

Grant Opportunities & News You Can Use

Hello faculty,

In this newsletter our [Featured Funder](#) is the Roddenberry Foundation (yes, the “live long and prosper” Roddenberry). And in the vein of big, bold ideas, we look at some Sage Advice from the interwebs for finding a big idea for a grant proposal.

[Page four](#) begins our profiles of opportunities due in early October. October is an especially big month for opportunities in Chemistry. Look out for more chemistry RFPs in our next newsletter as well. In the News section, NIH’s NIGMS has a new Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA). Christian Rojas, an NIH grantee and reviewer, has kindly offered to speak with any faculty member interested in more information.

Beginning on [page ten](#), we list all deadlines through December, grouped by discipline.

For deadlines throughout the year, see the Grants Calendar, perpetually in progress, on the Barnard website at [External Grant Opportunities](#). You can download a copy of your very own to sort, search, and filter at will.

If you would like assistance in finding grants for an upcoming project or would like to begin an application process, please contact [Kari Steeves](#). As always, feel free to send any comments, requests, or suggestions to us [here](#).

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Featured Funder

Roddenberry Foundation

Even if you're not a Trekkie, take a look at the Roddenberry Foundation. It has expanded its grant programs in the past couple of years.

Since 2010, the Foundation has made small grants between \$2,500-\$15,000 "for early-stage, innovative, and unconventional ideas that address urgent challenges" through their Catalyst Fund. "A cutting-edge product, an experimental program, a new service, an invention, or an original game are all in our wheelhouse. The idea has to improve on what's already out there and it has to have the potential for tangible, measurable impact. Ideas that can be replicated, taken to scale, or leverage existing infrastructure are a good fit. We also favor ideas that inspire others, build on partnerships (public and private), and that are inclusive of those they are intended to benefit." <http://roddenberryfoundation.org/>

Now the Roddenberry Foundation has launched two other, larger granting mechanisms. It sponsors the Roddenberry Prize, awards of \$250,000 for projects that address four of the top ten "most effective solutions to global warming," namely food waste, plant-rich diets, girls' education, and women's rights. Last year's prizes (the first they'd given) were not focused on these solutions. Going "where no one has gone before" (or at least not that this newsletter writer has seen), Round 1 is crowd-sourced judging. Applicants have to score and comment on five other applications.

- Nominations are due July 10
- Registration is due July 12
- Applications are due July 26

The website is different from the main Foundation website—and not to be missed if you're interested in website design. It's appropriately bold: <https://www.roddenberryprize.org/>

The Foundation is also inaugurating the Roddenberry Fellowship, giving \$50,000 to 20 fellows "to implement a project or initiative that has impact on:

- Immigration and Refugee Rights
- LGBTQIA+ and Women's Rights
- Climate Change & Environmental Justice
- Civil Rights"

It is noteworthy that the large banner photo on the Fellowship website homepage shows an aerial photograph of a crowd of people spelling out the word "RESIST" on the beach. It seems the Foundation is not averse to taking a political stand.

Applications open July 25. <https://roddenberryfellowship.org/about/>

The Roddenberry Foundation gives to a broad range of types of organizations, including higher education. Ten out of 133 grants have been given to colleges and universities from 2010-16, the years preceding the launch of the Roddenberry Prize and the Roddenberry Fellows. Some of their larger grants have gone to biological and medical research outside of universities. The two new programs, however, offer an untested opportunity for nontraditional ideas or projects.

Sage Advice for Competitive Proposals

Grant proposals have lots of components, many of them “essential,” but there’s one thing you really cannot do without that, indeed, forms the essence of the proposal... your research problem. But where do those big ideas come from, and how do you develop a “Eureka!” one of your very own? Here’s a brief, simplistic round-up of some of the most recent—and time-tested—answers to those questions.

“Chance favors the prepared mind.” —Louis Pasteur

Most of you have this step under control. You’ve spent years preparing a knowledge base in your field. This is good.

BUT research now suggests one must have wide exposure to people and ideas outside of one’s field. It turns out “diversity makes us smarter,” [Amy Stuart Wells, Lauren Fox, and Diana Cordova-Cobo](#) write: “researchers have documented that students’ exposure to other students who are different from themselves and the novel ideas and challenges that such exposure brings leads to improved cognitive skills, including critical thinking and problem solving.” The Journal *Nature* recently published [an article](#) and [editorial](#) about the beneficial impact of diversity in research labs. If our brains can be equated to a school or lab, it makes sense that varying our exposure helps us think differently and make connections across widely separated spheres of thought. [Ronald S. Burt](#) identifies the practice of taking something from one field and importing into yours as spanning “structural holes.” He explains, “The trick is, can you get an idea which is mundane and well known in one place to another place where people would get value out of it.... People who live in the intersection of social worlds,” Mr. Burt adds, “are at higher risk of having good ideas.”

BUT beware of overstimulation. [Cal Newport](#), the author of *Deep Work*, tells the story of “Jerry Seinfeld’s Closed Door” in a blog post. Seinfeld claimed, “We spent 99 percent of our time writing. Me and Larry [David]. The two of us. The door was closed. It’s closed.” One commenter on Newport’s post observed: “Most world religions were created after the founder spent long stretches in solitude; Mohammed in his mountain cave after a long night of prayer, Buddha after a long period of meditation beneath a tree, and Jesus in the desert after a forty day fast.” [Srinivas Rao](#) in “Why Excessive Consumption Limits Your Creativity,” puts it this way: “When you limit the inflow, you increase the energy that can be directed towards your outflow. You create more than you consume.”

BUT relax: Trying to force the big idea is likely to spoil everything. [Mark Jung-Beeman and John Kounios](#) have used brain imaging to track blood flow and electricity waves in the brain during “The ‘Aha!’ Moment,” and they noticed a quieting of regions of the brain immediately before inspired problem-solving, what they call “the relaxation phase.” “We must concentrate, but we must concentrate on letting the mind wander.”

BUT, lastly, the internet is overflowing with quotes—in fact [101](#)—about doing what you love. They say, “and the money will follow,” “and you’ll never work a day,” and, to pick the one from LL Cool J, “you’ll be better at it.”

Fellowship Opportunities

GENERAL INTEREST AND CROSS DISCIPLINARY

Wilson Center Fellowships

Deadline: October 2, 2018

"Through an international competition, the Center offers 9-month residential fellowships. The Wilson Center invites scholars, practitioners, journalists and public intellectuals to take part in its flagship international Fellowship Program. Fellows conduct research and write in their areas of interest, while interacting with policymakers in Washington and Wilson Center staff and other scholars in residence. The Center accepts policy-relevant, non-advocacy fellowship proposals that address key challenges confronting the United States and the world." <<more>>

American Academy in Berlin, Berlin Prize

Deadline: October 5, 2018

"Each year the Academy welcomes about two dozen fellows to the Hans Arnhold Center, on Lake Wannsee. The Academy also hosts a small number of invited Distinguished Visitors for shorter stays of one to four weeks, and organizes a diverse public program that includes lectures and presentations by resident fellows, Distinguished Visitors, and guest speakers.

In addition to placing a high priority on the independent work of its fellows, the Academy is in a unique position to aid fellows in establishing professional networks, both in Berlin and beyond. The Academy's public atmosphere, which actively encourages fellows to introduce their work to wider audiences, serves its mission of fostering transatlantic ties through cultural exchange."

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Obama Foundation Fellowship

Deadline: October 6, 2018

"The Obama Foundation Fellows will be a diverse set of community-minded rising stars – organizers, inventors, artists, entrepreneurs, journalists, and more – who are altering the civic engagement landscape. By engaging their fellow citizens to work together in new and meaningful ways,

Obama Foundation Fellows will model how any individual can become an active citizen in their community....

Our two-year, non-residential Fellowship will offer hands-on training, resources, and leadership development. Fellows will also participate in four multi-day gatherings where they will collaborate with each other, connect with potential partners, and collectively push their work forward.

Throughout the program, each Fellow will pursue a personalized plan to leverage Fellowship resources to take their work to the next level." <<more>>

Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange Grants

Deadline: October 15, 2018

"The Foundation's programs encompass five regions: the Domestic Region, the American Region, the European Region, the Asia-Pacific Region, and Developing Regions. Programs in the Domestic and American Regions commenced in 1989, followed shortly by the European Region in 1990 and the Asia-Pacific Region in 1991. The Developing Regions program commenced in 2015." <<more>>

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Grammy Museum Music Research and Music Preservation

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"With funding generously provided by The Recording Academy, the GRAMMY Museum Grants Program awards grants each year to organizations and individuals to support efforts that advance the archiving and preservation of the music and recorded sound heritage of North America, and research projects related to the impact of music on the human condition. Grant funds have been utilized to preserve private collections as well as materials at the Library of Congress, the Smithsonian and numerous colleges and universities. Research projects have studied the links between music and early childhood education, treatments for illnesses and injuries

Grants and Fellowship Opportunities (cont'd)

common to musicians, and the impact of music therapy on populations from infants to the elderly. Over \$7 million in grants have been awarded to nearly 400 recipients." <<more>>

Kress Foundation Conservation Grant Fund

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"The Conservation program supports the professional practice of art conservation, especially as it relates to European art of the pre-modern era. Grants are awarded to projects that create and disseminate specialized knowledge, including archival projects, development and dissemination of scholarly databases, documentation projects, exhibitions and publications focusing on art conservation, scholarly publications, and technical and scientific studies. Grants are also awarded for activities that permit conservators and conservation scientists to share their expertise with both professional colleagues and a broad audience through international exchanges, professional meetings, conferences, symposia, consultations, the presentation of research, exhibitions that include a prominent focus on materials and techniques, and other professional events." <<more>>

Kress Foundation Digital Resources Grant Program

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"The Digital Resources program is intended to foster new forms of research and collaboration as well as new approaches to teaching and learning. Support will also be offered for the digitization of important visual resources (especially art history photographic archives) in the area of pre-modern European art history; of primary textual sources (especially the literary and documentary sources of European art history); for promising initiatives in online publishing; and for innovative experiments in the field of digital art history." <<more>>

Harpo Foundation Emerging Artists Residency Fellowship at the Santa Fe Art Institute

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"Provide an annual opportunity to an emerging visual artist 25 years and older who needs time and space to explore ideas and start new projects. Artist Fellows will receive a one-month residency at the Santa Fe Art Institute, which includes a private room and bath, a private studio space, and a \$500 travel stipend. Founded in 1985, the Santa Fe Art Institute (SFAI) provides a unique opportunity for emerging artists to pursue creative projects without interruption. SFAI supports over 50 residents per year and offers a cohesive, arts-focused environment that creates the ideal working conditions for resident artists. Living and studio space is located within a nearly 17,000 square foot complex designed by renowned Mexican architect, Ricardo Legoretta. The unique SFAI environment allows residents to be as interactive or private as they wish. There are no requirements on the work produced during their time at SFAI." <<more>>

Society of Architectural Historians H. Allen Brooks Travelling Fellowship

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"The Society of Architectural Historians' prestigious H. Allen Brooks Travelling Fellowship will be offered for 2017 and will allow a recent graduate or emerging scholar to study by travel for one year. The fellowship is not for the purpose of doing research for an advanced academic degree. Instead, Professor Brooks intended the recipient to study by travel and contemplation while observing, reading, writing, or sketching. The goals are to provide an opportunity for a recent graduate with an advanced degree or an emerging scholar to: see and experience architecture and landscapes firsthand think about their profession deeply acquire knowledge useful for the recipient's future work, contribution to their profession, and contribution to society The fellowship recipient may travel to any country or countries during the one-year period." <<more>>

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Vermont Studio Center Fellowships

Deadlines: annually October 1, February 15, June 15. Non-fellowship applications accepted on a rolling basis.

Vermont Studio Center "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>>

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Note: the National Science Foundation Cultural Anthropology grants have been archived.

Kettering Foundation Katherine W. Fanning Residency in Journalism & Democracy

Deadlines: October 1, 2018, and March 15, 2019 "The Kettering Foundation invites journalists and scholars of journalism from around the world to spend up to six months working with us in Dayton, Ohio, to explore the role of journalism in a democratic society and the obligations of journalists to democratic public life. While at the foundation, residents are expected to work with Kettering's staff on the foundation's ongoing research in this area. Work will include literature reviews related to the foundation's program areas, exploration of the role of a deliberative public in the political work of communities domestically and internationally, and participation in workshops and other meetings related to the foundation's research." <<more>>

Truman Library Institute Research Grants

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"The Political Science Program supports scientific research that advances knowledge and understanding of citizenship, government, and politics. Research proposals are expected to be theoretically motivated, conceptually precise, methodologically rigorous, and empirically oriented. Substantive areas include, but are not limited to, American government and politics, comparative government and politics, international relations, political behavior, political economy, and political institutions. In recent years, program awards have supported research projects on bargaining processes; campaigns and elections, electoral choice, and electoral systems; citizen support in emerging and established democracies; democratization, political change, and regime transitions; domestic and international conflict; international political economy; party activism; political psychology and political tolerance." <<more>>

University of Notre Dame Kellogg Institute for International Studies Visiting Fellowship

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"The Kellogg Institute for International Studies has offered visiting fellowships to promote interdisciplinary international research in a supportive community of scholars. This widely respected residential program offers you time to pursue scholarly inquiry where it takes you, advance your personal research, and collaborate with other scholars and practitioners from across the US and around the globe. As a visiting fellow, you pursue research related to Kellogg Institute themes of democracy and human development, share your research with the Notre Dame scholarly community, and have the opportunity to publish in Kellogg's peer-reviewed Working Paper Series." ... "We expect fellows to attend and participate in the weekly seminar and lecture series and most Kellogg events." <<more>>

Open Society Foundations Soros Justice Fellowships

Deadline: October 12, 2018

"The Soros Justice Fellowships fund outstanding individuals to undertake projects that advance reform, spur debate, and catalyze change on a range of issues facing the U.S. criminal justice system.... The Soros Justice Advocacy Fellowships fund lawyers, advocates, grassroots organizers, researchers, and others with unique perspectives to undertake full-time criminal justice reform projects at the local, state, and national levels.... The Soros Justice Media Fellowships support writers, print and broadcast journalists, artists, filmmakers, and other individuals with distinctive voices proposing to complete media projects that engage and inform, spur debate and conversation, and catalyze change on important U.S. criminal justice issues.... The Soros Justice Youth Activist Fellowships, in partnership with the Open Society Youth Exchange, support outstanding individuals aged 18 to 25 to take on projects of their own design that address some aspect of the U.S. criminal justice system." <<more>>

EDUCATION

Spencer Foundation Lyle Spencer Research Awards

Deadline: October 12, 2018

"The Foundation is intended, by Spencer's direction, to investigate ways in which education, broadly conceived, can be improved around the world. From the first, the Foundation has been dedicated to the belief that research is necessary to the improvement in education. The Foundation is thus committed to supporting high-quality investigation of education through its research programs and to strengthening and renewing the educational research community through its fellowship and training programs and related activities."

The Lyle Spencer Research Awards "support intellectually ambitious, large-scale education research projects with budgets between \$100,000

and \$1,000,000. This program encourages proposals initiated by scholars across a variety of disciplines and fields in an effort to create much-needed space for creative and ambitious research projects that promise to advance our understanding of educational practice and its improvement." <<more>>

LANGUAGE AND AREA STUDIES

American Councils Research Title VIII Research Scholars Program

Deadline: October 2, 2018

"Funded by the U.S. Department of State's Program for Research and Training on Eastern Europe and the Independent States of the Former Soviet Union (Title VIII), the American Councils Research Scholar Program provides full support for graduate students, faculty, and independent scholars seeking to conduct in-country, independent research for three consecutive months to nine consecutive months in Russia, Eurasia, and Eastern Europe." <<more>>

STEM (SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND MATHEMATICS)

National Science Foundation Chemical Catalysis

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"The Chemical Catalysis Program supports experimental and computational research directed towards the fundamental understanding of the chemistry of catalytic processes. The CAT Program accepts proposals on catalytic approaches, which facilitate, direct, and accelerate efficient chemical transformations. The program scope includes the design and synthesis of catalytic species on the molecular, supramolecular, and nanometer scales as well as mechanistic studies primarily focused on discovery, development, or improvement of homogeneous and heterogeneous catalytic processes." <<more>>

National Science Foundation Chemical Structure, Dynamics, and Mechanisms (CSDM-A)

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"The CSDM Program supports research projects that have strong implications for advancing the foundational knowledge of chemical systems. The Program supports research on the nature of chemical structure, chemical structure property studies, chemical dynamics, and chemical mechanisms. The CSDM Program is divided into two sub-programs, CSDM-A and CSDM-B. At coarse resolution, the CSDM-A Program may be seen as encompassing the sub-disciplines of experimental physical chemistry and applied computational physical chemistry, while CSDM-B is the venue for physical organic and physical inorganic chemistry. " <<more>>

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National Science Foundation Chemical Synthesis

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"The Chemical Synthesis Program supports experimental and computational research on the development of new and efficient synthetic methodologies and on the synthesis of complex and/or challenging chemical structures. Typical synthetic targets include novel structures (including natural products and biomolecules), molecules and structures displaying unique properties, or substances that provide pathways to discover and elucidate new phenomena. Examples

of supported research areas include the development of innovative reagents, discovery of new synthetic methods, and synthesis of novel organic, organometallic, and inorganic structures. Research in this program will generate fundamental new knowledge of chemical synthesis, but also enable new discoveries and the development of transformative technologies in related fields." <<more>>

National Science Foundation Chemical Theory, Models, and Computational Methods

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"The Chemical Theory, Models, and Computational Methods Program supports the discovery and development of theoretical and computational methods or models to address a range of chemical challenges, with emphasis on emerging areas of chemical research. Proposals that focus on established theoretical or computational approaches should involve innovations that substantially broaden their applicability. Areas of interest include, but are not limited to, electronics structure, quantum reaction dynamics, theoretical/computational spectroscopy, statistical mechanics, molecular dynamics and simulation, and modeling techniques for isolated molecular systems and systems in complex environments. Areas of application span the full range of chemical systems from single molecules to mesoscopic aggregates. " <<more>>

Society for the Teaching of Psychology Conference Speaker Grant Program

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"The Society for The Teaching of Psychology (STP; Division 2 of APA) is pleased to announce a program to provide support to teaching conferences or preconferences to fund speakers related to the teaching of psychology. The grant program is open to any gathering of psychology teachers from 4-year colleges and universities, 2-year colleges, or high schools. (Please note that the program does not fund speakers for regional research conferences through this program; long-standing regional research conferences are supported by STP through another program.)"

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National Science Foundation Division of Mathematical Sciences Analysis Program

Deadline: expected October 3, 2018

"The Analysis Program supports basic research in that area of mathematics whose roots can be traced to the calculus of Newton and Leibniz. Given its centuries-old ties to physics, analysis has influenced developments from Newton's mechanics to quantum mechanics and from Fourier's study of heat conduction to Maxwell's equations of electromagnetism to Witten's theory of supersymmetry. More generally, research supported by Analysis provides the theoretical underpinning for the majority of applications of the mathematical sciences to other scientific disciplines. Current areas of significant activity include: nonlinear partial differential equations; dynamical systems and ergodic theory; real, complex and harmonic analysis; operator theory and algebras of operators on Hilbert space; mathematical physics; and representation theory of Lie groups/algebras. Emerging areas include random matrix theory and its ties to classical analysis, number theory, quantum mechanics, and coding theory; and development of noncommutative geometry with its applications to modeling physical phenomena. It should be stressed, however, that the underlying role of the Analysis Program is to provide support for research in mathematics at the most fundamental level. Although this is often done with the expectation that the research will generate a payoff in applications at some point down the road, the principal mission of the Program is to tend and replenish an important reservoir of mathematical knowledge, maintaining it as a dependable resource to be drawn upon by engineers, life and physical scientists, and other mathematical scientists, as need arises." <<more>>

Scoliosis Research Society Research Grants

Deadline: October 1, 2018

"New Investigator Grant

This grant is specifically targeted towards new investigators. A new investigator is defined as someone who is either a fellow or within 10

years of completion of fellowship or equivalent specialist training in their country and has not previously been awarded funding from a major funding organization. However, this grant is available to candidates who have received a Small Exploratory grant....

Small Exploratory Grant

This grant is designed specifically for new investigators who have a preliminary concept they would like to develop into a research project.... SRS-Cotrel Foundation Basic Science Grant The SRS-Cotrel Foundation basic science research grants is for projects that will be performing work at the level of a small animal (rodent, fish, etc.) or smaller, including tissue, cellular, and molecular levels. Population genetics studies are also included in this category. Biomechanical studies will not be considered in this category.

Standard Investigator Grant

...These grant applications may be in any area of spinal deformity research, although an additional funding source for grants focusing on the etiology of scoliosis is available in conjunction with the Cotrel Foundation. These grant applications require evidence that the investigator has the experience and resources to complete the proposed research. As such, preliminary data is generally required."

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National Institutes of Health R01 Research Grants

Deadline: October 5, 2018

"The Research Project (R01) grant is an award made to support a discrete, specified, circumscribed project to be performed by the named investigator(s) in an area representing the investigator's specific interest and competencies, based on the mission of the NIH."

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National Science Foundation Improving Undergraduate STEM Education: Pathways into Geoscience

Deadline: October 10, 2018

"The Directorate for Geosciences (GEO) contributes to the IUSE initiative through the

Deadline Reminders (cont'd)

Improving Undergraduate STEM Education: Pathways into Geoscience (IUSE: GEOPATHS) funding opportunity. IUSE: GEOPATHS invites proposals that specifically address the current needs and opportunities related to undergraduate education within the geosciences community. The primary goal of the IUSE: GEOPATHS funding opportunity is to increase the number of undergraduate students interested in pursuing undergraduate degrees and/or post-graduate degrees in geoscience through the design and testing of novel approaches for engaging students in authentic, career-relevant experiences in geoscience. In order to broaden participation in the geosciences, engaging undergraduate students from traditionally underrepresented groups or from non-geoscience degree programs is a priority." <<more>>

Simons Foundation Fellows in Mathematics and Physical Sciences

Deadline: applications to reopen summer 2018 with an expected deadline at the end of September.

"The Simons Foundation's Mathematics and Physical Sciences (MPS) division invites applications for the Simons Fellows in Mathematics program, which is intended to make sabbatical leaves more productive by extending them to a full academic year." <<more>>

Simons Foundation Simons Collaborations in Mathematics and Physical Science

Deadline: applications to reopen summer 2018 with an expected deadline at the end of September..

"A Simons Collaboration in MPS should address a mathematical or theoretical topic of fundamental scientific importance, where a significant, new development creates a novel area for exploration or provides a new direction for progress in an established field. The questions addressed by the collaboration may be concrete or conceptual, but there should be little doubt that answering them would constitute a major scientific milestone."

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News Items

From NIH

Changes in NIGMS Support of AREA (R15) Grants
NIH sent a notice to current and recently funded **NIGMS R15 grantees** about the **issuance of a new FOA to support AREA grants: "Academic Research Enhancement Award for Undergraduate-Focused Institutions" (PAR-18-714)**. New, resubmissions, and renewal applications are accepted.

This new FOA heavily prioritizes undergraduate-focused research.

See the [NIGMS website](#) for information about the institute mission and areas of research interest, and note that upcoming **deadlines for R15s are June 25 and October 25.**

[Christian Rojas](#), a long-time reviewer for NIGMS who has also been funded through the institute's AREA program, has offered to speak to any Barnard faculty who would be interested in talking more about this.

Deadline Reminders

Below are listed 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

June 22— [Columbia Alliance Joint Projects](#)

June 30— [Hagley Museum and Library Henry Belin du Pont Research Grants & Exploratory Research Grants](#)

July 1 — [National Geographic expeditions Council Grant](#)

July 1 — [PEN America Writing for Justice Fellowship](#)

July 5 — [William T. Grant Distinguished Fellows](#)

Deadline Reminders (cont'd)

Grants

- July 11— [National Science Foundation Science of Learning Grant](#)
- July 15 — [Leakey Foundation Research 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](#)
- August 20 – (Letter of inquiry) [Russell Sage Foundation Grants for Social Inequality / Future of Work / Behavioral Economics](#)
- 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 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 6 — [Obama Foundation Fellowship](#)
- October 15 — [Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange](#)
- October 24 — [National Endowment for the Humanities Dialogues on the Experience of War](#)
- October 25 — [Fitch Foundation Richard L. Blinder Award](#)
- November 1 — [American Academy in Rome Rome Prize](#)
- November 1 — [Rockefeller Archive Center Grants-in-Aid for Research](#)
- November 2 — [Institute for Research in the Humanities at University of Wisconsin Maddison Solmesen Post-Doctoral Fellowships](#)
- November 15 — [American Association of University Women Postdoctoral Research Leave Fellowship](#)
- November 15 — [American Association of University Women Summer/Short-Term Publication Grants](#)
- December 5 — [National Endowment for the Humanities Scholarly Editions and Translations Grants](#)
- December 15—[Newberry Library Short-Term Fellowship](#)
- 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

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 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— [Samuel H. Kress Foundation History of Art Grants Program](#)

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](#)

November 1 – [Folger Shakespeare Library Long-term Fellowships](#)

November 1 – [The American Academy in Rome, Rome Prize](#)

November 1 – [Harvard University Loeb Classical Library Foundation Fellowship](#)

November 15—[The William H. Johnson Foundation for the Arts Prize](#)

November 16—[William H. Johnson Foundation Invites Applications From African-American Artists for 2017 Johnson Prize](#)

December 1—[American Philosophy Society—Franklin Research Grants](#)

December 1—[The John Carter Brown Library at Brown University—Short-Term and Long-Term Fellowships](#)

December 1—[Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture at the New York Public Library Scholars-in-Residence](#)

December 6—[National Endowment for the Humanities Scholarly Editions and Translations Grants](#)

December 6—[National Endowment for the Humanities Collaborative Research Grants](#)

December 15—[Adolph & Esther Gottlieb Foundation Individual Support Grants](#)

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 Kriebel 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](#)

Deadline Reminders (cont'd)

- Rolling deadline — Renaissance Society of America RSA-Newberry Fellowship
- Rolling deadline — Renaissance Society of America RSA-Huntington Fellowship
- Rolling deadline — Columbia European Institute EI 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

Art History & Architecture

- September 15 — College Art Association Wyeth Foundation for American Art Publication Grant
- September 15, March 15 — College Art Association Millard Meiss Publication Fund
- September 21, March 21 — National Gallery of Art Center for Advanced Study in the Visual Arts Visiting Senior Fellowship
- October 1— H. Allen Brooks Travelling Fellowship
- October 1, January 15, April 1 — Kress Foundation History of Art Grants Program
- November 1— Institute for Advanced Study School of Historical Studies Membership
- TBA November— Fitch Foundation Samuel H. Kress Fellowship

Creative Arts

- June 30—Barbara Deming Memorial Fund
- July 13 — National Endowment for the Arts Art Works II: Media Arts
- October 1—Harpo Foundation Emerging Artists Residency Fellowship at the Santa Fe Institute
- November 16—William H. Johnson Foundation for the Arts Prize
- November 20—Network of Ensemble Theaters Exchange Grants
- November 20— NEA Jazz Masters Fellowships
- December 15—Adolph and Ester Gottlieb Foundation Individual Support Grants
- 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

English Literature and Translation

- July 15 — Art Omi: Translation Lab
- December 11—National Endowment for the Arts Translation Projects Fellowship

Gender Studies

- July 1, November 1 — GLAGS Center for LGBTQ Studies Scholar in Residence Fellowship
- TBA—CLAGS Center for LGBTQ Studies Robert Giard Fellowship

History

- November 1 — Institute for Advanced Study School of Historical Studies Membership
- October 1 — Society of Architectural Historians H. Allen Brooks Travelling Fellowship

Deadline Reminders (cont'd)

October 31 – [Quentin Skinner Fellowship in Intellectual History since 1500](#)
Rolling deadline – [University of Florida Samuel Proctor Oral History Program Julian Pleasants Travel Award](#)
Rolling deadline— [The Huntington Dibner Program in the History of Science](#)

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 for International Textbook Research Library Fellowship Programme](#)
October 1 – [National Science Foundation IUSE Education and Human Resources](#)
November 1 – [Spencer Foundation Small Research Grants](#)
November 2—[National Council of Teachers in Mathematics Pre-K-6 Classroom Research](#)
November 3 – [National Council of Teachers in Mathematics Pre-K-6 Classroom Research](#)
November 6—[Center for Ethics & Education Research Grants](#)
December 1 – [Brady Education Foundation](#)
Rolling deadline — [AccessLex Institution/Association for Institutional Research, Research Grants](#)
Rolling deadline—[Cornell Douglas Foundation Grants](#)

SOCIAL SCIENCES

General Interest and Cross Disciplinary

June 28 – [Russell Sage Foundation Visiting Scholars Program](#)
July 15 – [Open Society Foundations Open Society Fellowship](#)
August 1 – [The Harry Frank Guggenheim Foundation Research Grants](#)
August 1 – [National Science Foundation Law & Social Sciences](#)
August 2 –[William T. Grant Foundation Research Grants](#)
August 20 – [National Science Foundation Economics](#)
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 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](#)
November 1 – [Institute for Advanced Study School of Social Science \(IAS recommends submitting](#)

Deadline Reminders (cont'd)

proposals by October 15)

November 1 – [Institute for Advanced Study School of Historical Studies](#) (IAS recommends submitting proposals by October 15)

November 5 – [School for Advanced Research Residential Scholars](#)

November 30 -- [AccessLex Institution/Association for Institutional Research](#), Research Grants

Rolling deadline – [Russell Sage Foundation Small Grants in Behavioral Economics](#)

Anthropology and Archeology

July 20 — [National Science Foundation Biological Anthropology](#)

August 15 – [National Science Foundation Cultural Anthropology](#)

November 1 – [Archaeological Institute of America Archaeology of Portugal Fellowships](#)

November 1 – [Archaeological Institute of America The Ellen and Charles Steinmetz Endowment Fund for Archaeology](#)

November 1 – [Archaeological Institute of America Olivia James Traveling Fellowship](#)

November 1 – [Archeological Institute of America Samuel H. Kress Grant for Research and Publication in Classical Art and Architecture](#)

November 1 – [Archeological Institute of America Publications Subvention Program](#)

November 1 – [Archeological Institute of America Julie Herzig Desnick Endowment Fund for Archaeological Field Surveys](#)

November 1 – [Archeological Institute of America The Kathleen and David Boochever Endowment Fund for Fieldwork and Scientific Analyses](#)

November 1 – [Archeological Institute of America Helen M. Woodruff Fellowship of the AIA and the American Academy in Rome](#)

November 1 – [Wenner-Gren Foundation Post-Ph.D. Research Grants](#)

Rolling – [National Science Foundation High-Risk Research in Biological Anthropology and Archaeology](#)

Political Science

August 15 – [National Science Foundation Political Science](#)

Rolling deadline – [Baylor Collections of Political Materials Dowdy Research Grant](#)

Sociology

July 16, January 16 – [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](#)

LANGUAGE AND AREA STUDIES

July 1 – [American Institute of Indian Studies Research & Senior Scholarly/Professional Development Fellowships](#)

September 1 and March 1 — [Wilson Center Kennan Institute George F. Kennan Fellowship](#)

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](#)

Deadline Reminders (cont'd)

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

June 25 – [National Institutes of Health Academic Research Enhancement Award \(AREA\) R15 Grants](#)
July 1 – [National Geographic Expedition Council Grant](#)
July 10 – [Organic Farming Research Foundation Grants for For Researchers](#)
July 19 – [National Science Foundation Faculty Early Career Development Program \(CAREER\)](#)
July 19 – [National Science Foundation Career Awards Biological Sciences, Computer & Information Science & Engineering, Education & Human Resources](#)
July 20 – [National Science Foundation Career Awards Geoscience, Mathematics, Social, Behavioral & Economic Sciences](#)
July 31 – [Marconi Society Marconi Prize](#)
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 – [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 15 – [AAAS Early Career Award for Public Engagement with Science](#)
October 31 – [National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine Jefferson Science Fellowship](#)
November 1 – [National Radio Astronomy Observatory Jansky Fellowship](#)
November 1 – [W. M. Keck Foundation Research Program](#)
November 6 – [Pershing Square Sohn Cancer Research Society Prize for Young Investigators in Cancer Research](#)
November 6 – [National Science Foundation Advancing Informal STEM Learning](#)
November 15 – [Institute for Advanced Study School of Natural Sciences \(IAS recommends submitting proposals by October 15\)](#)
December 1— [Glenn Foundation for Medical Research and AFAR Grants for Junior Faculty](#)
December 1— [National Science Foundation Statistics](#)
December 7 -- [National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine Postdoctoral Fellowships](#)
Rolling. December 1 for January funding. – [National Speleological Society Research Grants](#)

Biology and Earth Science

Deadline Reminders (cont'd)

- 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](#)
- November 5 — [National Science Foundation Directorate for Biological Sciences \(BIO\) awards Postdoctoral Research Fellowships in Biology](#)
- November 14 — [National Science Foundation Integrated Earth Systems](#)
- December 1 for January funding. Otherwise rolling — [National Speleological Society Research Grants](#)
- December 15 — [Gruber Foundation Genetics Prize](#)

Chemistry

Active funding opportunities for Chemistry from the National Science Foundation can always be found [here](#).

- October 2 — [National Science Foundation Chemical Catalysis \(CAT\)](#)
- October 2 — [National Science Foundation Chemical Structure, Dynamics, and Mechanisms \(CSDM-A\)](#)
- October 2 — [National Science Foundation Chemical Structure, Dynamics, and Mechanisms \(CSDM-B\)](#)
- October 2 — [National Science Foundation Chemical Synthesis \(SYN\)](#)
- October 2 — [National Science Foundation Chemical Theory, Models and Computational Methods \(CTMC\)](#)
- October 19 — [American Chemical Society Undergraduate New Investigator](#)
- October 19 — [American Chemical Society Undergraduate Research](#)
- October 21 — [American Chemical Society Undergraduate New Investigator Grants](#)
- October 20 — [American Chemical Society Undergraduate Research](#)
- October 20 — [American Chemical Society Undergraduate New Investigator](#)
- October 22 — [National Science Foundation Catalysis](#)
- October 31 — [National Science Foundation Chemical Measurement and Imaging](#)
- October 31 — [National Science Foundation Chemistry of Life Processes](#)
- October 31 — [National Science Foundation Macromolecular, Supramolecular, and Nanochemistry \(MSN\)](#)
- October 31 — [National Science Foundation Environmental Chemical Sciences](#)
- October 31 — [National Science Foundation Chemistry of Life Processes](#)
- November 1 — [American Chemical Association/The Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation Award for Encouraging Women into Careers in the Chemical Sciences](#)
- December 31 — [American Association for Clinical Chemistry Outstanding Scientific Achievement Awards](#)
- Rolling deadline — [American Chemical Society Community Recognition Grants](#)
- Rolling deadline — [Chemical Heritage Foundation Travel Grants](#)

Deadline Reminders (cont'd)

Engineering

July 19 – 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

December 6 – National Science Foundation Computational and Data-Enabled Science and Engineering
Division of Physics

December 9 – National Science Foundation Computational and Data-Enabled Science and Engineering
Division of Mathematical Sciences

Health and Medicine

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

November 6 – National Institutes of Health Research Education Program, National Institute of Allergy
and infectious Diseases

November 6 – Pershing Square Sohn Prize for Young Investigators in Cancer Research

November 15 – National Science Foundation Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases

Rolling deadline – Robert Wood Johnson Evidence for Action (E4A): Investigator-Initiated Research to
Build a Culture of Health

Rolling deadline – Simons Foundation Autism Research Initiative Explorer Award

Rolling deadline – New York Stem Cell Foundation Investigator Awards

Mathematics and Physics

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 Fluid Dynamics

October 25 – 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

November 15 – National Science Foundation Astronomy and Astrophysics Grants

Rolling deadline – National Science Foundation Conferences and Workshops in the Mathematical
Sciences

Deadline Reminders (cont'd)

Rolling deadline – [Simons Foundation Targeted Grants in Mathematics and Physical Sciences](#)

Psychology and Neuroscience

July 16 – [National Science Foundation Developmental and Learning Sciences](#)

September 30 – [American Psychological Foundation Walfish Grants Program](#)

November 1 – [American Psychological Association Carmi Harari Early and Mid-Career Awards](#)

November 1 – [American Psychological Foundation APA Travel Grants for US Psychologists to Attend International Conferences](#)

November 7 – [National Institutes of Health Blueprint for Neuroscience Research](#)

November 17 – [American Psychiatric Association Kempf Fund Award](#)

November 27 – [National Science Foundation Collaborative Research in Computational Neuroscience](#)

December 1 – [Austen Riggs Center Erikson Scholar Program](#)

December 31 – [American Psychological Foundation Dr. Rosalee G. Weiss Lecture for Outstanding Leaders in Psychology](#)

December 31 – [American Psychological Foundation Pearson Early Career Grant](#)

LIBRARY SCIENCE

September 1 and February 1 -- [Institute of Museum and Library services National Leadership Grants for Libraries](#)

September 15 -- [OCLA/ALISE Library and Information Science Research Grant Program](#)