed at NIJ's FY 2015 Forensic Science Technology Working Group (TWG) meeting may be found at the following link and are intended to assist you in your proposal development: http://www.nij.gov/topics/forensics/pages/forensic-operational-requirements.aspx
Link to Additional Information:	Link to solicitation.
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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Technical Issues" in the How to Apply section. For assistance with any other requirements of this solicitation, contact forensic.research@usdoj.gov. General information on applying for NIJ awards can be found at www.nij.gov/funding/Pages/welcome.aspx. Answers to frequently asked questions that may assist applicants are posted at www.nij.gov/funding/Pages/faqs.aspx.

[Point of contact e-mail address.](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271179>

Office of Justice Programs

National Institute of Justice

NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on Children Exposed to Violence

Modification 1

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

NIJ-2015-0022

Funding Opportunity Title:

NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on Children Exposed to Violence

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

3

CFDA Number(s):

16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Jan 8, 2015

Creation Date:

Feb 10, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 8, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 8, 2015

Archive Date:

May 8, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	Private institutions of higher education City or township governments Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Independent school districts Individuals For profit organizations other than small businesses County governments Special district governments Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities State governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Small businesses Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) National Institute of Justice
Agency Name:	National Institute of Justice
Description:	NIJ is seeking multidisciplinary research and evaluation proposals related to childhood exposure to violence. Such violence may include children who are direct victims and/or bystanders or observers of various forms of violence in the home, school, or community, including but not limited to peer victimization, bullying, harassment, child maltreatment, domestic violence, and community violence. Other types of violence to which children are exposed may be addressed, with the exception of media violence (e.g., television and movie violence, music advocating aggression, and violent video games). In particular, NIJ seeks proposals that address justice system responses to children identified as being exposed to violence; polyvictimization and multisystem involvement; and resilience and help-seeking.
Link to Additional Information:	Full Solicitation
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact: Dara Blachman-Demner, 202-514-9528 Social Science Analyst

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271193>

Reminders:

Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on the Investigation and Adjudication of Campus Sexual Assault
Grant
And Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NIJ-2015-4028
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on the Investigation and Adjudication of Campus Sexual Assault
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5
CFDA Number(s):	16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 6, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 7, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 6, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 6, 2015
Archive Date:	May 6, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,500,000
Award Ceiling:	\$350,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities Independent school districts City or township governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) County governments Individuals For profit organizations other than small businesses Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Small businesses Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education State governments Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Special district governments Private institutions of higher education
Agency Name:	National Institute of Justice

Description:

NIJ is seeking proposals for research and evaluation related to the investigation and adjudication of sexual assaults on college and university campuses. The White House Task Force to Protect Students From Sexual Assault identified a need to improve understanding of current practices in campus investigation and judicial decisionmaking involving student-on-student sexual assault. In response, NIJ is seeking proposals to examine:

- Current or new investigation practices and protocols used in the handling of campus sexual assault cases; and/or
- Current or new adjudication practices and protocols used in the handling of campus sexual assault cases.

Link to Additional Information:

[Full Solicitation](#)

Contact Information:

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Bethany Backes Social Science Analyst (202) 305-4419
[Program Manager](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271048>

Office of Justice Programs

National Institute of Justice

NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on Violence Against Women: Intimate Partner Violence and Sexual Violence Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

NIJ-2015-4029

Funding Opportunity Title:

NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on Violence Against Women: Intimate Partner Violence and Sexual Violence Discretionary

Opportunity Category:

Grant

Funding Instrument Type:**Category of Funding Activity:**

Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:**

5

CFDA Number(s):

16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Jan 7, 2015

Creation Date:

Jan 7, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 7, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 7, 2015

Archive Date:

May 7, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$1,500,000

Award Ceiling:

\$350,000

Award Floor:

\$1,000

Eligible Applicants:

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Agency Name:**Description:**

Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities
City or township governments
Special district governments
For profit organizations other than small businesses
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS,
other than institutions of higher education
Private institutions of higher education
Small businesses
Individuals
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than
institutions of higher education
State governments
Independent school districts
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally
recognized tribal governments)
County governments
National Institute of Justice

NIJ is seeking proposals for research and evaluation on
violence against women, and specifically intimate partner
and sexual violence. For example, NIJ is interested in
proposals to examine the effectiveness of specialized police
and court-based units, services, and methods related to
intimate partner and sexual violence. NIJ is also interested in
research on the development, adaptation, and testing of
screening tools used for the identification of intimate partner
violence in family court proceedings—specifically for cases
involving child custody. Although specific areas of interest
have been identified, other topics that offer important
insights into violence against women will also be accepted
for review.

Link to Additional Information:

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Office of Justice Programs

National Institute of Justice

NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on the Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation of Elderly Individuals Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

NIJ-2015-4004

Funding Opportunity Title:

NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on the Abuse, Neglect,
and Exploitation of Elderly Individuals

Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	3
CFDA Number(s):	16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 7, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 7, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 7, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 7, 2015
Archive Date:	May 7, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$330,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	<p>Independent school districts</p> <p>Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)</p> <p>Public and State controlled institutions of higher education</p> <p>Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities</p> <p>Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)</p> <p>City or township governments</p> <p>Small businesses</p> <p>For profit organizations other than small businesses</p> <p>Special district governments</p> <p>Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education</p> <p>Private institutions of higher education</p> <p>Individuals</p> <p>State governments</p> <p>County governments</p> <p>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education</p>
Agency Name:	National Institute of Justice
Description:	<p>NIJ is seeking proposals for research and evaluation related to the abuse, neglect, and exploitation of elderly individuals. As the elderly population grows, crimes against this population are expected to increase. NIJ will be particularly interested in funding research to: 1. Determine an estimate of the financial costs associated with elder abuse. 2. Develop a taxonomy of case outcomes that can be used to define success from multiple perspectives. 3. Examine theoretical perspectives on elder abuse that move the field toward a better understanding of why perpetrators abuse, neglect, and/or exploit elderly individuals.</p>
Link to Additional Information:	Full Solicitation
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Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
NIJ FY 15 Postdoctoral Fellowship on Violence Against Women: Intimate Partner Violence, Sexual Violence, Teen Dating Violence, and Stalking Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NIJ-2015-4030
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIJ FY 15 Postdoctoral Fellowship on Violence Against Women: Intimate Partner Violence, Sexual Violence, Teen Dating Violence, and Stalking
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	2
CFDA Number(s):	16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 7, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 7, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 7, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 7, 2015
Archive Date:	May 7, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	Independent school districts Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Special district governments Small businesses Individuals Private institutions of higher education State governments Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Agency Name:**Description:**

Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
National Institute of Justice
NIJ is seeking proposals to support the scholarship of up to three promising postdoctoral researchers to conduct original data collection and/or secondary data analyses on violence against women (intimate partner violence, sexual violence, teen dating violence, stalking) under the supervision of a mentor. Any specific topic that offers important insights into research on violence against women will receive consideration.

Link to Additional Information:**Contact Information:**

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Office of Justice Programs

National Institute of Justice

NIJ FY 15 Graduate Research Fellowship in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics

Modifications 1 & 2

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

NIJ-2015-3992

Funding Opportunity Title:

NIJ FY 15 Graduate Research Fellowship in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:**

20

CFDA Number(s):

16.562 -- Criminal Justice Research and Development
Graduate Research Fellowships

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Dec 23, 2014

Creation Date:

Dec 23, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 30, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 30, 2015

Archive Date:

Apr 29, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$1,000,000

Award Ceiling:

\$50,000

Award Floor:

\$35,000

Eligible Applicants:

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Private institutions of higher education

Agency Name:

National Institute of Justice

Description:

NIJ is seeking proposals for innovative doctoral dissertation research in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics that is relevant to providing solutions to better ensure public safety, prevent and control crime, and ensure the fair and impartial administration of criminal justice in the United States. The NIJ Graduate Research Fellowship in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics provides awards to accredited academic institutions to support such graduate research leading to doctoral degrees.

Link to Additional Information:

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=270777>

Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance
BJA FY 15 Smart Policing Initiative Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

BJA-2015-4065

Funding Opportunity Title:

BJA FY 15 Smart Policing Initiative

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

6

CFDA Number(s):

16.738 -- Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Jan 20, 2015

Creation Date:

Jan 20, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 9, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 9, 2015

Archive Date:

Apr 8, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$4,200,000

Award Ceiling:

\$700,000

Eligible Applicants:

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
County governments
City or township governments
State governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:**Agency Name:****Description:****Link to Additional Information:****Contact Information:**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Applicants are limited to state, local, and tribal law enforcement agencies or a governmental non-law enforcement agency acting as fiscal agent for the applicant. Bureau of Justice Assistance

The FY 2015 Smart Policing Initiative (SPI) grant program seeks to build upon analysis-driven, evidence-based policing by encouraging state, local, and tribal law enforcement agencies to develop effective, economical, and innovative responses to crime within their jurisdictions. Funding for this initiative is available through the FY2015 appropriation to "support evidence-based policing."

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271693>

Office of Justice Programs

Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 Smart Prosecution Initiative Grant

Document Type:**Funding Opportunity Number:****Funding Opportunity Title:****Opportunity Category:****Funding Instrument Type:****Category of Funding Activity:****Category Explanation:****Expected Number of Awards:****CFDA Number(s):****Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:****Posted Date:****Creation Date:****Original Closing Date for Applications:****Current Closing Date for Applications:****Archive Date:****Estimated Total Program Funding:****Award Ceiling:**

Grants Notice

BJA-2015-4077

BJA FY 15 Smart Prosecution Initiative

Discretionary

Grant

Law, Justice and Legal Services

9

16.825 -- Smart Prosecution Initiative

No

Jan 28, 2015

Jan 28, 2015

Mar 26, 2015

Mar 26, 2015

Apr 25, 2015

\$425,000

Award Floor:
Eligible Applicants:

\$0
Others (see text field entitled
"Additional Information on Eligibility"
for clarification)
State governments
County governments
Native American tribal governments
(Federally recognized)
City or township governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible applicants are limited to state,
local, and tribal prosecutor agencies or a
government agency or nonprofit
organization as fiscal agent for the
applicant.

Agency Name:
Description:

Bureau of Justice Assistance
The Smart Prosecution Initiative,
administered by BJA, is part of BJA's
"Smart Suite" of crime fighting
programs including Smart Policing,
Smart Probation, and Smart Pretrial.
Funding for this initiative is anticipated
through the FY 2015 appropriation.
BJA established the "smart suite" over
five years ago with the creation of the
Smart Policing Initiative. The smart
suite supports criminal justice
professionals in building evidence-
based, data-driven criminal justice
strategies that are effective, efficient,
and economical. BJA's smart programs
represent a strategic approach that
brings more "science" into criminal
justice operations by leveraging
innovative applications of analysis,
technology, and evidence-based
practices. Historically, prosecutors have
worked tirelessly to address criminal
justice problems in their community. In
recent years they have recognized a
need to adopt innovative strategies and
to engage in data-driven decision
making to proactively contribute to
crime prevention and response. They
also recognize the effectiveness of
collaborating with other criminal justice
partners, stakeholders and the
community to reduce violent crime and
achieve safer communities. The Smart

Prosecution model builds off of the lessons learned from BJA's other smart suite programs and seeks to pair action researchers with prosecutor offices to develop solutions—such as “hot spot” strategies, sophisticated crime analysis, offender-based policies, and risk and needs assessment—that create prosecution strategies in an effort to break down information silos, advance communities, improve public trust and confidence in the justice system, and increase public safety. Smart Prosecution seeks to act as a catalyst, promoting criminal justice and non-criminal justice information sharing to improve results for communities. Lessons learned from Smart Prosecution will develop a rich body of evidence for use by prosecutors nationally as they seek to work with communities and the police to solve chronic problems and fight violent crime.

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Office of Justice Programs

Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 Smart Supervision: Reducing Prison Populations, Saving Money, and Creating Safer Communities Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

BJA-2015-4075

Funding Opportunity Title:

BJA FY 15 Smart Supervision: Reducing Prison

Opportunity Category:	Populations, Saving Money, and Creating Safer Communities
Funding Instrument Type:	Discretionary Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	7
CFDA Number(s):	16.812 -- Second Chance Act Reentry Initiative
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 27, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 27, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 24, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 24, 2015
Archive Date:	Apr 23, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$750,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	City or township governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) State governments County governments
Agency Name:	Bureau of Justice Assistance
Description:	At yearend 2013, an estimated 4,751,400 adults were under supervision in the community either on probation or parole—the equivalent of about 1 out of every 51 adults in the United States. Many people on supervision do not successfully complete their community supervision. ¹ According to the Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS), the incarceration rates increased in the past year for both probationers and parolees who left supervised status in 2013 due to a new offense or revocation. State-level data from BJA’s Justice Reinvestment Initiative indicate that in some states, probation and parole revocations account for up to 65 percent of prison and jail admissions annually. These failure rates are a key reason prison populations remain high. The FY 2015 Smart Supervision Program (SSP) seeks to improve probation and parole success rates and reduce crime committed by those under probation and parole supervision, which would in turn reduce admissions to prisons and jails and save taxpayer dollars. Funds can be used either to implement evidence-based supervision strategies or to innovate new strategies to improve outcomes for supervisees.
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Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on Firearms Violence Reduction Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NIJ-2015-4052
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on Firearms Violence Reduction
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Information and Statistics
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	3
CFDA Number(s):	16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 27, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 27, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 27, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 27, 2015
Archive Date:	May 27, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,500,000
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	Independent school districts County governments Special district governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Small businesses Individuals Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) City or township governments

Agency Name:**Description:**

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS,
other than institutions of higher education
Private institutions of higher education
State governments
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
For profit organizations other than small businesses
National Institute of Justice
NIJ seeks proposals for research and evaluation of programs,
practices, and policies designed to reduce firearms violence.
This solicitation aims to strengthen our knowledge base and
improve public safety by supporting projects with a high
potential for accurately measuring the effects of efforts to
reduce firearms violence. Such firearms violence reduction
efforts may take any of a variety of forms, including but not
limited to, those that emphasize law enforcement,
prosecution, prevention, public health, or public policy.

Link to Additional Information:**Contact Information:**

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=272148>

Office of Justice Programs

National Institute of Justice

NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on Justice Systems Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

NIJ-2015-3976

Funding Opportunity Title:

NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on Justice Systems

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:**

13

CFDA Number(s):

16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation,
and Development Project Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Jan 15, 2015

Creation Date:

Jan 15, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 15, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 15, 2015

Archive Date:

May 15, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$6,500,000

Award Ceiling:

\$500,000

Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	Small businesses State governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Independent school districts Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Special district governments For profit organizations other than small businesses Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Individuals Private institutions of higher education City or township governments County governments Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
Agency Name:	National Institute of Justice
Description:	NIJ is seeking proposals for social and behavioral science research on, and evaluation related to, justice systems topics including policing, courts, and institutional and community corrections that bear directly and substantially upon federal, State, local, or tribal criminal and juvenile justice policy and practice.
Link to Additional Information:	Full Solicitation
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact: Brett Chapman, Program Manager 202-514-2187 Program Contact

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Office of Justice Programs
 National Institute of Justice
 NIJ FY 15 Social Science Research on Implementation, Dissemination, and Translation Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NIJ-2015-4027
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIJ FY 15 Social Science Research on Implementation, Dissemination, and Translation
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	6

CFDA Number(s):	16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 9, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 13, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 9, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 9, 2015
Archive Date:	May 9, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	<p>Individuals</p> <p>Special district governments</p> <p>Public and State controlled institutions of higher education</p> <p>State governments</p> <p>Independent school districts</p> <p>Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities</p> <p>Small businesses</p> <p>Private institutions of higher education</p> <p>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education</p> <p>County governments</p> <p>Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)</p> <p>For profit organizations other than small businesses</p> <p>Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education</p> <p>Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)</p> <p>City or township governments</p>
Agency Name:	National Institute of Justice
Description:	<p>NIJ seeks proposals for funding projects to study how criminal justice practitioners use research in their decision-making processes and how they implement evidence-based programs or practices. NIJ proposes two distinct research activities under this solicitation. • Incorporating the Use of Research in Policy Decisions. • Implementation Studies.</p> <p>Applicants may apply to one or both sections of the solicitation; however, proposal titles should clearly identify the section of the solicitation for which the proposal is being submitted.</p>
Link to Additional Information:	Full Solicitation
Contact Information:	<p>If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:</p> <p>Dr. Nadine Frederique Social Science Analyst (202) 514-8777 or Mr. Eric Martin Social Science Analyst (202) 598-7260 eric.d.martin@usdoj.gov</p> <p>Program Mangers</p>

Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on Domestic Radicalization to Violent Extremism Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NIJ-2015-3983
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIJ FY 15 Research and Evaluation on Domestic Radicalization to Violent Extremism
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5
CFDA Number(s):	16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 14, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 14, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 21, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 21, 2015
Archive Date:	May 21, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$400,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities Special district governments Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Independent school districts Small businesses Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) State governments Individuals Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
Agency Name:	National Institute of Justice
Description:	NIJ is seeking proposals for research targeted toward developing a better understanding of the domestic radicalization phenomenon, and advancing evidence-based strategies for effective intervention and prevention. The goal

of this solicitation is to aid federal, State, local, and tribal criminal justice agencies and their attendant communities in implementing programs that prevent or counter radicalization to violent extremism. The solicitation focuses on all forms of radicalization that lead to violent extremism in the United States, but NIJ is particularly interested in responses to one or more of the following areas of focus: (1) radicalization to indigenous violent extremism; (2) NIJ partnership to translate findings for practitioners; (3) contemporary radicalization and (4) evaluation studies.

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Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
NIJ FY 15 Building and Enhancing Criminal Justice Researcher-Practitioner Partnerships Grant
And Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NIJ-2015-3990
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIJ FY 15 Building and Enhancing Criminal Justice Researcher-Practitioner Partnerships
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	6
CFDA Number(s):	16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 14, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 23, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 20, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 20, 2015
Archive Date:	May 20, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$800,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	City or township governments Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than

institutions of higher education
State governments
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS,
other than institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
For profit organizations other than small businesses
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities
Special district governments
County governments
Private institutions of higher education
Independent school districts
Small businesses
Individuals

Agency Name:

Description:

National Institute of Justice
NIJ is seeking proposals for criminal justice research and evaluation that includes a researcher-practitioner partnership component. Through researcher-practitioner partnerships, criminal justice practitioners can gain new skills in assessing programs and measuring outcomes. Likewise, criminal justice researchers can better understand the goals and purposes criminal justice practitioners seek to achieve. Ultimately, these partnerships provide criminal justice practitioners with practice- and policy-relevant information while affording researchers the opportunity to contribute to the current body of knowledge. NIJ intends to support criminal justice research in the two following areas related to new and ongoing researcher-practitioner collaborations:• Junior Faculty/Research Associate Grant Program to Promote Criminal Justice Researcher-Practitioner Partnerships. • Criminal Justice Researcher-Practitioner Fellowship Placement Program.

Link to Additional Information:

Contact Information:

[Full Solicitation](#)

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Bethany Backes 202-305-4419

[Program Manager](#)

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Office of Justice Programs

Office on Violence Against Women

OVW FY 2015 Legal Assistance for Victims Grant Program

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

OVW-2015-4036

Funding Opportunity Title:

OVW FY 2015 Legal Assistance for Victims Grant Program

Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	77
CFDA Number(s):	16.524 -- Legal Assistance for Victims
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 14, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 23, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 11, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 11, 2015
Archive Date:	Apr 10, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$34,000,000
Award Ceiling:	
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) For profit organizations other than small businesses
Additional Information on Eligibility:	The LAV Grant Program makes awards to law school clinics, domestic violence victims' programs and shelters, bar associations, rape crisis centers and other sexual assault services programs, private nonprofit entities, Indian Tribal governments and Tribal organizations, Territorial organizations, legal aid or statewide legal services, and faith-and/or community-based legal service providers.
Agency Name:	Office on Violence Against Women
Description:	The Legal Assistance for Victims (LAV) Grant Program is intended to increase the availability of civil and criminal legal assistance needed to effectively aid adult and youth victims of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking who are seeking relief in legal matters relating to or arising out of that abuse or violence, at minimum or no cost to the victims. LAV Grant Program funds may not be used to provide criminal defense services.
Link to Additional Information:	OVW FY 2015 Legal Assistance for Victims Grant Program
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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271468>

OVW FY 2015 Enhanced Training And Services To End Abuse In Later Life Program Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: OVW-2015-4034
Funding Opportunity Title: OVW FY 2015 Enhanced Training And Services To End Abuse In Later Life Program
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity: Income Security and Social Services
Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:
Expected Number of Awards: 8
CFDA Number(s): 16.528 -- Enhanced Training and Services to End Violence and Abuse of Women Later in Life
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No
Posted Date: Jan 28, 2015
Creation Date: Jan 28, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Mar 18, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications: Mar 18, 2015
Archive Date: Apr 17, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$3,000,000
Award Ceiling: \$400,000
Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
County governments
City or township governments
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Special district governments
State governments
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Additional Information on Eligibility: state, tribal, or territorial domestic violence or sexual assault coalitions
Agency Name: Office on Violence Against Women
Description: The Enhanced Training and Services to End Abuse in Later Life Program provides or enhances training and services to address elder abuse, neglect, and exploitation, including sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking, involving victims who are 50 years of age or older.
Link to Additional Information: [OVW FY 2015 Enhanced Training And Services To End Abuse In Later Life Program](#)
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Office of Justice Programs

Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 Second Chance Act Reentry Program for Adults with Co-Occurring Substance Abuse and Mental Disorders Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

BJA-2015-4061

Funding Opportunity Title:

BJA FY 15 Second Chance Act Reentry Program for Adults with Co-Occurring Substance Abuse and Mental Disorders

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

10

CFDA Number(s):

16.812 -- Second Chance Act Reentry Initiative

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Feb 3, 2015

Creation Date:

Feb 3, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 31, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Mar 31, 2015

Archive Date:

Apr 30, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$6,000,000

Award Ceiling:

\$600,000

Eligible Applicants:

State governments

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

City or township governments

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

County governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible applicants are limited to states, units of local government, and federally-recognized Indian tribal governments (as determined by the Secretary of the Interior). BJA welcomes applications that involve two or more entities; however, one eligible entity must be the applicant and the others must be proposed as subrecipients. The applicant must be the entity with primary responsibility for administering the funding and managing the entire project. Only one application per lead applicant will be considered; however, subrecipients may be part of multiple proposals.

Agency Name:

Bureau of Justice Assistance

Description:

The Second Chance Act of 2007 (Pub. L. 110-199) provides a comprehensive response to the increasing number of incarcerated adults and juveniles who are released from prison, jail, and juvenile residential facilities and returning to communities. There are currently over 2.2 million individuals serving time in our federal and state prisons, and

millions of people cycling through tribal and local jails every year. Ninety-five percent of all people incarcerated today will eventually be released and will return to communities. The coordination of reentry of members of Native American tribes is even more complex given that they can return from federal, Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA), state, local, and tribal facilities. The Second Chance Act helps to ensure that the transition individuals make from prison, jail, or juvenile residential facilities to the community is successful and promotes public safety. The Second Chance Act Programs are designed to help communities develop and implement comprehensive and collaborative strategies that address the challenges posed by reentry and recidivism reduction. “Reentry” is not a specific program, but rather a process that starts when an individual is initially incarcerated and ends when he or she has been successfully reintegrated in the community as a law-abiding citizen. The reentry process includes screening and assessment in a pre-release setting, the delivery of evidence-based programming in a pre-release setting, and the delivery of a variety of evidence-based programming for every program participant in a post-release setting designed to ensure that the transition from prison or jail to the community is safe and successful. The Reentry Program for Adults with Co-Occurring Substance Abuse and Mental Disorders is designed to improve outcomes for adults with co-occurring substance abuse and mental disorders through the screening and assessment of incarcerated individuals, availability of some pre-release programming, leading to the provision of appropriate evidence-based services and treatment after incarceration.

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Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance
BJA FY 15 Visiting Fellows Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	BJA-2015-4079
Funding Opportunity Title:	BJA FY 15 Visiting Fellows Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5
CFDA Number(s):	16.320 -- Services for Trafficking Victims 16.735 -- PREA Program: Demonstration Projects to Establish 'Zero Tolerance' Cultures for Sexual Assault in Correctional Facilities 16.752 -- Economic High-Tech and Cyber Crime Prevention 16.812 -- Second Chance Act Reentry Initiative 16.828 -- Swift and Certain Sanctions/Replicating the Concepts Behind Project HOPE
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 3, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 3, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 2, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 2, 2015
Archive Date:	May 2, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$270,000
Eligible Applicants:	Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) City or township governments State governments Individuals County governments
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible applicants are limited to individuals, as well as state, tribal, or local government, organizations, or academic institutions seeking to provide federal-level experience for one of its staff members. Organizations seeking to place their employee as a Fellow under this program will not have programmatic oversight of the staff person for those activities conducted as part of the fellowship. For-profit organizations must agree to forgo any profit or management fee. Eligible applicants for the Second Chance Act Fellow position are limited to individuals who have formerly been incarcerated. All persons serving in the fellowship positions must be U.S. citizens at the time of application. The prospective Fellow should have all of the expertise needed to conduct the proposed activities in the fellowship, including at least 5 years of criminal justice expertise in the relevant area of practice or research, working in a policy or applied criminal justice setting (such as a criminal justice agency

(law enforcement, criminal courts, prosecutor, corrections, or partner agency such as a social service provider), or an agency or office with responsibility for criminal justice and public policy (such as a governor's office, mayor's office, or other important policy setting pertinent to criminal justice). Researchers should apply only if they have expertise and specific skills in developing models and applied research tools for the field, implementation of evidence-based practices, and collection and analysis of data and performance management. Applicants must demonstrate the administrative capacity, particularly fiscal administrative capacity, to manage an agreement or award, as well as the knowledge and skills to successfully execute the proposed fellowship activities. Eligibility will be determined only after a review of a complete, submitted application.

Agency Name:

Bureau of Justice Assistance

Description:

BJA's mission is to provide leadership and services through grant administration and criminal justice policy development to support local, state, and tribal justice strategies to achieve safer communities. Driving BJA's work in the field are the following principles: to reduce crime, recidivism, and unnecessary confinement; and to promote a safe and fair criminal justice system. To implement our strategies consistent with these principles, BJA supports effective criminal justice policy, programs, information sharing, and collaborations within state, local, and tribal agencies and communities, and promotes the use of data, research, and information to increase the effectiveness of criminal justice programs. BJA has four primary components: Policy, Programs, Planning, and the Public Safety Officers' Benefits Office. The Fellows will work in the Policy Office, which provides national leadership in criminal justice policy, training, and technical assistance to further the administration of justice. It also acts as a liaison to national organizations that partner with BJA to set policy and help disseminate information on best and promising practices. To address emerging issues and build capacity to improve the administration of criminal justice, BJA launched the BJA Visiting Fellows Program in FY 2012. The intent is to leverage state, local, or tribal subject-matter expertise to assess areas of need and to develop strategies, tools, and policies in collaboration with BJA staff for the benefit of the criminal justice field. By hosting up to five Fellows with FY 2015 funds, BJA will collaborate with practitioners and researchers to build capacity to address gaps in priority and emerging issues in the criminal justice field. BJA encourages potential applicants from a broad range of disciplines to consider how their work in areas related to crime and justice

might support work in the BJA Visiting Fellows Program's priority issue areas outlined below. This program is likely to be funded under Economic High-Tech and Cyber Crime Prevention, Services for Trafficking Victims, Second Chance Act, Prison Rape Elimination Act, and Swift and Certain Sanctions/Replicating the Concepts Behind Project HOPE.

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Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
NIJ FY 15 Building and Enhancing Criminal Justice Researcher-Practitioner Partnerships
Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NIJ-2015-3990
Funding Opportunity Title:	NIJ FY 15 Building and Enhancing Criminal Justice Researcher-Practitioner Partnerships
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	6
CFDA Number(s):	16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development Project Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 14, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 23, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 20, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 20, 2015
Archive Date:	May 20, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$800,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS,

other than institutions of higher education
Small businesses
For profit organizations other than small businesses
County governments
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
Individuals
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
State governments
Independent school districts
Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities
City or township governments
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Private institutions of higher education
Special district governments
National Institute of Justice

Agency Name:

Description:

NIJ is seeking proposals for criminal justice research and evaluation that includes a researcher-practitioner partnership component. Through researcher-practitioner partnerships, criminal justice practitioners can gain new skills in assessing programs and measuring outcomes. Likewise, criminal justice researchers can better understand the goals and purposes criminal justice practitioners seek to achieve. Ultimately, these partnerships provide criminal justice practitioners with practice- and policy-relevant information while affording researchers the opportunity to contribute to the current body of knowledge. NIJ intends to support criminal justice research in the two following areas related to new and ongoing researcher-practitioner collaborations:• Junior Faculty/Research Associate Grant Program to Promote Criminal Justice Researcher-Practitioner Partnerships. • Criminal Justice Researcher-Practitioner Fellowship Placement Program.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Department of Labor

Agency Grants and Contract General Overview

Department of Labor Grant Programs

- **Bureau of International Labor Affairs (ILAB):** provides grants (cooperative agreements) for the implementation of projects designed to assist developing countries combat the worse forms of child labor, forced labor, and human trafficking; and support worker rights and improve working conditions. Solicitations for grant applications are announced on www.grants.gov/ and at www.dol.gov/ILAB/grants/main.htm. ILAB grants are awarded by the [OASAM grant office](#).
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- **Employment and Training (ETA):** ETA administers financial assistance programs pursuant to the Workforce Investment Act (WIA), administering State formula grant programs for youth, adults and dislocated workers, national emergency grants for workers affected by mass layoffs, plant closures, and disasters; grant programs for workers with disabilities, Indians and Native Americans, and for migrant and seasonal farmworkers. ETA also administers grant programs for older American workers, apprenticeship programs, Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) programs, and assistance for research and development of workforce programs. In addition, ETA is responsible for the operation and maintenance of a national system of public employment service offices and for the national unemployment insurance program.
- **Mine Safety and Health (MSHA):** provides grants for research, education and training programs to ensure an adequate and competent staff of trained inspectors; and assistance for establishing or improving State mine health and safety programs through technical assistance.
- **Occupational Safety and Health (OSHA):** provides grants to non-profit organizations to provide training, educational services, and technical assistance; assistance to states to administer and enforce state programs; assistance to states to provide occupational safety and health technical assistance and consultant services.
- **Office of Disability Employment Policy (ODEP):** The Office of Disability Employment Policy awards competitive grants establishing short-term pilot and technical assistance projects designed to identify, develop, test, evaluate, and disseminate policies to increase employment by expanding access to training, education, employment supports, assistive and systems technology, integrated employment, entrepreneurial development, and small business opportunities for adults and youth with disabilities. Current pilots projects focus on customized employment, Olmstead populations, and innovative demonstration youth grants, among others. Solicitations for grant applications are published in the Federal Register and announced at www.dol.gov/odep. ODEP grants are awarded by the [OASAM grant office](#).

- **Veterans' Employment and Training (VETS):** provides special employment and training assistance for veterans through the [Disabled Veterans' Outreach Program \(DVOP\) Solicitation for Grant Applications](#); the [Local Veterans' Employment Representative Program \(LVER\)](#); [Veterans' Workforce Investment Program \(VWIP\)](#); [elaws Advisor on veterans' employment and reemployment rights](#); and the [Homeless Veterans Reintegration Project \(HVRP\)](#). VETS grants are awarded by the [OASAM grant office](#).


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Employment and Training Administration

Linking to Employment Activities Pre-release Specialized American Job Centers (AJCs) Grant

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number:

Funding Opportunity Title:

Opportunity Category:

Funding Instrument Type:

Category of Funding Activity:

Category Explanation:

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FOA-ETA-15-03

Linking to Employment Activities Pre-release Specialized American Job Centers (AJCs)

Discretionary

Grant

Employment, Labor and Training

Expected Number of Awards:	10
CFDA Number(s):	17.270 -- Reintegration of Ex-Offenders
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 3, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 3, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 3, 2015 Applications must be received no later than 4:00:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 3, 2015 Applications must be received no later than 4:00:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
Archive Date:	May 3, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$5,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	LWIBs must apply in partnership with their county or municipal governments and their county, municipal, or regional correctional facilities (this excludes any state or Federal correctional facilities that may be located in the local commuting area) and provide evidence of this partnership in their application. In states where the State Workforce Investment Board (SWIB) carries out the functions of the LWIB pursuant to a DOL-approved waiver, or in states designated as a single-state local area, as established under Section 116 (b) of WIA, the SWIB is an eligible applicant.
Agency Name:	Employment and Training Administration
Description:	The Employment and Training Administration (ETA), U.S. Department of Labor, announces the availability of approximately \$5 million in grant funds authorized by Section 171, Pilot and Demonstration Projects, of the Workforce Investment Act and Section 212 of the Second Chance Act of 2007 for Linking to Employment Activities Pre-release Specialized American Job Centers (AJCs) grants. The purpose of this program is to provide locally incarcerated offenders with employability skills by providing them workforce services prior to release from local incarceration and linking them to a continuum of employment, training, education, and support services offered through their community-based AJCs post-release, as well as building connections to local employers that will enable transitioning offenders to secure employment pre-release. The jail-based specialized AJCs will enable transitioning offenders to prepare for employment prior to release and continue with individual development and service plans in the community once released. The aim of these centers is to improve workforce outcomes for transitioning offenders. These jail-based specialized AJCs will build upon the successful and effective strategies that currently exist in similar correctional facility-based one-stop

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Employment and Training Administration
American Apprenticeship Initiative
Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	FOA-ETA-15-02
Funding Opportunity Title:	American Apprenticeship Initiative
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Employment, Labor and Training
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	25
CFDA Number(s):	17.268 -- H-1B Job Training Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Dec 11, 2014
Creation Date:	Jan 15, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2015 Applications must be received no later than 4:00:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2015 Applications must be received no later than 4:00:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
Archive Date:	May 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$100,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$5,000,000
Award Floor:	\$2,500,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	To be eligible for consideration, applications must include a partnership of private and public sector entities. The Department seeks a diversity of partners and partnership structures to support innovation and seed diverse approaches. To be eligible for

consideration, applications must include at least one entity from: (1) the private sector; i.e. a business, a consortium of businesses, business-related nonprofit organization, or a private organization functioning as a workforce intermediary for the express purpose of serving the needs of businesses; and (2) the public sector; i.e. the workforce investment system; public education or training provider; or DOL-recognized State Apprenticeship Agency. A lead applicant must be a public or non-profit organization. For-profit private business, for-profit consortium of businesses, for-profit business organizations, and for-profit education/training providers cannot be the lead applicant; however, they may apply as part of the public/private partnership. See Section III of the FOA for more information.

Agency Name:

Employment and Training Administration

Description:

The Employment and Training Administration (ETA), U.S. Department of Labor (DOL, or the department, or we), announces the availability of approximately \$100 million in grant funds authorized by Section 414(c) of the American Competitiveness and Workforce Improvement Act of 1998 (ACWIA), as amended (codified at 29 USC 2916a), for the American Apprenticeship Initiative. This initiative is intended to provide a catalyst in supporting a uniquely American Apprenticeship system that meets our country's particular economic, industry and workforce needs. American Apprenticeships (also referred to as Registered Apprenticeships) are innovative work-based learning and post-secondary earn-and-learn models

that meet national standards for registration with the U.S. Department of Labor (or federally recognized State Apprenticeship Agencies). Approximately \$100 million is expected to be available to fund approximately 25 grants. Grant awards will range from \$2.5 - 5 million. Grant awards will be made only to the extent that funds are available.

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ROSES 2014: HyspIRI Preparatory Airborne Activities and Associated Science: Coral Reef and Volcano Research Grant

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- Final Deadline: October 3, 2013

- **Digitizing Historical Records**

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- Final Deadline: June 11, 2013

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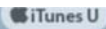




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We fund projects only. Projects may consist of one or more specific events or activities. Projects do not have to be new. Excellent existing projects can be just as competitive as new activities. Projects do not need to be big either; we welcome small projects that can make a difference in their community or field.

Art Works

To support the creation of art that meets the highest standards of excellence, public engagement with diverse and excellent art, lifelong learning in the arts, and the strengthening of communities through the arts.

Matching grants generally range from \$10,000 to \$100,000.

Deadline: February 19, 2015

Notification: November 2015

Earliest Start Date: January 1, 2016

Deadline: July 23, 2015

Notification: April 2016

Earliest Start Date: June 1, 2016

Challenge America

To support projects that extend the reach of the arts to underserved populations. Matching grants are for \$10,000.

Deadline: April 16, 2015
Notification: December 2015
Earliest Start Date: January 1, 2016

Our Town

Organizations may apply for creative place-making projects that contribute to the livability of communities and place the arts at their core. Our Town offers support for projects in two areas:

- Arts Engagement, Cultural Planning, and Design Projects that represent the distinct character and quality of their communities. Matching grants range from \$25,000 to \$200,000.
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Deadline: December 15, 2014 □ Notification: July 2015 □ Earliest Start Date: October 1, 2015

Research: Art Works

The Research: Art Works category supports research projects to analyze the value and impact of the arts in the United States. Generally range from \$10,000 to \$30,000.

Deadline: October 21, 2014 □ Notification: April 2015 □ Earliest Start Date: May 1, 2015

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NEA Challenge America, FY2016 Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	2015NEA01CAFT
Funding Opportunity Title:	NEA Challenge America, FY2016
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to Organizations and Individuals
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Dec 12, 2014
Creation Date:	Dec 12, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 16, 2015 The Grants.gov system must receive your validated and accepted application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on April 16, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 16, 2015 The Grants.gov system must receive your

Archive Date:	validated and accepted application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on April 16, 2015. May 16, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$10,000
Award Floor:	\$10,000
Eligible Applicants:	State governments Special district governments County governments Independent school districts Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education City or township governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Additional Information on Eligibility:	An organization may submit only one application through one of the following FY 2016 categories: Art Works or Challenge America. The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on or after January 1, 2016. Grants awarded under these guidelines generally may cover a period of performance of up to two years. An organization that has received Challenge America grants in FY 2013, 2014, and 2015 may not apply for a Challenge America grant under these FY 2016 guidelines. Eligibility Nonprofit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3), U.S. organizations; units of state or local government; or federally recognized tribal communities or tribes may apply. Applicants may be arts organizations, local arts agencies, arts service organizations, local education agencies (school districts), and other organizations that can help advance the goals of the Arts Endowment. To be eligible, the applicant organization must: • Meet the Arts Endowment's "Legal Requirements" including nonprofit, tax-exempt status at the time of application. (All organizations must apply directly on their own behalf. Applications through a fiscal agent are not allowed.) • Have a three-year history of programming prior to the application deadline. • Have submitted acceptable Final Report packages by the due date(s) for all Arts Endowment grant(s) previously received. An organization whose primary purpose is to channel resources (financial, human, or other) to an affiliated organization is not eligible to apply if the affiliated organization submits its own application. This prohibition applies even if each organization has its own 501(c)(3) status. For example, the "Friends of ABC Museum" may not apply if the ABC Museum applies.
Agency Name:	National Endowment for the Arts
Description:	An organization may submit only one application through

one of the following FY 2016 categories: Art Works or Challenge America. The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on or after January 1, 2016. Grants awarded under these guidelines generally may cover a period of performance of up to two years. An organization that has received Challenge America grants in FY 2013, 2014, and 2015 may not apply for a Challenge America grant under these FY 2016 guidelines. Grant Program Description: The Challenge America category offers support primarily to small and mid-sized organizations for projects that extend the reach of the arts to underserved populations -- those whose opportunities to experience the arts are limited by geography, ethnicity, economics, or disability. Age alone (e.g., youth, seniors) does not qualify a group as underserved; at least one of the underserved characteristics noted above also must be present. Grants are available for professional arts programming and for projects that emphasize the potential of the arts in community development. This category encourages and supports the following two objectives: • Engagement: Engaging the public with diverse and excellent art. • Livability: The strengthening of communities through the arts. You will be asked to select the objective that is most relevant to your project. When making selections, you should identify the objective(s) that reflect the results expected to be achieved by your project. If you receive a grant, you also will be asked to provide evidence of those results. Challenge America grants: • Extend the reach of the arts to underserved populations. • Are limited to the specific types of projects outlined below. • Are for a fixed amount of \$10,000 and require a minimum \$10,000 match.

Link to Additional Information:
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NEA Literature Fellowships: Prose, FY 2016 Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	2015NEA03LFCW
Funding Opportunity Title:	NEA Literature Fellowships: Prose, FY 2016
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant

Category of Funding Activity:	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to Organizations and Individuals
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 6, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 6, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 11, 2015 You must submit your application electronically through Grants.gov, the federal government's online application system. The Grants.gov system must receive your validated and accepted application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on March 11, 2015.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 11, 2015 You must submit your application electronically through Grants.gov, the federal government's online application system. The Grants.gov system must receive your validated and accepted application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on March 11, 2015.
Archive Date:	Apr 10, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$25,000
Award Floor:	\$25,000
Eligible Applicants:	Individuals
Additional Information on Eligibility:	The Arts Endowment's support of a project may begin any time between January 1, 2016, and January 1, 2017, and extend for up to two years. Applicant Eligibility Creative writers who meet the publication requirements that are listed below are eligible to apply. Applicants must be citizens or permanent residents of the United States. You may submit only one application for FY 2016 funding. You may not apply for both a Literature Fellowship under this deadline and a Translation Project under the December 8, 2014 deadline. You are not eligible to apply if you have received two or more Fellowships (in poetry, prose, or translation) from the National Endowment for the Arts. In addition, you may not apply if you have received any Arts Endowment Literature Fellowship (in poetry or prose) or Translation Fellowship on or after October 1, 2006 (FY 2007). Former grantees must have submitted acceptable Final Report packages by the due date(s) for all Arts Endowment award(s) previously received.
Agency Name:	National Endowment for the Arts
Description:	The Arts Endowment's support of a project may begin any time between January 1, 2016, and January 1, 2017, and extend for up to two years. Grant Program Description The NEA Literature Fellowships program offers \$25,000 grants in prose (fiction and creative nonfiction) and poetry to published creative writers that enable recipients to set aside

time for writing, research, travel, and general career advancement. Applications are reviewed through an anonymous process in which the only criteria for review are artistic excellence and artistic merit. To review the applications, the NEA assembles a different advisory panel every year, each diverse with regard to geography, race and ethnicity, and artistic points of view. The NEA Literature Fellowships program operates on a two-year cycle with fellowships in prose and poetry available in alternating years. For FY 2016, which is covered by these guidelines, fellowships in prose (fiction and creative nonfiction) are available. Fellowships in poetry will be offered in FY 2017 and guidelines will be available in the fall of 2015. You may apply only once each year. Competition for fellowships is extremely rigorous. We typically receive more than 1,000 applications each year in this category and award fellowships to fewer than 5% of applicants. You should consider carefully whether your work will be competitive at the national level.

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Awards for Faculty at Tribal Colleges and Universities	April 15, 2015	Division of Research Programs
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Digital Projects for the Public	June 10, 2015	Division of Public Programs
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Humanities Initiatives at Tribal Colleges and Universities	June 25, 2015	Division of Education Programs
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National Arts and Humanities Youth Program Awards	February 2, 2015	President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities
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Challenge Grants

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	20150505-CH
Funding Opportunity Title:	Challenge Grants
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	45.130 -- Promotion of the Humanities Challenge Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 11, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 11, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2015
Archive Date:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Award Floor:	\$1
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Special district governments City or township governments County governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education State governments National Endowment for the Humanities

Agency Name:

Description:

The mission of the NEH Office of Challenge Grants is to advance knowledge and understanding in the humanities by strengthening the institutional base of humanities teaching, scholarly research, public programming, and other humanities activities. Challenge grants are capacity-building grants, intended to support significant humanities activities of high intellectual quality and to help institutions secure long-term support for their humanities programs. Through these grants many organizations and institutions have been able to increase their humanities capacity and secure the permanent support of an endowment. Grants may be used to establish or enhance endowments or spend-down funds that generate expendable earnings to support and enhance ongoing program activities. Challenge grants may also provide capital directly supporting the procurement of long-lasting objects, such as acquisitions for archives and collections, the purchase of equipment, and the construction or renovation of facilities needed for humanities activities. Funds spent directly must be shown to bring long-term benefits to the institution and to the humanities more broadly. Grantee institutions may also expend up to 10 percent of total grant funds (federal funds plus matching funds) to defray costs of fundraising to meet the NEH challenge. Because of the matching requirement, these NEH grants also strengthen the humanities by encouraging nonfederal sources of support. Applications are welcome from colleges and universities, museums, public libraries, research institutions, historical societies and historic sites, scholarly associations, state humanities councils, and other nonprofit humanities entities.

Link to Additional Information:

<http://www.neh.gov/grants/challenge/challenge-grants>

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Fellowships for Advanced Social Science Research on Japan Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:	20150430-FO
Funding Opportunity Title:	Fellowships for Advanced Social Science Research on Japan
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	45.160 -- Promotion of the Humanities Fellowships and Stipends
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2015
Archive Date:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$50,400
Award Floor:	\$25,200
Eligible Applicants:	Individuals
Agency Name:	National Endowment for the Humanities
Description:	<p>The Fellowship Program for Advanced Social Science Research on Japan is a joint activity of the Japan-U.S. Friendship Commission (JUSFC) and the National Endowment for the Humanities. Awards support research on modern Japanese society and political economy, Japan's international relations, and U.S.-Japan relations. The program encourages innovative research that puts these subjects in wider regional and global contexts and is comparative and contemporary in nature. Research should contribute to scholarly knowledge or to the general public's understanding of issues of concern to Japan and the United States. Appropriate disciplines for the research include anthropology, economics, geography, history, international relations, linguistics, political science, psychology, public administration, and sociology. Awards usually result in articles, monographs, books, digital materials, archaeological site reports, translations, editions, or other scholarly resources. The fellowships are designed for researchers with advanced language skills whose research will require use of data, sources, and documents in their original languages or whose research requires interviews onsite in direct one-on-one contact. Fellows may undertake their projects in Japan, the United States, or both, and may include work in other countries for comparative purposes. Projects may be at any stage of development.</p>
Link to Additional Information:	http://www.neh.gov/grants/research/fellowships-

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Fellowships Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	20150430-FA
Funding Opportunity Title:	Fellowships
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	45.160 -- Promotion of the Humanities Fellowships and Stipends
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 18, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2015
Archive Date:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$50,400
Award Floor:	\$25,200
Eligible Applicants:	Individuals
Agency Name:	National Endowment for the Humanities
Description:	Fellowships support individuals pursuing advanced research that is of value to humanities scholars, general audiences, or both. Recipients usually produce articles, monographs, books, digital materials, archaeological site reports, translations, editions, or other scholarly resources in the humanities. Projects may be at any stage of development.
Link to Additional Information:	http://www.neh.gov/grants/research/fellowships
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Preservation Assistance Grants for Smaller Institutions Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	20150505-PG
Funding Opportunity Title:	Preservation Assistance Grants for Smaller Institutions
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	45.149 -- Promotion of the Humanities Division of Preservation and Access
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 25, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 25, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2015
Archive Date:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$6,000
Award Floor:	\$1
Eligible Applicants:	Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Special district governments City or township governments Private institutions of higher education County governments Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education State governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Agency Name:	National Endowment for the Humanities
Description:	Preservation Assistance Grants help small and mid-sized institutions—such as libraries, museums, historical societies, archival repositories, cultural organizations, town and county records offices, and colleges and universities—improve their ability to preserve and care

for their significant humanities collections. These may include special collections of books and journals, archives and manuscripts, prints and photographs, moving images, sound recordings, architectural and cartographic records, decorative and fine art objects, textiles, archaeological and ethnographic artifacts, furniture, historical objects, and digital materials. Applicants must draw on the knowledge of consultants whose preservation skills and experience are related to the types of collections and the nature of the activities on which their projects focus. Within the conservation field, for example, conservators usually specialize in the care of specific types of collections, such as objects, paper, or paintings. Applicants should therefore choose a conservator whose specialty is appropriate for the nature of their collections. Similarly, when assessing the preservation needs of library, museum, or archival holdings, applicants must seek a consultant specifically knowledgeable about the preservation of these types of collections. The program encourages applications from small and mid-sized institutions that have never received an NEH grant.

Link to Additional Information:

<http://www.neh.gov/grants/preservation/preservation-assistance-grants-smaller-institutions>

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274794>

Preservation and Access Education and Training Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	20150505-PE
Funding Opportunity Title:	Preservation and Access Education and Training
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	45.149 -- Promotion of the Humanities Division of Preservation and Access

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 25, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 25, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2015
Archive Date:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$350,000
Award Floor:	\$1
Eligible Applicants:	Private institutions of higher education City or township governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Special district governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education County governments State governments
Agency Name:	National Endowment for the Humanities
Description:	<p>The Preservation and Access Education and Training program is central to NEH's efforts to preserve and establish access to cultural heritage collections. 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 collections, electronic records, and digital objects. The challenge of preserving and making accessible such large and diverse holdings is enormous, and the need for knowledgeable staff is significant and ongoing. Preservation and Access Education and Training grants are awarded to organizations that offer national or regional (multistate) education and training programs. Grants aim to help the staff of cultural institutions, large and small, obtain the knowledge and skills needed to serve as effective stewards of humanities collections. Grants also support educational programs that prepare the next generation of conservators and preservation professionals, as well as projects that introduce the staff of cultural institutions to new information and advances in preservation and access practices.</p>
Link to Additional Information:	http://www.neh.gov/grants/preservation/preservation-and-access-education-and-training

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Humanities Open Book Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	20150610-HZ
Funding Opportunity Title:	Humanities Open Book Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	45.169 -- Promotion of the Humanities Office of Digital Humanities
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 15, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 15, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 10, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 10, 2015
Archive Date:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$100,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education State governments Private institutions of higher education Special district governments Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than

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General Funding Overview

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NSF receives approximately 40,000 proposals each year for research, education and training projects, of which approximately 11,000 are funded. In addition, the Foundation receives several thousand applications for graduate and postdoctoral fellowships.

The agency operates no laboratories itself but does support National Research Centers, user facilities, certain oceanographic vessels and Antarctic research stations. The Foundation also supports cooperative research between universities and industry, US participation in international scientific and engineering efforts, and educational activities at every academic level.

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Modifications:

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Facilitating Research at Primarily Undergraduate Institutions: Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	14-579
Funding Opportunity Title:	Facilitating Research at Primarily Undergraduate Institutions:
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	245
CFDA Number(s):	47.041 -- Engineering Grants 47.049 -- Mathematical and Physical Sciences 47.050 -- Geosciences 47.070 -- Computer and Information Science and Engineering 47.074 -- Biological Sciences 47.075 -- Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences 47.076 -- Education and Human Resources 47.079 -- Office of International and Integrative Activities 47.081 -- Office of Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jul 2, 2014
Creation Date:	Jul 2, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Proposals Accepted Anytime.

	Submission deadlines vary by program and proposals must meet program-specific requirements to be considered for review. PIs should contact cognizant program officers for guidance.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Proposals Accepted Anytime. Submission deadlines vary by program and proposals must meet program-specific requirements to be considered for review. PIs should contact cognizant program officers for guidance.
Archive Date:	Sep 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$56,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Who May Submit Proposals: Proposals may only be submitted by the following: Eligible predominantly undergraduate institutions (PUIs) are accredited colleges and universities (including two-year community colleges) that award Associate's degrees, Bachelor's degrees, and/or Master's degrees in NSF-supported fields, but have awarded 20 or fewer Ph.D./D.Sci. degrees in all NSF-supported fields during the combined previous two academic years. Who May Serve as PI: See Additional Eligibility Information in Section IV.B of this solicitation.
Agency Name:	National Science Foundation
Description:	The Research in Undergraduate Institutions (RUI) and Research Opportunity Awards (ROA) funding opportunities support research by faculty members at predominantly undergraduate institutions (PUIs). RUI proposals support PUI faculty in research that engages them in their professional field(s), builds capacity for research at their home institution, and supports the integration of research and

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http://www.nsf.gov/crssprgm/rui_roa/contacts.jsp.

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Undergraduate Institutions (RUI).

An RUI proposal may be: A request to support an individual research project or a collaborative research project involving PUI faculty and students at their own or other institutions. A request involving shared research instrumentation.

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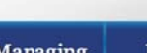
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Join the Community!

Starting or growing a business? Owning a small business can be a fulfilling endeavor, but as you probably already know or are just finding out – it requires that you wear many hats. This of course leaves you with little time to take a deep dive into the many aspects of starting and growing a business. Instead, many business owners turn to search engines for answers when questions come up.

But what if you had access to a small business classroom that provided informed, accurate and always-available access to the advice and guidance you need?

Welcome to the **SBA Small Business Learning Center**.

Online Training and Tools for Small Business Owners

Launched in late 2012, the SBA Small Business Learning Center is an online portal that hosts a variety of self-paced online training courses, quick videos, web chats and more to help small business owners explore and learn about the many aspects of business ownership.



Content is filtered by topic, so no matter the stage of your business, or the kind of insight you need, you can quickly get answers.

For example, if you're wondering how SBA loan programs work or just need a primer in accounting or small business taxes, check out these self-paced [online financing courses](#) and [short videos](#). Or explore tips from the pros in these archived [SBA Web Chats](#).

Other topics covered include [starting a business as a young entrepreneur](#), [an introduction to franchising](#), [taking your business global with exporting](#), [marketing 101](#), [selling to the U.S. government](#), and much more.

Get More Help Offline

And if you can't find the training or advice that you need, use the "Get Local Assistance" interactive map to find one of many small business counseling, assistance and mentoring organizations in your community.

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SBA Trainings

Small Business Resources at your Fingertips

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Contracting Opportunities for Veteran Entrepreneurs

This self-paced training exercise is an introduction to Federal contracting opportunities for Veterans.

Topics include basic information about Veteran-owned businesses and opportunities, services available to small Veteran-owned businesses, small business incentives, and government procurement methods.

Duration: 00:30:00

<http://www.sba.gov/tools/sba-learning-center/training/contracting-opportunities-veteran-entrepreneurs>

Interested in Exporting? These Four Resources Can Help

Did you know that two-thirds of the world's purchasing power is in foreign countries? As the numbers show, the international marketplace is a big one. So if you're interested in exploring the world of exporting – or have gotten started but could use some guidance – check out these resources to help.

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Bureau Of Educational and Cultural Affairs

FY 2015 Future Leaders Exchange (FLEX) Program Organizational Components Grant

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Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights and Labor
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International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affair
Annual Program Statement - Enhance Culture of Lawfulness (CoL) in Mexico
Modification 2

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International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affair
Alternatives to Drugs and Violence Annual Program Statement (ADVAPS)
Modification 2

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Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration
FY 2015 Funding Opportunity Announcement for NGO programs benefiting Afghan Returnees and IDPs
in Afghanistan and Afghan Refugees in Pakistan
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Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration
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Modifications:

DOT Federal Highway Administration
SHRP2 Education Connection
Modification 4

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DTFH6115RA00004
Funding Opportunity Title:	SHRP2 Education Connection
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Transportation
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	10
CFDA Number(s):	20.215 -- Highway Training and Education
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Jan 9, 2015
Creation Date:	Feb 26, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 1, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 9, 2015
Archive Date:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$100,000

Award Ceiling:	\$10,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	<p>In accordance with 23 U.S.C. 502(b)(3), the request for application will be open to the following entities: the National Academy of Sciences, the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials, any Federal laboratory, Federal agency, State agency, authority, association, institution, for-profit, or non-profit corporation, organization, foreign country, or any other person. NOTE: Applicants must demonstrate how to deliver lesson plans and curriculum on SHRP2 product to students attending institutions of higher education as defined in §101 of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1001).</p>
Agency Name:	DOT Federal Highway Administration
Description:	<p>The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) announces a Notice of Funding Opportunity for "SHRP2 Education Connection." The FHWA hereby requests applications to result in the award of up to 10 cooperative agreements for the second Strategic Highway Research Program (SHRP2) Education Connection. The purpose of the SHRP2 Education Connection is to increase awareness and understanding of SHRP2 products in the academic arena by incorporating SHRP2 products into collegiate level lesson plans and curricula. The SHRP2 products were developed to solve transportation problems and, therefore, lend themselves to transportation curricula such as civil and environmental engineering, and transportation planning. However, the SHRP2 products are applicable to other departments such as urban planning, economics, government, and human resources. This effort will allow the value and benefits of the SHRP2 national investment to extend through the next generation of transportation professionals. Incorporating SHRP2 products into university and college courses will expose future engineers and other transportation</p>

professionals to new tools, processes, and innovations that address emerging transportation issues and challenges. For the purpose of the planned award, FHWA will focus on three of the four SHRP2 focus area: Reliability, Renewal, and Capacity. SHRP2 is a national partnership of three key transportation organizations: FHWA) the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO), and the Transportation Research Board (TRB). The planned award has a 20% cost sharing requirement. Any updates will be made available through Grants.gov.

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Reminders:

Pipeline & Hazardous Material Safety Administration
Technical Assistance Grants (TAG)

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DTPH5615SN0002
Funding Opportunity Title:	Technical Assistance Grants (TAG)
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

20.710 -- Technical Assistance Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Feb 2, 2015

Creation Date:

Feb 2, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 22, 2015 **Closing Date: April 22, 2015 **Closing Time: 2:00 PM Eastern Time

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 22, 2015 **Closing Date: April 22, 2015 **Closing Time: 2:00 PM Eastern Time

Archive Date:

May 31, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,500,000
Award Ceiling:	\$100,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Applicants for Technical Assistance Grants must be local communities or groups of individuals (not including for-profit entities) relating to the safety of pipeline facilities in local communities, other than facilities regulated under Public Law 93-153 (43 U.S.C. 1651 et seq.). Eligible applicants include cities, towns, villages, counties, parishes, townships, and similar governmental subdivisions, or consortiums of such subdivisions.
Agency Name:	Pipeline & Hazardous Material Safety Administration
Description:	The Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), through the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), hereby requests applications from local communities and groups of individuals (not including for-profit entities) to obtain funding for technical assistance in the form of engineering or other scientific analysis of pipeline safety issues affecting the local community or to help promote public participation in official proceedings (excluding non-official proceedings) pertaining to pipeline safety issues. The Technical Assistance Grants (TAG) program, first authorized in the Pipeline Safety Improvement Act of 2002 (Act) (P. L. 107-355, codified at 49 U.S.C. 60130), offers new opportunities to strengthen the depth and quality of public participation in pipeline safety matters. Section 9 of the Act, titled: "Pipeline Safety Information Grants to Communities" authorized the Secretary of Transportation to make grants to local communities and organizations for technical assistance relating to pipeline safety issues. The TAG program has been amended by Section 5 of the Pipeline Inspection, Protection, Enforcement and Safety Act of 2006 (PIPES Act of 2006) (P.L. 109-468) and the Pipeline Safety, Regulatory Certainty, and Job Creation Act of 2011 (P.L. 112-90). *** Refer to the attachment titled "DTPH5615SN0002 TAG Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA)" under the full announcement tab for complete details.***
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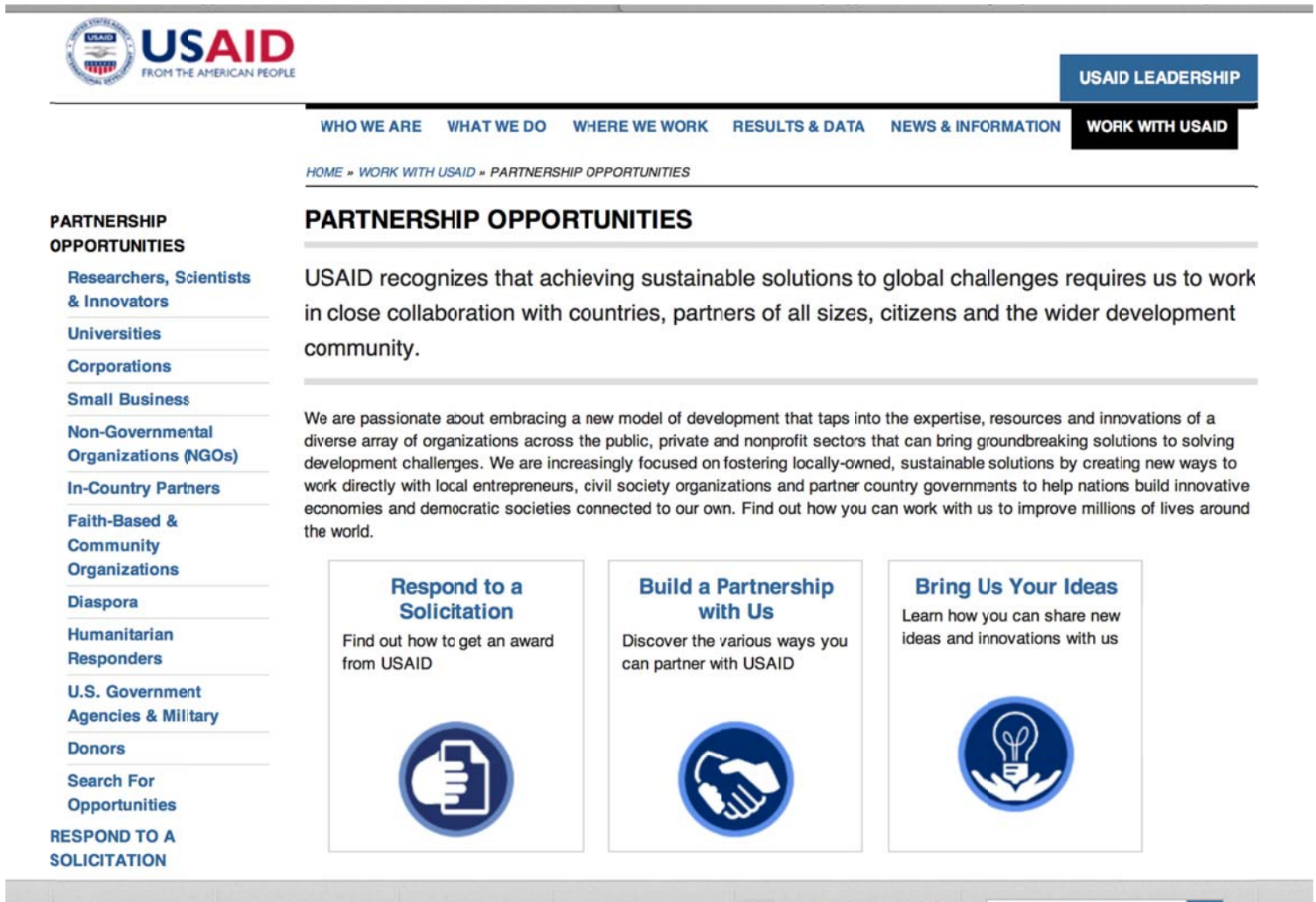
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General Overview Funding Opportunities

USAID has working relationships with thousands of American companies and hundreds of U.S.-based private voluntary organizations. For more information on our business and procurement opportunities, please visit our [Business](#) section.



The screenshot shows the USAID website's 'Partnership Opportunities' page. At the top is the USAID logo with the tagline 'FROM THE AMERICAN PEOPLE'. A navigation bar includes links for 'WHO WE ARE', 'WHAT WE DO', 'WHERE WE WORK', 'RESULTS & DATA', 'NEWS & INFORMATION', and 'WORK WITH USAID'. The 'WORK WITH USAID' link is highlighted. Below the navigation bar, a breadcrumb trail reads 'HOME » WORK WITH USAID » PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES'. The main heading is 'PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES'. A sidebar on the left lists various partner categories: Researchers, Scientists & Innovators; Universities; Corporations; Small Business; Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs); In-Country Partners; Faith-Based & Community Organizations; Diaspora; Humanitarian Responders; U.S. Government Agencies & Military; Donors; and Search For Opportunities. The main content area features a paragraph stating that USAID recognizes the need for sustainable solutions through collaboration. Below this, three boxes offer ways to engage: 'Respond to a Solicitation' (with a document icon), 'Build a Partnership with Us' (with a handshake icon), and 'Bring Us Your Ideas' (with a lightbulb icon). Each box includes a brief description of the opportunity.

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PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

USAID recognizes that achieving sustainable solutions to global challenges requires us to work in close collaboration with countries, partners of all sizes, citizens and the wider development community.

We are passionate about embracing a new model of development that taps into the expertise, resources and innovations of a diverse array of organizations across the public, private and nonprofit sectors that can bring groundbreaking solutions to solving development challenges. We are increasingly focused on fostering locally-owned, sustainable solutions by creating new ways to work directly with local entrepreneurs, civil society organizations and partner country governments to help nations build innovative economies and democratic societies connected to our own. Find out how you can work with us to improve millions of lives around the world.


Respond to a Solicitation

Find out how to get an award from USAID




Build a Partnership with Us

Discover the various ways you can partner with USAID



Bring Us Your Ideas

Learn how you can share new ideas and innovations with us



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RESPOND TO A SOLICITATION

<http://www.usaid.gov/partnerships>

Programs:

Peru USAID-Lima

Brazil Partnership Development Program Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274694>

The USAID Global Health Development Innovation Accelerator Broad Agency Announcement Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273354>

Modifications

Thailand USAID-Bangkok

Vietnam Disabilities Annual Program Statement (APS)

Modifications 4 & 5

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=256530>

Thailand USAID-Bangkok

USAID/Vietnam Innovation in Higher Education Addendum to GDA APS-OAA-14-000001

Modification 5

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271168>

Reminders



Department of Veterans Affairs

Homeless Providers Grant and Per Diem Program

VA GPD TIP Renewal NOFA Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	VA-GPD-FY15-TIP-NOFA
Funding Opportunity Title:	VA GPD TIP Renewal NOFA
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Housing
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	25
CFDA Number(s):	64.024 -- VA Homeless Providers Grant and Per Diem Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Jan 16, 2015
Creation Date:	Jan 16, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 20, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 20, 2015
Archive Date:	Apr 21, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$25,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$1,200,000

Eligible Applicants:

City or township governments
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Special district governments
County governments
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
State governments

Agency Name:**Description:**

Homeless Providers Grant and Per Diem Program
The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) is announcing the availability of funds for assistance under the Per Diem Only (PDO) component of VA's Homeless Providers Grant and Per Diem (GPD) Program. This Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) is for those current "Transition in Place" (TIP) grantees who seek to renew their 2012 TIP PDO grants. Award Information: VA is pleased to issue this NOFA under VA's Homeless Providers GPD Program as a part of the effort to end homelessness among our Nation's Veterans. VA expects to fund approximately 500 beds over a 3-year period under this NOFA. The maximum award of \$1.2 million will support an average of 25 beds per night, per project, at the current maximum per diem rate of \$43.32; taking into consideration that the maximum per diem rate may increase in future years. Note: The final amount awarded may be adjusted based on any remaining funding from the previous award.

Link to Additional Information:

[VA's Grant and Per Diem Program](#)

Contact Information:

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Chelsea Watson Deputy Director Phone 813-979-3570
[Chelsea Watson](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271590>

VA Office of Mental Health

VA Supportive Services for Veteran Families Program Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

VA-SSVF-2015R

Funding Opportunity Title:

VA Supportive Services for Veteran Families Program

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Housing

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:**

320

CFDA Number(s): 64.033 -- VA Supportive Services for Veteran Families Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Feb 9, 2015

Creation Date: Feb 9, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications: Mar 17, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications: Mar 17, 2015

Archive Date: Mar 18, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$300,000,000

Award Ceiling: \$2,000,000

Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Agency Name: VA Office of Mental Health

Description: The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) is announcing the availability of funds for supportive services grants under the Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF) Program. This NOFA contains information concerning the SSVF Program, initial supportive services grant application processes, and the amount of funding available. Awards made for supportive services grants will fund operations beginning October 1, 2015. This NOFA announces the availability of funds for supportive services grants under the SSVF Program and pertains to proposals for renewal of existing supportive services grant programs. New applications for SSVF grant awards will not be funded through this NOFA. Up to \$300 million will be available through this NOFA.

Link to Additional Information: [SSVF Program Office webpage](http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273449)

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

SSVF Program Office 877-767-0111

[SSVF Program Office](http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=273449)

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The Small Business Innovative Research Program - SBIR Program

The Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) program is a highly competitive program that encourages domestic small businesses to engage in Federal Research/Research and Development (R/R&D) that has the potential for commercialization. Through a competitive awards-based program, SBIR enables small businesses to explore their technological potential and provides the incentive to profit from its commercialization. By including qualified small businesses in the nation's R&D arena, high-tech innovation is stimulated and the United States gains entrepreneurial spirit as it meets its specific research and development needs.

SBIR Mission and Program Goals

The mission of the SBIR program is to support scientific excellence and technological innovation through the investment of Federal research funds in critical American priorities to build a strong national economy.

The program's goals are four-fold:

- Stimulate technological innovation
- Meet Federal research and development needs.
- Foster and encourage participation in innovation and entrepreneurship by socially and economically disadvantaged persons.
- Increase private-sector commercialization of innovations derived from Federal research and development funding.

SBIR-Participating Agencies

Each year, Federal agencies with extramural research and development (R&D) budgets that exceed \$100 million are required to allocate 2.5 percent of their R&D budget to these programs. Currently, eleven Federal agencies participate in the program:

- [Department of Agriculture](#)
- Department of Commerce - [National Institute of Standards and Technology](#)
- Department of Commerce - [National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration](#)
- [Department of Defense](#)
- [Department of Education](#)
- [Department of Energy](#)
- [Department of Health and Human Services](#)
- [Department of Homeland Security](#)
- [Department of Transportation](#)
- [Environmental Protection Agency](#)
- [National Aeronautics and Space Administration](#)
- [National Science Foundation](#)

Each agency administers its own individual program within guidelines established by Congress. These agencies designate R&D topics in their solicitations and accept proposals from small businesses. Awards are made on a competitive basis after proposal evaluation.

Three-Phase Program

The SBIR Program is structured in three phases:

Phase I. The objective of Phase I is to establish the technical merit, feasibility, and commercial potential of the proposed R/R&D efforts and to determine the quality of performance of the small business awardee organization prior to providing further Federal support in Phase II. SBIR Phase I awards normally do not exceed \$150,000 total costs for 6 months.

Phase II. The objective of Phase II is to continue the R/R&D efforts initiated in Phase I. Funding is based on the results achieved in Phase I and the scientific and technical merit and commercial potential of the project proposed in Phase II. Only Phase I awardees are eligible for a Phase II award. SBIR Phase II awards normally do not exceed \$1,000,000 total costs for 2 years.

Phase III. The objective of Phase III, where appropriate, is for the small business to pursue commercialization objectives resulting from the Phase I/II R/R&D activities. The SBIR program does not fund Phase III. Some Federal agencies, Phase III may involve follow-on non-SBIR funded R&D or production contracts for products, processes or services intended for use by the U.S. Government
