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Grant Opportunities & News You Can Use

Hello, grant-seekers,

For your reading pleasure, here's the latest edition of the Grants Newsletter. Our Featured Funder is the Guggenheim family which has two eponymous organizations that support academic research and creative production, along with other storied philanthropic and cultural efforts, of which you may have heard. Our Sage Advice column covers the special role of biosketches in some grant applications.

As usual, we include recent News, followed by profiles of opportunities coming up in the month of June, including a few of the smaller research grants from the NIH. Reminders for deadlines over the next six months can be found beginning on page eleven, grouped by discipline.

You can download the whole year's Grants Calendar and Fellowships Calendar from the Barnard website and sort by due date, discipline, funder, or grant type.

Internal grant deadlines have now passed for this academic year. Be on the lookout for next year's deadlines on the Internal Grants page of the Barnard website. If you have colleagues abroad whom you would like to bring to Barnard under the Weiss Fellowships for Visiting International Scholars Program, please see information here.

For assistance in finding grants for an upcoming project or to begin an application process, please contact Kari Steeves or any one of us in Institutional Funding and Sponsored Research. As always, feel free to send us comments, requests, or suggestions here.

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Featured Funder

The Guggenheims

The many children and grandchildren of Meyer Guggenheim and Barbara Meyers, who fell in love on a ship as they crossed the Atlantic to the United States from Switzerland in 1847,¹ would come to make up one of the most well-known philanthropic families in the country—after becoming one of the richest.² Here's how the family fortunes, gained primarily from mining and smelting, relate to you.

As perhaps the most prestigious and well known of the various Guggenheim funding sources, **Guggenheim Fellowships** are, I'm sure, not news to you. The John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation awards were established in 1925 by Meyer and Barbara's eighth child, Simon Guggenheim, and Simon's wife, Olga Hirsch, to honor the memory of their first son, who died at the age of 17. The Foundation grants approximately 175 fellowships per year to "further the development of scholars and artists by assisting them to engage in research in any field of knowledge and creation in any of the arts, under the freest possible conditions and irrespective of race, color, or creed." They "are intended for individuals who have already demonstrated exceptional capacity for productive scholarship or exceptional creative ability in the arts." Last year, the application success rate was approximately 18%, lower than the average for the NSF and NIH, but higher than for the NEH. More than ten Barnard faculty have received the Fellowship since 2003. For 2020, applications will become available on the Foundation website in July and will be due, most likely, sometime in mid-September.

Another of Meyer and Barbara's grandsons, **Harry Frank Guggenheim**, incorporated the Harry Frank Guggenheim Foundation in 1929. It sponsors research projects on "problems of violence, aggression, and dominance" for both established scholars and graduate students in fields as diverse as genetics, criminology, and humanities. Research priorities include Youth, Family, Media, Crime, Biology, War & Peace, Terrorism, and Religion, Ethnicity, Nationalism. Applications are due annually on August 1.

Apart from these two important potential sources of funding to support your work, you may also have enjoyed Guggenheim largess if you visited one of the many Guggenheim museums around the world— The Guggenheim Museum in New York established in 1939 by Solomon, Meyer's fourth son; and in Venice, where Peggy, Meyer's granddaughter, opened her collection to the public seasonally beginning in 1951.³ The Guggenheim in Bilbao, Spain, was funded by the Basque government, so it cannot technically be counted as a beneficiary of family wealth, but it is managed by the Solomon R. Guggenheim Foundation.⁴

More tangentially, Daniel, the second son, created a fund for the promotion of aeronautics in 1926 long since defunct—which helped to establish air travel in the U.S. The American Institute of Aeronatics and Astronautics continues to award the Daniel Guggenheim Medal for notable achievements in the field. Because of major gifts from various family members, you can visit Guggenheim Halls in places as far flung as the Colorado School of Mines, the University of Washington, and Bronx Community College. To bring our story full circle, the Harry Frank Guggenheim Hall of Minerals in the American Museum of Natural History housed a collection of gems and minerals, and, until it closed for renovation, it was one of the most popular gathering places for the many children and grandchildren of New York's Upper West Side stroller set.

¹ John H. Davis, *The Guggenheims: An American Epic*. S.P.I. Books, New York. 1989.

⁴ Wikipedia, "Guggenheim Museum Bilbao," https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Guggenheim_Museum_Bilbao

² Jennifer Schaub, Learning to Give. Guggenheim Family. Website access on April 18, 2019. https://www.learningtogive.org/ resources/guggenheim-family

³ Wikipedia, "Peggy Guggenheim Collection," https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Peggy_Guggenheim_Collection

Sage Advice for Competitive Proposals

Biosketches

Some proposals and fellowship applications, most notably for federal funders such as the NIH and NSF, require biographical sketches from senior or key applicant as part of the application materials. Guidelines usually limit the length to anywhere from one to five pages. Applicants should think of those pages as an opportunity to "describe why they are well-suited for their role in the project," to quote the NIH's explanation. As such, biosketches can become pivotal to drawing a broader picture of the trajectory of your work, its relationship to the funder's mission, and how your current project fits.

Funders often, but not always, provide precise instructions for biosketch contents. For example, the NIH biosketch must follow a specific template and include, beyond your name, title, and education:

- A. Personal statement
- B. Positions and Honors
- C. Contributions to Science
- D. Additional Information: Research Support and/or Scholastic Performance

The NIH biosketch may also include a link to a full list of the applicant's published work, but no tables or graphics.

So, how can you make the most of these "extra" pages?

Tips for All Biosketches (maybe even Words to Live By)

- Read the instructions, download the most recent template, and adhere to them (or it) religiously. Deviations can sometimes disqualify your application out of hand. We do not want your excellent research to go unfunded because of fudged margins or the wrong font.
- Use headers and subheads, bolds and underlines, to separate sections and help your readers pick up the most important parts as they skim...because I hate to admit it, but they may skim.
- Focus the narrative arc of your personal statement on what is relevant to your proposal. From General Instructions for NIH and Other PHS Agencies, include: "aspects of your training; your previous experimental work on this specific topic or related topics; your technical expertise; your collaborators or scientific environment; and/or your past performance in this or related fields." No need to list research not related to the application. Same goes for awards and honors.
- Carefully choose publications for your bibliography that highlight your team's and your expertise, your particular qualification to do the work you propose, and your level of productivity.
- If you know of potential concerns about your work that a reviewer may raise while reading your proposal, you may be able to use the biosketch as an opportunity to put those questions to rest.
- Take the NIH up on its instruction to include imminent promotions. While no particular titles are required, your status may affect how your qualifications are viewed by reviewers.
- Ask colleagues, mentors, and friends to read it (well) before submission and provide feedback. The biosketch could be the "first impression" you're making on members of the scientific community.

Biosketches are required for some progress reports too, so it's incumbent upon everyone to have a strong one that is up-to-date and ready.

For more detailed advice, especially on the bibliography, see "Grant-Writing Tips: Preparing Your Biosketch and Proving Your Expertise," by Sara Rockwell, Associate Dean for Scientific Affairs at Yale University School of Medicine.

For detailed explanations and requirements for NIH biosketches, check here and here.

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FROM THE NIH

Annual Snapshot by the numbers

https://nexus.od.nih.gov/all/2019/03/13/nihannual-snapshot-fy-2018-by-the-numbers/

This post gives the highlights for FY2018 "annual snapshots of NIH research investments," including success rate data. Enjoy!

Also:

"We are excited to announce that we are planning to launch the newly redesigned eRA website on **Tuesday, April 30, 2019.**

The new design is based on a year-long survey of eRA website users. It focuses on intuitive navigation, improved accessibility (508 compliance), more convenient access to Commons, ASSIST and IAR (Internet Assisted Review), while providing critical new and updated "how-to" information.

To get a preview, check out the New eRA Website preview video.

The launch will require downtime of about 2 hours. As a result, the existing eRA website will not be available between 6:30 a.m. ET and 8:30 a.m. ET on Tuesday, April 30.

Note that the eRA modules will continue to be operational during the downtime and can be accessed through the following URLs:

- eRA Commons: https://public.era.nih.gov/ commons
- ASSIST: https://public.era.nih.gov/ASSIST
- IAR: https://public.era.nih.gov/IAR"

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GENERAL

CLAGS: Center for LGBTQ Studies Fellowship Award

Deadline: June 1, 2019

"An award to be given annually for a graduate student, an academic, or an independent scholar for work on a dissertation, a first book manuscript, or a second book manuscript. The CLAGS Fellowship is open to intellectuals contributing to the field of LGBTQ studies. Intended to give the scholar the most help possible in furthering their work, the fellowship will be able to be used for research, travel, or writing support." <<more>>

Vilcek Foundation Prizes for Creative Promise

Deadline: June 10, 2019

"The Vilcek Prizes for Creative Promise were established in 2009 as a complement to the Vilcek Prizes, to encourage and support young immigrants who have already demonstrated exceptional achievements, and who often face significant challenges early in their careers. As with the Vilcek Prizes, the Creative Promise Prizes are awarded annually in biomedical science and in a changing category of the arts, next year recognizing accomplishments in the field of architecture.... 2020 Applications will be in Biomedical Science and Literature" <<more>

Columbia Alliance Joint Projects

Deadline: June 21, 2019

"The Alliance Call for Joint Projects is open to fulltime officers of instruction of professorial rank, from all disciplines at Columbia University, École Polytechnique, Sciences Po, and Paris Panthéon-Sorbonne University. Projects must be presented jointly by at least one faculty member from Columbia University and one faculty member from any one of the three French institutions. Third parties may be part of the Joint Project team as long as the team includes at least one faculty member from Columbia University and at least one faculty member from any one of the three French institutions. The Alliance Program will fund projects up to \$15,000 for travel, materials, technological support, and other expenses in the design/implementation of the project. The grant cannot be used for salary, stipends, Per Diem, or teaching-assistant wages. Special consideration will be given to those projects which aim to

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promote sustainable relationships between departments or schools in the Alliance network." <<more>>

Hagley Museum and Library Henry Berlin Du Pont Research Grants and Exploratory Research Grants

Deadline: June 30, 2019

"Administered by the Center for the History of Business, Technology and Society, Hagley invites serious researchers to apply for one of our grants to defray the costs of an extended stay intended to use our collections. All grants require applicants to explain how their project will contribute new information to previous scholarship and how Hagley's research materials are pertinent to their project. Exploratory grants are limited to one week and Henry Belin du Pont research grants may be up to 8 weeks. Researchers who first apply for an exploratory grant may ask for a longer research grant if our collections warrant more attention. Anyone can apply for one of these research grants, but only advanced graduate students are eligible for our Henry Belin du Pont dissertation grant and the Jefferson Scholars/ Hagley Library fellowship. Scholars with a Ph.D. may also apply for a four- or eight-month NEH-Hagley Postdoctoral Fellowship." << more>>

Humboldt Foundation

Research Fellowship for Experienced Researchers <u>Deadline</u>: Rolling

"Submit an application if you are a researcher from abroad with above average qualifications, completed your doctorate less than twelve years ago, already have your own research profile and are working at least at the level of Assistant Professor or Junior Research Group Leader or have a record of several years of independent academic work. A Humboldt Research Fellowship for experienced researchers allows you to carry out long-term research (6-18 months) in Germany. Applicants choose their own topic of research and their academic host. The fellowship is flexible and can be divided up into as many as three stays

within three years. Scientists and scholars of all nationalities and disciplines may apply to the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation online at any time." <<more>>

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Hedgebrook Writers in Residence Deadline: June 1, 2019

"Hedgebrook is on Whidbey Island, about thirtyfive miles northwest of Seattle. Situated on 48acres of forest and meadow facing Puget Sound, with a view of Mount Rainier, the retreat hosts writers from all over the world for residencies of two to six weeks, at no cost to the writer. Six writers are in residence at a time, each housed in a handcrafted cottage. They spend their days in solitude - writing, reading, taking walks in the woods on the property or on nearby Double Bluff beach. In the evenings, they gather in the farmhouse kitchen to share a home-cooked gourmet meal, their work, their process and their stories. The Writers in Residence Program is Hedgebrook's core program, supporting the fullyfunded residencies of approximately 40 writers at the retreat each year." <<more>>

National Science Foundation Antarctic Writers and Artists Program Deadlines: June 1, 2019

"The Antarctic Artists and Writers Program was established to facilitate writing and artistic projects designed to increase the public's understanding and appreciation of the Antarctic and human endeavors on the southernmost continent. The Artist and Writers Program gives priority to projects that focus on interpreting and representing the scientific activities being conducted in the unique Antarctic region. Proposed projects must target audiences in the U.S. and be distributed/exhibited in the U.S. The program does not support site installations or performances in Antarctica. The program also does not support short-term projects that are essentially journalistic in nature (See Section IX.

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Other Information). Artists and Writers Program field teams should consist of no more than one or two people. Larger projects—such as television or documentary film crews—should contact the cognizant AAW Program Officer." <<more>>

University of Minnesota Michal G. Karni Scholarship

Deadline: June 1, 2019

"The Michael G. Karni Scholarship supports visiting professors, lecturers, or graduate students from the United States or abroad using the archival sources of the University of Minnesota's Immigration History Research Center Archives (IHRC Archives), with first preference on projects using the Finnish American collection and second preference on project using the Baltic collections (i.e., Estonian, Latvian, Lithuanian)." <<more>

Gerda Henkel Stiftung General Research Grants

Deadline: June 12, 2019

"The focus of promotion is on the historical humanities, and in particular the support of research projects in the disciplines of archeology, historical science, historical Islamic studies, art history, legal history, prehistory and history of science. In the area of general research funding, it is possible to apply for research projects and research fellowships. An application is possible regardless of the nationality of the applicant and the place of employment. For a number of years, the Foundation has also increasingly addressed issues of great relevance to contemporary life and the future, above all as part of its special Islam, the Modern Nation State and Transnational Movements and Security, Society and the State programmes." <<more>>

Carey Institute for Global Good Logan Nonfiction Fellowship

Deadline: June 15, 2019

"Logan Nonfiction fellows at the Carey Institute are provided all the necessary tools to complete their critical work. Lodging, work space, sophisticated

technological support (including Wi-Fi, a state-ofthe-art screening room and dedicated space, equipment and software for video, film and radio editing) and meals are provided. Fellows may also benefit from the mentorship of several board members and internationally renowned journalists. We also help selected print fellows convert their work into audio, video or digital media through the expertise of our partners. The Institute is eager to convene issue-oriented conferences related to our fellows' projects to bring their reporting to policy-makers and other experts." <<more>

Vermont Studio Center Fellowships

Deadline: June 15, 2019

"The largest international artists' and writers' residency program in the United States. Our mission is to provide studio residencies in an inclusive, international community, honoring creative work as the communication of spirit through form." "We offer over 120 fellowships per year to artists and writers of outstanding talent. A fellowship covers the full cost of a VSC residency (some awards also include an additional stipend for travel/lost income/etc). At each of our three annual deadlines (February 15th, June 15th, and October 1st), our fellowship offerings change. In addition to some donor-driven awards with special eligibility requirements, there are always a number of general, merit-based VSC fellowships for which all applicants are considered." << more>>

Artist Trust Artist Projects

Deadline: June 24, 2019

"Grants for Artist Projects (GAP) provide support for artist-generated projects, which can include (but are not limited to) the development, completion or presentation of new work in any discipline." <<more>>>

Gladys Krieble Delmas Foundation Awards

Deadline: Rolling

"The Foundation intends to further the humanities along a broad front, supporting projects which address the concerns of the historical studia humanitatis: a humanistic education rooted in the great traditions of the past; the formation of human beings according to cultural, moral, and aesthetic ideals derived from that past; and the ongoing debate over how these ideals may best be for the collection of preliminary data and the conceived and realized." <<more>>

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Wenner Gren Foundation **Conference and Workshop Grants**

Deadline: June 1 and December 1, 2019 "Conference and Workshop Grants are for amounts up to \$20,000. In accordance with the mission of the Foundation, priority is given to events that foster the creation of an international community of research scholars in anthropology and advance significant and innovative anthropological research." <<more>>

American Sociological Association Fund for the Advancement of the Discipline

Deadline: June 15 and December 15, 2019 "The goal of this award is to nurture the development of scientific knowledge by funding small, groundbreaking research initiatives that will advance the discipline. FAD awards provide scholars with "seed money" for innovative research that provides opportunities for substantive and methodological breakthroughs, broadens the dissemination of scientific knowledge, and provides leverage for acquisition of additional research funds." <<more>>

National Institutes of Health

Ethical, Legal, and Social Implications of Genomic **Research Small Research Grant Program (R03)** Deadline: June 16, 2019

"This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA)

invites Small Research Grant (R03) applications to study the ethical, legal and social implications (ELSI) of human genome research. These applications should be for small, self-contained research projects, such as those that involve single investigators. Of particular interest are projects that propose normative or conceptual analyses, including focused legal, economic, philosophical, anthropological, or historical analyses of new or emerging issues. This mechanism can also be used secondary analysis of existing data." <<more>>

Smith Richardson Foundation **Strategy and Policy Fellows**

Deadline: June 17, 2019

"The Smith Richardson Foundation sponsors an annual Strategy and Policy Fellows grant competition to support young scholars and policy thinkers on American foreign policy, international relations, international security, military policy, and diplomatic and military history. The purpose of the program is to strengthen the U.S. community of scholars and researchers conducting policy analysis in these fields." <<more>>

National Endowment for Democracy Grants

Deadline: June 21, 2019 "Each year the National Endowment for Democracy (NED) makes direct grants to hundreds of nongovernmental organizations worldwide working to advance democratic goals and strengthen democratic institutions." <<more>>

Russell Sage Foundation Visiting Scholars Program

Deadline: June 27, 2019

"The Russell Sage Foundation's Visiting Scholars Program provides a unique opportunity for select scholars in the social, economic and behavioral sciences to pursue their research and writing while in residence at the Foundation's New York headquarters. Research carried out by Visiting Scholars constitutes an important part of the

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Foundation's ongoing effort to analyze and understand the complex and shifting nature of social and economic life in the United States. While Visiting Scholars typically work on projects related to the Foundation's current programs, a few scholars whose research falls outside these areas are occasionally invited as well. Descriptions of our prior Visiting Scholar classes along with summaries of their projects attest to the diversity of scholars, disciplines and projects selected." <<more>>

Searle Freedom Trust **Grants in Public Policy**

Deadline: Rolling

"Recognizing that good policymaking relies on the availability of high-quality research, the foundation \$125,000 up through \$500,000 for projects ranging invests primarily in scholarship that results in the publication of books, journal articles, and policy papers. Funding is typically provided in the form of research grants, fellowships, and other types of targeted project support. The Searle Freedom Trust also provides funding for public interest litigation and supports outreach to the public through a variety of forums, including sponsorship of research conferences and seminars, film and journalism projects, and new media initiatives. With the foundation's assistance, university and think tank scholars investigate a wide range of issues, including:

· Tax and budget policy

· Cost-benefit analysis of regulatory practices and proposals

- The workings of the legal system
- · Environmental policy
- Social welfare reform
- K-12 and higher education policy" <<more>>

EDUCATION

Spencer Foundation Research-Practice Partnership Grants Deadline: May 24, 2019

"This grant program is open to partnerships between researchers and a broad array of practitioners. We define practitioners as school districts, county offices of education, state educational organizations, universities, community

 -based organizations, out of school time providers, informal educators, or other social sectors that importantly impact students' lives. As such, we are open to applications from design-based research teams, network improvement communities, and placed-based research alliances. We expect the partners in the RPPs we fund to have engaged in fruitful long-term collaborations." <<more>>

Spencer Foundation Large Research Grants Deadline: June 20, 2019

"The Large Research Grants on Education Program supports education research projects that will contribute to the improvement of education, broadly conceived, with budgets ranging from from one to five years. This program is "fieldinitiated" in that proposal submissions are not in response to a specific request for a particular research topic, discipline, design, or method. Our goal for this program is to support rigorous, intellectually ambitious and technically sound research that is relevant to the most pressing questions and compelling opportunities in education." <<more>>

National Education Association Learning and Leadership Grants Deadline: June 1, 2019

"Educators frequently need outside resources to engage in meaningful professional development due to limited district funding. Through our Learning & Leadership grants, we support the professional development of NEA members by providing grants to: Individuals to participate in high-quality professional development like summer institutes, conferences, seminars, travel abroad programs, or action research Groups to fund collegial study, including study groups, action research, lesson plan development, or mentoring experiences for faculty or staff. We give preference to proposals that incorporate STEM and/or global competence in their projects." <<more>>

Boulware Foundation Grants

Deadline: Rolling

"At the Boulware Foundation, we believe that girls & women with equal power can make critical life decisions that benefit themselves, family members and their community. Women are important agents for social change and by investing in them, the impact is exponential." <<more>>

LANGUAGE & AREA STUDIES

Conference on Latin American History Lydia Cabrera Awards

Deadline: June 1, 2019

"Lydia Cabrera Awards are available to support the study of Cuba between 1492 and 1868.
Awards are designed specifically to support:
1) original research on Cuban history in Spanish, Mexican, and U. S. archives;
2) the publication of meritorious books on Cuba currently out of print; and
3) the publication of historical statistics,

historical documents, and guides to Spanish archives relating to Cuban history between 1492 and 1868." <<more>>

Harriman Institute, Columbia University Tymkiw Ukranian Fellowships

Deadline: Rolling

"The Harriman Institute seeks to support the faculty and associated faculty of the institute through a number of research funding opportunities. For more information, please contact Associate Director Alla Rachkov. Tymkiw Ukrainian Fellowships Dr. Stephan and Tamara Tymkiw Faculty Research Grants are awarded to support faculty research expenses in Ukrainian studies. Funds may be used for any aspect of research, including travel, manuscript editing, datacollection, research assistance, training and other purposes." <<more>

STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics)

American Physical Society Fellowship

Deadline: June 3, 2019

"The criterion for election is exceptional contributions to the physics enterprise; e.g., outstanding physics research, important applications of physics, leadership in or service to physics, or significant contributions to physics education. Fellowship is a distinct honor signifying recognition by one's professional peers." <<more>>>

Society for Neuroscience Mika Salpeter Lifetime Achievement Award

<u>Deadline</u>: June 7, 2019 "The Mika Salpeter Lifetime Achievement Award recognizes an individual with outstanding career

achievements in neuroscience who has also significantly promoted the professional advancement of women in neuroscience. " <<more>>

Simons Foundation

Fellowships in Marine Microbial Ecology Deadline: June 14, 2019

"The Simons Foundation invites applications for postdoctoral fellowships to support research on fundamental problems in marine microbial ecology. The foundation is particularly interested in applicants with training in different fields who want to apply their experience to understanding the role of microorganisms in shaping ocean processes and vice versa, as well as applicants with experience in modeling or theory development. While these crossdisciplinary applicants already involved in ocean research are also encouraged to apply."

National Science Foundation Perception, Action, & Cognition

<u>Deadline</u>: June 15, 2019 "The PAC program funds theoretically motivated research on a wide-range of topic areas related to typical human behavior with particular focus on perceptual, motor, and cognitive processes and their interactions. Central research topics for consideration by the program include (but are not limited to) vision, audition, haptics, attention, memory, written and spoken language, spatial cognition, motor control, categorization, reasoning, and concept formation. Of particular interest are emerging areas, such as the interaction of sleep or emotion with cognitive or perceptual processes, epigenetics of cognition, computational models of cognition, and crossmodal and multimodal processing. The program welcomes a wide range of perspectives, such as individual differences, symbolic and neuralinspired computation, ecological approaches, genetics and epigenetics, nonlinear dynamics and complex systems, and a variety of methodologies spanning the range of experimentation and modeling." <<more>>

American Chemical Society WCC Rising Star Award

Deadline: June 15, 2019

"Female ACS members in chemistry and chemical engineering, who are approaching mid-level careers, working in academic, industrial, government, non-profit or other employment sectors." <<more>>>

National Institutes of Health R03 Small Research Grants

<u>Deadline</u>: June 16, October 16, 2019, and February 16, 2020

"The NIH Small Research Grant Program supports small research projects that can be carried out in a short period of time with limited resources. This program supports different types of projects including pilot and feasibility studies; secondary analysis of existing data; small, self-contained research projects; development of research methodology; and development of new research technology." <<more>

National Institutes of Health

R21 Exploratory/Developmental Research Grants <u>Deadline</u>: June 16, October 16, 2019, and February 16, 2020

"The NIH Exploratory/Developmental Grant supports exploratory and developmental research projects by providing support for the early and conceptual stages of these projects. These studies may involve considerable risk but may lead to a breakthrough in a particular area, or to the development of novel techniques, agents, methodologies, models, or applications that could have a major impact on a field of biomedical, behavioral, or clinical research." <<more>>>

National Institutes of Health R34 Clinical Trial Planning Grants

<u>Deadline</u>: June 16, October 16, 2019, and February 16, 2020

"This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) invites applications under the NIH Clinical Trial Planning Grant Program, the purpose of which is to provide support for the development of a Phase III clinical trial. This includes the establishment of the research team, the development of tools for data management and oversight of the research, the definition of recruitment strategies, and the finalization of the protocol and other essential elements of the study included in a manual of operations/procedures. The Clinical Trial Planning Grant is not designed for the collection of preliminary data or the conduct of pilot studies to support the rationale for a clinical trial." The following NIH Institutes and Centers DO NOT accept R34 applications in response to this Parent R34 Announcement but ONLY accept Clinical Trial Planning Grant (R34) applications in response to their specific funding opportunity announcements: NCCAM; NIAID; NIBIB; NCI; NIDCR; NIDDK; NIEHS; NIGMS; NINR; NHLBI; NHGRI; NIMH NLM; NCRR., NINDS, NIDCD, NCMHD, FIC." <<more>>

National Institutes of Health R15 Academic Research Enhancement Award (AREA)

Deadline: June 25, 2019

"Goals of the Program: Support meritorious research, expose undergraduate and graduate students to hands-on research in eligible environments, and strengthen the research environment of schools that have not been major recipients of NIH support" <<more>>>

American Astronomical Society Annie Jump Cannon Award in Astronomy Deadline: June 30, 2019

"The Annie Jump Cannon Award is for outstanding research and promise for future research by a postdoctoral woman researcher. It is given to a North American female astronomer within five years of receiving her PhD in the year designated for the award. The Cannon Award includes an honorarium of \$1,500 and an invitation to give an invited talk at a meeting of the AAS, for which travel expenses will be paid." <<more>>>

Biodiversity International Research Fellowship

Deadline: Rolling

"Bioversity International collaborates with students (MSc and PhD) and working professionals from developed and developing countries to carry out thesis or other research that contributes to our mission to deliver scientific evidence, management practices and policy options to use and safeguard agricultural biodiversity to attain global food and nutrition security. The topic of the research should be aligned with one of Bioversity International's areas of expertise. The objectives of the fellowships are to develop individual capacity in research for development, to contribute to generating and sharing knowledge, to build a network of scientists and institutions within our field of interest and offer employment experience to recent graduates." <<more>>

LIBRARY SCIENCES

International Association of Sound and Audiovisual Archives Research Grants

Deadline: Rolling

"IASA regularly offers financial awards to encourage and support research and publication within the field of audiovisual archiving and preservation.... IASA will support a research project only if there is evidence that the results are within the scope of IASA's purposes. This includes, but is not limited to the care of, access to, and long term preservation of sound and audiovisual heritage including the development of best professional standards and practice for sound and audiovisual heritage." <<more>>>

Deadline Reminders

Below are grants that are, or are expected to be, due in the next six months. For a list of grant deadlines for the whole year, please see our Grants Calendar on the Barnard website.

GENERAL INTEREST AND CROSS-DISCIPLINARY

April 25—Project Management Institute Sponsored Research Program April 30—National Library of Australia Fellowships May 1— Rockefeller Association Bellagio Academic Writing Residency May 2—William T. Grant Foundation Research Grants May 15—National Science Foundation Perception, Action, & Cognition May 24—Russell Sage Foundation Inequality Research May 31 – (Letter of inquiry) Russell Sage Foundation Regular Programs (Social Inequality /Future of Work /Race, Ethnicity & Immigration / Behavioral Economics) June 1—University of Minnesota's Immigration History Research Center Archives Michael G. Karni Scholarship June 20—Association for Information Science and Technology Bob Williams History Fund

Research Grant Award June 22—Columbia Alliance Joint Projects June 30—Hagley Museum and Library Henry Belin du Pont Research Grants & Exploratory Research Grants July 1 — PEN America Writing for Justice Fellowship July 5—William T. Grant Distinguished Fellows Grants July 11—National Science Foundation Science of Learning Grant July 15—Library of Congress Kluge Center Fellowship August 1—Fulbright Distinguished Chair in International Relations at University of Sao Paulo August 1—United States Department of State Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs Fulbright U.S. **Scholar Program** August 1 – American Academy of Religion Collaborative Research Grants September 13 – Harvard University Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study Fellowship Programs (Individual Applicants) for creative arts, humanities, and social sciences September 15—National Science Foundation Documenting Endangered Languages September 15—Shelley & Donald Rubin foundation Grant Program September 18—National Endowment for the Humanities Connections Planning Grants September 18—National Endowment for the Humanities Connections Implementation Grant September 19—John Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellowship September 26 — American Council of Learned Societies Fellowships September 27—New York Public Library Cullman Center Fellowship for Scholars and Writers September 29—American Academy in Berlin Prize September 30—Carey Institute for Global Good Logan Nonfiction Program September 30—Feminist Review Trust Awards October 1—Grammy Museum Music Research and Music Preservation October 2— American Philosophical Society Franklin Research Grants October 4 – Harvard University Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study Fellowship Programs (Individual Applicants) for natural sciences and mathematics October 6—Obama Foundation Fellowship October 15—Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange October 17—Camargo Foundation Core Program in Cassis, France October 17—European Research Council Grants October 24—National Endowment for the Humanities Dialogues on the Experience of War October 25—Fitch Foundation Richard L. Blinder Award Rolling deadline — Boulware Foundation Grants Rolling deadline — Earhart Foundation Fellowship Research Grants in Humanities & Social Sciences Rolling deadline — Institute for Humane Studies Hayek Fund for Scholars—Covering conference and job interview travel Rolling deadline — National Geographic Society Grants Program Rolling deadline — Puffin Foundation Investigative Fund Rolling deadline — Pulitzer Center Travel Grants Rolling deadline — Ruth Landes Memorial Research Fund Rolling deadline — Tools and Trades History Society Salaman Awards

ARTS & HUMANITIES

General Interest and Cross Disciplinary

May 3—Dallas Institute of Humanities and Culture Hiett Prize in the Humanities

- May 18— Barry Amiel and Norman Melburn Trust Grants
- May 31 Australian National University Research School of Humanities and the Arts Humanities Research Centre Visiting Fellowships
- May 31 Shafik Gabr Foundation East-West: The Art of Dialogue 2017 Gabr Fellowship
- May 31 National Endowment for the Humanities Common Heritage Grants
- May 31—Northern Illinois University Horatio Alger Fellowship for the Study of American Popular Culture
- June 11 Vilcek Foundation Prizes for Creative Promise-Architecture
- June 14 The Gerda Henkel Foundation General Research Grants
- June 30 Money for Women/Barbara Deming Memorial Fund

July 1 – American Institute of Indian Studies—Research & Senior Scholarly/Professional Development Fellowships

- July 13 National Endowment for the Arts Art Works II: Media Arts
- September 26 American Council of Learned Societies Frederick Burkhardt Residential Fellowships for Recently Tenured Scholars
- September 27—American Council of Learned Societies Collaborative Scholarly Research Fellowships
- September 27—National Endowment for the Humanities –Summer Stipends
- September 29—New York Public Library Cullman Center Fellowship
- September 30—Feminist Review Trust
- October 1— Cornell University—Society for the Humanities Fellowships
- October 1— Harpo Foundation Emerging Artist Residency Fellowship
- October 5—Stanford Humanities Center External Faculty Fellowships
- October 15 Institute for Advanced Study School of Historical Studies
- October 17—National Endowment for the Humanities—Humanities Connections Implementation Grants
- October 18—National Humanities Center—Fellowship
- October 25—Fitch Foundation Samuel H. Kress Fellowship
- October 25 The James Marston Fitch Charitable Foundation Mid-Career Fellowship
- October 25 The Fitch Foundation Richard L. Blinder Award
- Rolling deadline through July 31 International Documentary Association Pare Lorentz Documentary Fund
- Rolling deadline Australian National University Humanities Research Center Visiting Fellowships
- Rolling deadline Earhart Foundation Fellowship Research Grants in Humanities & Social Sciences
- Rolling deadline Gladys Krieble Delmas Foundation
- Rolling deadline Max Kade Foundation
- Rolling deadline New York Council for the Humanities Vision and Action Grants
- Rolling deadline Chung-Hwa Institute of Buddhist Studies Grant for Book-length Monographs
- Rolling deadline Renaissance Society of America RSA-Patricia H. Labalme Fellowship
- Rolling deadline Renaissance Society of America RSA-Newberry Fellowship
- Rolling deadline Renaissance Society of America RSA-Huntington Fellowship
- Rolling deadline Columbia European Institute El Faculty Grants
- Rolling deadline Institute for Humane Studies Hayek Fund for Scholars—Covering conference and job interview travel

Rolling deadline – Puffin Foundation Investigative Fund

Rolling deadline – Pulitzer Center Travel Grants

Rolling deadline – Ruth Landes Memorial Research Fund

Various— Society for Classical Studies Awards, Scholarships, and Fellowships

Various—National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Programs in the Humanities for College Educators

Various—University of London, School of Advanced Study Institute/Consortium Fellowships

Art History & Architecture

May 30 – Georgia O'Keeffe Museum Research Center

September 21, March 21 – National Gallery of Art Center for Advanced Study in the Visual Arts Visiting Senior Fellowship

October 1, January 1, April 1 – Kress Foundation History of Art Grants Program

Rolling deadline — Renaissance Society of America RSA-Kress New York Public Library Grant

Creative Arts

April 30 – The Arch and Bruce Brown Foundation Playwriting Competition

April 30—Association of Performing Arts Presenters Cultural Exchange Fund

May 1 – Whiting Creative Nonfiction Grant

May 4 – Halcyon Arts Lab Fellowship for Emerging Artists

May 21 – Artist Trust Grants

May 21—Arts Writers Grants Program

May 31—Vilcek Foundation Prizes for Creative Promise

June 15—Carey Institute for Global Good Logan Nonfiction Fellowship

June 30—Barbara Deming Memorial Fund

July 1 – American Institute of Indian Studies—Research & Senior Scholarly/Professional Development Fellowships

July 13 – National Endowment for the Arts – Art Works II: Media Arts

August 20—American Musicological Society Subventions for Publications

October 1—Harpo Foundation Emerging Artists Residency Fellowship at the Santa Fe Institute

October 12—American Antiquarian Society Fellowships for Creative and Performing Artists and Writers

October 15—Art Omi Artists Residency

October 15-Art Omi Writers Residency

October 15—Amy Lowell Scholarship Fund Poetry Traveling Scholarship

October 15-Clark Art Institute

Rolling deadline (6-8 weeks before performance) – Foundation for Contemporary Arts Emergency Grants

Rolling deadline – Pollock-Krasner Foundation Grant Program

Rolling deadline — Arch and Bruce Brown Foundation Production Grants

<u>Dance</u>

TBA— New York Public Library Dance Research Fellowships

English Literature and Translation

July 15 – Art Omi: Translation Lab

Gender Studies

May 31, 2018 — New York Public Library Martin Duberman Visiting Fellowship June 7 — Stonewall Community Foundation Grants July 1, November 1 — GLAGS Center for LGBTQ Studies Scholar in Residence Fellowship TBA—CLAGS Center for LGBTQ Studies Robert Giard Fellowship

<u>History</u>

May 14 – Gilder Lehrman Fellowships

May 15 - Coordinating Council for Women in History Catherine Prelinger Award

May 15 – Joan Kelly Memorial Prize

June 2 – The Culinary Historians of New York Scholar's Grant

October 1—Society of Architectural Historians H. Allen Brooks Travelling Fellowship

October 12—University of London, School of Advanced Study Warburg Institute Funded Fellowships

October 15- Institute for Advanced Study School of Historical Studies

October 31 – Quentin Skinner Fellowship in Intellectual History since 1500

November 1 – Institute for Advanced Study School of Historical Studies Membership

Rolling deadline – University of Florida Samuel Proctor Oral History Program Julian Pleasants Travel Award

<u>Music</u>

July 1—The Society for Ethnomusicology Judith McCulloh Public Sector Award TBA—Society for America Music Adrienne Fried Block Fellowship

Religion

August 1—American Academy of Religion Individual and Collaborative Grants October 1— Harvard University Divinity School Women's Studies in Religion Research Associates

EDUCATION

June 22—Institute of Education Science Research Grants July 6 – William T. Grant Foundation William T. Grant Scholars Program September 15—George Eckhart Institute Library Fellowship Programme October 1 – National Science Foundation IUSE Education and Human Resources Rolling deadline—Cornell Douglas Foundation Grants

SOCIAL SCIENCES

General Interest and Cross Disciplinary

April 30 – National Institute of Justice W.E.B Du Bois Program

May 31 - Harvard University Weatherhead Center Huntington Prize

June 15 – National Science Foundation Perception, Action & Cognition

June 28 – Russell Sage Foundation Visiting Scholars Program

July 15 – Open Society Foundations Open Society Fellowship

July 15, January 10 – The Leakey Foundation Research Grants

July 15, January 10-National Science Foundation Linguistics

August 1 – The Harry Frank Guggenheim Foundation Research Grants

August 2 – William T. Grant Foundation Research Grants

August 19—Russell Sage Foundation Computational Social Science

August 20 – National Science Foundation Economics

August 20—Russell Sage Foundation Future of Work

August 20 – Russell Sage Foundation Research Grants on the Social, Economic, and Political Effects of the Affordable Care Act

September 1 – Social Science Research Council Abe Fellowships

September 14 – Harvard University Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study Fellowship Programs (Individual Applicants)

September 15 – Gerald R. Ford Presidential Foundation Research Travel Grants Program

October 1 – Kellogg Institute for International Studies Visiting Fellowship

October 1 – Truman (Harry S.) Library Institute

October 2– Woodrow Wilson Center Fellowships

October 12 – Soros Justice Fellowships

October 15- Institute for Advanced Study School of Historical Studies

October 25 – European University Institute Max Weber Programme for Postdoctoral Studies Fellowship

October 31 – Council on Foreign Relations International Affairs Fellowship

October 31 – Council on Foreign Relations International Affairs Fellowship for Tenured International Relations Scholars

Rolling deadline – Russell Sage Foundation Small Grants in Behavioral Economics

Anthropology and Archeology

May 1-Wenner Gren Foundation Fejos Postdoctoral Fellowship

May 1—Wenner Gren Foundation Hunt Postdoctoral Fellowship

July 15, January 10 – The Leakey Foundation Research Grants

July 20 — National Science Foundation Biological Anthropology

August 15 – National Science Foundation Cultural Anthropology Scholars Awards

Rolling – National Science Foundation High-Risk Research in Biological Anthropology and Archaeology

Political Science

May 11 – National Institution of Justice Visiting Fellows Program

May 18 – Barry Amiel & Norman Melburn Trust Grants

August 15 – National Science Foundation Political Science

Rolling deadline – Baylor Collections of Political Materials Dowdy Research Grant

<u>Sociology</u>

June 15 - American Sociological Association Fund for the Advancement of the Discipline

July 15, January 15 – National Science Foundation Social Psychology

August 15, January 15 – National Science Foundation Sociology

August 15 – Sociological Initiatives Foundation

October 16 – National Institutes of Health Ethical, Legal, and Social Implications of Genomic Research Small Research Grant Program

Race and Ethnicity

May 23—Russell Sage Foundation Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration

LANGUAGE AND AREA STUDIES

May 15— Harriman Center at Columbia University Faculty Research Support

June 1 – Conference on Latin American History Lydia Cabrera Awards

July 1 – American Institute of Indian Studies Research & Senior Scholarly/Professional Development Fellowships

October 1—Belgian American Educational Foundation Fellowships

October 15—Chiang Ching –kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange Scholar Grants

Rolling deadline – Chung-Hwa Institute of Buddhist Studies Grant for Book-length Monographs in Chinese Buddhism

Rolling deadline – Columbia University European Institute Faculty Research Grants

Rolling deadline – Columbia University Institute of Latin American Studies FT Faculty Research Grants

Rolling deadline – Japan Foundation Grant for Japanese Studies

Rolling deadline – Japan Foundation Grant for Art and Culture

STEM

General Interest and Cross Disciplinary

April 30 – Breakthrough Prizes in Fundamental Physics, Life Sciences, and Mathematics

April 30 – The Lawrence Foundation, Grants in Environment and Human Services

May 25 – National Institutes of Health R03, R21, R33, R21/R33, R34, R36 Research Grants NOT-OD-15-057

June 1, January 1 – Max Planck Institute for the History of Science Visiting Fellows (Berlin, Germany) June 15 – Journal of Visualized Experiments (JoVE) Film Your Research Project

June 25 – National Institutes of Health Academic Research Enhancement Award (AREA) R15 Grants

August 1 – AAAS Early Career Award for Public Engagement with Science

August 1 -- Henry Luce Foundation Clare Booth Luce Program

August 31– Engineering Information Foundation Women in Engineering Grant Program

September 5 – National Science Foundation Mathematical Biology

September 10 – National Science Foundation Science of Science and Innovation Policy

September 15 – The Eppley Foundation for Research

September 17 – Alfred P. Sloan Foundation Sloan Research Fellowships

September 25— Johnson & Johnson WiSTEM2D Scholars

September 25 — National Institutes of Health P-Series, R18, U18, R25

September 30 – Google Faculty Research Grant

October 1 – Sigma Xi Research Grants

October 2 and December 1 – American Philosophical Society/NASA Lewis and Clark Fund for Field Research in Astrobiology Grants

- October 4 Harvard University Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study Fellowship Programs (Individual Applicants)
- October 15 AAAS Early Career Award for Public Engagement with Science

October 31 – National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine Jefferson Science Fellowship

Rolling — National Science Foundation Environmental Sustainability

Rolling. December 1 for January funding. – National Speleological Society Research Grants

Biology and Earth Science

June 15 – Simons Foundation Fellowships in Marine Microbial Ecology

July 20, January 20—National Science Foundation Biological Anthropology

- August 5, November 19 National Science Foundation Opportunities for Promoting Understanding through Synthesis (OPUS)
- August 15 Sarah de Coizart Article Tenth Perpetual Charitable Trust grants
- September 7 The Nature Conservancy NatureNet Science Fellow Program
- October 1, April 1 International Union of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology Mid-Career Research Fellowships
- October 10 National Science Foundation Improving Undergraduate STEM Education: Pathways into Geoscience
- October 20 National Science Foundation Environmental Sustainability
- October 20 National Science Foundation Paleo Perspectives on Climate Change
- October 25 National Science Foundation Division of Earth Sciences Postdoctoral Fellowships
- October 31 Honeybee Conservancy Sponsor a Hive Bee Partnership

Chemistry

Active funding opportunities for Chemistry from the National Science Foundation can be found here. June 15 – American Chemical Society WCC Rising Star Award

- August 14 National Science Foundation Centers for Chemical Innovation Phase I and Phase II
- August 15 National Science Foundation Catalysis
- September 30 National Science Foundation proposals for Chemical Catalysis (CAT); Chemical Structure, Dynamics and Mechanisms-A (CSDM-A); Chemical Structure, Dynamics and Mechanisms-B (CSDM-B); Chemical Theory, Models and Computational Methods (CTMC); and Chemical Synthesis (SYN)
- October 19 American Chemical Society Undergraduate New Investigator
- October 19 American Chemical Society Undergraduate Research
- October 31 National Science Foundation proposals for Chemical Measurement and Imaging (CMI); Chemistry of Life Processes (CLP); Environmental Chemical Sciences (ECS); and Macromolecular, Supramolecular and Nanochemistry (MSN)
- Rolling American Chemical Society Community Recognition Grants
- Rolling Chemical Heritage Foundation Travel Grants

Engineering

- July 17– National Science Foundation Career Awards -- Engineering
- August 31 Engineering Information Foundation Women in Engineering Grant Program
- August 31 National Science Foundation Computational and Data-Enabled Science and Engineering Division of Astronomical Sciences
- October 31 National Science Foundation Computational and Data-Enabled Science and Engineering Division of Chemistry, Chemical Measurement and Imaging
- October 31 National Science Foundation Computational and Data-Enabled Science and Engineering Division of Materials Research

Health and Medicine

May 25 – National Institutes of Health Ethical, Legal and Social Implications (ELSI) of Human Genome Research Project Grant Program

- May 31- Vilcek Foundation Biomedical Science
- June 5 National Institutes of Health R01 Research Grants
- July 1 John and Polly Sparks Foundation

- October 16 National Institutes of Health, The Health of Sexual and Gender Minority (SGM) Populations R21 and R03
- Rolling Robert Wood Johnson Evidence for Action (E4A): Investigator-Initiated Research to Build a Culture of Health

Rolling deadline – New York Stem Cell Foundation Investigator Awards

Mathematics and Physics

June 4– National Science Foundation Research Training Groups in the Mathematical Sciences
June 30 -- American Astronomical Society Annie Jump Cannon Award in Astronomy
September 5 - National Science Foundation Probability
September 15 -- National Science Foundation Computational and Data-Enabled Science and Engineering in Mathematical and Statistical Sciences (CDS&E-MSS)
September 25 -- National Science Foundation Combinatorics
September 25 -- National Science Foundation Foundations
September 28 -- Simons Foundation Fellows Program
October 20 -- National Science Foundation Division of Physics Investigator-Initiated Research Projects
October 25 -- National Science Foundation Experimental Elementary Particle Physics
October 31 -- Simons Foundation Math+X Investigators
Rolling -- National Science Foundation Conferences and Workshops in the Mathematical Sciences

Psychology and Neuroscience

June 7– Society for Neuroscience Mika Salpeter Lifetime Achievement Award June 11 – National Science Foundation Cognitive Neuroscience

- July 16 National Science Foundation Developmental and Learning Sciences
- August 13 National Science Foundation Cognitive Neuroscience
- September 30 American Psychological Foundation Walfish Grants Program

October 1 — Society for the Teaching of Psychology Conference Speak Grant Program

LIBRARY SCIENCE

June 6 – National Endowment for the Humanities Research and Development Program September 1 -- Institute of Museum and Library services National Leadership Grants for Libraries September 15 -- OCLA/ALISE Library and Information Science Research Grant Program Rolling — International Association of Sound and Audiovisual Archives Research Grants