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**Special Federal Program Notices**

Department of Homeland Security - FEMA

Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 Assistance to Firefighters Grants (AFG) Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** DHS-13-GPD-044-000-99  
**Funding Opportunity Title:** Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 Assistance to Firefighters Grants (AFG)  
**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:** Firefighting related equipment, training  
**Expected Number of Awards:** 2500  
**CFDA Number(s):** 97.044 -- Assistance to Firefighters Grant  
**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes  
**Posted Date:** Nov 4, 2013  
**Creation Date:** Oct 30, 2013  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Dec 6, 2013  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Dec 6, 2013  
**Archive Date:** Jan 5, 2014  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$288,828,075  
**Award Ceiling:** \$2,888,281  
**Award Floor:** \$0

### **Eligibility**

#### **Eligible Applicants:**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)  
City or township governments  
County governments

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** Fire Departments, nonaffiliated Emergency Medical Service (EMS) organizations, State Fire Training Academies

### **Additional Information**

**Agency Name:** Department of Homeland Security - FEMA

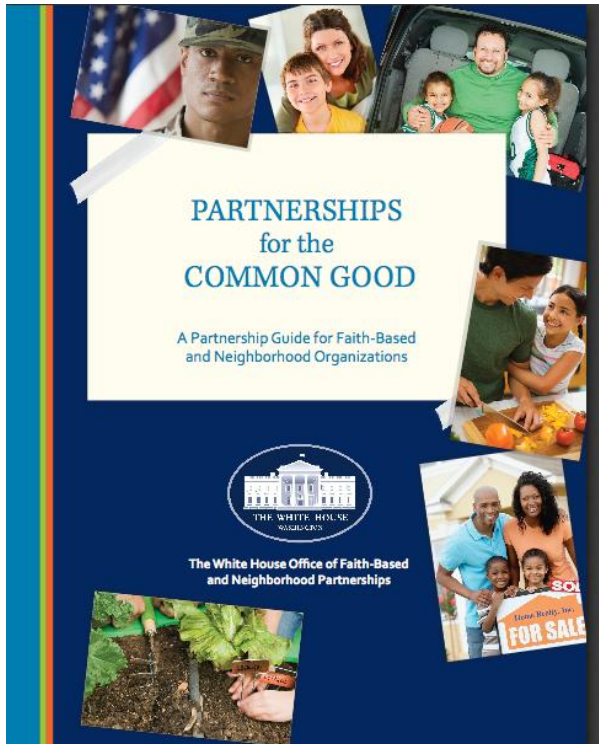
**Description:** The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA) Grant Programs Directorate implements and administers the Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) program. The AFG program provides financial assistance to help fire departments, nonaffiliated Emergency Medical Service (EMS) organizations and State Fire Training Academies (SFTA): for critically needed resources to protect the public, to train emergency personnel, and to foster interoperability and support community resilience, as well as enhance through direct financial assistance, the safety of the public and to provide a continuum of support for emergency responders regarding fire, medical, and all hazard events. The authority for AFG is derived from the Federal Fire Prevention and Control Act of 1974, as amended (15 U.S.C. §2229a et seq.). The Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) provides potential applicants with the details of the requirements, processing, and evaluation of an application for financial assistance.

**Link to Additional Information:** <http://www.fema.gov/firegrants>

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

Fire Grants Help Desk 1-866-274-0960  
[firegrants@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:firegrants@fema.dhs.gov)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245953>



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

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

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### ***What is Sequestration?***

Sequestration, sometimes called the sequester, is a process that automatically cuts the federal budget across most departments and agencies.

Congress included the threat of sequestration in the [Budget Control Act of 2011](#) as a way to encourage compromise on deficit reduction efforts.

Congress couldn't agree on a budget by the deadline set in the Budget Control Act, so mandatory budget cuts were scheduled to go into effect on January 2, 2013.

Congress stopped the cuts from happening by passing the [American Taxpayer Relief Act](#) on January 2. This law pushed the budget cuts back until March 1, 2013.

Since Congress did not agree on a budget to reduce the deficit by March 1, sequestration has begun and \$85 billion in spending cuts are currently going into effect.

These reports give detailed information about the amount that programs may be cut and which programs are exempt from sequestration:

- [White House Office of Management and Budget Sequestration Reports to the President and Congress](#)
  - [Congressional Budget Office Report on Estimated Impact of Automatic Budget Enforcement Procedures Specified in the Budget Control Act](#)
  - [Congressional Research Service Report on Budget “Sequestration” and Selected Program Exemptions and Special Rules”](#) (PDF)
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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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## **Notices Particular to Hawaii**

National Science Foundation  
Tribal Colleges and Universities Program  
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<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	13-572
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Tribal Colleges and Universities Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	21
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	47.076 -- Education and Human Resources
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jul 9, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 25, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Sep 27, 2013 Full Proposal Deadline(s): September 25, 2013 Proposals for Instructional Capacity



**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Excellence in TCUP Institutions September 27, 2013  
Proposals for Targeted STEM Infusion Projects  
December 09, 2013 Catalyzing Opportunities in  
Research and Education

Dec 9, 2013 Full Proposal Deadline(s): September  
25, 2013 Proposals for Instructional Capacity  
Excellence in TCUP Institutions September 27, 2013  
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Research and Education

**Archive Date:**

**Estimated Total Program Funding:**

\$6,000,000

**Award Ceiling:**

\$2,500,000

**Award Floor:**

\$200,000

**Eligible Applicants:**

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

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

\*Organization Limit: Proposals may only be  
submitted by the following: - <ul>TCUP Proposals:  
Tribal Colleges and Universities, Alaska Native-  
serving institutions and Native Hawaiian-serving  
institutions as defined in Section IV of this  
solicitation. Priority for TSIP awards will be given  
to TCUP-eligible institutions that have not  
previously received Implementation-level  
support.</ul> \*PI Limit: For the Instructional  
Capacity Excellence in TCUP Institutions award  
track, the Principal Investigator (PI) is expected to  
be the chief academic officer of the institution, or  
another senior academic officer responsible for  
oversight and management of curriculum and  
instructional policies for the institution. All full time  
faculty members or academic officers at TCUP-  
eligible institutions are eligible to serve as PI on  
Broadening Participation Research in STEM  
Education. Typically, the PI for Targeted STEM  
Infusion Projects and Catalyzing Opportunities for  
Research and Education proposals would be a  
member of the STEM faculty. Prospective PIs are  
encouraged to consult TCUP program staff.

**Agency Name:**

National Science Foundation

**Description:**

The Tribal Colleges and Universities Program  
(TCUP) provides awards to Tribal Colleges and  
Universities, Alaska Native-serving institutions, and  
Native Hawaiian-serving institutions to promote  
high quality science (including sociology,  
psychology, anthropology, economics, statistics, and

other social and behavioral science as well as natural science and education disciplines), technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) education, research, and outreach. TCUP-eligible institutions are predominantly two-year and community colleges. Support is available to TCUP-eligible institutions (see the Additional Eligibility subsection of Section IV of this solicitation) for Instructional Capacity Excellence in TCUP Institutions (ICE-TI), Broadening Participation Research in STEM Education (BPR) Projects, Targeted STEM Infusion Projects (TSIP), and Catalyzing Opportunities for Research and Education (CORE). Through these mechanisms, along with collaborations with other National Science Foundation (NSF) units and its work with other organizations, TCUP aims increase Native individuals' participation in STEM careers and the quality of STEM programs at TCUP-eligible institutions. TCUP strongly encourages the inclusion of activities that will benefit veterans. Instructional Capacity Excellence in TCUP Institutions (ICE-TI) Projects provide support to design, implement and assess comprehensive institutional efforts to increase the numbers of STEM students and the quality of their preparation by strengthening STEM education and research. ICE-TI Projects create and/or adapt and assess innovative models and materials for teaching and learning in STEM, embody knowledge about how students learn most effectively in STEM teaching and learning activities, and bring STEM disciplinary advances into the undergraduate experience. Broadening Participation Research in STEM Education (BPR) provides support for research projects that seek to create and study new models and innovations in STEM teaching and learning, enhance the understanding of the participation of diverse groups in STEM education and inform education practices and interventions. BPR projects add new research-based strategies and models to broadening participation in STEM and increase the capacity of scholars in TCUP-eligible institutions to conduct this type of research. Targeted STEM Infusion Projects (TSIP) provide support toward achieving a short-term, well-defined goal that promises to improve the quality of undergraduate STEM education at an eligible

institution. Targeted STEM Infusion Projects could, for example, enhance academic infrastructure by systematically adding traditional knowledge to the scope or content of a STEM course, updating curriculum, modernizing laboratory research equipment, or improving the computational network array for research and education. Catalyzing Opportunities for Research and Education (CORE) projects provide support for faculty members in STEM areas at TCUP-eligible institutions to pursue research locally or at an NSF-funded Center or other facility, a research-intensive institution, or a national laboratory. Awards are intended to help further the faculty member's research capability and effectiveness, to improve research and teaching at his or her home institution, and to involve undergraduate students in research experiences. These awards are particularly appropriate as a means of recruiting and retaining highly qualified scientists, engineers, and educators at TCUP-eligible institutions.

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

[NSF Publication 13-572](#)

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

NSF grants.gov support [grantsgovsupport@nsf.gov](mailto:grantsgovsupport@nsf.gov)  
[If you have any problems linking to this funding announcement, please contact](#)

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Department of Commerce  
FY14 Coral Reef Conservation Program Domestic Coral Reef Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	NOAA-NOS-OCRM-2014-2003817
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	FY14 Coral Reef Conservation Program Domestic Coral Reef
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Environment
	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	5
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	11.482 -- Coral Reef Conservation Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes

<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 17, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 17, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 8, 2014
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 8, 2014
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Feb 7, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$80,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$30,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Institutions of higher education, non-profit organizations, commercial organizations, and local and Indian tribal government agencies are eligible to apply for funding under this funding category. U.S. federal, state, territory, and commonwealth governments and Regional Fishery Management Councils are not eligible to apply under this funding category.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Department of Commerce
<b>Description:</b>	<p>The NOAA Coral Reef Conservation Grant Program, as authorized under the Coral Reef Conservation Act of 2000, provides matching grants of financial assistance through the Domestic Coral Reef Conservation Grant program to institutions of higher education, non-profit organizations, commercial organizations, and local and Indian tribal government agencies. These awards are intended to support coral reef conservation projects in shallow water coral reef ecosystems, including reefs at mesophotic depths, in American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Florida, Guam, <b>Hawaii</b>, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and coral-dominated banks in U.S. portions of the Gulf of Mexico. Projects may be proposed in the <b>Northwestern Hawaiian Islands</b> and the U.S. Pacific Remote Island Areas, but these locations are not considered geographic priorities under this announcement. Proposals submitted to this competition must address at least one of the following</p>

four categories: 1) Fishing Impacts; 2) Land-Based Sources of Pollution; 3) Climate Change; and 4) Local and Emerging Management Issues. Each category is described in more detail in the Federal Funding Opportunity announcement. All proposed work must be consistent with Coral Reef Conservation Program (CRCP) National Goals and Objectives 2010-2015 ([http://coralreef.noaa.gov/aboutcrp/strategy/currentgoals/resources/3threats\\_go.pdf](http://coralreef.noaa.gov/aboutcrp/strategy/currentgoals/resources/3threats_go.pdf)) and/or the relevant Jurisdictional Coral Reef Management Priorities (<http://coralreef.noaa.gov/aboutcrp/strategy/reprioritization/managementpriorities>) developed for each of the seven states and territories. Proposals selected for funding through this solicitation will be implemented through a grant and will require a 1:1 match of non-Federal funds. Funding for this program is subject to the availability of FY 2014 Congressional appropriations and is expected to range between approximately \$800,000 to approximately \$1,000,000. Funding will be divided among the U.S. Pacific and Atlantic regions to maintain the geographic balance of the CRCP Grant Program portfolio overall, as required by the Coral Reef Conservation Act of 2000. NOAA expects that each applicant will request Federal funding at a funding level between \$30,000 and \$80,000 under this solicitation and that the average award size will be approximately \$50,000.

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

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

Liz Faurey; NOAA Fisheries Office of Habitat Conservation, 1315 East West Highway, SSMC3, 14th floor, Silver Spring, MD, 20910; Telephone: 301-427-8632; fax: 301-713-1594

[Office Email](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244513>

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**U.S. Department of Agriculture**

**Grants and Loans Overview**

[http://usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=GRANTS\\_LOANS](http://usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=GRANTS_LOANS)

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## **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.](#)

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

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**Department of Agriculture**



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Utilities Programs

Solid Waste Management Grant Program

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	SWM-FY14
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Solid Waste Management Grant Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Community Development Environment
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	The Solid Waste Management (SWM) Grant Program has been established to assist communities through free technical assistance and/or training provided by the grant recipients. Qualified organizations will receive SWM grant funds to reduce or eliminate pollution of water resources in rural areas, and improve planning and management of solid waste sites in rural areas.
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	30
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	10.762 -- Solid Waste Management Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Nov 5, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Nov 5, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 31, 2014 The application period has been modified. The application period has been extended to January 31, 2014 for FY14 only. Any applications received after October 1, 2013 will be accepted. The purpose of the modification is to give SWM applicants additional time to compensate for the federal government shutdown.
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 31, 2014 The application period has been modified. The application period has been extended to January 31, 2014 for FY14 only. Any applications received after October 1, 2013 will be accepted. The purpose of the modification is to give SWM applicants additional time to compensate for the federal government shutdown.

**Archive Date:** Mar 2, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$3,400,000

**Award Ceiling:** \$0

**Award Floor:** \$0

**Eligible Applicants:**

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

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** An organization is eligible to receive a SWM grant if it: a. Is a private, non-profit organization that has tax-exempt status from the United States Internal Revenue Service (IRS); b. Is a Public body; c. Is a federally acknowledged or State-recognized Native American tribe or group; d. Is an Academic institution; e. Is legally established and located within one of the following: a state within the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, a United States territory f. Has the legal capacity and authority to carry out the grant purpose; g. Has a proven record of successfully providing technical assistance and/or training to rural areas; h. Has capitalization acceptable to the Agency, and is composed of at least 51 percent of the outstanding interest or membership being citizens of the United States or individuals who reside in the United States after being legally admitted for permanent residence; i. Has no delinquent debt to the Federal Government or no outstanding judgments to repay a Federal debt; j. Demonstrates that it possesses the financial, technical, and managerial capability to comply with Federal and State laws and requirements. k. Contracts with a nonaffiliated organization for not more than 49 percent of the grant to provide the proposed assistance.

**Agency Name:** Utilities Programs

**Description:** Funds may be used to: Evaluate current landfill conditions to determine threats to water resources in rural areas; provide technical assistance and/or training to enhance operator skills in the maintenance and operation of active landfills in rural areas; provide technical assistance and/or training to help associations reduce the solid waste stream; and provide technical assistance and/or training for operators of landfills in rural areas which are closed or will be closed in the near future with the development/implementation of closure plans, future land use plans, safety and maintenance planning, and closure scheduling within permit requirements. Grant funds may not be used to: Recruit preapplications/applications for any loan and/or grant program including RUS Water and Waste Disposal Loan and/or Grant Program; duplication of current services, replacement or substitution of support previously provided such as those performed by an association's consultant in developing a project; fund political activities; pay for capital assets, the purchase of real estate or vehicles, improve and renovate office space, or repair and maintain privately-owned property; pay for construction or operation and maintenance costs of water and waste facilities; and pay costs incurred prior to the effective date of grants made under this subpart.

**Link to Additional Information:** [Government Website Address for SWM Program](#)

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

LaVonda Pernell Community Program Specialist Phone 202-720-9635

[Government Email Address](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246613>

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Utilities Programs

Technical Assistance and Training Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

TAT-FY14

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Technical Assistance and Training Grant

**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:**

The Technical Assistance and Training (TAT) Grant Program has been established to assist communities with water or wastewater systems through free technical assistance and/or training provided by the grant recipients. Qualified private non-profit organizations will receive TAT grant funds to identify and evaluate solutions to water and waste disposal problems in rural areas, assist applicants in preparing applications for water and waste grants made at the State level offices, and improve operation and maintenance of existing water and waste disposal facilities in rural areas.

**Expected Number of Awards:**

17

**CFDA Number(s):**

10.761 -- Technical Assistance and Training Grants

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

No

**Posted Date:**

Nov 4, 2013

**Creation Date:**

Nov 4, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Jan 31, 2014 All applications may be filed on or after November 1, 2013 and must be received by close of business or postmarked by midnight January 31, 2014. Any applications received on or after October 1 will also be accepted. The modification is for Fiscal Year 2014 only. The extension in the application filing period will offset lost time to potential TAT applicants due to the Federal Government shutdown.

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Jan 31, 2014 All applications may be filed on or after November 1, 2013 and must be received by close of business or postmarked by midnight January 31, 2014. Any applications received on or after October 1 will also be accepted. The modification is for Fiscal Year 2014 only. The extension in the application filing period will offset lost time to potential TAT applicants due to the Federal

**Archive Date:**

**Estimated Total Program Funding:**

**Eligible Applicants:**

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Government shutdown.

Mar 2, 2014

\$17,000,000

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

Eligibility criteria for TAT grants is as follows: (a) Entities eligible for grants must be private nonprofit organizations with tax exempt status, designated by the Internal Revenue Service. A nonprofit organization is defined as any corporation, trust, association, cooperative, or other organization that: (1) Is operated primarily for scientific, education, service, charitable, or similar purposes in the public interest. (2) Is not organized primarily for profit. (3) Uses its net proceeds to maintain, improve, and/or expand its operations. (b) Entities must be legally established and located within a state as defined in § 1775.2. (c) Organizations must be incorporated by December 31 of the year the application period occurs to be eligible for funds. (d) Private businesses, Federal agencies, public bodies, and individuals are ineligible for these grants. (e) Applicants must also have the proven ability, background, experience (as evidenced by the organization's satisfactory completion of project(s) similar to those proposed), legal authority, and actual capacity to provide technical assistance and/or training on a regional basis to associations as provided in § 1775.33. To meet the requirement of actual capacity, an applicant must either: (1) Have the necessary resources to provide technical assistance and/or training to associations in rural areas through its staff, or (2) Be assisted by an affiliate or member organization which has such background and experience and which agrees, in writing, that it will provide the assistance, or (3) Contract with a nonaffiliated organization for not more than 49 percent of the grant to provide the proposed assistance.

**Agency Name:**

**Description:**

Utilities Programs

Funds may be used to pay expenses associated with providing technical assistance and/or training (TAT) to identify and evaluate solutions to water problems relating to source, storage, treatment, and distribution, and to waste disposal problems relating to collection, treatment, and disposal; assist

applicants that have filed a preapplication with RUS in the preparation of water and/or waste disposal loan and/or grant applications; and to provide training that will improve the management, operation and maintenance of water and waste disposal facilities. Grant funds may not be used to recruit applications, duplicate current services such as those performed by a consultant in developing a project, fund political activities, pay for capital assets, purchase real estate or vehicles, improve and renovate office space or repair and maintain privately owned property, pay construction or O&M costs, and pay costs incurred prior to the effective date of grants made.

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

[USDA Rural Development Website](http://www.usda.gov/ruraldevelopment)

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

Anita OBrien Loan Specialist Phone 202-690-3789  
[Government Address](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246494>

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture  
AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004368

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Agriculture

Education

Environment

Natural Resources

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

**CFDA Number(s):**

10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

No

**Posted Date:**

Oct 29, 2013

**Creation Date:**

Oct 29, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Feb 20, 2014 A Letter of Intent is required and is a prerequisite for submission of an application. The Letter of Intent must be submitted by December 12, 2013.

<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 20, 2014 A Letter of Intent is required and is a prerequisite for submission of an application. The Letter of Intent must be submitted by December 12, 2013.
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Mar 22, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$6,000,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Individuals Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education Small businesses For profit organizations other than small businesses 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 Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	It is highly encouraged that applications be submitted through the mentor's institution with the mentor institution listed as the applicant (see Part IV, B.1.). Eligible mentor institutions include: (1) State Agricultural Experiment Stations; (2) colleges and universities (including junior colleges offering associate degrees or higher); (3) university research foundations; (4) other research institutions and organizations; (5) Federal agencies, (6) national laboratories; (7) private organizations or corporations; (8) any group consisting of two or more entities identified in (1) through (7). Eligible institutions do not include foreign and international organizations.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
<b>Description:</b>	The FY 2014 AFRI NIFA Fellowship RFA focuses on developing the next generation of research, education, and extension professionals in the food and agricultural sciences who will lead agriculture into the future by solving current and future challenges facing our society. The AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program targets talented, highly-motivated doctoral candidates and post-doctoral trainees that demonstrate remarkable promise and the potential to become gifted education, extension, and research professionals in the United States. The

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

NIFA Fellows are individuals who have the potential for remarkable accomplishments in agricultural science. The Program seeks to develop the technical and academic competence of doctoral candidates and the research independence and teaching competencies of postdoctoral students in the food, forestry and agricultural sciences, which are within NIFA's AFRI Challenge Areas, through well-developed and highly interactive mentoring and training activities. Project types supported by AFRI within this RFA include single-function Research, Education, and Extension Projects and multi-function Integrated Research, Education, and/or Extension Projects.

[AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program](#)

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

NIFA Help Desk Phone: 202-401-5048 Business hours are M-F, 7:00 am -5:00 pm ET, excluding Federal holidays

[If you have any questions related to preparing application content](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245873>

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**Department of Commerce**

**Grants, Contracting, and Trade Opportunities at Commerce**

Learn more information about grants, contracting and trade opportunities at the Department of Commerce using the information below.

[Grants at Commerce](#)

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<http://www.commerce.gov/about-commerce/grants-contracting-trade-opportunities>

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### **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>

For access to further funding information: [click here](#)

<http://www.nationalservice.gov/build-your-capacity/grants/funding-opportunities>

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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 Funds Availability / Notice of Funding Opportunities archive page](#).

**Current Funding Opportunities**

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### Getting Started

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](#)
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- [Tips for contractors filing subcontracting reports](#) [PDF]
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- [OSBP Guidebook to Facilitating Teaming Arrangements](#) [PDF]

### Resources

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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.

[http://www.acq.osd.mil/osbp/doing\\_business/index.htm](http://www.acq.osd.mil/osbp/doing_business/index.htm)



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  - If you are a business interested in doing business with the U.S. Federal Government, you must be registered in CCR. To view details on who must register in CCR, click [here](#)
  - DOD Office of Small Business Programs
  - Small Business Innovation Research Programs and Other Helpful Links
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  - Procedures, Guidance, and Information
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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 affecting the FAR and DFARS.
- Navy Contract Opportunities**
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Air Force Office of Scientific Research  
Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 Department of Defense Multidisciplinary Research Program of the  
University Research Initiative (MURI) - Air Force Submissions Grant  
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Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA  
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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245773>

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency  
DARPA - Defense Sciences Office  
Systems-Based Neurotechnology for Emerging Therapies (SUBNETS) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245414>

**Modifications:**

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA  
Clinical and Rehabilitative Medicine Research Program Regenerative Medicine Clinical  
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Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command  
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Defense Threat Reduction Agency  
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**Department of Education**

**Grant Programs Overview at the Department of Education**

**FORECAST OF FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF  
EDUCATION DISCRETIONARY GRANT PROGRAMS FOR FISCAL YEAR  
(FY) 2013**

**(As of June 28, 2013)**

The Department of Education lists virtually all programs and competitions under which the Department 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 the Department has previously announced, as well as those it plans to announce at a later date.

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

To see the complete document click here:

<http://www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html>

The general information page for Education Grant funding is an excellent resource describing the three types of grants awarded by the Department of Education. See the screen shot of the Department of Education web page below:

## Apply for a Grant

ED offers three kinds of grants:

- **Discretionary grants:** awarded using a competitive process.
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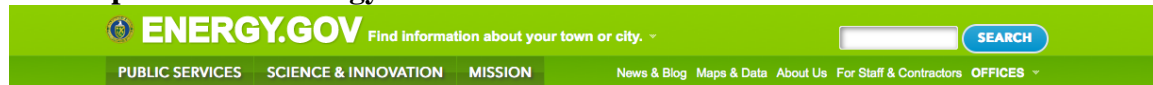
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Much of the work of the Department of Energy's [Office of Science](#) (SC) is supported through grants and contractual vehicles. This work is processed through the Office of Science [Grants and Contracts Division](#) (GCD) which serves as the principal acquisition, financial assistance (grants and cooperative agreements) and contract/grant management advisor to the Director of Science. The GCD provides independent analyses, advice and recommendations on procurement and assistance actions initiated by SC; identifies problem areas, opportunities and management issues and makes recommendations; serves as SC focal point in developing positions and responses to proposed Federal and DOE procurement and assistance regulations and business management policies and procedures; provides advice and guidance and serves as the SC focal point with DOE field offices, laboratories, universities, contractors, grantees and other Government agencies on SC policies and strategies with respect to acquisition, financial assistance and contract/grant management issues.

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 undergraduate scholarships 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.

<http://www.doe.gov/grants-contracts>

#### Golden Field Office

#### U.S. Department of Energy Solar Decathlon 2015 Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	DE-FOA-0000959
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	U.S. Department of Energy Solar Decathlon 2015
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Energy
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	20
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Nov 1, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Nov 1, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 20, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 20, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Mar 20, 2014

<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$0
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Golden Field Office
<b>Description:</b>	Through The U.S. Department of Energy Solar Decathlon 2015 Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), the Department of Energy challenges 20 domestic and international affiliated collegiate teams to design, build, and operate solar-powered houses that are cost effective, energy-efficient, and attractive. The winner of the competition is the team that best blends affordability, consumer appeal, and design excellence with optimal energy production and maximum efficiency. The purposes of the Solar Decathlon are to: Educate students and the public about the money-saving opportunities and environmental benefits presented by clean-energy products and design solutions. ? Demonstrate to the public the comfort and affordability of homes that combine energy-efficient construction and appliances with renewable-energy systems available today. Provide participating students with unique training that prepares them to enter our nation's clean-energy workforce. The challenge to the teams competing in Solar Decathlon 2015 is to safely and effectively design, build, and operate solar-powered houses that are cost-effective, energy-efficient, and attractive in less than 24 months. The Department of Energy Solar Decathlon is an educational workforce development program designed to educate university-level students. The Solar Decathlon is also a public outreach demonstration designed to foster greater adoption of clean energy technologies and energy efficiency. The full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at <a href="https://eere-exchange.energy.gov">https://eere-exchange.energy.gov</a> . Applications must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website to be considered for award. The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for the EERE eXCHANGE can be found on the EERE website <a href="https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx">https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx</a> after logging in to the system. Information on where to submit questions regarding the content of the announcement and where to submit questions regarding submission of applications is found in the full FOA posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website.
<b>Link to Additional Information:</b>	<a href="https://eere-exchange.gov">https://eere-exchange.gov</a>
<b>Contact Information:</b>	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:  Ryan N. McCleary <a href="mailto:solardecathlon2015@go.doe.gov">solardecathlon2015@go.doe.gov</a> <a href="mailto:solardecathlon2015@go.doe.gov">solardecathlon2015@go.doe.gov</a>

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Golden Field Office  
Research and Development for Hydrogen Storage Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice  
**Funding Opportunity Number:** DE-FOA-0000827  
**Funding Opportunity Title:** Research and Development for Hydrogen Storage  
**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary  
**Funding Instrument Type:** Cooperative Agreement  
**Category of Funding Activity:** Energy  
**Category Explanation:**  
**Expected Number of Awards:** 4  
**CFDA Number(s):** 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development  
**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes  
**Posted Date:** Oct 29, 2013  
**Creation Date:** Oct 29, 2013  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 17, 2014 A mandatory Concept Paper is due 11/18/2013.  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 17, 2014 A mandatory Concept Paper is due 11/18/2013.  
**Archive Date:** Sep 30, 2014  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$4,000,000  
**Award Ceiling:** \$2,000,000  
**Award Floor:** \$800,000

**Eligibility**

**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:**

**Additional Information**

**Agency Name:** Golden Field Office

**Description:** With this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), the Department of Energy (DOE) is accepting new applications aimed at research and development (R&D) for the continued development of advanced hydrogen storage systems and novel hydrogen storage materials supported through the Hydrogen Storage program. The goal is to enable the widespread commercialization of hydrogen and fuel cell technologies and specifically to provide adequate hydrogen storage for onboard vehicle applications that meet the DOE hydrogen storage targets, as well as enabling early market applications such as materials handling equipment and portable power applications. Full commercialization of fuel cell systems using hydrogen will require advances in hydrogen storage technologies. Developing systems to enable lightweight, compact, and inexpensive hydrogen storage will help make hydrogen fuel cell systems competitive in a wide range of portable and stationary applications, and enable longer driving ranges for a wider variety of transportation applications. The FOA includes the following topics: - Topic Area 1: Reducing the cost of compressed hydrogen storage systems - Topic Area 2: Improved

materials for fiber composites and balance of plant components - Topic Area 3: New hydrogen storage materials discovery The full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>. Applications must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website to be considered for award. The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for the EERE eXCHANGE can be found on the EERE website at <http://eere.energy.gov/financing/exchangeExchange/Manuals.aspx> after logging in to the system. Information on where to submit questions regarding the content of the announcement and where to submit questions regarding submission of applications is found in the full FOA posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website.

**Link to Additional Information:** <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/Default.aspx#FoaIda5f3f309-9655-4f86-a416-4a1affaea775>

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245853>

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Idaho Field Office

FY2014 Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	DE-FOA-0000998
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	FY2014 Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Energy
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	57
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	81.121 -- Nuclear Energy Research, Development and Demonstration
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 31, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 31, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 3, 2014
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 3, 2014
<b>Archive Date:</b>	May 3, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$60,400,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$5,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$1
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	This FOA is open to U.S. universities, national laboratories and U.S. industry. Please read PART III of the FOA document for all Eligibility Information.

**Agency Name:** Idaho Field Office



**Description:** DOE is seeking applications from U.S. universities, national laboratories and industry to conduct Program Supporting, Mission Supporting and Program Directed nuclear energy-related research in support of the major NE-funded research programs. Additionally, DOE has interest in leveraging multiple needs to the extent possible. Appendix D provides a description of key data needs for validating advanced modeling and simulation tools being developed by NE. Researchers should evaluate their applications in light of these data needs and highlight any potential for capturing key data. The definitions that apply to these different areas are as follows: 1. Program Supporting R&D – Program supporting (PS) R&D is focused more directly on programmatic needs and is defined by the statement of objectives developed by the responsible programs. This R&D is up to three years in duration and should be focused and responsive to the representative statement of objectives, which are not specific to a discipline but can be limiting as defined by the project objective. • U.S. University Principal Investigators (PIs) may apply in support of FC R&D, RC RD&D, NEAMS, and NEET CTD. • National Laboratory, U.S. University, and U.S. Industry PI's may apply in support of NEET CTD. 2. Mission Supporting (MS) R&D – Mission Supporting (MS) R&D is generally more creative, innovative, and transformative, but must also support the NE mission. Mission supporting activities up to three years in duration that could produce breakthroughs in nuclear technology are also invited in response to this FOA, including research in the fields or disciplines of nuclear science and engineering that are relevant to NE's mission but may not fully align with the specific initiatives and programs identified in this FOA. • U.S. University PI'S may apply in support of FC R&D, RC RD&D and Nuclear Energy. 3. Program Directed R&D: Integrated Research Projects (IRPs) – IRPs comprise a significant element of DOE's innovative nuclear research objectives and represent the Program Directed (PD) component of the NE strategy to provide R&D solutions that are most directly relevant to the near-term, significant needs of the NE R&D programs. IRPs are significant projects within specific research areas. IRPs are up to three years in duration and intended to develop a capability within each area to address specific needs, problems, or capability gaps identified and defined by NE. These projects are multidisciplinary and require multi-institutional partners. IRPs may include a combination of evaluation capability development, research program development, experimental work, and computer simulations. IRPs bring together the skills and talents of interdisciplinary investigators to enable fundamental research of a scope and complexity that would not be possible with the standard individual investigator or small group research project. As such, the IRPs will strengthen and complement the existing portfolio of the single PI and small group research projects currently supported within NE. The IRPs will foster unique scientific collaboration that will be critical to success and must be backed by a meaningful and sustained investment. The IRPs are intended to integrate several disciplinary skills in order to present solutions to complex systems design problems that cannot be addressed by a less comprehensive team. Although a proposing team must have a lead university and at least one other university, the proposed project team may include multiple universities and non-university partners (e.g., industry/utility, international, minority-serving institutions (MSI), national laboratory, and underrepresented groups). Key elements for successful IRP management include: 1) A clear lead university with strong scientific leadership and central location for the IRP; 2) To the extent that there is geographic distribution of the IRP participants, a clear



commitment to applying state-of-the-art technology and frequent virtual meetings to enable meaningful long distance collaboration; and most importantly 3) a clear organization and management plan for achieving the collaborative and synergistic goals of an IRP and “infusing” a culture of empowered central research management throughout the IRP. • U.S. University PI’S may apply in support of FC R&D, RC RD&D and Nuclear Energy. Workscopes for the respective areas may be found in the appendices to this FOA as follows: • Appendix A: Program Supporting and Mission Supporting workscopes for applications led by university PI’s • Appendix B: Program Supporting workscopes for applications led by national laboratory, industry, or university PI’s •

Appendix C: Program Directed workscopes led by university PI’s

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246213>

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Idaho Field Office

FY2014 Scientific Infrastructure Support for Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	DE-FOA-0000999
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	FY2014 Scientific Infrastructure Support for Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Energy
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	81.121 -- Nuclear Energy Research, Development and Demonstration
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 31, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 31, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 3, 2014
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Apr 3, 2014
<b>Archive Date:</b>	May 3, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$6,500,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$3,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$1

**Eligible Applicants:**

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

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** Restricted Eligibility 1) Universities and Colleges In accordance with 10 CFR 600.6(b), eligibility for award is restricted to

U.S. universities and colleges. Underrepresented Groups and Minority-Serving Institutions (e.g., Historically Black Colleges and Universities, Hispanic Serving Institutions, Tribal Serving Institutions) are encouraged to apply. The following link provides the list of minority serving institutions: <http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/edlite-minorityinst.html>. If the University has an award in progress from DOE under one of the FOA areas specified in the Infrastructure FOA from a previous year's FOA, the University may be ineligible to apply for a new award under this Infrastructure FOA opportunity. Existing projects must be completed and all associated funds in excess of \$250,000 must be costed prior to the application due date to be considered for an award. 2)

DOE/NNSA Federally Funded Research and Development Centers (FFRDCs) DOE/NNSA Federally Funded Research and Development Centers (FFRDCs) and DOE Government-Operated Government-Owned laboratories (GOGOs) are eligible to apply for funding under the General Scientific Infrastructure Support for Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research and for the NEET CTD as a prime recipient.

**Agency Name:** Idaho Field Office

**Description:** DOE is seeking applications under this Infrastructure FOA in the following areas: 1. University Reactor Upgrades Infrastructure Support 2. General Scientific Infrastructure Support for Universities and DOE National Laboratories. An application to either of these FOA areas is restricted to equipment or activities supporting research, teaching, and education, such as the purchase, set-up, and vendor installation costs for equipment and instrumentation, as well as building modifications that immediately support the installation and operation of the equipment.

**Link to Additional Information:**

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Aaron Gravelle Contract Specialist

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Headquarters

Reliable Electricity Based on Electrochemical Systems (REBELS) Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

DE-FOA-0001026

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Reliable Electricity Based on Electrochemical Systems (REBELS)

**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):**

81.135 -- Advanced Research Projects Agency -

	Energy
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 28, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 28, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 31, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 31, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 30, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$0
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Agency Name:** Headquarters

**Description:** U.S. Department of Energy Advanced Research Projects Agency – Energy Announcement of Teaming Partner List for Upcoming Funding Opportunity  
Announcement: Reliable Electricity Based on Electrochemical Systems (REBELS) The Advanced Research Projects Agency Energy (ARPA-E) intends to issue a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled Reliable Electricity Based on Electrochemical Systems (REBELS) to solicit applications for financial assistance to fund new intermediate temperature fuel cell (ITFC) technologies that efficiently generate stationary power from fossil fuels in the near-term, while simultaneously building a bridge to a zero carbon future. Currently, ARPA-E anticipates that there will be three specific areas of interest identified in the REBELS FOA as follows: (1) low-cost, efficient, reliable ITFCs for small distributed generation applications, (2) ITFCs that are capable of in-situ charge storage in an electrode to enable battery-like response to transients, and (3) electrochemical devices that produce liquid fuels from methane using excess renewable resources. Fuel cell systems based on existing Department of Energy R&D programs, such as low temperature polymer exchange membrane (LT-PEM) and high temperature solid oxide fuel cells (HT-SOFCs), will not be areas of interest for the anticipated REBELS FOA. Expertise in the following Technical Areas may be useful in responding to the FOA: intermediate temperature solid electrolytes; intermediate temperature electrocatalysts/electrodes with low or zero platinum group metal (PGM) loading; new approaches to activate carbon/hydrogen bonds for intermediate temperature fuel reforming; new approaches to direct reforming of fuels at a fuel cell electrode; novel fuel cell manufacturing processes without high temperature sintering; integration of fuel cell and battery functionality at the device level (rather than system level); and electrochemical production of liquid fuels. As a general matter, ARPA-E strongly encourages outstanding scientists and engineers from different organizations, scientific disciplines, and technology sectors to form new project teams. Interdisciplinary and cross-sector collaboration spanning organizational boundaries enables and accelerates the achievement of scientific and technological outcomes that were previously viewed as extremely difficult, if not impossible. The Teaming Partner List is being compiled to facilitate the formation of new project teams. The Teaming Partner List will be available on ARPA-E eXCHANGE (<http://arpa-e-foa.energy.gov>), ARPA-E's online application portal, starting in October 2013. The Teaming Partner List will be updated periodically, until the close of the Full

Application period, to reflect new Teaming Partners who have provided their information. Any organization that would like to be included on this list should complete all required fields in the following link: <https://arpa-e-foa.energy.gov/Applicantprofile.aspx>. Required information includes: Organization Name, Contact Name, Contact Address, Contact Email, Contact Phone, Organization Type, Area of Technical Expertise, and Brief Description of Capabilities. By submitting a response to this Notice, you consent to the publication of the above-referenced information. By facilitating this Teaming Partner List, ARPA-E does not endorse or otherwise evaluate the qualifications of the entities that self-identify themselves for placement on the Teaming Partner List. ARPA-E will not pay for the provision of any information, nor will it compensate any respondents for the development of such information. Responses submitted to other email addresses or by other means will not be considered. This Notice does not constitute a FOA. No FOA exists at this time. Applicants must refer to the final FOA, expected to be issued by the end of the 2013 calendar year, for instructions on submitting an application and for the terms and conditions of funding.

**Link to Additional Information:** <https://arpa-e-foa.energy.gov/Applicantprofile.aspx>

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

Kelly Lael Contract Specialist Phone 202.287.5522

**Business Point of Contact**

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245693>

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Golden Field Office

RFI - Building Technologies Office Prioritization Tool Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** DE-FOA-0001024

**Funding Opportunity Title:** RFI - Building Technologies Office Prioritization Tool

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:** Energy

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Oct 25, 2013

**Creation Date:** Oct 25, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Dec 24, 2013 Responses required by 12/24/13. This RFI is not a FOA; therefore, DOE is not accepting applications at this time.

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Dec 24, 2013 Responses required by 12/24/13. This RFI is not a FOA; therefore, DOE is not accepting applications at this time.

**Archive Date:** Feb 26, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0  
**Award Ceiling:** \$0  
**Award Floor:** \$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:** Golden Field Office

**Description:** The U.S. Department of Energy's (DOE) Building Technologies Office (BTO) developed the Prioritization Tool to improve its programmatic decision-making by evaluating the long-term impact to energy consumption by technologies and activities. The tool provides an objective framework for most energy-saving measures and scenarios as well as methodology comparing long-term benefits and end-user costs applied to various markets, end-uses, and lifetimes. BTO seeks comments and information related to the Prioritization Tool that improves the tool's accuracy, applicability and influence technology planning within BTO. Specifically, this notice solicits comments and information on data, assumptions and outputs of various energy efficiency technologies and activities analyzed by the Prioritization Tool. The purpose of this Request for Information (RFI) is to gather feedback from stakeholders prior to DOE potentially issuing a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA). This RFI is not a FOA; therefore, DOE is not accepting applications at this time. All responses to this RFI must be provided as an attachment (in Microsoft Word format) to an e-mail message addressed to BTO\_P\_Tool\_RFI@go.doe.gov. Responses must be received no later than 05:00PM EDT on 12/24/2013. The full content of the announcement can be found on the EERE Exchange website at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>.

**Link to Additional Information:** <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>

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

Edward W. Campbell, Grants Management Specialist BTO\_P\_Tool\_RFI@go.doe.gov  
[Submit all questions to BTO\\_P\\_Tool\\_RFI@go.doe.gov](mailto:BTO_P_Tool_RFI@go.doe.gov)  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245513>

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#### PAMS

Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

SBIR/STTR FY 2014 Phase II Release 1 Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	DE-FOA-0001019
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	SBIR/STTR FY 2014 Phase II Release 1
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Science and Technology and other Research and

<b>Category Explanation:</b>	Development
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 22, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 22, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 10, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 10, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Mar 10, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$0
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$0
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Small businesses
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Office of Science
<b>Description:</b>	The Department of Energy (DOE) invites eligible Phase I and Phase II grantees to apply for Phase II grants (both initial and sequential) under the Funding Opportunity Announcement. The full text of the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA which can be obtained at: <a href="https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0001019&amp;agency=DOE">https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0001019&amp;agency=DOE</a> .
<b>Link to Additional Information:</b>	<a href="#">FedConnect</a>
<b>Contact Information:</b>	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:  Carl C. Hebron, Program Analyst, 301-903-1414 <a href="mailto:carl.hebron@science.doe.gov">carl.hebron@science.doe.gov</a> <a href="mailto:carl.hebron@science.doe.gov">carl.hebron@science.doe.gov</a>

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244833>

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Golden Field Office  
Demonstration and Deployment Strategies Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	DE-FOA-0001013
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Demonstration and Deployment Strategies
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Other
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Energy

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

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Oct 30, 2013

**Creation Date:** Oct 30, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Dec 6, 2013

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Dec 6, 2013

**Archive Date:** Mar 31, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0

**Award Ceiling:** \$0

**Award Floor:** \$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:** Golden Field Office

**Description:** The Department of Energy's Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) is soliciting feedback from industry, academia, research laboratories, government agencies, and other stakeholders on issues related to advanced biofuel, bioproducts, and biopower technology validation and potential deployment strategies. EERE is specifically interested in information on advanced biofuel, bioproducts, and biopower technologies that are ready for technology validation at a Technology Readiness Level of 6 or higher. The purpose of this Request for Information (RFI) is to gather feedback from stakeholders prior to DOE potentially issuing a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA). This RFI is not a FOA; therefore, DOE is not accepting applications for funding at this time. All responses to this RFI must be provided as an attachment (in Microsoft Word format or PDF) to an e-mail message addressed to [DDRFI@go.doe.gov](mailto:DDRFI@go.doe.gov). Responses must be received no later than 11:59 PM EST on December 6, 2013. The full content of the announcement can be found on the EERE Exchange website at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>.

**Link to Additional Information:** <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>

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

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Submit questions to [DDRFI@go.doe.gov](mailto:DDRFI@go.doe.gov)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245993>

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Golden Field Office

Certification and Rating of Attachments for Fenestration Technologies (CRAFT) Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice



**Funding Opportunity Number:** DE-FOA-0001000  
**Funding Opportunity Title:** Certification and Rating of Attachments for Fenestration Technologies (CRAFT)  
**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary  
**Funding Instrument Type:** Cooperative Agreement  
**Category of Funding Activity:** Energy  
**Category Explanation:**  
**Expected Number of Awards:**  
**CFDA Number(s):** 81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development  
**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes  
**Posted Date:** Nov 5, 2013  
**Creation Date:** Nov 5, 2013  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Feb 5, 2014  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Feb 5, 2014  
**Archive Date:** May 6, 2014  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0  
**Award Ceiling:** \$0  
**Award Floor:** \$0

### **Eligibility**

#### **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:** Federal agencies and instrumentalities (other than DOE) are eligible to apply for funding as a subrecipient, but are not eligible to apply as a prime recipient.

### **Additional Information**

**Agency Name:** Golden Field Office

**Description:** Through this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) the Building Technologies Office (BTO) seeks to establish a performance rating mechanism for assessing the energy performance of fenestration attachments. DOE and the fenestration attachments industry have identified accurate and objective performance data as a critical need for product adoption. The selected applicant to the Craft FOA will provide a third-party rating, certification, and labeling program, which will enable consumers to distinguish among energy-efficient attachment products and models. The underlying data will assist architects and engineers in better understanding the energy impact of particular products. The Certification and Rating of Attachments for Fenestration Technologies (CRAFT) awardee will develop rating, certification, performance verification, and labeling standards for residential and commercial fenestration attachments. The successful applicant will also develop a Program to rate fenestration attachment energy performance and provide accurate and useful product comparison criteria, allowing end users in residential and commercial markets to assess the relative energy cost/benefits of fenestration attachments. "The full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>. Applications must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website to be considered for award.



The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for the EERE eXCHANGE can be found on the EERE website <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx> after logging in to the system. Information on where to submit questions regarding the content of the announcement and where to submit questions regarding submission of applications is found in the full FOA posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website."

**Link to Additional Information:** <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>

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Edward W. Campbell [edward.campbell@go.doe.gov](mailto:edward.campbell@go.doe.gov)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246833>

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Golden Field Office

Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity Announcement Sunshot Incubator Program Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** DE-FOA-0001031

**Funding Opportunity Title:** Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity Announcement Sunshot Incubator Program

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:** Energy

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Nov 5, 2013

**Creation Date:** Nov 5, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Notice of Intent to issue FOA

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Notice of Intent to issue FOA

**Archive Date:** Nov 29, 2013

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0

**Award Ceiling:** \$0

**Award Floor:** \$0

### **Eligibility**

#### **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:**

**Additional Information**

**Agency Name:** Golden Field Office

**Description:** The Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) intends to issue, on behalf of the Solar Energy Technology Office, a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled SunShot Incubator Program. This Notice is issued so that interested parties are aware of the DOE's intention to issue this Funding Opportunity Announcement in the near term. Any of the information contained in this Notice is subject to change. The DOE will not entertain any questions or telephone calls at this time involving this Notice. Once the Funding Opportunity Announcement has been released, DOE will provide an avenue for potential applicants to submit questions. This is a Notice of Intent (NOI) only. DOE is not accepting applications for funding as a result of this notice. DOE may issue a FOA as described herein, may issue a FOA that is significantly different than the FOA described herein, or DOE may not issue a FOA at all.

**Link to Additional Information:** <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>

**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=246754>

Modifications

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Department of Energy - Office of Science

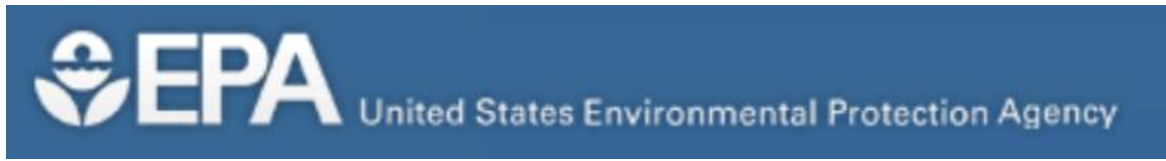
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Energy Frontier Research Centers

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=243953>

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## **Environmental Protection Agency**

### **National Funding Opportunities**

EPA has developed this guide of national funding resources to assist local and state governments, communities, and non-governmental organizations who are addressing the varied aspects of smart growth. [Click here for state-specific resources.](#)

Please note that this list is not an exhaustive compilation of all possible funding resources in the smart growth arena. It lists federal resources and directories of funding sources maintained by outside organizations.

For all available federal grants, see [www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov), and for all federal funding programs, see the [Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance](#).

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[http://www.epa.gov/smartgrowth/national\\_funding.htm](http://www.epa.gov/smartgrowth/national_funding.htm)

## 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](#)
- [EPA programs listed in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance \(CFDA\)](#). The CFDA lists federal programs available to state and local governments, tribes, territories, public, quasi- public, and private profit and nonprofit organizations and institutions, specialized groups, and individuals.

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### How to get a grant

- [View a PowerPoint presentation on competing for EPA assistance grants \(PDF\)](#)
- [Grants 101 tutorial](#)
- For more information, see the links in the "How do I...?" box on the right

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### EPA grant programs and other funding opportunities

- [Fellowships and other student programs](#): Grants, fellowships, and research associateships
- [Air Grants](#): includes competitive grant funding announcements for projects and programs relating to air quality, transportation, climate change, indoor air and other related topics.



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.](#)

#### How Do I...?

- [Apply for a grant?](#)
- [Write a proposal?](#)
- [Get grant management training?](#)
- [Find the closest EPA grants management office?](#)
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<http://www.epa.gov/epahome/grants.htm>

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And Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245533>

Early Career Projects: Indoor Air And Climate Change Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245553>

**FY 2014 National Environmental Information Exchange Network Grant Program  
Modification 1**

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=242836>

Early Career Projects: Indoor Air And Climate Change  
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245553>

## Department of Health and Human Services

### Grants Forecast and Overview

The Department of Health and Human Services' Grants Forecast is a database of planned grant opportunities proposed by its [agencies](#). Each Forecast record contains actual or estimated dates and funding levels for grants that the agency intends to award during the fiscal year. Forecast opportunities are subject to change based on enactment of congressional appropriations.

Go to the [webpage below](#) for more information.

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When funding is available and an agency is ready to accept applications, the agency will issue an official notice, known as a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), which will be available on Grants.gov. The FOA provides guidance on how to receive an application kit and instructions on how to apply.

### Search

Find grant opportunities by entering search text in the field below or browsing by eligibility, agency, or category.

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[Other Categories](#)

### Recent Updates

Funding Opportunity No.	Title	Agency	Last Updated
DP13-1316	<a href="#">PPHF FY-2013 Consortium for Tobacco use Cessation Technical Assistance</a>	CDC	08/01/2013
DP13-1314	<a href="#">Consortium of National Networks for the Prevention of Cancer and Tobacco Use in Underserved Populations (P8-767-0)</a>	CDC	08/01/2013

For more general information about HHS Grants and Funding go to the website below at:  
<http://www.hhs.gov/grants/> .

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## Grants/Funding

HHS and other federal agencies provide grants, benefit programs for individuals and families, loans, and contracting opportunities.

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### U.S. Government Grants & Funding Resources

Find information from all federal agencies.

- [Find and apply for a grant](#) (Grants.gov)
- [Check your eligibility for government benefits](#) (GovBenefits.gov)
- [Check availability of government loans](#) (Govloans.gov)
- [Find business contracting opportunities](#) (FedBizOpps)
- [Find descriptions of all Federal assistance programs](#) (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance, CFDA)

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### HHS Grant Information

Get information about HHS grant programs, grant application processes, and grant management.

#### Find Grant Opportunities

- [Find available HHS grant opportunities](#) (Grants.gov)
- [Search/browse forecasted HHS grant opportunities](#) (GrantsForecast)
- Subscribe to receive the [Faith-based and Neighborhood Partnerships Grant Information Newsletter](#) via email.

#### Learn to Manage HHS Grants

- Use these [Tips for Preparing Grant Proposals](#)
- [Find HHS grant management information](#)
- Learn about the [HHS Grants Management Process](#)
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## Research:

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
Strengthening the Evidence Base and Capacity for Implementing HIV Prevention and Care and Treatment Programs in the Republic of South Africa under the United States Presidents Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246516>

Health Resources & Services Administration  
HIV Early Intervention Services (EIS Program) Existing Geographic Service Areas (EISEGA) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246353>

Health Resources & Services Administration  
Affordable Care Act - Teaching Health Center Graduate Medical Education (THCGME)



Program Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246253>

Health Resources & Services Administration

Primary Care Services Resources Coordination and Development Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246254>

National Institutes of Health

Developmental Origins of Health and Disease (DOHaD): Epigenetic Modification in Gametogenesis and Transgenerational Inheritance (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246694>

National Institutes of Health

NINDS Research Education Programs for Residents and Fellows in Neurology, Neurosurgery, Neuropathology, Neuroradiology and Emergency Medicine (R25) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246693>

National Institutes of Health

Female Contraceptive Development Program (U01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246733>

National Institutes of Health

Replication of Key Clinical Trials Initiative (U01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246473>

National Institutes of Health

Population-based Research Optimizing Screening through Personalized Regimens (PROSPR) Revision to Enhance the Collection of Cervical Cancer Screening Data (U54) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246493>

National Institutes of Health

Blood and Vascular Systems Response to Sepsis (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246293>

National Institutes of Health

Cancer Detection, Diagnostic and Treatment Technologies for Global Health (UH2/UH3) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245933>

National Institutes of Health

Analysis of Genome-Wide Gene-Environment (G x E) Interactions (R21) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245994>

National Institutes of Health

Planning for a National Center for Particle Beam Radiation Therapy Research (P20) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244453>

National Institutes of Health  
Modeling Social Behavior (R01) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244493>

National Institutes of Health  
Nutrigenetics and Nutrigenomics Approaches for Nutrition Research (R01) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244593>

National Institutes of Health  
NIBIB Biomedical Technology Resource Centers (P41) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244613>

National Institutes of Health  
Research on Malignancies in the Context of HIV/AIDS (R21) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244653>

National Institutes of Health  
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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244654>

National Institutes of Health  
Basic Research in the Pathogenesis of HIV-Related Heart, Lung, and Blood (HLB) Diseases in Adults and Children (R21) Grant  
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National Institutes of Health  
Basic Research in the Pathogenesis of HIV-Related Heart, Lung, and Blood (HLB) Diseases in Adults and Children (R01) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245154>

National Institutes of Health  
Establishing Outcome Measures for Clinical Studies of Oral and Craniofacial Diseases and Conditions (R21) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245173>

National Institutes of Health  
Secondary Analyses of Social and Behavioral Datasets in Aging (R03) Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245293>

National Institutes of Health  
Clinical Research in the Prevention, Diagnosis, and Treatment of HIV-Related Heart, Lung, and Blood (HLB) Diseases in Adults and Children (R01) Grant



<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245313>

National Institutes of Health  
Establishing Outcome Measures for Clinical Studies of Oral and Craniofacial Diseases and Conditions (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245174>

National Institutes of Health  
Novel Methods for Detection and Measurement of Organ Fibrosis in Kidney, Bone Marrow and Urological Diseases (U01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244893>

National Institutes of Health  
Administrative Supplements to NIH Awards for Validation Studies of Analytical Methods for Natural Products (Admin Supp) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245333>

National Institutes of Health  
Pilot Clinical Trials to Eliminate the Latent HIV Reservoir (U01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245353>

National Institutes of Health  
Sub-Saharan African Collaborative HIV and Cancer Consortia (U54) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245493>

National Institutes of Health  
Enhancing the Capacity for Biomedical Research on Tuberculosis for HIV-infected Mothers and Children in India (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245613>

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
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Health Resources & Services Administration  
Reducing Loss to Follow-up after Failure to Pass Newborn Hearing Screening  
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245733>

National Institutes of Health  
Nutrition and Alcohol-Related Health Outcomes (R01)

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Nutrition and Alcohol-Related Health Outcomes (R03)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=243459>

National Institutes of Health

Pre-application: Opportunities for Collaborative Research at the NIH Clinical Center (X02)

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National Institutes of Health

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Health Resources & Services Administration

Rural Health Network Development (RHND) Grant Program

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Advancing the Science of Geriatric Palliative Care (R01)

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Advancing the Science of Geriatric Palliative Care (R21)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=243114>

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## **Department of Homeland Security**

The Department of Homeland Security enhances the ability of states, local and tribal jurisdictions, and other regional authorities in the preparation, prevention, and response to terrorist attacks and other disasters, by distributing grant funds. Localities can use grants for planning, equipment, training and exercise needs.

# OMB Circulars

**Assistance to State and Local Governments** [OMB Circular A-87](#) [OMB Circular A-102](#)

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## DHS Financial Assistance

### Financial Assistance Overview

Most DHS Components have authority to execute and manage financial assistance to support the DHS mission. Financial assistance is the transfer to a non-Federal recipient of anything of value for a public purpose, and in DHS includes grants, cooperative agreements, training, loans, direct payments, and National flood insurance.

#### 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](#)

### Financial Assistance Policy and Oversight (FAPO)

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

#### Financial Assistance Resources

- [DHS Components/Directorates](#) issuing financial assistance
- [Federal Emergency Management Agency \(FEMA\)](#)
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- [National Protection and Programs Directorate \(NPPD\)](#)
- [Office of Health Affairs \(OHA\)](#)
- [Immigration and Customs Enforcement \(ICE\)](#)
- [United States Secret Service \(USSS\)](#)

Webpage can be viewed at: <http://www.dhs.gov/xopnbiz/grants/index.shtm#2>

Download these updated grant application tools and start planning your grant request now.

- [FY 2012 FP&S Grants Get Ready Guide](#). This short guide will help you kick-start your grant application. It identifies the most important elements of all the grant application questions.
- [FY 2012 FP&S Grant Self-Evaluation Sheet](#). This tool is based on the application scoring dimensions used by the peer reviewers. It can help you assess your organization's readiness to apply for a grant and help you plan your application.

### 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.

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U.S. Department of Homeland Security  
Washington, DC 20472



**FEMA**

Dear FEMA Grantee:

In August 2011, Congress passed the Budget Control Act of 2011 (Public Law 112-25) to limit federal spending and reduce our national debt. To enforce annual spending limits, that law requires across-the-board funding reductions to almost every federal program, project, and activity through a process called "sequestration."

As a consequence, all federal agencies, including FEMA, will have to implement steep funding cuts, beginning in the current fiscal year. Leadership throughout FEMA and the Department of Homeland Security have been working hard to determine how we might best mitigate the impact of possible sequestration budget reductions on our state, local, tribal, territorial, non-profit and private sector partners.

Nonetheless, the sequestration order issued on March 1, 2013 will result in FEMA's current Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 funding levels being reduced by approximately 5%. This will result in a reduction to FEMA's State and Local grant funding levels of approximately \$104 million.

The sequestration reductions will affect FY 2013 funding levels for all GPD grants, subject to FEMA's final FY 2013 appropriation. Sequestration will not affect grants or cooperative agreements awarded in previous fiscal years.

We recognize the hardships that sequestration is likely to cause and thank you for your cooperation as we work together to manage these unfortunate circumstances. We value the important work that you do and appreciate your dedication to the security and resilience of the Nation. As always, your thoughts, questions and concerns are welcome.

Sincerely,

David J. Kaufman  
Acting Assistant Administrator  
Grant Programs Directorate

## 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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**United States Coast Guard  
National Non-Profit Organization Grant Program**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	DHS-USCG-2014-001
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	National Non-Profit Organization Grant Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	Recreational Boating Safety
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	30
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	97.012 -- Boating Safety Financial Assistance
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 30, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 30, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 31, 2014
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 31, 2014
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Mar 2, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$5,000,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
<b>Agency Name:</b>	United States Coast Guard
<b>Description:</b>	The purpose of the National Recreational Boating Safety Program is to reduce the number of accidents, injuries and deaths on America's waterways and provide a safe enjoyable experience for the boating public. The program also encourages greater non-profit organizations participation and uniformity in boating safety efforts.
<b>Link to Additional Information:</b>	<a href="#">United States Coast Guard Boating Safety</a>
<b>Contact Information:</b>	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:  Carlin Hertz Non Profit Grants Coordinator Phone 202-372-1060 <a href="#">Non Profit Grants Coordinator</a>

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245913>

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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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- ▶ Choice Neighborhood Implementation Program
- ▶ Choice Neighborhood Planning Grant Program
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## HUD - Notice of Funds Available

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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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**Funding Opportunity Number:** FR-5700-N-01

**Opportunity Title:** Policy Requirements and General Section

**Competition ID:** GS-01

**CFDA No.:** 14. - All of HUD programs will start with 14. \_\_\_\_

**Open Date:** July 23, 2012

**Close Date:** December 31, 2013

**Contact:** For further information on HUD's FY2013 Policy Requirements and General Section, contact the Office of Strategic Planning and Management, Grants Management



Division, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW, Room 3156, Washington, DC 20410-3000, telephone number (202) 708-0667. This is not a toll-free number. Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access this number via TTY by calling the Federal Relay Service at 800-877-8339.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** To help applicants with electronic application registration and submission, HUD advises applicants to use the help features on the Dun and Bradstreet (D&B), Central Contractor Registration (CCR)/ SAM.gov, and Grants.gov websites. These sites all have User Guides and Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) which are updated on an ongoing basis. HUD believes that early publication of this General Section is beneficial to prospective applicants by providing advance notice of the Department's Strategic Plan Goals, Policy Priorities, NOFA threshold requirements and other requirements that are applicable to individual FY2013 program NOFAs.

- Individuals looking for assistance, please note: HUD does not provide grants and/or loans directly to individuals – the funding is made available to state and local governments; public housing agencies (PHAs); nonprofit organizations including colleges and universities; Indian tribes and tribally designated housing entities (TDHEs); graduate students; public housing resident organizations; owners of federally assisted low-income housing; and for-profit professional and technical services companies, however we do have a website, which provides resource information which may be of assistance to you. Individuals may visit the [USA.gov website](http://USA.gov). This site allows you to complete a questionnaire; all of the questions must be answered in order to obtain an initial list of benefit results and to move on to the next sections of the Benefit Finder. Providing any additional information will further increase the accuracy of the individuals result. The website is user friendly; once the questionnaire is complete the site directs the individual to click the "View Benefit Results" tab to see a listing of programs that they may be eligible to receive.
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## Modifications

### Service Coordinators in Multifamily Housing Modification 3

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<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	FR-5700-N-15
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Service Coordinators in Multifamily Housing
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Housing Income Security and Social Services
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	33

<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	14.191 -- Multifamily Housing Service Coordinators
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Aug 15, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 28, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Oct 14, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Nov 18, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Dec 13, 2013

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=239979>

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### Project Profile

**Building an Online Commons for Balboa Park**

The Balboa Park Online Collaborative launched the Balboa Park Commons, a resource for educators featuring more than 20,000 digitized photographs and artifacts from seven cultural organizations in Balboa Park.

[Read more.](#)

### Director's Message: Rev Your Engines



Need some inspiration? Take a look at the Sparks! Ignition Grants we announced this week. [Read more.](#)

**Available Now: Growing Young Minds**

A new report from IMLS and the Campaign for Grade-Level Reading calls for full use of libraries and museums to give all children a strong start in learning. [Read more.](#)



**See What's UpNext!**

[Check out UpNext](#), the new official blog of the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

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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**

**Conservation Assessment Program**

December 2, 2013

**Project Types:** Conservation, Research

**Institutions:** Historical Society, Museum, State or Local Government

**Museum Grants for African American History and Culture**

December 2, 2013

**Project Types:** Professional Development/Continuing Education

**Institutions:** Historical Society, Museum, Professional Association, Public or Private Non-profit Institutions of Higher Education

**Museums for America**

December 2, 2013

**Project Types:** Collections Management, Community Engagement, Conservation, Demonstration, Digital Collections/Tools, Formal Education, Informal Learning, Partnerships, Professional Development/Continuing Education, Public Programs, Research

**Institutions:** Historical Society, Museum, Public or Private Non-profit Institutions of Higher Education, State or Local Government

**National Leadership Grants for Libraries**

February 1, 2014

**Project Types:** Collections Management, Community Engagement, Demonstration, Digital Collections/Tools, Formal Education, Informal Learning, Partnerships, Public Programs, Research

**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

**National Leadership Grants for Museums**

December 1, 2013

**Project Types:** Collections Management, Community Engagement, Conservation, Demonstration, Digital Collections/Tools, Formal Education, Informal Learning, Partnerships, Public Programs, Research

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

**National Medal for Museum and Library Service**

October 15, 2013

**Project Types:** Awards, Community Engagement

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**Institutions:** Archives, Historical Society, Library, Museum

**Native American Library Services: Basic Grants**

March 3, 2014

**Project Types:** Collections Management, Community Engagement, Informal Learning, Professional Development/Continuing Education, Public Programs

**Institutions:** Federally Recognized Native American Tribe

**Native American Library Services: Enhancement Grants**

March 3, 2014

**Project Types:** Collections Management, Community Engagement, Digital Collections/Tools, Informal Learning, Partnerships, Professional Development/Continuing Education

**Institutions:** Federally Recognized Native American Tribe

**Sparks! Ignition Grants for Libraries**

February 1, 2013

**Project Types:** Innovation

**Institutions:** Archives, Federally Recognized Native American Tribe, Library, Nonprofits that serve Native Hawaiians, Public or Private Non-profit Institutions of Higher Education, State Library Administrative Agency

**Sparks! Ignition Grants for Museums**

December 2, 2013

**Project Types:** Innovation

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

**Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program**

September 15, 2013

**Project Types:** Community Engagement, Formal Education, Informal Learning, Partnerships, Professional Development/Continuing Education, Research

**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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## National Leadership Grants for Libraries Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	NLG-LIBRARIES-FY14
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	National Leadership Grants for Libraries
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA) Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	40
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.312 -- National Leadership Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Nov 1, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 31, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 3, 2014
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 3, 2014
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Mar 5, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$10,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$500,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0

### Eligible Applicants:

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

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** To be eligible as a library applicant for a National Leadership Grant, you must • be either a unit of state or local government or be a private nonprofit organization that has tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code; • be located in one of the 50 States of the United States of America, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau; and • qualify as one of the following: • a library or a parent organization, such as a school district, a municipality, a state agency, or an academic institution, that is responsible for the administration of a library. Eligible libraries include public libraries, public elementary and secondary school libraries, college and university libraries, research libraries and archives that are not an integral part of an institution of higher education and that make publicly available library services and materials that are suitable for scholarly research and not otherwise available. Research libraries must be under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff person and be either generally recognized as possessing unique, scholarly research materials and services that are made available to the public, or able to demonstrate that such is the case when submitting an application to IMLS. • a private library or other special library, but only if the state in which it is located determines that the library should be considered a library for purposes of Library Services and Technology (see 20 U.S.C. 9121-9165); • an academic or administrative unit,

such as a graduate school of library and information science that is part of an institution of higher education through which it would make application; • a digital library, if it makes library materials publicly available and provides library services, including selection, organization, description, reference, and preservation, under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff person; • a library agency that is an official agency of a state or other unit of government and is charged by the law governing it with the extension and development of public library services within its jurisdiction; • a library consortium that is a local, statewide, regional, interstate, or international cooperative association of library entities that provides for the systematic and effective coordination of the resources of eligible libraries, as defined above, and information centers that work to improve the services delivered to the clientele of these libraries; or • a library association that exists on a permanent basis; serves libraries or library professionals on a national, regional, state, or local level; and engages in activities designed to advance the well-being of libraries and the library profession.

**Agency Name:** Institute of Museum and Library Services

**Description:** National Leadership Grants support projects that address challenges faced by the museum, library, and/or archive fields and that have the potential to advance practice in those fields. Successful proposals will seek innovative responses to the challenge(s) identified in the proposals, and will have national impact. For FY2014, IMLS continues to pursue its commitment to early learning by seeking proposals addressing learners from ages 0-8 and their parents and caregivers. Library applicants are encouraged to partner with community organizations to address at least one of the challenges identified by the Campaign for Grade Level Reading including school readiness, summer reading loss, and chronic school absence. Click [here](#) to learn more about IMLS's role in this initiative. Projects addressing the goals of the Campaign for Grade Level Reading should check the appropriate box on the Program Information Sheet component of the application. The National Leadership Grant program accepts applications under three main categories: •Advancing Digital Resources—Support the creation, use, presentation, and preservation of significant digital resources as well as the development of tools to enhance access, use, and management of digital assets. •Research—Support research that investigates key questions that are important to museum, library, and archival practice. •Demonstration—Support projects that produce a replicable model or practice that is usable, adaptable, or scalable by other institutions for improving services and performance. Applicants may choose to submit a Project Grant, Planning Grant, or National Forum Grant proposal in any of the above categories. •Project Grants support fully developed projects for which needs assessments, partnership development, feasibility analyses, prototyping, and other planning activities have been completed. •Planning Grants allow project teams to perform preliminary planning activities that could lead to a subsequent full project, such as needs and feasibility analyses, solidifying partnerships, developing project work plans, or developing prototypes or proofs of concept. Applications for Planning Grants must include at least one formal partner in addition to the lead applicant. •National Forum Grants provide the opportunity to convene qualified groups of experts and key stakeholders to consider issues or challenges that are important to libraries, museums, and/or archives across the nation. Grant-supported meetings are expected to produce widely disseminated reports with expert recommendations for action

or research that address a key challenge identified in the proposal. The expert recommendations resulting from these meetings are intended to guide future proposals to the National Leadership Grant program.

**Link to Additional Information:**

<http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?GrantId=14>

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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:

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





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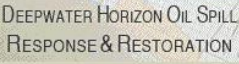
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### Working With Interior

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 \(Arlington, Va.\)](#)
- U.S. Geological Survey - [Contracts and Grants Information \(Reston, Va.\)](#)
- Office of Surface Mining - [Doing Business with the Office of Surface Mining \(Washington, D.C.\)](#)
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## Fish and Wildlife Service Partners for Fish and Wildlife 2014 Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	F14AS00015
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Partners for Fish and Wildlife 2014
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Environment Natural Resources
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	5000
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	15.631 -- Partners for Fish and Wildlife
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Nov 5, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Nov 5, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Applications will due a least 30 days before the end of FY14  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Applications will due a least 30 days before the end of FY14  
**Archive Date:** Oct 1, 2014  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$22,000,000  
**Award Ceiling:** \$500,000  
**Award Floor:** \$0

**Eligible Applicants:** For profit organizations other than small businesses  
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  
State governments  
Private institutions of higher education  
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)  
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)  
Small businesses  
Individuals  
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

**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 Fish and Wildlife Service (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. Applications 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.

**Link to Additional Information:** <http://www.grants.gov>

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**Fish and Wildlife Service**

**Conservation Program to Introduce Youth to Natural Resource Conservation Careers Grant**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	F14AS00016
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Conservation Program to Introduce Youth to Natural Resource Conservation Careers
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Education Environment Natural Resources
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	15.676 -- Youth Engagement, Education, and Employment Programs
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Nov 4, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Nov 4, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 4, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 4, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 3, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$20,000,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

**Agency Name:** Fish and Wildlife Service

**Description:** The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) intends to award funds to the Student Conservation Association (SCA) for a period not to exceed five years. The funds are intended to provide an introductory developmental educational experience of natural resource careers to young people, including culturally, ethnically and economically diverse students, through training, hands-on experience and mentoring at a variety of USFWS programs including, but not limited to, national wildlife refuges, fish hatcheries, and ecological services offices. Under this program, individuals and/or groups of youth and young adults will be introduced to natural resources careers through hands-on work with, and training by, natural resource professionals employed by the USFWS.

**Link to Additional Information:** [click on full announcement icon at top of page](#)

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**Fish and Wildlife Service**  
**The Coastal Program Grant**

**Document Type:** Grants Notice  
**Funding Opportunity Number:** F14AS00018  
**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:** Nov 5, 2013  
**Creation Date:** Nov 5, 2013  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Sep 30, 2014  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Sep 30, 2014  
**Archive Date:** Oct 5, 2014  
**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$6,000,000  
**Award Ceiling:** \$500,000  
**Award Floor:** \$0

**Eligibility**

**Eligible Applicants:**

Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)  
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)  
Individuals  
Private institutions of higher education  
Special district governments  
County 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  
City or township governments  
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  
State governments  
Small businesses

**Additional Information**

**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.

**Link to Additional Information:** [Click on Full Announcement icon at top of page to access complete Notice of Funding Availability](#)

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**Department of Justice**

**Grants and Contract Overview**



The Department offers funding opportunities to conduct research, to support law enforcement activities in state and local jurisdictions, to provide training and technical assistance, and to implement programs that improve the criminal justice system.

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 \(OVC\)](#)

The screenshot shows the U.S. Department of Justice website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links: HOME, ABOUT, AGENCIES, BUSINESS (highlighted), RESOURCES, NEWS, CAREERS, and CONTACT. Below the navigation bar, the page title is "GRANTS". The main content area features a large eagle graphic and text stating: "The Department offers funding opportunities to conduct research, to support law enforcement activities in state and local jurisdictions, to provide training and technical assistance, and to implement programs that improve the criminal justice system." Below this, there are three main sections: 1. "Office of Justice Programs" (OJP) which offers federal financial assistance to scholars, practitioners, experts, and state and local governments. 2. "Office on Violence Against Women" (OVC) which administers 19 grant programs to help provide victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking with the protection and services they need. 3. "Community Oriented Policing Services Office" (COPS) which offers grants to help law enforcement agencies hire more community policing officers, acquire new technologies and equipment, and hire civilians for administrative tasks. On the right side of the page, there are several smaller boxes: "OPEN GOVERNMENT AT THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE", "THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM as a COUNTERTERRORISM TOOL", "DEFENDING THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT", "JUSTICE.GOV en ESPAÑOL", and "DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE ACTION CENTER" with links for "Report a Crime" and "Get a Job".

<http://www.justice.gov/business/>

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## 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/](http://www.grants.gov/) and at [www.dol.gov/ILAB/grants/main.htm](http://www.dol.gov/ILAB/grants/main.htm). ILAB grants are awarded by the [OASAM grant office](#).
- **Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS):** provides project grants (cooperative agreements) and the dissemination of technical statistical data and related information on labor force activities; provides data on prices (CPI) and cost of living; data on productivity and technology data; data on compensation and working conditions; data on employment projections.
- **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](http://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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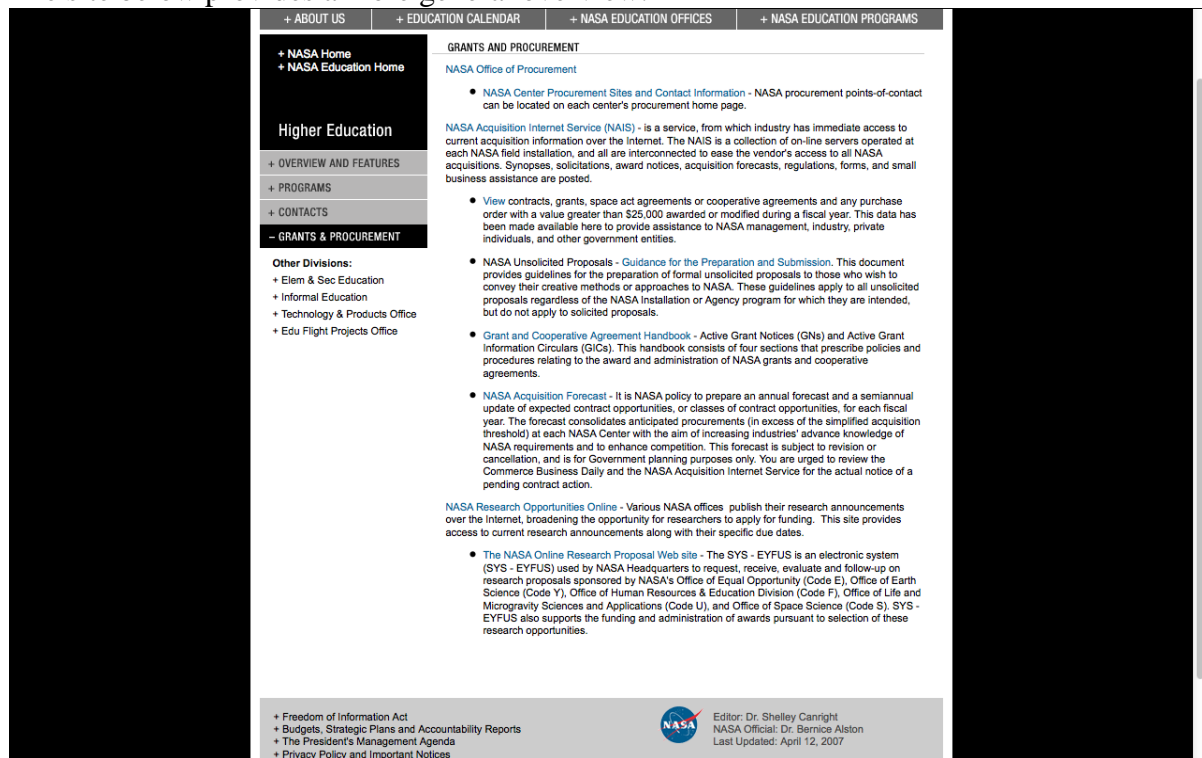


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## Research and Contracting Opportunities

[NASA Research Opportunities Online](#) - Various NASA offices publish their research announcements over the Internet, broadening the opportunity for researchers to apply for funding. This site provides access to current research announcements along with their specific due dates.

The site below provides a more general overview.



The screenshot shows the NASA Grants and Procurement page. At the top, there are navigation links: + ABOUT US, + EDUCATION CALENDAR, + NASA EDUCATION OFFICES, and + NASA EDUCATION PROGRAMS. On the left sidebar, there are links for + NASA Home, + NASA Education Home, Higher Education, + OVERVIEW AND FEATURES, + PROGRAMS, + CONTACTS, and - GRANTS & PROCUREMENT. The main content area is titled 'GRANTS AND PROCUREMENT' and includes a section for 'NASA Office of Procurement' with a bullet point about 'NASA Center Procurement Sites and Contact Information'. Below this is a paragraph about the 'NASA Acquisition Internet Service (NAIS)'. There are four bullet points in the 'GRANTS AND PROCUREMENT' section: 'View contracts, grants, space act agreements or cooperative agreements...', 'NASA Unsolicited Proposals - Guidance for the Preparation and Submission...', 'Grant and Cooperative Agreement Handbook - Active Grant Notices (GNs) and Active Grant Information Circulars (GICs)...', and 'NASA Acquisition Forecast - It is NASA policy to prepare an annual forecast...'. At the bottom of the page, there is a footer with links to 'Freedom of Information Act', 'Budgets, Strategic Plans and Accountability Reports', 'The President's Management Agenda', and 'Privacy Policy and Important Notices'. The NASA logo is also present, along with the text 'Editor: Dr. Shelley Canright, NASA Official: Dr. Bernice Alston, Last Updated: April 12, 2007'.

<http://education1.nasa.gov/divisions/higher/grants/index.html>

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Listed are our current grant categories. If the deadline has passed, the announcement is being revised and will appear at least 90 days before the new deadline.

- Archives Leadership Institute**  
The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals from organizations to continue the Archives Leadership Institute.
  - Final Deadline: October 6, 2011
- Documenting Democracy: Access to Historical Records**  
The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals that promote the preservation and use of the nation's most valuable archival resources. Projects should expand our understanding of the American past by facilitating and enhancing access to primary source materials.
  - Final Deadline: October 6, 2011
- Digitizing Historical Records**  
The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals that use cost-effective methods to digitize nationally significant historical record collections and make the digital versions freely available online. Projects must make use of existing holdings of historical repositories and consist of entire collections or series. The materials should already be available to the public at the archives and described so

**Questions?**

- Contact the NHPRC
- E-mail: [nhprc@nara.gov](mailto:nhprc@nara.gov)\*
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Agency Grant Overview - <http://nea.gov/grants/apply/index.html>

For an overview of the NEA's funding opportunities, please see the **NEA Grants Workshop** presentation.

The series of **Arts Works guidelines webinars** for each discipline has now concluded. All of **the sessions are archived** on our YouTube channel.



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To explore available funding opportunities, click on the artistic discipline or field below that is most relevant to your project. In most areas, funding is limited to organizations. (Direct awards to individuals are made only through Literature Fellowships, NEA Jazz Masters Fellowships, NEA Opera Honors, and NEA National Heritage Fellowships in the Folk & Traditional Arts.)

The **FY 2013 Grants for Arts Projects guidelines** will be posted in January. Deadlines: Art Works - March 8 and August 9, 2012; Challenge America - May 24, 2012.

The **FY 2012 Our Town guidelines** have been posted. Deadline: March 1, 2012.


**The Research: Art Works guidelines** are now posted. Grants are available for research projects to analyze the value and impact of the arts in the United States.

Federal Partnership opportunities such as National Arts and Humanities Youth Program Award are listed within the disciplines/fields.

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Learn more about the [Divisions and Offices](#) that administer NEH grant programs.

An [alphabetical listing of grant programs and deadlines](#) is also available.

**Guidelines:** To obtain application materials, click on the name of the grant program.

**Forms:** Links to the forms you will need to complete an application are noted at the beginning of each guideline. In order to download all of the necessary materials, you will need to have the free [Adobe Reader](#) installed.

### Bridging Cultures

Program	Receipt Deadline	Projects Beginning
<a href="#">Bridging Cultures at Community Colleges Cooperative Agreement</a>	August 23, 2011	February 2012
<a href="#">Bridging Cultures: Implementation Grants</a>	August 2, 2011	January 2012

## Media Projects Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** 20140108-TD

**Funding Opportunity Title:** Media Projects

**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):** 45.164 -- Promotion of the Humanities Public Programs

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Nov 5, 2013

**Creation Date:** Nov 5, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 8, 2014

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 8, 2014

**Archive Date:**

**Estimated Total Program Funding:**

**Award Ceiling:** \$1,000,000

**Award Floor:** \$1

**Eligible Applicants:**

Private institutions of higher education

County governments

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

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

State 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

Special district governments

City or township governments

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

**Additional Information**

**Agency Name:** National Endowment for the Humanities

**Description:** Media Projects grants support the following formats: interactive digital media; film and television projects; and radio projects. Interactive digital media may be websites, games, mobile applications, virtual environments, streaming video, podcasts, or other digital formats. Film and television projects may be single programs or a series addressing significant figures, events, or ideas and drawing their content from humanities scholarship. The programs must be intended for national distribution. The program welcomes projects ranging in length from short-form to broadcast-length video. Radio projects may involve single programs, limited series, or segments within an ongoing program. They may also develop new humanities content to augment existing radio programming or add greater historical background or humanities analysis to the subjects of existing programs. They may be intended for regional or national distribution. NEH encourages projects that feature multiple formats to engage the public in the exploration of humanities ideas. Proposed projects might include complementary components that expand or deepen the audience's understanding of a subject: for example, museum exhibitions, book/film discussion programs, or other formats that engage audiences in new ways. Media Projects grants may not, however, be used to support programs, general operating costs. Grant Categories Development grants enable media producers to collaborate with scholars to develop humanities content and to prepare programs for production. Grants should result in a script or a design document and should also yield a detailed plan for outreach and public engagement in collaboration with a partner organization or organizations. Production grants support the production and distribution of digital projects, films, television programs, radio programs, and related programs that promise to engage the public.

**Link to Additional Information:**

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:  
Division of Public Programs National Endowment for the Humanities Room 426 1100  
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### National Digital Newspaper Program Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	20140115-PJ
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	National Digital Newspaper Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.149 -- Promotion of the Humanities Division of Preservation and Access
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 17, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 17, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 15, 2014
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 15, 2014
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$325,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$1
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	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 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) County governments State governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education



**Agency Name:** National Endowment for the Humanities

**Description:** NEH is soliciting proposals from institutions to participate in the National Digital Newspaper Program (NDNP). NDNP is creating a national digital resource of historically significant newspapers published between 1836 and 1922, from all the states and U.S. territories. This searchable database will be permanently maintained at the Library of Congress (LC) and will be freely accessible via the Internet. (See the website, *Chronicling America: Historic American Newspapers*.) An accompanying national newspaper directory of bibliographic and holdings information on the website directs users to newspaper titles available in all types of formats. During the course of its partnership with NEH, LC will also digitize and contribute to the NDNP database a significant number of newspaper pages drawn from its own collections. NEH intends to support projects in all states and U.S. territories, provided that sufficient funds allocated for this purpose are available. One organization within each U.S. state or territory will receive an award to collaborate with relevant state partners in this effort. Previously funded projects will be eligible to receive supplements for continued work, but the program will give priority to new projects. In particular, the program will give priority to projects from states and territories that have not received NDNP funding.

**Link to Additional Information:**

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244514>

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**Advancing Informal STEM Learning Grant**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	13-608
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Advancing Informal STEM Learning
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	46
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	47.076 -- Education and Human Resources
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 21, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 21, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 14, 2014 Full Proposal Deadline(s): January 14, 2014 November 14, 2014
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 14, 2014 Full Proposal Deadline(s): January 14,



<b>Archive Date:</b>	2014 November 14, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	Dec 14, 2014
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$27,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$3,000,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	\$300,000
	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 Science Foundation

**Description:** The Advancing Informal STEM Learning (AISL) program seeks to advance new approaches to and evidence-based understanding of the design and development of STEM learning in informal environments; provide multiple pathways for broadening access to and engagement in STEM learning experiences; advance innovative research on and assessment of STEM learning in informal environments; and develop understandings of deeper learning by participants. The AISL program supports five types of projects: (1) Pathways, (2) Research in Service to Practice, (3) Innovations in Development, (4) Broad Implementation, and (5) Conferences, Symposia, and Workshops.

**Link to Additional Information:** [NSF Publication 13-608](#)

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

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## **Modifications:**

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<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
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<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.149 -- Promotion of the Humanities Division of Preservation and Access
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Aug 27, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 21, 2013

<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 3, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 12, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$350,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$1
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) City or township governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private 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 Public and State controlled institutions of higher education County governments State governments

**Agency Name:** National Endowment for the Humanities

**Description:** Sustaining Cultural Heritage Collections (SCHC) helps cultural institutions meet the complex challenge of preserving large and diverse holdings of humanities materials for future generations by supporting preventive conservation measures that mitigate deterioration and prolong the useful life of collections. Libraries, archives, museums, and historical organizations across the country are responsible for collections of books and manuscripts, photographs, sound recordings and moving images, archaeological and ethnographic artifacts, art, and historical objects that facilitate research, strengthen teaching, and provide opportunities for life-long learning in the humanities. To preserve and ensure continued access to such collections, institutions must implement preventive conservation measures, which encompass managing relative humidity, temperature, light, and pollutants in collection spaces; providing protective storage enclosures and systems for collections; and safeguarding collections from theft and from natural and man-made disasters. As museums, libraries, archives, and other collecting institutions strive to be effective stewards of humanities collections, they must find ways to implement preventive conservation measures that are scientifically sound and sustainable. This program therefore helps cultural repositories plan and implement preservation strategies that pragmatically balance effectiveness, cost, and environmental impact. Such a balance can contribute to an institution's financial health, reduce its use of fossil fuels, and benefit its green initiatives, while ensuring that significant collections are well cared for and available for use in humanities programming, education, and research.

**Link to Additional Information:**

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

Sustaining Cultural Heritage Collections Division of Preservation and Access Room 411  
National Endowment for the Humanities 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington,  
DC 20506 202-606-8570 or [preservation@neh.gov](mailto:preservation@neh.gov) [preservation@neh.gov](mailto:preservation@neh.gov)  
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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.


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## Small Business Administration

### General Overview Finding Loans & Grants

Federal, state and local governments offer a wide range of financing programs to help small businesses start and grow their operations. These programs include low-interest loans, venture capital, and scientific and economic development grants.

Use SBA.gov's [Loans and Grants Search Tool](#) to get a list of financing programs for which you may qualify, or visit the resources below to learn more about small business financing programs. To get to the main SBA.gov funding page [click here](#)

The screenshot displays the SBA.gov homepage with a focus on the 'Finding Loans & Grants' section. The header includes the SBA.gov logo, social media icons, a search bar, and navigation links. A blue navigation bar contains categories like 'Starting & Managing', 'Loans & Grants', 'Contracting', 'Learning Center', 'Local Assistance', and 'SBA Direct'. The breadcrumb trail reads: 'Home > Starting & Managing a Business > Starting a Business > Explore Loans, Grants & Funding > Finding Loans & Grants'.

**Starting a Business**

- Thinking About Starting
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- Establishing a Business
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- Choose & Register Your Business
- Obtain Business Licenses & Permits
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- How to Market Your New Business
- Local Resources That Can Help

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- Loans and Grants Search Tool**  
Use our search tool to help you identify what government financing programs may be available to help start or expand your business.

**SBA Direct:**  
Find what matters most to you...

**Find information on:**

- ☐ Starting a business
- ☐ Getting a loan
- ☐ Government contracts
- ☐ Disaster assistance

**GET RESULTS**

**Get Local Assistance Right in Your Area**

Counseling, mentoring, and training from an SBA District Office, SCORE Chapter, Small Biz Development Center or Women's Biz Center in your area.

**FIND RESOURCES**

**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.

Browse around, and let us know what you think about the SBA Small Business Learning Center!

The Small Business Administration has a Newsletter that is available to Georgia residents online. To sign up for your own subscription go to:  
<http://content.govdelivery.com/bulletins/gd/USSBA-6df447>

For Specific Information in Hawaii see the following links:

Links Specific to Hawaii

[Hawaii SBA Resource Guide](#)

[Hawaii Express Lenders List](#)





## State Department

### General Overview and Resources for Program Administrators

#### Advice on Funding Opportunities:

- [The Bureau of Educational & Cultural Affairs Grant Process](#) (PDF)
- [Proposal Solicitation Eligibility and Process](#) (PDF)
- [Making Your Grant Proposal Competitive](#) (PDF)
- [Grantee Recipients - Alumni Outreach, Tracking and Engagement](#) (PDF)

#### General Information:

- [Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs Grants Division](#)
- [Open Grant Opportunities \(Requests for Grant Proposals\)](#)

For General Information below [click here](#)

The screenshot shows the official website of the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, U.S. Department of State. The page is titled "BUREAU OF EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS" and "U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE". A search bar is located at the top right. The main navigation menu includes "Find an Exchange Program", "English Language Programs", "J-1 Visa", "Cultural Heritage", "Funding for Organizations", and "About the Bureau". The breadcrumb trail indicates the user is in "Home > About the Bureau > Program Offices > Grants Division".

**About the Bureau**

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**Grants Division**

The mission of the Grants Division (ECA-IIP/EX/G) is to effectively plan, direct, and execute by grant or cooperative agreement, or other appropriate means, assistance instruments for the Department's educational and cultural exchange programs. The Department's agreements support academic, cultural and professional exchange and training programs as a means of seeking mutual understanding between the people of the United States and the people of other countries and to promote the free exchange of information and ideas.

Our Grants Management team is responsible for the efficient administration and close-out of assistance agreements, monitoring the performance and reporting of recipient organizations, and following up on audit recommendations. Our team stresses compliance with all applicable federal grant regulations and requirements and providing excellent service to our customers.

For information on grant funding opportunities, please visit the bureau's list of open [Requests for Grant Proposals \(RFGPs\)](#). Bureau RFGPs are published, normally on Thursdays, in the [Federal Register](#). This list does not replace the Federal Register as the most up-to-date source for Bureau RFGPs, but is an additional source of information about any RFGP.

We welcome your comments on this site and the work of the Grants Division.

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### Office to Monitor/Combat Trafficking in Persons

FY 2014 International Programs to Combat Trafficking in Persons Request for SOIs Grant  
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244454>

## Modifications:

Bureau of Near Eastern Affairs  
Middle East Partnership Initiative  
MEPI Local Grants Annual Program Statement  
Modification 4

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=126193>



## Department of Transportation

A screenshot of the United States Department of Transportation website. The header is dark blue with the DOT logo and name on the left, a search bar with a "GO" button in the center, and navigation links "About DOT", "Our Activities", and "Areas of Focus" on the right. Below the header, there are two main content areas. The left area, titled "MOST POPULAR PAGES", lists: MAP-21 Information, Tiger Grants, FHWA Highways Grants, Transportation Safety Grants, Public Transit Clean Fuel Grants, and Delphi eInvoicing System. The right area, titled "GRANT ANNOUNCEMENTS", lists: TIGER Projects, RITA Grants to University Transportation Centers, TIGER helping rural and tribal communities, FTA grants create jobs, promote innovation, and FAA Spaceport Grants. At the bottom, there are two featured sections: "LIVABLE COMMUNITY GRANT &amp; RESOURCES" with an image of a modern building and the text "Grants and Programs to help make your community more livable.", and "MAP-21 INFORMATION" with an image of a construction site and the text "Information on implementation of specific titles of MAP-21, including new programs, interim guidance, and common questions and answers."

## General Grant Program Overview

<http://www.dot.gov/grants>

## DOT/Federal Transit Administration

**Solicitation of Project Proposals for Innovative Safety, Resiliency, and All-Hazards  
Emergency Response and Recovery Research Demonstrations. Grant**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	FTA-2013-005-TRI
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Solicitation of Project Proposals for Innovative Safety, Resiliency, and All-Hazards Emergency Response and Recovery Research Demonstrations.
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Transportation
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	60
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	20.514 -- Public Transportation Research
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 24, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 24, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 1, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$5,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$5,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$500,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	For profit organizations other than small businesses City or township governments Small businesses Special district governments 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) Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education State governments Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Private institutions of higher education
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Proposals will be accepted from providers of public transportation; State and local governmental entities; departments, agencies, and instrumentalities of the Government including Federal laboratories; private or non-profit organizations; institutions of higher education; and technical and community colleges.

Substantial partnerships are encouraged with entities that can add value and expertise to the project. See Federal Register for more details.

**Agency Name:** DOT/Federal Transit Administration

**Description:** The Federal Transit Administration (FTA) announces the availability of \$29,000,000 in Research, Development, Demonstration, and Deployment Program funds for innovative safety, resiliency, and all-hazards emergency response and recovery research demonstration projects of national significance. This NOFA makes funds available for cooperative agreements to engage in the demonstration of innovative technologies, methods, practices and techniques in three areas: (1) Operational safety, (2) infrastructure or equipment resiliency and (3) all-hazards emergency response and recovery methods. Eligible applicants include providers of public transportation; State and local governmental entities; departments, agencies, and instrumentalities of the Government including Federal laboratories; private or non-profit organizations; institutions of higher education; and technical and community colleges. This notice solicits competitive proposals addressing priorities established by FTA for these research areas, provides instructions for submitting proposals, and describes criteria FTA will use to identify meritorious proposals for funding.

**Link to Additional Information:** [FTA Current Notices of Funding Availability](#)

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

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[Matthew Lesh](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245433>

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**Modifications:**

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**Unclaimed Money** – The Financial Management Service, a bureau of the U.S. Department of the Treasury, has a listing of several resources for Unclaimed Money and Assets.

**1603 Program- Payments for Specified Energy Property in Lieu of Tax Credits.** This program reimburses eligible applicants for a portion of the cost of installing specified energy property used in a trade, business, or producing income.

**Grants** – Federal grant opportunities are centrally listed at Grants.gov.

**Recovery Act** - Recovery Act programs administered through the U.S. Department of the Treasury.

**Banks Participating in the Small Business Lending Fund (SBLF)** - Map and List of participating financial institutions by state and city. The SBLF and the Department of Treasury do not make small business loans. Contact the [SBLF participating lending institutions in your area](#) for information on how to get a small business loan. Also visit the Small Business Administration.


**Small Business Lending Fund** – Learn more about The Small Business Lending Fund, a

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## Community Development Financial Institutions FY 2014 Native American CDFI Assistance Program Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	CDFI-2014-FATA
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	FY 2014 CDFI Program - FA and TA Awards
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant Other
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Community Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	150
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	21.020 -- Community Development Financial Institutions Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 28, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 28, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 23, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 23, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Dec 24, 2013
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$179,000,000

<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$2,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$1
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Applicants must be certified as a Community Development Financial Institution (CDFI) by the CDFI Fund, or be certifiable as a CDFI by the CDFI Fund. Please see the Notice of Funds Availability on the CDFI Fund's website for more detailed information.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Community Development Financial Institutions
<b>Description:</b>	Description: Through the CDFI Program, the CDFI Fund provides: (i) Financial Assistance (FA) awards to CDFIs that have Comprehensive Business Plans for creating demonstrable community development impact through the deployment of credit, capital, and financial services within their respective Target Markets or the expansion into new Investment Areas, Low-Income Targeted Populations, or Other Targeted Populations, and (ii) Technical Assistance (TA) grants to CDFIs and entities proposing to become CDFIs in order to build their capacity to better address the community development and capital access needs of their particular Target Markets, to expand into new Investment Areas, Low-Income Targeted Populations, or Other Targeted Populations, and/or to become certified CDFIs.
<b>Link to Additional Information:</b>	<a href="#">A webpage on the CDFI Fund's website with all the relevant details regarding the CDFI Program.</a>
<b>Contact Information:</b>	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:  Jay Santiago IT Help Desk Phone 202-653-0326 <a href="#">IT Help Desk</a>

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FY 2014 CDFI Program - FA and TA Awards  
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## Draft Fiscal Year 2014 Request for Applications for Title II Development Food Assistance Programs Grant

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Armenia USAID-Yerevan

Advanced Civil Society for Accountable Governance Project Grant

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Thailand USAID-Bangkok

Economic Growth Integrated Project For Private Sector Competitiveness, Agriculture And Global Climate Change Grant

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Linkages - HIV Services For Key Populations Grant

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## **Modifications**

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**Department of Veterans Affairs**

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## **REMINDERS!**

### **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](#)
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- Department of Commerce - [National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration](#)
- [Department of Defense](#)
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- [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

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## Agriculture

### Utilities Programs

#### Rural Community Development Initiative (RCDI) Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	USDA-RD-HCFP-RCDI-2013
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Rural Community Development Initiative (RCDI)
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Agriculture Community Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	10.446 -- Rural Community Development Initiative
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Aug 14, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 17, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Nov 12, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Nov 12, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Feb 28, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$5,676,077
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$300,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$50,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	City or township governments Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities State governments Private institutions of higher education Independent school districts

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

**Agency Name:**

**Description:**

**Link to Additional Information:**

**Contact Information:**

For profit organizations other than small businesses  
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  
County governments  
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

The Intermediary will be required to provide matching funds in an amount at least equal to the RCDI grant. The respective minimum and maximum grant amount per Intermediary is \$50,000.00 and \$300,000.00. The Recipient, but not the Intermediary, must be located in a city or town that has a population of less than 50,000 inhabitants.

**Utilities Programs**

Qualified private, nonprofit and public (including tribal) intermediary organizations proposing to carry out financial and technical assistance programs will be eligible to receive the funding. The intermediary will be required to provide matching funds in an amount at least equal to the RCDI grant. The respective minimum and maximum grant amount per intermediary is \$50,000 and \$300,000. The intermediary must provide a program of financial and technical assistance to a private nonprofit, community-based housing and development organization, a low-income rural community or a federally recognized tribe.

[Link to Notice](#)

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Shirley Stevenson Phone 202-205-9685

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Forest Service

Community Forest and Open Space Program Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

CFP-FS-1002014

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Community Forest and Open Space Program

<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	Provides financial assistances to Tribes, local governments, and non-profit organizations (whose mission is to conserve and protect land) to establish community forest through fee simple acquisition of private forestland from a willing seller.
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	10.689 -- Community Forest and Open Space Conservation Program (CFP)
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Sep 5, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 5, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 15, 2014 Applications must be submitted to the State Foresters in which the property will be acquired or Tribal official, in the case of Tribal applicants, by January 15, 2014. State Foresters and Tribal officials must forward applications to the Forest Service by February 17, 2014.
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 15, 2014 Applications must be submitted to the State Foresters in which the property will be acquired or Tribal official, in the case of Tribal applicants, by January 15, 2014. State Foresters and Tribal officials must forward applications to the Forest Service by February 17, 2014.
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$4,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Eligible entities are local governments, federally recognized tribes and Alaskan Native Corporations, and non-profits who are eligible to hold title to land for conservation purposes.

**Agency Name:** Forest Service  
**Description:** Based on the President's request, anticipated funding for this program is \$4 million. Individual grant applications may not exceed \$400,000, which does not include technical assistance. Federal obligation under this program is contingent upon the availability of final appropriations.

**Link to Additional Information:** [Community Forest Program website](#)

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

Maya Solomon Program Coordinator Phone 202-205-1376  
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## Department of Commerce

Ocean Exploration 2014 Funding Opportunity Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** NOAA-OAR-OER-2014-2003874

**Funding Opportunity Title:** Ocean Exploration 2014 Funding Opportunity

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Cooperative Agreement  
Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:** Environment  
Science and Technology and other Research and Development

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:** 8

**CFDA Number(s):** 11.011 -- Ocean Exploration

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Sep 19, 2013

**Creation Date:** Sep 19, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Dec 20, 2013 Complete, maximum two-page, pre-proposals are required for all categories and must be received by 5:00 pm (EDT) on October 15, 2013. Full proposal submissions must be received by 5:00 pm (EST) on December 20, 2013. Applications received after the above deadlines will not be considered.

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Dec 20, 2013 Complete, maximum two-page, pre-proposals are required for all categories and must be

	received by 5:00 pm (EDT) on October 15, 2013. Full proposal submissions must be received by 5:00 pm (EST) on December 20, 2013. Applications received after the above deadlines will not be considered.
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 19, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$3,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$2,500,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$10,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Eligible applicants include institutions of higher education; other nonprofits; commercial organizations; foreign governments; organizations under the jurisdiction of foreign governments; international organizations; state, local and Indian tribal Governments; and Federal agencies. PLEASE NOTE: Before non-NOAA Federal applicants may be funded, they must demonstrate that they have legal authority to receive funds from another Federal agency in excess of their appropriation. Because this announcement is not proposing to procure goods or services from applicants, the Economy Act (31 USC 1535) is not an appropriate legal basis.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Department of Commerce
<b>Description:</b>	Summary: OER is seeking pre-proposals and, ultimately, full proposals to support its mission, consistent with NOAA's Next Generation Strategic Plan ( <a href="http://www.ppi.noaa.gov/wp-content/uploads/noaa">http://www.ppi.noaa.gov/wp-content/uploads/noaa</a> ), to search, investigate, and document poorly-known and unknown ocean areas through interdisciplinary exploration, and to advance and disseminate knowledge of the ocean environment and its physical, chemical, archaeological, and biological resources. The office priorities for this opportunity support NOAA's mission goals of: Healthy Oceans, Climate Adaptation and Mitigation, and Resilient Coastal Communities and Economies, as well as many of the elements of the President's National Ocean Policy. Competitive ocean exploration proposals will be bold, innovative and interdisciplinary in their approach. NOAA OER anticipates a total of approximately \$3,000,000 including costs for ship and submersible assets will be available through this announcement. Only exploration proposals will be



considered for funding, any other type of proposed project will not be reviewed. See Section I.B. for thematic priorities. To familiarize themselves with past and present OER-funded activities, applicants are encouraged to visit the Ocean Explorer Website <http://oceanexplorer.noaa.gov>. Background on how to apply and the required proposal coversheets are accessible through the OER Office Website at <http://explore.noaa.gov>. Pre-proposal submissions by non-Federal or Federal applicants are to be e-mailed to [oyer.ffa2014@noaa.gov](mailto:oyer.ffa2014@noaa.gov). Please put your last name in the subject heading along with the words OER Pre-proposal, e.g., "Jones OER Pre-proposal." Adobe PDF format is preferred. If an eligible applicant can prove he/she does not have internet access, contact the Agency Contact listed in section VII for submission instructions. Full proposal submissions from non-Federal applicants must be submitted through Grants.gov. If an eligible applicant can prove he/she does not have internet access, contact the Agency Contact listed in section VII for submission instructions. No e-mail or facsimile full proposal submissions will be accepted from non-Federal applicants. Full proposal submissions from Federal applicants are to be submitted by e-mail to [oyer.ffa2014@noaa.gov](mailto:oyer.ffa2014@noaa.gov). No facsimile full proposal submissions will be accepted from Federal applicants. For questions send messages to [oyer.ffa2014@noaa.gov](mailto:oyer.ffa2014@noaa.gov). Questions and responses will be posted at <http://explore.noaa.gov>.

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

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

NOAA Office of Ocean Exploration and Research  
at: 301-734-1014

[Office Email](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=243154>

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**Coastal and Estuarine Land Conservation Program - FY 2014 Competition Grant  
And Modification 1**

**Document Type:**  
**Funding Opportunity Number:**

Grants Notice  
NOAA-NOS-OCRM-2014-2003828

<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Coastal and Estuarine Land Conservation Program - FY 2014 Competition
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Education Environment Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	10
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	11.419 -- Coastal Zone Management Administration Awards
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Sep 20, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 24, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Nov 15, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Nov 15, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Dec 15, 2013
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$3,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$100,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) City or township governments County governments State governments Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	The designated lead agency for implementing CELCP in each state or territory ("lead agency") is eligible to submit projects for funding under this competition. Find your state or territory's CELCP lead contact at: <a href="http://coastalmanagement.noaa.gov/land/celcp_inyo&lt;br/&gt;urstate.html">http://coastalmanagement.noaa.gov/land/celcp_inyo urstate.html</a> . The designated lead agency may solicit, and include in their application, project proposals from additional eligible state or territorial agencies, local governments as defined at 15 CFR 24.3, or entities eligible for assistance under section 306A(e) of the CZMA (16 U.S.C. 1455a(e)), provided that each has the authority to acquire and manage land for conservation purposes.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Department of Commerce
<b>Description:</b>	The Coastal and Estuarine Land Conservation Program (CELCP) was authorized "for the purpose of protecting important coastal and estuarine areas

that have significant conservation, recreation, ecological, historical, or aesthetic values, or that are threatened by conversion from their natural, undeveloped, or recreational state to other uses.

“The CELCP helps advance the national goals and priorities of the CZMA, including:• Protection of coastal ecosystems, including wetlands, corals, and natural shorelines;• Preservation of natural features that provide storm protection such as dunes and barrier islands;• Minimizing loss of life and property by directing development out of high risk areas;• Safeguarding coastal water quality;• Preservation of historic, cultural, and archaeological features;• Protection of aesthetic coastal features such as scenic vistas; and• Providing opportunities for public access to the coast. This announcement solicits applications for land acquisition projects (fee simple interest or conservation easements) that are expected to be completed within 18 months from the start date of the award (anticipated between July 1, 2014 and October 1, 2014). NOAA may extend the performance period for project grants up to an additional 18 months (for a maximum of 3 years) if circumstances warrant and if progress is being demonstrated. Each state/territory’s designated CELCP lead agency may solicit project proposals from additional state/territorial agencies identified in its CELCP plan, local governments as defined at 15 CFR 24.3, or entities eligible for assistance under section 306A(e) of the Coastal Zone Management Act (CZMA) (16 U.S.C. 1455a(e)), defined below, provided that each agency or entity has the authority to acquire and manage land for conservation purposes. Eligible states/territories may select and submit up to two (2) projects for this competition. The maximum funding that can requested for each project is \$1,000,000. If a project includes multiple parcels, NOAA will evaluate it for readiness and feasibility of completion within an 18 month timeframe. The CELCP Guidelines, published in the Federal Register on June 17, 2003 (68 Fed.Reg. 35860-35869), establish the eligibility, procedural, and programmatic requirements for participation in the CELCP, including the criteria for financial assistance awards under the program. The Guidelines outline the criteria and process for

eligible states and territories to develop a CELCP plan, nominate land conservation projects to a national competitive process, as well as the criteria and process for NOAA to select projects at the national level for funding. All applications submitted pursuant to this notice must be consistent with the CELCP Guidelines, except for the following: • For this solicitation, the eligibility requirement that states and territories have an approved CELCP plan was expanded to include states and territories that will have submitted a draft CELCP plan to NOAA for review on or before September 15, 2013. A list of the status of each state and territory's CELCP plan, including the states and territories eligible for this competition, is available at [http://coastalmanagement.noaa.gov/land/media/CELCPplans\\_web.pdf](http://coastalmanagement.noaa.gov/land/media/CELCPplans_web.pdf). • Any changes directed by CELCP's 2009 authorization language in P.L. 111-11 (codified at 16 U.S.C. § 1456-1), as described in this notice. The CELCP Guidelines can be found at <http://coastalmanagement.noaa.gov/land/media/CELCPfinal02Guidelines.pdf>. The text of the 2009 authorization can be found at: <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/USCODE-2012-title16/html/USCODE-2012-title16-chap33-sec1456-1.htm> (Title 16, Chapter 33, Section 1456-1).

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Contact Information:**

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**FY2014 Demonstration of a U.S. Marine Biodiversity Observation Network (Marine BON) Grant**

**Document Type:**  
**Funding Opportunity Number:**  
**Funding Opportunity Title:**  
  
**Opportunity Category:**  
**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grants Notice  
NOAA-NOS-IOOS-2014-2003803  
FY2014 Demonstration of a U.S. Marine  
Biodiversity Observation Network (Marine BON)  
Discretionary  
Cooperative Agreement

<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Environment Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	11.012 -- Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS)
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Sep 24, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 24, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 1, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$2,000,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$500,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Eligible applicants are institutions of higher education, other non-profits, state, local, Indian Tribal Governments, commercial organizations, US Territories and Federal agencies that possess the statutory authority to accept funding for this type of activity. If requesting funds under this award, federal agencies must identify the relevant statutory authorities that will allow for the receipt of funds. Because this announcement is not proposing to procure goods or services from applicants, the Economy Act (31 USC 1535) is not an appropriate legal basis.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Department of Commerce
<b>Description:</b>	This funding opportunity invites proposals for projects that demonstrate how an operational Marine Biodiversity Observation Network (Marine BON) could be developed for the nation by establishing one or more prototype networks in U.S. coastal waters, the Great Lakes, and the EEZ. Biological diversity, or biodiversity, is defined as the variety of life, encompassing variation at all levels of complexity – genetic, species, ecosystems, and biomes – and including functional diversity and diversity across ecosystems. A growing body of research demonstrates that 1) the maintenance of marine biodiversity (including coastal biodiversity) is critical to sustained ecosystem and human health and resilience in a globally changing environment,

and 2) the condition of marine biodiversity offers a proxy for the status of ocean and coastal ecosystem health and ability to provide ecosystem services. Thus, managing our marine resources in a way that conserves existing marine biodiversity would help address other ocean management objectives (Palumbi et al. 2009). For example, it would provide information to enhance biosecurity against threats such as invasive species and infectious agents, enable predictive modeling, better inform decision making, and allow for adaptive monitoring and Ecosystem-Based Management. As stated in the final recommendations of the Interagency Ocean Policy Task Force, it is the policy of the United States to protect, maintain, and restore the health and biological diversity of ocean, coastal, and Great Lakes ecosystems and resources ([http://www.whitehouse.gov/files/documents/OPTF\\_FinalRecs.pdf](http://www.whitehouse.gov/files/documents/OPTF_FinalRecs.pdf)). The Census of Marine Life, which concluded in 2010, greatly enhanced our understanding of the status of marine biodiversity. It also made clear the importance of clear-cut, systematic and sustainable approaches to observing and monitoring biodiversity across different levels and at a national scale. In May 2010, the Biodiversity Ad Hoc Group under the Interagency Working Group on Ocean Partnerships convened a workshop of experts to develop a plan and recommendations for attaining an operational marine biodiversity observation network (Marine BON) for the nation. The full workshop report can be found online: [http://www.nopp.org/wp-content/uploads/2010/03/BON\\_SynthesisReport.pdf](http://www.nopp.org/wp-content/uploads/2010/03/BON_SynthesisReport.pdf). In May 2013, workshop steering committee members published a paper in BioScience on the feasibility of establishing a Marine BON (<http://www.jstor.org/stable/pdfplus/10.1525/bio.2013.63.5.8.pdf>). On behalf of the National Oceanographic Partnership Program (NOPP), NOAA and several of its partner agencies, including the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM), and the United States Geological Survey (USGS), are requesting proposals to address the recommendation from the 2010 workshop to initiate an integrated Marine BON demonstration project.

The agencies are requesting proposals for one or more broadly coordinated demonstration projects in U.S. coastal waters, the Great Lakes, and the exclusive economic zone (EEZ) that demonstrate how an end-to-end marine BON can be developed. "End-to-end" refers to integration of observations and data across multiple scales of diversity (genetic to ecosystem, microbes to whales), time (instants to centuries), and space (in situ to satellite remote sensing). Special consideration will be given to proposals that demonstrate potential for establishing long-term, sustainable monitoring through partnerships. NOPP anticipates making one or more awards, subject to the availability of funds, in amounts ranging from \$500,000 to \$2,000,000 per year for up to five years.

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

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**Climate Program Office FY 2014 Grant**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	NOAA-OAR-CPO-2014-2003692
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Climate Program Office FY 2014
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Education Environment Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	100
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	11.431 -- Climate and Atmospheric Research
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Aug 14, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Aug 14, 2013

<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Nov 14, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Nov 14, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Dec 14, 2013
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$11,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$200,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$50,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	<p>Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)</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>State governments</p> <p>For profit organizations other than small businesses</p> <p>Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)</p> <p>Small businesses</p> <p>Public and State controlled 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>City or township governments</p> <p>Private institutions of higher education</p> <p>Department of Commerce</p>
<b>Agency Name:</b>	
<b>Description:</b>	<p>Climate variability and change present society with significant economic, health, safety, and national security challenges. NOAA advances scientific and technical programs to help society cope with, and adapt to, today's variations in climate and to prepare for tomorrow's. Toward this end, the agency conducts and supports climate research, essential oceanic and atmospheric observations, modeling, information management, assessments, interdisciplinary decision support research, outreach, education, and stakeholder partnership development. These investments are key to NOAA's mission of "Science, Service, and Stewardship" and are guided by the agency's vision to create and sustain enhanced resilience in ecosystems, communities, and economies, as described in NOAA's Next Generation Strategic Plan (NGSP) . Fostering climate adaptation and mitigation, and, specifically, the development of an informed society anticipating and responding to climate and its impacts – is one of the primary pathways through which NOAA plans to advance its mission. The NGSP outlines NOAA's long-term</p>



climate goal, with the following objectives: 1) Improved scientific understanding of the changing climate system and its impacts; 2) Assessments of current and future states of the climate system that identify potential impacts and inform science, service, and stewardship decisions; 3) Mitigation and adaptation choices supported by sustained, reliable, and timely climate services; and 4) A climate-literate public that understands its vulnerabilities to a changing climate and makes informed decisions. NOAA works in partnership with all levels of governing structures (e.g., federal, state, tribal, regional, local), academic, private, and international research entities, and it places a substantial emphasis on productive partnerships and interactions with decision makers and other stakeholders. Within this context, NOAA's Climate Program Office (CPO) manages competitive research programs through which NOAA funds high-priority climate science, assessments, decision support research, outreach, education, and capacity-building activities designed to advance our understanding of Earth's climate system and to foster the application of this knowledge in risk management and adaptation efforts. The CPO supports research that is conducted across the United States and internationally. The CPO also provides strategic guidance for the agency's climate science and services programs and supports NOAA's contributions to the U.S. Global Change Research Program (USGCRP) and its National Climate Assessment and similar international endeavors. In seeking to advance the NGSP climate objective of an improved scientific understanding of the changing climate system and its impacts, the CPO supports research that advances core capabilities in (a) understanding and modeling, (b) observing systems, data stewardship, and climate monitoring, (c) predictions and projections, and (d) integrated service development and decision support. These core capabilities are, in turn, intended to advance NOAA's ability to provide sustained, reliable, and timely climate services dealing initially, according to the NGSP, with the following broad, societal challenge areas: (a) climate impacts on water resources, (b) vulnerability of coasts and their resilience to climate impacts, (c) sustainability of marine ecosystems, (d)

changes in extremes of weather and climate, and (e) information for mitigating climate change. The CPO, therefore, supports research that addresses these societal challenges. \_\_\_\_\_

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FY2014 Marine Sensor and Other Advanced Observing Technologies Transition Project Grant

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

NOAA-NOS-IOOS-2014-2003854

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

FY2014 Marine Sensor and Other Advanced Observing Technologies Transition Project

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Environment

Science and Technology and other Research and Development

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

**CFDA Number(s):**

11.012 -- Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS)

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

No

**Posted Date:**

Aug 19, 2013

**Creation Date:**

Aug 19, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:**

Feb 21, 2014 Letters of Intent are due on 11/01/2013

Full Proposals are due on 2/21/2014

**Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Feb 21, 2014 Letters of Intent are due on 11/01/2013

Full Proposals are due on 2/21/2014

**Archive Date:**

Mar 23, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:**

**Award Ceiling:**

\$1,000,000

**Award Floor:**

\$250,000

**Eligible Applicants:**

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

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Eligible funding applicants for this competition are

institutions of higher education, non-profit and for-profit organizations, and State, local and tribal governments. Federal agencies or institutions and foreign governments may not be the primary recipient of awards under this announcement, but they are encouraged to partner with applicants when appropriate. If requesting funds under this award, Federal partners must identify the relevant statutory authorities that will allow for the receipt of funds. Because of the nature of this competition, the Economy Act (31 U.S.C. 1535) is not an appropriate authority.

**Agency Name:**

Department of Commerce

**Description:**

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. To deliver these tools and forecasts, more ocean, coastal and Great Lakes observations are needed. To increase observational capabilities we need smart investments in innovative marine sensors and other advanced observing technologies that will improve our ability to monitor these waters with greater efficiency. The NOAA Ocean Acidification Program (OAP), in close partnership with U.S. IOOS, oversees and coordinates ocean acidification monitoring which contributes to the conservation of marine ecosystems. The U.S. IOOS Program and the NOAA Ocean Acidification Program (Programs) are seeking to jointly fund projects, subject to the availability of funds, which advance new or existing marine sensors and other observing technologies that address long standing and emerging coastal observing challenges. The projects will be focused on those sensors and other observing technologies for which there are demonstrated operational end-users who commit to integrated, long term use of those technologies and open data sharing. Funding will be targeted to marine sensors and other observing technologies that are beyond their research phase, with specific emphasis on transition and life cycle costs, including data management, overall operations, and maintenance expenses. The Programs are seeking Letters of Intent (LOIs) from prospective investigators relating how their project ideas align with either of two topic areas: 1) a very broad topic of

marine sensor transitions, and 2) a narrower topic of ocean acidification observing technologies to better serve the ocean observing needs for impacted or potentially vulnerable industries or stakeholders (e.g., fisheries, coral reef conservation, state agencies, others). Applicants are invited to submit LOIs for either of these topic areas, which are described in detail below. Applicants should ensure that the topic area to which they apply is clearly identified and that all required information is presented such that merit reviewers can best evaluate the proposal. In FY 2014, it is estimated that up to \$8 million will be available from the U.S. IOOS Program along with up to \$1 million from the NOAA Ocean Acidification Program. Multiple awards are anticipated, subject to availability of funds, in amounts ranging from approximately \$250,000 to \$1 million per year for up to three years, with some exceptions for highly ranked proposals, subject to the availability of funds. Investigators are highly encouraged to visit the U.S. IOOS and NOAA Ocean Acidification Program websites for more information about the Programs: [www.ioos.noaa.gov](http://www.ioos.noaa.gov) and [oceanacidification.noaa.gov](http://oceanacidification.noaa.gov).

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

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**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**

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Economic Development Administration  
FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance Programs Grant

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
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 <a href="http://www.grants.gov">www.grants.gov</a> (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</p>

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.

Current Closing Date for Applications: 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](http://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.

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](#)

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#### **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
<a href="#">Original Synopsis</a>	Nov 26, 2012

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

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#### **Corporation for National and Community Service**

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#### **AmeriCorps State and National Grant Competitions Grant**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	CNCS-GRANTS-09062013
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	AmeriCorps State and National Grant Competitions
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Agriculture

Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)  
Community Development  
Consumer Protection  
Disaster Prevention and Relief  
Education  
Employment, Labor and Training  
Environment  
Food and Nutrition  
Health  
Housing  
Law, Justice and Legal Services  
Natural Resources  
Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of  
Other Category of Funding Activity" for  
clarification)  
Regional Development

**Category Explanation:**

The mission of the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) is to improve lives, strengthen communities, and foster civic participation through service and volunteering. CNCS through its AmeriCorps and Senior Corps programs has helped to engage millions of citizens in meeting community and national challenges through service and volunteer action. This AmeriCorps State and National (AmeriCorps) Notice of Federal Funding Opportunity Notice (Notice) will focus grant making for fiscal year 2014 in six focus areas: Disaster Services. Economic Opportunity. Education. Environmental Stewardship. Healthy Futures. Veterans and Military Families. Indian Tribes are eligible to apply to this Notice; however a separate Notice of Federal Funding Opportunity for Indian Tribes for either fully operational or planning grants will be released later in the fall with an application deadline of spring 2014. In order to maximize the impact of the public investment in national service, CNCS will provide grants to programs that demonstrate that they will engage AmeriCorps members in an evidence-based or evidence-informed approach to providing a service intervention that will result in intended solutions to community problems

(e.g., based on proposed program's performance and evaluation data or research demonstrating the effectiveness of a similar intervention). Applicants will be awarded points for providing evidence that their proposed intervention will lead to the outcomes identified in the theory of change (logic model). Applicants shall provide evidence that the proposed intervention is effective for the proposed population and community challenge. In order to maximize the impact of the public investment in national service, CNCS will provide grants to programs that demonstrate that they will engage AmeriCorps members in an evidence-based or evidence-informed approach to providing a service intervention that will result in intended solutions to community problems (e.g., based on proposed program's performance and evaluation data or research demonstrating the effectiveness of a similar intervention). Applicants will be awarded points for providing evidence that their proposed intervention will lead to the outcomes identified in the theory of change (logic model). Applicants shall provide evidence that the proposed intervention is effective for the proposed population and community challenge. CNCS believes that all America

<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	94.006 -- AmeriCorps
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Sep 6, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 6, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 8, 2014 The deadline for eGrants submissions is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on January 08, 2014.
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 8, 2014 The deadline for eGrants submissions is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on January 08, 2014.
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 9, 2014
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Private institutions of higher education Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities County governments

State governments  
Independent school districts  
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)  
City or township 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  
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)

### **Additional Information on Eligibility**

Public or private nonprofit organizations, including faith-based and other community organizations; institutions of higher education; government entities within states or territories (e.g., cities, counties); labor organizations; partnerships and consortia; Tribes; and intermediaries planning to subgrant awarded funds are encouraged to apply. Receiving funding previously from CNCS or another Federal agency is not a prerequisite to applying under this Notice. Organizations that have been convicted of a Federal crime are disqualified from receiving the assistance described in this Notice. Pursuant to the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995, an organization described in Section 501 (c)(4) of the Internal Revenue code of 1986, 26 U.S.C. § 501 (c)(4), that engages in lobbying activities is not eligible to apply. New Applicants CNCS encourages organizations that have never received funding from CNCS or AmeriCorps to apply for the grants described in this Notice. New organizations should submit applications with the understanding that the general practice is to award no more than 50 member slots for new Grantees. New applicants are not eligible to receive fixed amount grants. Applicants that must apply through State Commissions Organizations that are proposing a project that operates in only one state must apply to this competition through the Governor-appointed State or Territory Commissions. Each state and territory administers its own selection process and puts forward to CNCS the applicants they select to compete for funding. Organizations should contact their State Commissions to learn about their state or territory processes and deadlines. The list of State and Territory Commissions can be found here: <http://www.nationalservice.gov/about/contact-us/state-service-commissions>. Applicants that may apply directly to CNCS Applicants in the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, American Samoa, and the U.S. Virgin Islands apply directly to CNCS because these Territories have not established a state commission. Applicants are eligible to apply for funds for member support and program costs. Government entities of the Territory are not eligible to apply. CNCS will fund successful applicants with funding allocated to the Territories as part of the formula funding process. Organizations that propose to operate AmeriCorps programs in more than one state or territory apply directly to CNCS. Tribes apply directly to CNCS.

A. Purpose of AmeriCorps funding AmeriCorps grants are awarded to eligible organizations proposing to engage AmeriCorps members in evidence-based or evidence-

informed (e.g., based on proposed program's data or a similar program's data) interventions to strengthen communities. An AmeriCorps member is an individual who engages in community service through an approved national service position. Members may receive a living allowance and other benefits while serving. Upon successful completion of their service, members receive a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award from the National Service Trust. For two decades, the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) has invested in community solutions across the nation -- working hand in hand with local partners to improve lives, expand economic opportunity, and engage millions of Americans in solving problems in their communities. With its unique structure as a public-private partnership and its model of engaging citizens and requiring matching resources from outside parties, national service can benefit the recipients of service, those who serve, local communities, and our nation. Through all its programs, CNCS seeks to expand economic opportunity -- helping Americans acquire the skills, education, and training they need for productive employment. By helping more Americans graduate, pursue higher education, and find work, national service can provide immediate and long term benefits by expanding individual opportunity, building family stability, and creating more sustainable, resilient communities. Through AmeriCorps and its other programs, CNCS brings vital leadership, resources, and coordination to some of the most pressing challenges facing America: educating students for jobs of the 21st century; assisting individuals, families, and neighborhoods on the road to economic recovery; addressing the needs of military families and a new generation of veterans; helping communities rebuild after natural disasters; increasing energy efficiency and improving at-risk ecosystems; and providing information to improve the health and welfare of individuals in disadvantaged communities.

**B. Focus Areas** In order to carry out Congress' intent and to maximize the impact of investment in national service, CNCS is targeting AmeriCorps funds to the following focus areas: Disaster Services Grant activities will increase the preparedness of individuals, improve individuals' readiness to respond, help individuals recover from disasters, and help individuals mitigate disasters. Grantees also have the ability to respond to national disasters under CNCS cooperative agreements and FEMA mission assignments. Economic Opportunity Grants will provide support and/or facilitate access to services and resources that contribute to the improved economic well-being and security of economically disadvantaged people. Grant activities will help economically disadvantaged people to have improved access to services aimed at contributing to their enhanced financial literacy; transition into or remain in safe, healthy, affordable housing; and have improved employability leading to increased success in becoming employed. Education Grants will provide support and/or facilitate access to services and resources that contribute to improved educational outcomes for economically disadvantaged individuals, especially children. CNCS is particularly interested in program designs that support youth engagement and service-learning as strategies to achieve improved academic outcomes. Grant activities will improve school readiness for economically disadvantaged young children; educational and behavioral outcomes of students in low-achieving elementary, middle, and high schools; and the preparation for, and prospects of success, in post-secondary educational institutions for economically disadvantaged students. Environmental Stewardship Grants will provide support for direct services that contribute to increased energy and water efficiency, renewable energy use, or improving at-risk ecosystems. In addition, grants will support increased individual behavioral change

leading to increased efficiency, renewable energy use, and ecosystem improvements particularly for economically disadvantaged households and communities. Grant activities will decrease energy and water consumption; improve at-risk ecosystems; increase behavioral changes that lead directly to decreased energy and water consumption or improved at-risk ecosystems; and increase green training opportunities that may lead to decreased energy and water consumption or improved at-risk ecosystems. In addition, the Administration is exploring ways to provide service, training, education, and employment opportunities for young Americans through protecting, restoring and enhancing public and tribal lands. CNCS is exploring potential programs along the lines of a “21st century Civilian Service Corps” that can facilitate conservation service work on public lands and encourage a new generation of natural resource managers and environmental scientists, particularly in low income and disadvantaged communities. Healthy Futures Grants will provide support for health needs within communities including access to care, aging in place, and childhood obesity. Grant activities will improve access to primary and preventive health care for communities served by CNCS-supported programs; increase seniors’ ability to remain in their own homes with the same or improved quality of life for as long as possible; and increase physical activity and improve nutrition in youth with the purpose of reducing childhood obesity. Veterans and Military Families Grants will positively impact the quality of life of veterans and improve military family strength. Grant activities will increase the number of veterans and military service members and their families served by CNCS-supported programs and increase the number of veterans and military family members engaged in service through CNCS-supported programs. To the greatest extent possible, proposed activities should be aligned with the Veteran and Military Family National Performance Measures. Governor and Mayor Initiative CNCS will be continuing its pilot of the Governor and Mayor Initiative, which will be given priority consideration in Tier 1. CNCS will accept one application per state. The application must address a pressing challenge the Governor wishes to solve in her or his state. A Governor must apply with one Mayor in his or her state and a minimum of two nonprofits. In conjunction with the Mayor, the Governor will be responsible for identifying and selecting those nonprofits that are best able to achieve a demonstrated positive impact on the problem. The application should include letters of commitment from all relevant parties. If the Governor and Mayor have not yet selected partnering nonprofit entities, they should describe the process that the Governor and Mayor will use to select the nonprofit entities. The application, submitted to the State Commission, will respond to the application criteria and explain how several nonprofits working together, with the Governor’s office serving as a convener, will effectively deploy AmeriCorps members for a collective impact. Only the Governor, Mayor, their designated government office (but not the state commission), or a public university may apply for grants under the Governor and Mayor initiative. Applications from other entities will be deemed non-compliant and will not be considered under this initiative. For example, a Governor and a Mayor in a state could conclude the most pressing challenge facing the state is its high school graduation rate. The Governor and/or Mayor would submit one application describing: How the partnership will be organized and AmeriCorps resources will be allocated between the partnering entities (State, locality, and nonprofit entities). The proposed theory of change and program model. How they will utilize an identified consortium of nonprofits that are well positioned to achieve outcomes identified in the



theory of change. C. Additional Program Models Capacity Building Grants also will provide support for capacity building activities provided by national service participants. As a general rule, CNCS considers capacity building activities to be indirect services that enable CNCS-supported organizations to provide more, better, and sustained direct services in CNCS' six focus areas. Capacity building activities cannot be solely intended to support the administration or operations of the organization. Examples of capacity building activities include recruiting and/or managing community volunteers; implementing effective volunteer management practices; completing community assessments that identify goals and recommendations; developing new systems and business processes (technology, performance management, training, etc.); or enhancing existing systems and business processes. Encore Programs Congress set a goal that 10 percent of AmeriCorps funding should support encore service programs that engage a significant number of participants age 55 or older. CNCS seeks to meet that 10 percent target in this competition and encourages encore programs to apply. Professional Corps Professional Corps programs recruit and place qualified members in positions as teachers, health care providers, police officers, engineers, or other professionals in communities with an inadequate number of such professionals. Applicants are eligible to apply for funding for a portion of the program costs. Professional Corps members' salaries are paid entirely by the organizations with which the members serve, and are not included in the budget. In order to be considered for funding, applicants must demonstrate that there are an inadequate number of professionals in the community(ies) where the corps seeks to place members. These grants can either be fixed amount or cost reimbursement grants. D. National Performance Measures The SAA emphasizes measuring the impact of service and focusing on a core set of issue areas. CNCS' five-year Strategic Plan establishes an ambitious set of objectives that support the mission and goals to implement the Serve America Act. These strategic goals guided the development of 16 agency-wide Priority Performance Measures. National Performance Measures allow CNCS to demonstrate aggregated impact of all its national service programs, including AmeriCorps State and National. They are divided in two categories: Priority Measures and Complementary Program Measures. For more information, please refer to the National Performance Measure Instructions. E. 2014 AmeriCorps Funding Priorities In the FY 2014 AmeriCorps competition, CNCS seeks to prioritize the investment of national service resources in economic opportunity, education, veterans and military families, disaster services, and the Governor and Mayor Initiative. CNCS will continue to focus on national service programs that improve academic outcomes for children, youth, and young adults. This focus reflects the extensive experience and past success of national service programs in education, and aligns with the efforts of the Department of Education. In addition, CNCS seeks to increase its investment in programs that serve veterans and military families or engage veterans and military families in service. CNCS will also focus investment in programs that increase community resiliency through disaster preparation, response, recovery, and mitigation. CNCS will focus investment in programs that increase economic opportunities for communities and AmeriCorps members. Finally, CNCS will focus on summer programming for K-12 students, especially those programs that address the academic "summer slide." Proposed activities will engage youth and young adults as summer members to help support summer reading, math, science, and environmental learning activities for youth in rural and urban areas most likely at risk of summer learning loss.

CNCS will seek to build a diversified portfolio across the focus areas, and other considerations are outlined below in Section V. B. Applicants proposing programs that receive priority consideration are not guaranteed funding. Furthermore, programs must demonstrate significant program focus, design, and outcomes to receive priority consideration. CNCS will give priority consideration to applicants in the following Tiers, in descending order of preference: Tier 1: Programs that select: Complementary Program Measures in Economic Opportunity (Programs that select O12, O14, O15, O17 must also select an additional Priority or Complementary Program Measure from Tier 1, 2, or 3 that measures community impact), or Priority Measures in Veterans and Military Families, or Priority Measures in Disaster Services, or A Governor and Mayor Initiative NOTE: CNCS' expectation is that if Tier 1 is selected at least 30% of your MSYs are in the complementary program measures or priority measures above. If that is not the case and Tier 1 has been selected, please explain in the narrative why it was not possible to meet the 30% threshold. Programs that fit these Priority or Complementary Program Measures should use these measures. These measures can be found in Section IX, Tier 1. Tier 2: Programs that select Priority Measures in: Environmental Stewardship, or Healthy Futures, or Capacity Building Education and are not serving 100% in schools that received awards under the School Improvement Grants (SIG) program and are implementing one of the SIG school intervention models and/or Priority Schools identified by a State educational agency (SEA) that has received approval from the Department of Education of its request for Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) flexibility, or Programs that have selected Priority Measures other than those in Tier 1 for: Economic Opportunity NOTE: CNCS' expectation is that if Tier 2 is selected at least 30% of your MSYs are in the priority measures above. If that is not the case and Tier 2 has been selected, please explain in the narrative why it was not possible to meet the 30% threshold. Programs that fit these Priority Measures should use these measures. These measures can be found in Section IX, Tier 1 or 2. Applicants whose members will be serving in schools that received awards under the School Improvement Grants (SIG) program and are implementing one of the SIG school intervention models and/or Priority Schools identified by a State educational agency (SEA) that has received approval from the Department of Education of its request for Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) flexibility must check the box on the Performance Measure tab in eGrants "SIG/Priority Schools" to be considered for Tier 1. The "NCES School ID" will need to be entered in the service location information at the time the members are enrolled. Tier 3: Programs that select Complementary Program Measures. These measures can be found in Section IX. Tier 3. Tier 4: Programs in the Focus Areas with self-nominated measures. Tier 5: Programs outside the Focus Areas with self-nominated measures. Continuation requests for expansion will receive priority consideration and preference in the same manner as described above.

**Link to Additional  
Information:**

[Full Notice Description](#)

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**Department of Defense**

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command  
Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied  
Scientific Research  
Modification 3

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	W911NF-12-R-0011
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<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement Grant Other Procurement Contract
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	1000
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	May 31, 2012
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 5, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 31, 2017
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 31, 2017
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Apr 30, 2017
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	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:**

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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:**

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**Funding Opportunity Title:**

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

**Opportunity Category:**

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**Funding Instrument Type:**

Cooperative Agreement  
Grant  
Other

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Procurement Contract  
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

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Contact Information:**

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.

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Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command  
Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied  
Scientific Research Grant

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Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
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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**

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### **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.

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**Department of Education**

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## Department of Energy

PAMS

Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

FY 2014 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance  
Program Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	DE-FOA-0000995
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	FY 2014 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Cooperative Agreement Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 1, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 1, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Sep 30, 2014
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Sep 30, 2014
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Dec 31, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$400,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$0
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	All types of applicants are eligible to apply, except Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Office of Science
<b>Description:</b>	The Office of Science of the Department of Energy hereby announces its continuing interest in receiving grant applications for support of work in the following program areas: Advanced Scientific

Computing Research, Basic Energy Sciences, Biological and Environmental Research, Fusion Energy Sciences, High Energy Physics, and Nuclear Physics. On September 3, 1992, DOE published in the Federal Register the Office of Energy Research Financial Assistance Program (now called the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program), 10 CFR 605, as a Final Rule, which contained a solicitation for this program. Information about submission of applications, eligibility, limitations, evaluation and selection processes and other policies and procedures are specified in 10 CFR 605.

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Office of Science  
Exploratory Research for Extreme-Scale Science Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	DE-FOA-0001003
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Exploratory Research for Extreme-Scale Science
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Oct 1, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Oct 1, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 28, 2014
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Feb 28, 2014
<b>Archive Date:</b>	May 28, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$0



<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$0
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	All types of applicants are eligible to apply, except Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995. Individuals with the skills, knowledge, and resources necessary to carry out the proposed research as a Program Director/Principal Investigator are invited to work with their organizations to develop an application for assistance. Individuals from underrepresented groups as well as individuals with disabilities are always encouraged to apply for assistance.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Office of Science
<b>Description:</b>	<p>The Advanced Scientific Computing Research (ASCR) program of the Office of Science (SC), U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), hereby invites exploratory basic research proposals with the potential to deliver significantly advanced or improved science capabilities in light of emerging and disruptive technology changes. Desired outcomes include advances that will make massively parallel, heterogeneous computer architectures more efficient and practical to use in carrying out scientific research activities. A complementary ASCR objective is to build up the computational research infrastructure for enabling data-intensive science advances. A companion Program Announcement open to DOE National Laboratories (LAB 14-1003) will be posted on the SC Grants and Contracts web site at:</p> <p><a href="http://www.science.doe.gov/grants">http://www.science.doe.gov/grants</a> The full text of the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA which can be obtained at:</p> <p><a href="https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0001003&amp;agency=DOE">https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0001003&amp;agency=DOE</a>.</p>
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Department of Energy - Office of Science  
Office of Science  
Energy Frontier Research Centers Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	DE-FOA-0001010
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Energy Frontier Research Centers
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant Other
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Sep 30, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 30, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 9, 2014 Letters of intent are mandatory and must be submitted by 11/13/2013 in accordance with the instructions in the FOA. Formal applications received from an applicant who has not submitted a letter of intent will not be considered for an award.
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Jan 9, 2014 Letters of intent are mandatory and must be submitted by 11/13/2013 in accordance with the instructions in the FOA. Formal applications received from an applicant who has not submitted a letter of intent will not be considered for an award.
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Sep 30, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$0
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$0
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	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:**

U.S. citizens and lawful permanent residents are eligible to apply for funding as a prime recipient (lead organization) or subawardee (team member). For-profit entities, educational institutions, and nonprofits that are incorporated (or otherwise formed) under the laws of a particular State or territory of the United States are eligible to apply for funding as a prime recipient or subawardee. Nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995, are not eligible to apply for funding. State, local, and tribal government entities are eligible to apply for funding as a prime recipient or subawardee. DOE/NNSA National Laboratories are eligible to apply for funding as a prime recipient or subawardee. Non-DOE/NNSA FFRDCs and non-DOE GOGOs are eligible to apply for funding as a subawardee, but are not eligible to apply as a prime recipient. Federal agencies and instrumentalities (other than DOE) are eligible to apply for funding as a subawardee, but are not eligible to apply as a prime recipient. Foreign entities, whether for-profit or otherwise, are eligible to apply for funding under this FOA. Other than as provided in the Individuals or Domestic Entities sections above, all prime recipients receiving funding under this FOA must be incorporated (or otherwise formed) under the laws of a State or territory of the United States. If a foreign entity applies for funding as a prime recipient, it must designate in the Letter of Intent and full application a subsidiary or affiliate incorporated (or otherwise formed) under the laws of a State or territory of the United States to be the prime recipient. A foreign entity, with or without a subsidiary or affiliate incorporated (or otherwise formed) under the laws of a state or territory of the United States, may receive funding as a subawardee (team member).

**Agency Name:**

Office of Science

**Description:**

The Department of Energy, Office of Basic Energy Sciences (BES), is seeking new and renewal applications for Energy Frontier Research Centers (EFRCs) to conduct fundamental research focused on one or more grand challenges and use-inspired basic research needs? Identified in major strategic

planning efforts by BES and the scientific community. The mission of the BES program is to support fundamental research to understand, predict, and ultimately control matter and energy at the electronic, atomic, and molecular levels in order to provide the foundations for new energy technologies and to support DOE's mission emphases in energy, the environment, and national security. EFRCs are intended to bring together the skills and talents of multiple investigators to enable fundamental research to enhance U.S. energy security and to meet the global need for abundant, clean, and economical energy. The full text of the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA, which can be obtained at <https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0001010&agency=DOE>

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**Office of Science  
Early Career Research Program Grant**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	DE-FOA-0000958
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Early Career Research Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	50
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No

<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jul 23, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jul 23, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Nov 19, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Nov 19, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Feb 19, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$6,000,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$0
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$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"

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** Only U.S. academic institutions are eligible to apply. Other Federal agencies, Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995 are not eligible to apply. The Principal Investigator must be an untenured Assistant Professor on the tenure track or an untenured Associate Professor on the tenure track at a U.S. academic institution as of the deadline for the application. No more than ten (10) years can have passed between the year the Principal Investigator's Ph.D. was awarded and the year of the deadline for the application. For the present competition, those who received doctorates no earlier than 2003 are eligible. There can be no co-Principal Investigators. Each Principal Investigator may only submit one Office of Science Early Career Research Program application per annual competition. Additionally, a Principal Investigator may not participate in more than three Office of Science Early Career Research Program competitions. Participation in the competition is defined as submission of a full application. The act of submitting an application implies that the submitting institution has checked, confirmed, and certifies that the Principal Investigator is eligible. No additional certifying documentation is required. Applications must be submitted through a U.S. academic institution. A companion announcement (LAB 13-958) describes the Early Career Research Program opportunity for full-time DOE national laboratory employees. An employee with a joint appointment between a university and a DOE national laboratory must apply through the institution that pays his or her salary and provides his or her benefits; the eligibility criteria above must also be met. Eligibility exemptions will not be granted.

**Agency Name:** Office of Science

**Description:** The Office of Science of the Department of Energy hereby invites grant applications for support under the Early Career Research Program in the following program areas: Advanced Scientific Computing Research

(ASCR); Biological and Environmental Research (BER); Basic Energy Sciences (BES), Fusion Energy Sciences (FES); High Energy Physics (HEP), and Nuclear Physics (NP). The purpose of this program is to support the development of individual research programs of outstanding scientists early in their careers and to stimulate research careers in the areas supported by the DOE Office of Science.

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**Environmental Protection Agency**

Modifications:

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**Department of Health and Human Services**

Health Resources & Services Administration  
Rural Health Network Development (RHND) Grant Program

HRSA-14-044

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	HRSA-14-044
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Rural Health Network Development (RHND) Grant Program
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Health
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	15
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	93.912 -- Rural Health Care Services Outreach, Rural Health Network Development and Small Health Care Provider Quality Improvement
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No

<b>Posted Date:</b>	Sep 25, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 25, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Nov 22, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Nov 22, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 21, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$300,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$0
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	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)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	To be eligible for an RHND Grant, the applicant organization must meet the following requirements: (1) The applicant organization must be a public or private non-profit entity located in a rural area; (2) The network is composed of at least three separate entities; (3) The Network organizational relationship is formal; and (4) All network members demonstrate a strong and measurable commitment to the network and share a history of collaboration and accomplishment commensurate with the network's developmental stage.

**Agency Name:** Health Resources & Services Administration

**Description:** This announcement solicits applications for the Rural Health Network Development (RHND) Program. The purpose of this program is to support rural integrated health care networks that have combined the functions of the entities participating in the network. The RHND Program supports established health oriented networks with a history of collaboration to develop and maintain collaborative relationships to integrate systems of care administratively, clinically and financially. Networks must consist of at least three health care providers that are separately owned entities. Each member of the network must sign a memorandum of agreement or similar formal collaborative agreement. For purposes of this grant program, a rural health network is defined as a formal organizational arrangement among at least three separately owned health providers that come together to develop strategies for improving health services delivery systems in a rural community. A network in this

context is not a large health system whereby multiple health care providers or organizations are owned and/or created by the same overarching entity to collaborate and achieve a particular goal.

**Link to Additional Information:**

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National Institutes of Health

PAR-13-357 Pre-application: Opportunities for Collaborative Research at the NIH  
Clinical Center (X02)

**Document Type:**

Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:**

PAR-13-357

**Funding Opportunity Title:**

Pre-application: Opportunities for  
Collaborative Research at the NIH  
Clinical Center (X02)

**Opportunity Category:**

Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:**

Education

Health

Income Security and Social Services

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:**

**CFDA Number(s):**

93.172 -- Human Genome Research

93.173 -- Research Related to  
Deafness and Communication  
Disorders

93.233 -- National Center on Sleep  
Disorders Research

93.242 -- Mental Health Research  
Grants

93.273 -- Alcohol Research  
Programs



93.279 -- Drug Abuse and Addiction Research Programs  
 93.286 -- Discovery and Applied Research for Technological Innovations to Improve Human Health  
 93.393 -- Cancer Cause and Prevention Research  
 93.394 -- Cancer Detection and Diagnosis Research  
 93.395 -- Cancer Treatment Research  
 93.396 -- Cancer Biology Research  
 93.399 -- Cancer Control  
 93.837 -- Cardiovascular Diseases Research  
 93.838 -- Lung Diseases Research  
 93.839 -- Blood Diseases and Resources Research  
 93.853 -- Extramural Research Programs in the Neurosciences and Neurological Disorders  
 93.855 -- Allergy, Immunology and Transplantation Research  
 93.856 -- Microbiology and Infectious Diseases Research  
 93.865 -- Child Health and Human Development Extramural Research  
 93.879 -- Medical Library Assistance

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**  
**Posted Date:**  
**Creation Date:**  
**Original Closing Date for Applications:**  
**Current Closing Date for Applications:**  
**Archive Date:**

No  
 Sep 20, 2013  
 Sep 23, 2013  
 Nov 20, 2014  
 Nov 20, 2014  
 Dec 21, 2014

**Eligible Applicants:**

City or township 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  
 For profit organizations other than small businesses

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

**Agency Name:**  
**Description:**

Special district governments  
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  
Small businesses  
State governments  
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)  
County governments  
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)  
Private institutions of higher education  
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education  
Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions; Asian American Native American Pacific Islander Serving Institutions (AANAPISISs); Eligible Agencies of the Federal Government; Faith-based or Community-based Organizations; Hispanic-serving Institutions; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Indian/Native American Tribal Governments (Other than Federally Recognized); Regional Organizations; Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs) ; U.S. Territory or Possession; Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are not eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, are not allowed.  
National Institutes of Health  
The goal of this program is to support collaborative translational

research projects aligned with NIH efforts to enhance the translation of basic biological discoveries into clinical applications that improve health. It encourages high quality science demonstrating the potential to result in understanding an important disease process or lead to new therapeutic interventions, diagnostics, or prevention strategies within the research interests and priorities of the participating NIH Institutes/Centers (ICs).

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National Institutes of Health

Reissue PHS 2013-02 Omnibus Solicitation of the NIH for Small Business Technology Transfer Grant Applications (Parent STTR [R41/R42]) Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	PA-13-235
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	May 30, 2013
Creation Date:	May 30, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 07, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 07, 2014
Archive Date:	Feb 07, 2014
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education Environment Food and Nutrition

Health  
Income Security and Social Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling:

Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s):

93.113 -- Environmental Health  
93.121 -- Oral Diseases and Disorders  
Research  
93.172 -- Human Genome Research  
93.173 -- Research Related to Deafness  
and Communication Disorders  
93.213 -- Research and Training in  
Complementary and Alternative Medicine  
93.233 -- National Center on Sleep  
Disorders Research  
93.242 -- Mental Health Research Grants  
93.273 -- Alcohol Research Programs  
93.279 -- Drug Abuse and Addiction  
Research Programs  
93.286 -- Discovery and Applied  
Research for Technological Innovations to  
Improve Human Health  
93.307 -- Minority Health and Health  
Disparities Research  
93.350 -- National Center for Advancing  
Translational Sciences  
93.351 -- Research Infrastructure  
Programs  
93.361 -- Nursing Research  
93.393 -- Cancer Cause and Prevention  
Research  
93.394 -- Cancer Detection and  
Diagnosis Research  
93.395 -- Cancer Treatment Research  
93.396 -- Cancer Biology Research  
93.399 -- Cancer Control  
93.837 -- Cardiovascular Diseases  
Research  
93.838 -- Lung Diseases Research

93.839 -- Blood Diseases and Resources Research  
93.846 -- Arthritis, Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases Research  
93.847 -- Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases Extramural Research  
93.853 -- Extramural Research Programs in the Neurosciences and Neurological Disorders  
93.855 -- Allergy, Immunology and Transplantation Research  
93.856 -- Microbiology and Infectious Diseases Research  
93.859 -- Biomedical Research and Research Training  
93.865 -- Child Health and Human Development Extramural Research  
93.866 -- Aging Research  
93.867 -- Vision Research  
93.879 -- Medical Library Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

### **Eligible Applicants**

Small businesses

### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are not eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, may be allowed.

### **Agency Name**

National Institutes of Health

### **Description**

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) reissued by the National Institutes of Health (NIH) invites eligible United States **small business** concerns (SBCs) to submit **Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) grant applications**. United States SBCs that have the research capabilities and technological expertise

to contribute to the R&D mission(s) of the NIH awarding components identified in this FOA are encouraged to submit STTR grant applications in response to identified topics (see PHS 2013-2 SBIR/STTR Program Descriptions and Research Topics for NIH.)

**Link to Additional Information**

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Department of Health and Human Services  
National Institutes of Health

PHS 2013-02 Omnibus Solicitation of the NIH, CDC, FDA and ACF for Small Business  
Innovation Research Grant Applications (Parent SBIR [R43/R44]) Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	PA-13-088
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Jan 24, 2013
Creation Date:	Jan 24, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 07, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 07, 2014
Archive Date:	Feb 07, 2014
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
	Environment
	Food and Nutrition
	Health
	Income Security and Social Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	

Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s):

93.103 -- Food and Drug Administration Research  
93.113 -- Environmental Health  
93.121 -- Oral Diseases and Disorders Research  
93.136 -- Injury Prevention and Control Research and State and Community Based Programs  
93.172 -- Human Genome Research  
93.173 -- Research Related to Deafness and Communication Disorders  
93.184 -- Disabilities Prevention  
93.213 -- Research and Training in Complementary and Alternative Medicine  
93.233 -- National Center on Sleep Disorders Research  
93.242 -- Mental Health Research Grants  
93.262 -- Occupational Safety and Health Program  
93.273 -- Alcohol Research Programs  
93.279 -- Drug Abuse and Addiction Research Programs  
93.283 -- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Investigations and Technical Assistance  
93.286 -- Discovery and Applied Research for Technological Innovations to Improve Human Health  
93.307 -- Minority Health and Health Disparities Research  
93.350 -- National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences  
93.351 -- Research Infrastructure Programs  
93.361 -- Nursing Research  
93.393 -- Cancer Cause and Prevention Research  
93.394 -- Cancer Detection and Diagnosis Research  
93.395 -- Cancer Treatment Research

93.396 -- Cancer Biology Research  
93.399 -- Cancer Control  
93.595 -- Welfare Reform Research,  
Evaluations and National Studies  
93.647 -- Social Services Research and  
Demonstration  
93.837 -- Cardiovascular Diseases  
Research  
93.838 -- Lung Diseases Research  
93.839 -- Blood Diseases and Resources  
Research  
93.846 -- Arthritis, Musculoskeletal and  
Skin Diseases Research  
93.847 -- Diabetes, Digestive, and  
Kidney Diseases Extramural Research  
93.853 -- Extramural Research Programs  
in the Neurosciences and Neurological  
Disorders  
93.855 -- Allergy, Immunology and  
Transplantation Research  
93.856 -- Microbiology and Infectious  
Diseases Research  
93.859 -- Biomedical Research and  
Research Training  
93.865 -- Child Health and Human  
Development Extramural Research  
93.866 -- Aging Research  
93.867 -- Vision Research  
93.879 -- Medical Library Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No  
Eligible Applicants  
Small businesses

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name  
National Institutes of Health

Description  
This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) issued by the National Institutes of Health (NIH), the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) invites eligible United States small business concerns (SBCs) to submit



Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant applications. United States SBCs that have the research capabilities and technological expertise to contribute to the R&D mission(s) of the NIH, CDC, FDA or ACF awarding components identified in this FOA are encouraged to submit SBIR grant applications in response to identified topics (see PHS 2013-2 SBIR/STTR Program Descriptions and Research Topics for NIH, CDC, FDA and ACF

Link to Additional Information

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-13-088.html>

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Synopsis Modification History

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## Department of Housing and Urban Development

Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section  
And Modification 1

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	FR-5700-N-01
Opportunity Category:	Other
Posted Date:	Aug 08, 2012
Creation Date:	Aug 22, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 31, 2013 THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 31, 2013 THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.
Archive Date:	Jan 31, 2014
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Housing
Category Explanation:	THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

Expected Number of Awards:  
Estimated Total Program Funding:  
Award Ceiling:  
Award Floor:  
CFDA Number(s):  
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

### **Eligible Applicants**

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

### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

The individual program NOFA will describe the applicant eligibility requirements. Applicants should be aware that HUD does not directly fund individuals through its formula-based programs or its competitive program NOFA process. THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

### **Agency Name**

Department of Housing and Urban Development

### **Description**

The General Section describes the requirements that are applicable to all of HUD's FY2013 individual program NOFAs. The General Section also provides overall guidance regarding HUD's Policy Priorities and their relationship to HUD's Strategic Plan Goals as stated in the Department's Strategic Plan for FY2010-2015. Each individual program NOFA will describe additional procedures and requirements that apply to the individual program NOFA, including a description of the eligible applicants, eligible activities, threshold requirements, cross-program requirements such as nondiscrimination and environmental protection, and any additional program requirements or limitations. To adequately address all of the application requirements for any program for which you intend to apply, please carefully read and respond to both this General Section and the individual program NOFAs. THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

### **Link to Additional Information**

[Click on Housing and Urban Development for a listing of ALL HUD NOFAs.](#)

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For further information on HUD's FY2013 Policy Requirements and General Section, contact the Office of Strategic Planning and Management 202-708-0667. This is not a toll-free number. [Email questions to above individual.](#)

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### Modifications:

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Institute of Museum and Library Services

#### Museum Grants for African American History and Culture Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	AAHC-FY14
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Museum Grants for African American History and Culture
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA) Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	11
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.309 -- Museum Grants for African American History and Culture
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Sep 16, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 16, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 1, 2014

<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$1,400,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$150,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$5,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	Eligible applicants include museums whose primary purpose is African American life, art, history, and/or culture, encompassing: the period of slavery; the era of Reconstruction; the Harlem renaissance; the civil rights movement; and other periods of the African American diaspora. Nonprofit organizations whose primary purpose is to support museums identified above may also apply. Historically Black Colleges or Universities (HBCUs) are also eligible. Please see program guidelines for specific eligibility criteria.
<b>Agency Name:</b>	Institute of Museum and Library Services
<b>Description:</b>	Museum Grants for African American History and Culture are intended to enhance institutional capacity and sustainability through professional training, technical assistance, internships, outside expertise, and other tools. Successful proposals will focus on one or more of the following three goals: (1) developing or strengthening knowledge, skills, and other expertise of current staff at African American museums; (2) attracting and retaining professionals with the skills needed to strengthen African American museums; and (3) attracting new staff to African American museum practice and providing them with the expertise needed to sustain them in the museum field.
<b>Link to Additional Information:</b>	<a href="http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?GrantId=12">http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?GrantId=12</a>
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<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	MFA-FY14
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Museums for America
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA) Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	200
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.301 -- Museums for America
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Sep 16, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 16, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 1, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$22,700,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$150,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$5,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	To be eligible as a museum, you must: be either a unit of State or local government or a private nonprofit organization that has tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code; be located in one of the 50 States of the United States of America, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau; and qualify as one of the following: 1. a museum that, using a professional staff, is organized on a permanent basis for essentially educational or aesthetic purposes; owns or uses tangible objects, either animate or inanimate; cares for these objects; and exhibits these objects to the general public on a regular basis through facilities that it owns or operates. 2. a public or private nonprofit agency which is responsible for the operation of a museum may apply on behalf of the museum. Please note that a museum located within a parent organization that is a State or local

government or multipurpose not-for-profit entity, such as a municipality, university, historical society, foundation, or cultural center, may apply on its own behalf if the museum: (1) is able to independently fulfill all the eligibility requirements listed above; (2) functions as a discrete unit within the parent organization; (3) has its own fully segregated and itemized operating budget; and (4) has the authority to make the application on its own. When any of the last three conditions cannot be met, a museum may only apply through its parent organization. IMLS may determine that a non-profit organization that is affiliated with a museum is eligible for this program where the organization can demonstrate that it has the ability to administer the project and can ensure compliance with the terms of these guidelines and the applicable law, including the Assurances and Certifications. The applicant organization must submit an agreement from the museum that details the activities that the applicant and museum will perform and binds the museum to the statements and assurances made in the grant application.

**Agency Name:**

Institute of Museum and Library Services

**Description:**

The Museums for America (MFA) program supports projects that strengthen the ability of an individual museum to serve its public. MFA grants support activities that strengthen museums as active resources for lifelong learning, as important institutions in the establishment of livable communities, and as good stewards of the nation's collections. MFA grants can fund both new and ongoing museum activities and programs. Examples include planning, managing and conserving collections, improving public access, training, conducting programmatic research, school and public programming, producing exhibitions, and integrating new or upgraded technologies into your operations. There are three categories within the MFA program: Learning Experiences IMLS places the

learner at the center and supports engaging experiences in museums that prepare people to be full participants in their local communities and our global society. Projects should provide high-quality, inclusive, accessible, and audience-focused learning opportunities; provide access to collections, information, and educational resources; encourage the use of technologies; and develop programs for specific segments of the public. Community Anchors IMLS promotes museums as strong community anchors that enhance civic engagement, cultural opportunities, and economic vitality. Projects should harness a museum's expertise, knowledge, physical space, technology, or other resources in order to address a specific need originating in the community. Museums may undertake the project alone or in partnership with one or more community organizations. Collections Stewardship IMLS supports exemplary stewardship of museum collections and promotes the use of technology to facilitate discovery of knowledge and cultural heritage. Projects should address high priority collections care or conservation issues. Note to applicants: The FY2014 Museums for America grant opportunity encompasses those types of proposals that were previously solicited through the Conservation Project Support program. IMLS maintains its commitment to collections care, conservation, and preservation, and encourages step-by-step, progressive approach to conservation.

**Link to Additional Information:**

<http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?GrantId=11>

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### National Leadership Grants for Museums Modification 2

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	NLG-MUSEUMS-FY14
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	National Leadership Grants for Museums
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA) Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	15
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.312 -- National Leadership Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	Yes
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Sep 16, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 16, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 1, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$7,800,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$500,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$50,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	To be eligible as a museum, you must: be either a unit of State or local government or a private nonprofit organization that has tax- exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code; be located in one of the 50 States of the



United States of America, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau; and qualify as one of the following: 1. a museum that, using a professional staff, is organized on a permanent basis for essentially educational or aesthetic purposes; owns or uses tangible objects, either animate or inanimate; cares for these objects; and exhibits these objects to the general public on a regular basis through facilities that it owns or operates. 2. a public or private nonprofit agency which is responsible for the operation of a museum may apply on behalf of the museum. Please note that a museum located within a parent organization that is a State or local government or multipurpose not-for-profit entity, such as a municipality, university, historical society, foundation, or cultural center, may apply on its own behalf if the museum: (1) is able to independently fulfill all the eligibility requirements listed above; (2) functions as a discrete unit within the parent organization; (3) has its own fully segregated and itemized operating budget; and (4) has the authority to make the application on its own. When any of the last three conditions cannot be met, a museum may only apply through its parent organization. IMLS may determine that a non-profit organization that is affiliated with a museum is eligible for this program where the organization can demonstrate that it has the ability to administer the project and can ensure compliance with the terms of these guidelines and the applicable law, including the Assurances and Certifications. The applicant organization must submit an agreement from the museum that details the activities that the applicant and museum will perform and binds the museum to the statements and assurances made in the grant

**Agency Name:**

**Description:**

application.

Institute of Museum and Library Services

National Leadership Grants (NLG) for

Museums support projects that address

current and future needs of the museum field

and that have the potential to advance

practice in the profession so that museums

can improve services for the American

public. Successful proposals will generate

results such as models, new tools, research

findings, services, practices, and/or alliances

that can be widely used, adapted, scaled, or

replicated to extend and leverage the benefits

of federal investment. Distinguishing features

of all National Leadership Grants for

Museums projects are:

- Broad Impact: Your

proposal should address key needs and

challenges that face museums. Your project

should show the potential for far-reaching

impact, influence practice throughout the

museum profession; and reflect awareness

and support of current strategic initiatives and

agendas in the field.

- Innovation: Your

proposal should demonstrate a thorough

understanding of current practice and

knowledge about the subject matter, and

show how the project has the potential to

strengthen and improve museum services to

benefit the audiences and communities being

served.

- Collaboration: While partners are not

required in all NLG for Museums projects,

partnerships can help demonstrate a broad

need, field-wide buy-in and input, access to

appropriate expertise, and sharing of

resources. Your application should align with

one of the following three funding categories:

Learning Experiences IMLS places the

learner at the center and supports engaging

experiences in museums that prepare people

to be full participants in their local

communities and our global society. Projects

should deliver high quality, inclusive,

accessible and audience-focused programs,

exhibitions, and services for lifelong learning

in formal or informal settings. Community

Anchors IMLS promotes museums as strong

community anchors that enhance civic engagement, cultural opportunities, and economic vitality. Projects should address common community challenges and demonstrate how your museum improves the quality of life and enriches community members' knowledge and understanding of critical local and global issues, provides forums for community dialogue, and/or connects individuals to resources in the broader community service infrastructure through its programs and services. Projects may include capacity-building activities that position your museum to be more effective in fulfilling its role as a community anchor institution. Collections Stewardship IMLS supports exemplary stewardship of museum collections and promotes the use of technology to facilitate discovery of knowledge and cultural heritage. Projects should support the care and management of collections to expand and sustain access for current and future generations. Projects should reflect systematic, holistic, logical approaches to the documentation, preservation, and conservation of tangible and digital collections to sustain and improve public access.

**Link to Additional Information:**

<http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?GrantId=22>

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**Sparks! Ignition Grants for Museums**

**Modification 3**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	SPARKS-FY14
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Sparks! Ignition Grants for Museums
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA) Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	7
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.312 -- National Leadership Grants
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Sep 16, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Sep 16, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 2, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 1, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$175,000
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$25,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$10,000
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
<b>Additional Information on Eligibility:</b>	To be eligible as a museum, you must: be either a unit of State or local government or a private nonprofit organization that has tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code; be located in one of the 50 States of the United States of America, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau; and qualify as one of the following: 1. a museum that, using a

professional staff, is organized on a permanent basis for essentially educational or aesthetic purposes; owns or uses tangible objects, either animate or inanimate; cares for these objects; and exhibits these objects to the general public on a regular basis through facilities that it owns or operates. 2. a public or private nonprofit agency which is responsible for the operation of a museum may apply on behalf of the museum. Please note that a museum located within a parent organization that is a State or local government or multipurpose not-for-profit entity, such as a municipality, university, historical society, foundation, or cultural center, may apply on its own behalf if the museum: (1) is able to independently fulfill all the eligibility requirements listed above; (2) functions as a discrete unit within the parent organization; (3) has its own fully segregated and itemized operating budget; and (4) has the authority to make the application on its own. When any of the last three conditions cannot be met, a museum may only apply through its parent organization. IMLS may determine that a non-profit organization that is affiliated with a museum is eligible for this program where the organization can demonstrate that it has the ability to administer the project and can ensure compliance with the terms of these guidelines and the applicable law, including the Assurances and Certifications. The applicant organization must submit an agreement from the museum that details the activities that the applicant and museum will perform and binds the museum to the statements and assurances made in the grant application.

**Agency Name:**

**Description:**

Institute of Museum and Library Services  
The Sparks! Ignition Grants for Museums  
program is a special funding opportunity within the IMLS National Leadership Grants for Museums program, which supports projects that address problems, challenges, or needs of broad relevance to museums. These

small grants encourage museums to prototype and evaluate specific innovations in the ways they operate and the services they provide resulting in new tools, products, services, or organizational practices. You may propose activities or approaches that involve risk, as long as the project results – be they success, failure, or a combination thereof – offer valuable information to the museum field and the potential for improvement in the ways museums serve their communities. To maximize the public benefit from federal investments in these grants, the Sparks! Ignition Grants for Museums program will fund only projects with the following characteristics:

- Broad Impact: Your project should show the potential for far-reaching impact beyond your institution, and influence practice across one or more disciplines or specific fields within the museum profession.
- In-depth Knowledge: Your project should reflect a thorough understanding of current practice and knowledge about the subject matter and an awareness and support of current strategic initiatives and agendas in the field.
- Innovative Approach: Your project should employ new approaches to strengthen and improve services to benefit the audiences and communities being served.
- Shared Results: Your project should generate results that can be widely used, adapted, scaled, or replicated to leverage the benefits of federal investment. Grantees are required to submit a short white paper, or create their own dissemination tool, to be publicly posted and shared with the field.

**Link to Additional Information:**

<http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?GrantId=23>

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## Department of Interior

Fish and Wildlife Service  
National Fish Passage Program  
Modification 3

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	FWS-NFPP-FY11
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Nov 08, 2010
Creation Date:	Feb 25, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2012
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2014
Archive Date:	Oct 30, 2014
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	80
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$11,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Award Floor:	\$200
CFDA Number(s):	15.608 -- Fish and Wildlife Management Assistance
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

### Eligible Applicants

City or township governments

### Additional Information on Eligibility:

#### Agency Name

Fish and Wildlife Service

#### Description

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) Fisheries Program's National Fish Passage Program is a voluntary, non-regulatory conservation assistance program that provides financial and technical assistance to remove or bypass artificial barriers that impede the movement of fish and other aquatic species and contribute

to their decline. The National Fish Passage Program received \$11.0 million of operational funds to implement the program in Fiscal Years 2011. The Service will implement fish passage improvement-based, cost-shared projects to protect, restore, or enhance habitats that support fish and other aquatic species and their populations. All or a portion of project funds may be transferred to partner organizations through cooperative agreements if the Service lacks the capability to implement a project. To determine eligibility of a specific project contact the REGIONAL COORDINATOR in your area. A list of Coordinators and their responsible geographical areas is attached to this announcement under the APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS.

**Link to Additional Information**

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National Park Service  
FY2013 THPO Historic Preservation Fund Grants in Aid  
Modification 1

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	P13AS00003
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Feb 05, 2013
Creation Date:	Feb 05, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2014
Archive Date:	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation



of Other Category of Funding Activity"  
for clarification)

Category Explanation: Cultural and Historic Preservation

Expected Number of Awards: 143

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$8,500,000

Award Ceiling: \$0

Award Floor: \$0

CFDA Number(s): 15.904 -- Historic Preservation Fund  
Grants-In-Aid

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

**Eligible Applicants**

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

**Agency Name**

National Park Service

**Description**

To provide formula grants to Tribal Historic Preservation Offices (THPO) for the identification, evaluation, and cultural and historical preservation by such means as survey, education, archeology, planning, and technical assistance. To assist THPOs in carrying out responsibilities as stated under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended through 2006.

**Link to Additional Information**

[http://www.nps.gov/history/thpo/grant\\_application.html](http://www.nps.gov/history/thpo/grant_application.html)

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**Department of Justice**

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## National Archives and Records Administration

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### National Endowment for the Arts

#### NEA Literature Fellowships: Translation Projects, FY 2015 Grant

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	2014NEA03LFTP
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	NEA Literature Fellowships: Translation Projects, FY 2015
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to Organizations and Individuals
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jul 23, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Jul 23, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 9, 2013 The Grants.gov system must receive your validated and accepted application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on December 9, 2013.
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 9, 2013 The Grants.gov system must receive your validated and accepted application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on December 9, 2013.
<b>Archive Date:</b>	Jan 8, 2014
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$25,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$12,500
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Individuals
<b>Additional</b>	Individual translators who meet the publication requirements that are

**Information on Eligibility:**

listed below are eligible to apply. Applicants must be citizens or permanent residents of the United States. See "How to Prepare and Submit an Application" for the documentation that is required to demonstrate eligibility. Ineligible applications will be rejected without panel review. An individual may submit only one application for FY 2015 funding. You may not apply for both a Translation Project under this deadline (December 9, 2013) and a Literature Fellowship (in prose or poetry) under the 2014 deadline (when fellowships in poetry are offered). See Literature Fellowships for more information. You are not eligible to apply if you have received three or more Fellowships (in poetry, prose, or for translation) from the National Endowment for the Arts. In addition, you may not apply in Translation if you have received any Arts Endowment Literature Fellowships (in prose or poetry) or Translation Fellowship on or after October 1, 2010 (FY 2011). Finally, you may not apply in Translation with the same project for more than three consecutive years. Former grantees must have submitted acceptable Final Report packages by the due date(s) for all Arts Endowment award(s) previously received.

**Description:**

The Arts Endowment's support of a project may begin any time between November 1, 2014, and November 1, 2015, and extend for up to two years. Grant Program Description Through fellowships to published translators, the Arts Endowment supports projects for the translation of specific works of prose, poetry, or drama from other languages into English. We encourage translations of writers and of work that are not well represented in English translation. All proposed projects must be for creative translations of literary material into English. The work to be translated should be of interest for its literary excellence and value. Priority will be given to projects that involve work that has not previously been translated into English. Competition for fellowships is rigorous. Potential applicants should consider carefully whether their work will be competitive at the national level. We Do Not Fund • Individuals who previously have received three or more Literature Fellowships (in prose or poetry) or Translation Fellowships from the National Endowment for the Arts. • Individuals who have received any Literature Fellowship (in prose or poetry) or Translation Fellowship from the National Endowment for the Arts within the past five years. • Applicants applying with the same project for more than three consecutive years. • Scholarly writing. (Writers who are engaged in scholarly work may wish to contact the National Endowment for the Humanities.) • Work toward academic degrees.

**Link to Additional Information: Contact**

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## **National Endowment for the Humanities**

### **Sustaining Cultural Heritage Collections Grant**

<b>Document Type:</b>	Grants Notice
<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	20131203-PF
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Sustaining Cultural Heritage Collections
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	
<b>CFDA Number(s):</b>	45.149 -- Promotion of the Humanities Division of Preservation and Access
<b>Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:</b>	No
<b>Posted Date:</b>	Aug 27, 2013
<b>Creation Date:</b>	Aug 27, 2013
<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 3, 2013
<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Dec 3, 2013
<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	
<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$350,000
<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$1
<b>Eligible Applicants:</b>	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Special district governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education County governments City or township 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) Private institutions of higher education State governments

**Agency Name:** National Endowment for the Humanities  
**Description:** Sustaining Cultural Heritage Collections (SCHC) helps cultural institutions meet the complex challenge of preserving large and diverse holdings of humanities materials for future generations by supporting preventive conservation measures.

**Link to Additional Information:**  
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National Endowment for the Humanities  
Programming Grants to Accompany NEH on the Road Exhibitions Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	20131231-MR
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Jan 02, 2013
Creation Date:	Jan 02, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 31, 2013
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 31, 2013
Archive Date:	Jan 30, 2014
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000
Award Floor:	\$0
CFDA Number(s):	45.164 -- Promotion of the Humanities Public Programs
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

**Eligible Applicants**

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

**Additional Information on Eligibility:**

An institution is eligible to apply only if it is a nonprofit organization with IRS tax-exempt status and has already received a confirmed booking for one of the NEH on the Road exhibitions through Mid-America Arts Alliance.

**Agency Name**

National Endowment for the Humanities

**Description**

These grants support ancillary public humanities programs to accompany NEH on the Road traveling exhibitions. Typical formats involve lectures, reading and discussion programs, film discussion programs, Chautauqua presentations by scholars, family programs, exhibition tours, and other appropriate formats for reaching the general public.

**Link to Additional Information**

<http://www.neh.gov/grants/public/programming-grants-accompany-neh-the-road-exhibitions>

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