





WHAT IS PIVOT?

Pivot is one of the most comprehensive funding database that is useful for all subjects and for different levels of researchers. It includes grants from multiple sources: government, foundations, and private companies.



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FUNDING TYPES

Research, equipment, curriculum development, fellowships, travel, grants, dissertation, among others

GLOBAL REACH

covering North America, United Kingdom, Europe, Latin America, Australia/New Zealand, South Africa and more



WIDE VARIETY OF SPONSOR TYPES

Government, institutions, foundations, international organizations, and corporate

PERSONAL PIVOT ACCOUNT

Save searches, Track and share opportunities, get funding opportunity Alerts, create distributions groups



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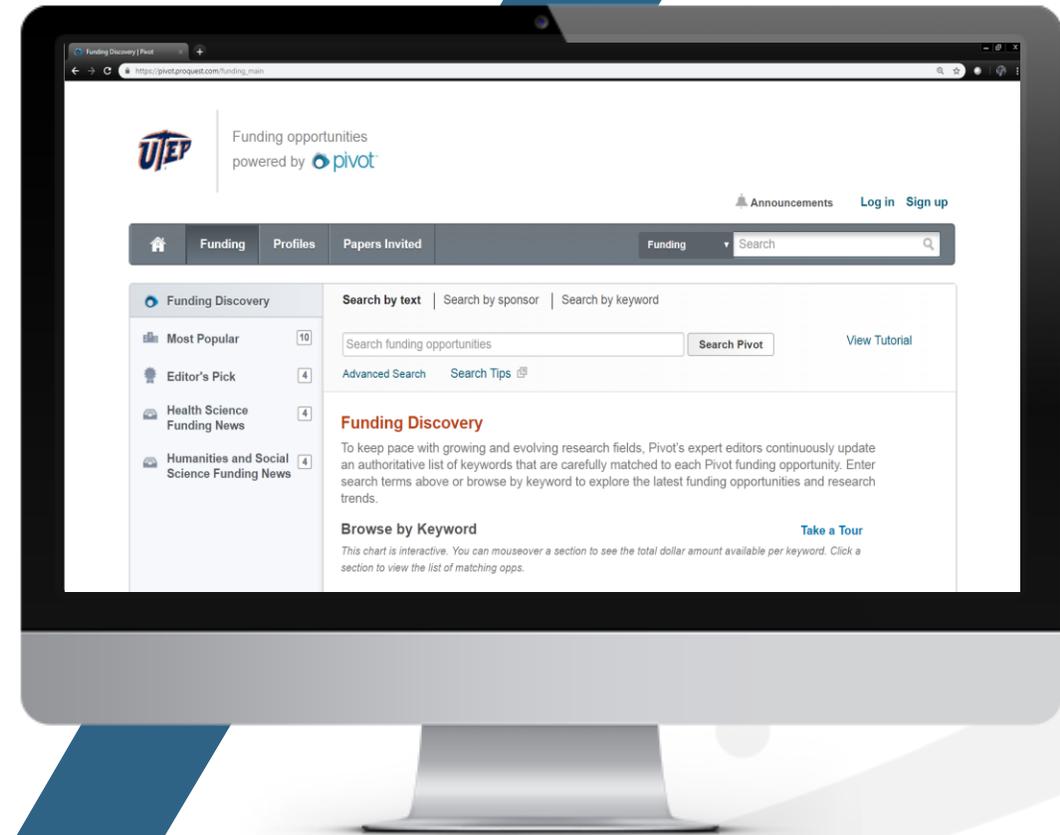
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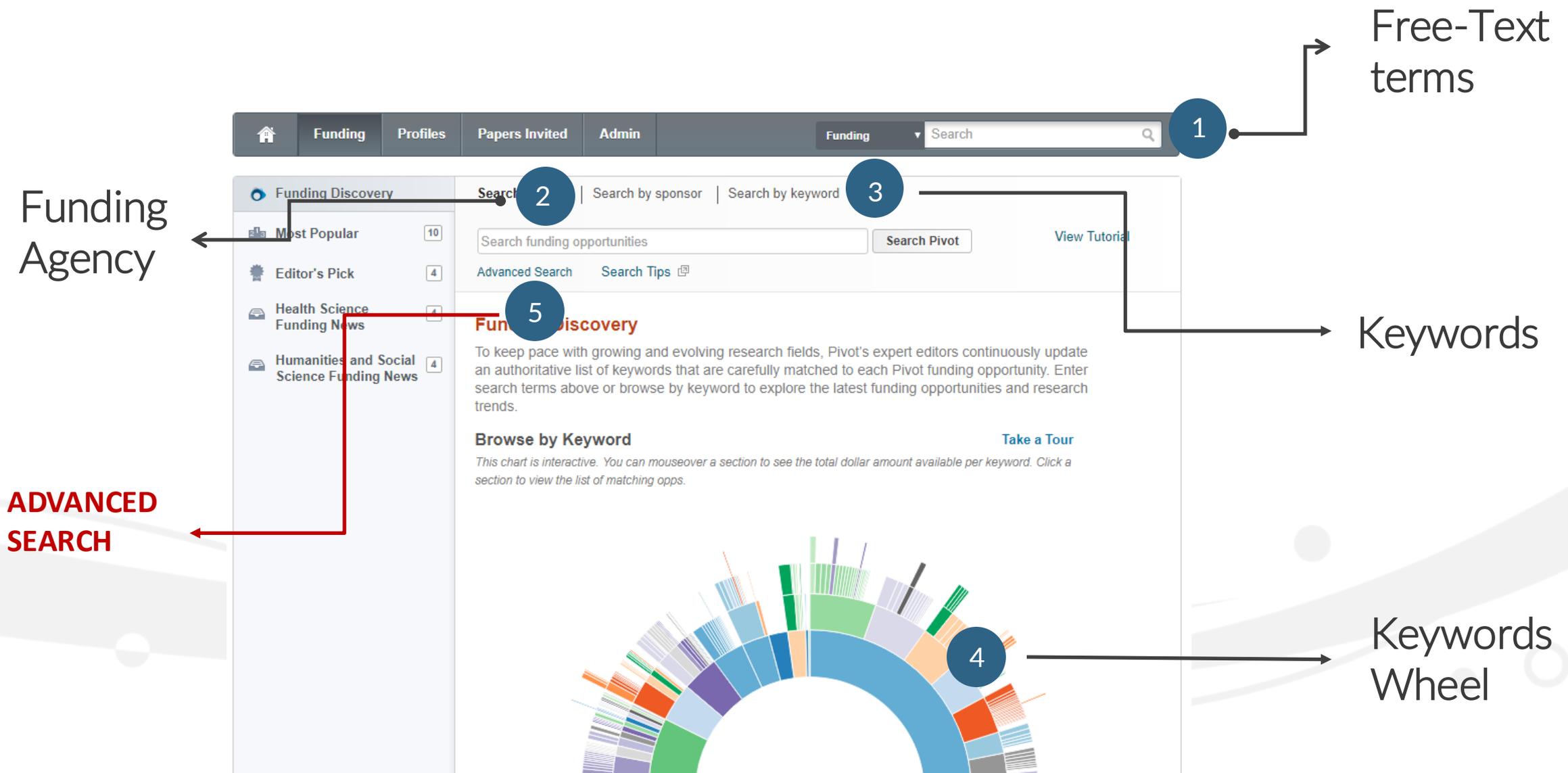


Many functions of PIVOT are readily available from the Pivot web site. Go to:

<https://pivot.proquest.com>



RESEARCHING IN PIVOT



ADVANCE RESEARCH

1. Select **Match All** or **Match Any**. This selection will add “And” or “Or” to the search rows beneath the option.
2. Click on the drop-down menu to select which field to search (**All Fields, Abstract, Title, Sponsor, or Sponsor ID**).
3. Choose **Funding Type** to limit to opportunities of a particular type or for a particular activity, such as research, conference, or travel grants.
4. Choose **Sponsor Type** to limit to opportunities from particular type of funder, such as the US or international governments, or a private foundation.
5. Choose **Sponsor Type** to limit to opportunities from a particular type of funder

Funding Advanced Search

[View Tutorial](#)

Your query contains institutional filters. Uncheck them if you wish to remove the filters from your query.

Citizenship/Residency Filter **1**

United States OR Unrestricted

Find Opportunities matching

Match all of the fields Match any of the fields **1**

2 or or

and or or

and or or

- ▶ Amount
- ▶ Deadlines **3**
- ▶ Limited Submission
- ▶ Activity Location
- ▶ Citizenship or Residency
- ▶ Funding Type **4**
- ▶ Keyword
- ▶ Applicant Type
- ▶ Sponsor Type **5**

ADVANCE RESEARCH

keywords:

Pivot utilizes a curated keywords index to classify funding opportunities. To increase the accuracy of your funding matches click on the keywords filed and review the expanded option.

Search Tip: Some research topics may not get any results in searching, **but that does not necessarily mean there are no grants for which your project may be eligible.** If this happens, try searching for grants in the broader field(s) within which your project falls.

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+ Add another row

► Amount

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► Funding Type

Keyword Browser

- 📁 Agriculture and Food Sciences
- 📁 Area Studies
- 📁 Arts and Humanities
- 📁 Business, Management and Commerce
- 📁 Education
- 📁 Energy Sciences
- 📁 Engineering
 - 📁 Aerial Photography USE: Photogrammetry
 - 📁 Aeronautical or Astronautical Engineering
 - 📁 Ceramic Engineering
 - 📁 Chemical Engineering

Keyword

and Match any Match all

search or browse

explode:

► Applicant Type

► Sponsor Type

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- Agriculture and Food Sciences/Agriculture/Agricultural Engineering
- Agriculture and Food Sciences/Agriculture/Aquacultural Engineering
- Agriculture and Food Sciences/Agriculture/Biological Engineering
- Agriculture and Food Sciences/Agriculture/Forestry/Forest Engineering
- Agriculture and Food Sciences/Food Science/Food Engineering
- Education/Education or Instructional Programs/Science Education/Engineering Education
- Energy Sciences/Automotive Propulsion Systems/External Combustion Engines
- Energy Sciences/Automotive Propulsion Systems/Internal Combustion Engines
- Energy Sciences/Energy Engineering
- Energy Sciences/Energy Engineering/Safety Engineering
- Energy Sciences/Energy Engineering/Solar Energy Engineering

ADVANCE RESEARCH

Exclude Opportunities Matching: You can determine which opportunities to exclude by entering terms in the exclude section.

For example, if you do not want to see opportunities focus on mid-career investigators or postdocs, use this section.

Exclude Opportunities matching

not or or

[+ Add another row](#) [Clear](#)

- ▶ Deadlines
- ▶ Limited Submission
- ▶ Activity Location
- ▶ Citizenship or Residency
- ▶ Funding Type
- ▶ Keyword
- ▶ Applicant Type ← 
- ▶ Sponsor Type

RESULTS

The screenshot shows a web interface for 'Exceptional Project Grants'. The main content area is a table with the following rows:

Website	http://breastcanceralliance.org/how-to-apply
Sponsor	Breast Cancer Alliance (BCA)
Limited submission	The BCA will accept a maximum of 2 LOIs per institution.
Amount	\$100,000 USD This is a one-year grant for a total of \$100,000.
Applicant Type	Individuals: Early Career and Emerging in Field Individuals: Mid-Career to Established in Field
Citizenship or Residency	United States
Activity location	United States
Abstract	This award recognizes creative, unique and innovative research in the field of breast cancer.
Eligibility	Breast Cancer Alliance invites clinical doctors and research scientists at any stage of their careers whose primary focus is breast cancer to apply for an Exceptional Project Grant. The grant is open to applicants at... more >>
Keywords	Medical Treatment, Cancer Prevention, Oncology, Breast Cancer, Cancer or Carcinogenesis

On the right side, there is a sidebar with the following sections:

- Track**: 0 others
- Set to Active**: 0 others
- Share**
- Curate**
- See alert recipients (0)
- See more opps like this
- Send feedback
- Potential Collaborators**
- 19** from inside your institution
- 500+** from outside institutions
- Funding Contact Person**
- researchgrants@breastcanceralliance.org

Callout 1 points to the 'See more opps like this' link in the sidebar. Callout 2 points to the 'Sponsor' field in the main table. Callout 3 points to the 'Keywords' field in the main table.

As you are looking at individual opportunities, select the “**see more opps like this**” (1) link. This is a quick way to get a list of opportunities closely related to the one you are looking. Choosing a **sponsor name** (2) will run a new search in Pivot and return results for all the opportunities that are available from that sponsor. You can also see new results based in the opp **keywords** (3).

ADVANTAGES OF HAVING A PERSONAL PIVOT ACCOUNT



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KEYWORDS

- Biochemistry
- Bioinformatics
- Curriculum Development
- Genomics
- Infectious Disease
- Microbiology

CUSTOMIZED LINKS

- [ProQuest/Pivot Funding Opportunities](#)
- [Students Support](#)

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IN THE NEWS

- [Boosting Diversity in Biomedical Research](#)
- [Grants Roundup](#)
- [New Program Uses Research to Retain STEM Majors](#)

A preliminary list of potential funding opportunities can be accessed by going to your Expertise profile page and clicking on the “**Visit my PIVOT funding opportunities**” link. If you would like to create and tailor a search, log onto your PIVOT profile and set/save your search criteria.

TRACKING A FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

There are two ways to track individual funding opportunities. The first is by selecting opportunities from your search results list, which will display options for tracking (1); the second is from within the individual opportunity (2). You will receive an email when there are updates to these opportunities.



A screenshot of a search results list. At the top, there are five buttons: 'Track', 'Set to Active', 'Share', 'Export', and 'Curate'. Below these buttons is a table with columns for 'Deadline' and 'Amount'. The first row is checked and contains the following information:

Deadline	Amount
05 Jun 2019 Application Confirmed	\$400,000 USD

The opportunity title is **Cancer Tissue Engineering Collaborative: Enabling Biomimetic Tissue-Engineered Technologies for Cancer Research (R01 Clinical Trial Optional)**. Below the title, it lists the funding agencies: United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), National Institutes of Health (NIH), and National Cancer Institute (NCI). A blue circle with the number '1' and an arrow points to the 'Track' button.



A screenshot of an individual funding opportunity page for 'Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers'. The page includes the following information:

- Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers**
- Limited Submission** (highlighted in orange)
- Opp ID: 86578 | Research, Program or Curriculum Development or Provision | Last edited on 02 Nov 2018
- Website: http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=5295

On the right side of the page, there is a vertical menu with the following options:

- Track (0 others)
- Set to Active (0 others)
- Share
- Curate

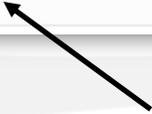
Below the menu, there are links for 'See alert recipients (0)', 'See more opps like this', and 'Send feedback'. A blue circle with the number '2' and an arrow points to the 'Set to Active' option.

SAVING A SEARCH

Search Funding Results

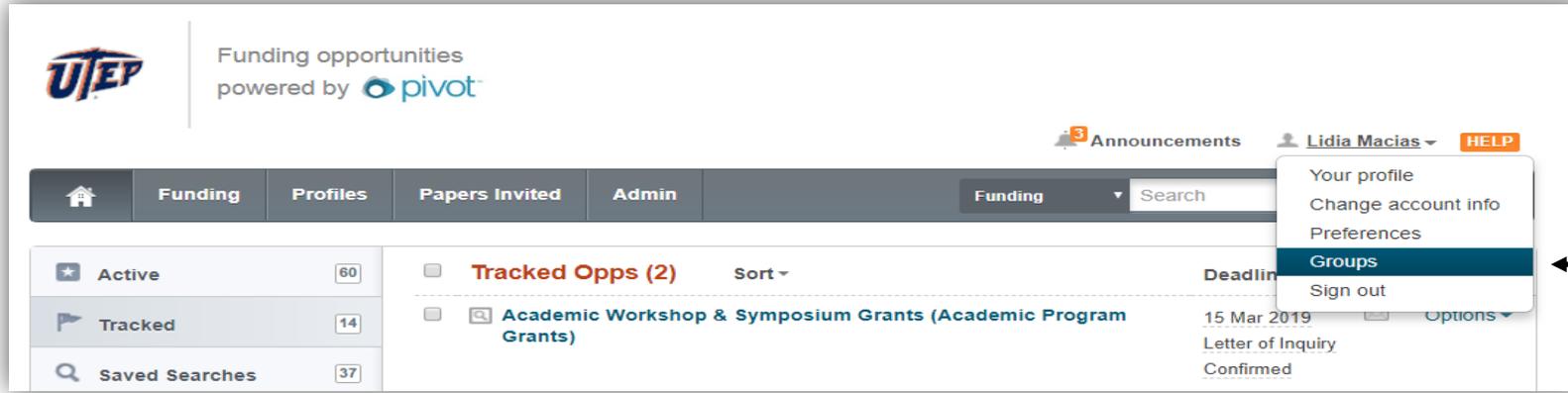
Your Search: ("Tissue Engineering" OR "Biomedical Materials") AND (Applicant Type=(Individuals: Mid-Career to Established in Field or Academic Institution or Individuals: Early Career and Emerging in Field)) AND (Sponsor Type=(... [more »](#))

[Advanced Search](#) [Save Search](#) [Refine Search](#)



Once you have a search with which you are satisfied, you may save it and receive updates via email each time a new grant opportunity matching your search is added to the database. No matter how many saved searches you have, you will only get one single weekly email that features results for each of your searches.

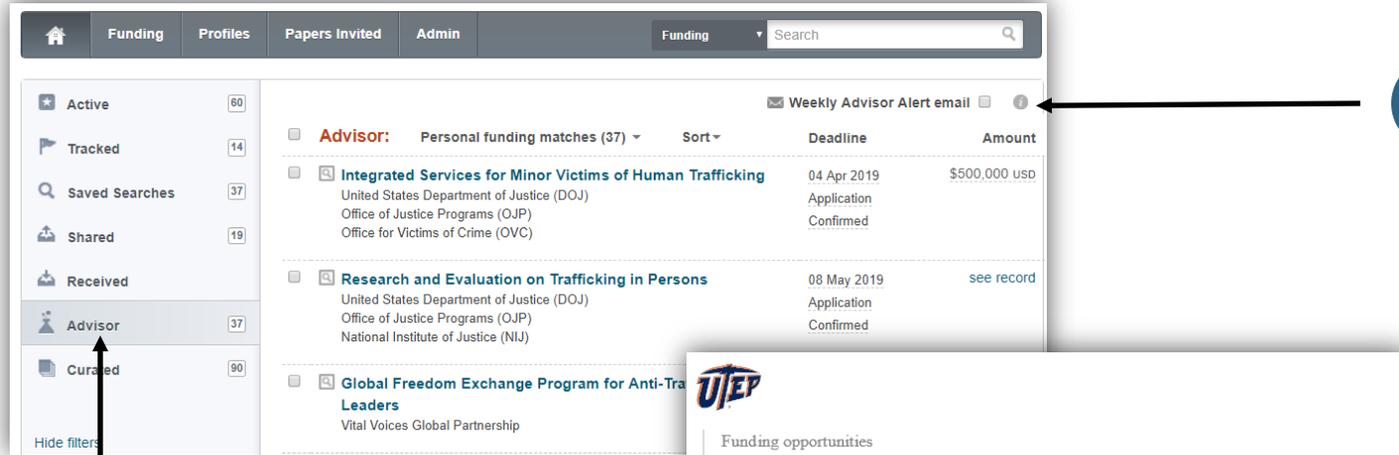
GROUPS



The screenshot shows the UTEP Pivot website interface. At the top left is the UTEP logo and the text "Funding opportunities powered by pivot". On the right, there are notifications for "Announcements" (3), the user name "Lidia Macias", and a "HELP" button. A navigation bar contains "Home", "Funding", "Profiles", "Papers Invited", "Admin", and a "Funding" dropdown menu with a search box. Below the navigation bar, there are three tabs: "Active" (60), "Tracked" (14), and "Saved Searches" (37). The main content area shows "Tracked Opps (2)" with a "Sort" dropdown. One opportunity is listed: "Academic Workshop & Symposium Grants (Academic Program Grants)" with a deadline of "15 Mar 2019" and a status of "Letter of Inquiry Confirmed". A user profile dropdown menu is open, showing options: "Your profile", "Change account info", "Preferences", "Groups" (highlighted), and "Sign out". A blue circle with an exclamation mark and an arrow points to the "Groups" option.

Choose
Groups from the pull-down menu under your name and follow the prompts to create unlimited numbers of groups. If you have created a group(s), when ever you share an opportunity you will have the ability to share it with individuals or a group.

ADVISOR

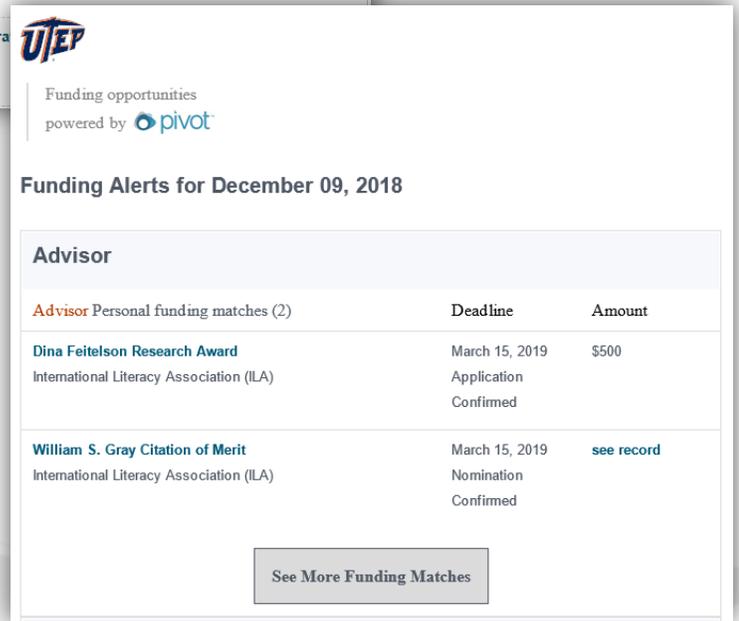


The screenshot shows the Pivot Advisor interface. On the left is a navigation menu with categories: Active (60), Tracked (14), Saved Searches (37), Shared (19), Received, **Advisor (37)**, and Curated (90). The main content area displays a table of funding matches under the heading "Advisor: Personal funding matches (37)". The table has columns for "Deadline" and "Amount".

Advisor: Personal funding matches (37)	Deadline	Amount
Integrated Services for Minor Victims of Human Trafficking United States Department of Justice (DOJ) Office of Justice Programs (OJP) Office for Victims of Crime (OVC)	04 Apr 2019 Application Confirmed	\$500,000 usd
Research and Evaluation on Trafficking in Persons United States Department of Justice (DOJ) Office of Justice Programs (OJP) National Institute of Justice (NIJ)	08 May 2019 Application Confirmed	see record
Global Freedom Exchange Program for Anti-Trafficking Leaders Vital Voices Global Partnership		

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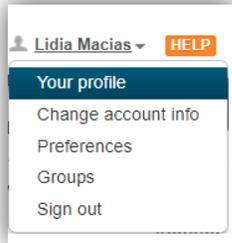
The screenshot shows an email alert from UJEP, powered by Pivot. The subject is "Funding Alerts for December 09, 2018". The email content includes a table of funding matches.

Advisor	Deadline	Amount
Advisor Personal funding matches (2)		
Dina Feitelson Research Award International Literacy Association (ILA)	March 15, 2019 Application Confirmed	\$500
William S. Gray Citation of Merit International Literacy Association (ILA)	March 15, 2019 Nomination Confirmed	see record

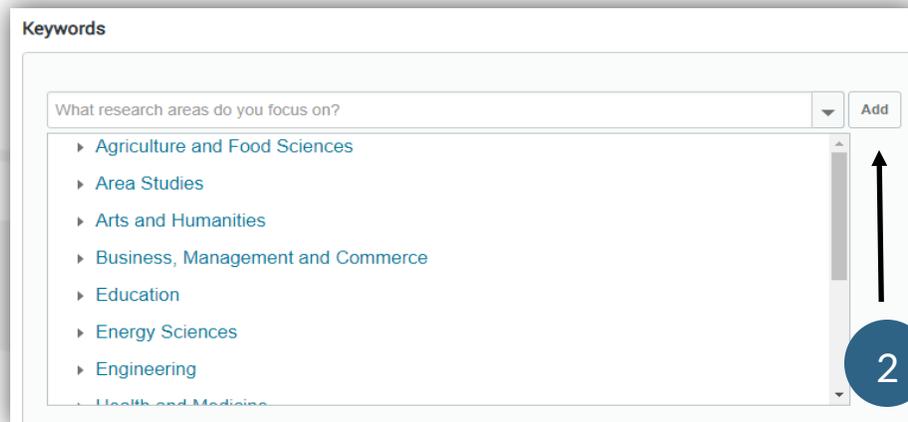
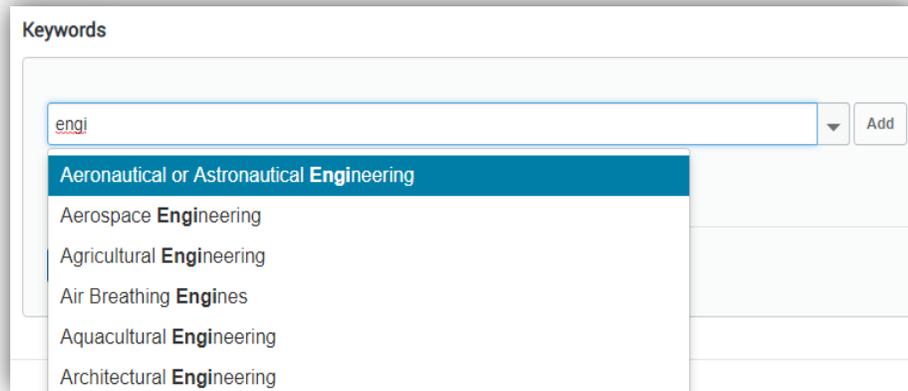
See More Funding Matches

Pivot also utilizes their keyword index to generate individual and departmental funding matches. The keywords in your profile also feed an automatic notification system called **advisor** (1). Faculty with Pivot profiles, receive notifications for personal funding matches based in their profile information (2).

UPDATE YOUR PIVOT PROFILE



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Profiles on Pivot are populated with the information faculty provides in **Digital Measures**. However, if desired faculty can edit their Pivot profile themselves. To edit your profile, you must log in to your account. Below your user name select the section edit profile (1). Faculty are encourage to use Pivot keyword index to maximize their profile funding matches. Under the “Keywords” section begin typing a term relevant to your area of expertise. A list of all keywords matching your search terms will appear. Click on the arrow (2) to display Pivot’s complete keyword tree.



THANKS FOR WATCHING

See You Next Time



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