**Solicitations and Deadlines**

December 1, 2012–April 30, 2013

National Science Foundation (NSF) (<http://www.nsf.gov/index.jsp>)

* December 3: NSF Science, Engineering and Education for Sustainability Fellows (NSF SEES Fellows), <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11575/nsf11575.htm>
* December 4: Required Letter of Intent for Cyber-Enabled Science and Engineering (CyberSEES), <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2013/nsf13500/nsf13500.htm>
* December 5: Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2012/nsf12587/nsf12587.htm>
* December 6: Discovery Research K-12 (DRK-12), <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11588/nsf11588.htm>
* December 12: Partnerships for Innovation: Building Innovation Capacity (PFI: BIC) full proposals, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2012/nsf12578/nsf12578.htm>. NOTE: This is a limited submission. UTEP’s proposal will be chosen from the teams that submit draft LOI’s.
* December 15: Innovation Corps Program (I-Corps), <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11560/nsf11560.htm>
* December 17: Cyberlearning: Transforming Education Exploratory Projects, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11587/nsf11587.htm>
* January 9: Division of Environmental Biology Core Programs Preliminary Proposals, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11573/nsf11573.htm>
* January 9: Virtual Organizations as Sociotechnical Systems, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11501/nsf11501.htm>
* January 12: Division of Integrative Organismal Systems Core Programs Preliminary Proposals, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11572/nsf11572.htm>
* January 14: Full Proposals for Advancing Informal STEM Learning (AISL), <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2012/nsf12560/nsf12560.htm>
* January 14: Type 2 and Type 3 proposals for Transforming Undergraduate Education in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (TUES), <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2010/nsf10544/nsf10544.htm>
* January 23: Interdisciplinary Behavioral and Social Science Research, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2012/nsf12614/nsf12614.htm>
* January 24: Major Research Instrumentation (MRI), <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11503/nsf11503.htm>. Limited Submission--an institution may submit up to three (3) proposals, one of which must be for instrument development. Teams led by Ricardo Bernal and Felicia Manciu will be submitting Instrument Acquisition proposals. A final decision on a possible Instrumentation Development proposal has not been made yet.
* January 23: Division of Environmental Biology (CORE Programs), <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2013/nsf13508/nsf13508.htm?WT.mc_id=USNSF_26&WT.mc_ev=click>
* January 30: Division of Molecular and Cellular Biosciences: Investigator-Initiated Research Projects, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2013/nsf13510/nsf13510.htm?WT.mc_id=USNSF_25&WT.mc_ev=click>
* February 1: Science, Technology and Society, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2012/nsf12509/nsf12509.htm>
* February 4: Interdisciplinary Research in Hazards and Disasters, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2012/nsf12610/nsf12610.htm>
* February 4: Software Infrastructure for Sustained Innovation -S2I2 (SI2-S2I2), Conceptualization (i.e., planning) Grants in the Scientific Software Innovation Institutes track, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2013/nsf13511/nsf13511.htm?WT.mc_id=USNSF_25&WT.mc_ev=click>
* February 5: Full Proposals for Cyber-Enabled Sustainability Science and Engineering (CyberSEES), <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2013/nsf13500/nsf13500.htm>
* February 20: Promoting Research and Innovation in Methodologies for Evaluation (PRIME), <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2013/nsf13515/nsf13515.htm?WT.mc_id=USNSF_25&WT.mc_ev=click>
* March 1: Ethics Education in Science and Engineering, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11514/nsf11514.htm>. NOTE: This is a limited submission, with an institution being able to submit only one proposal as the lead institution. As of 10:00 on November 15, only one NOI (from Jules Simon of Philosophy) had been submitted.
* March 13: Required LOI for Partnerships for Innovation: Accelerating Innovation Research (PFI: AIR), <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2012/nsf12571/nsf12571.htm>
* March 13: Computing Education for the 21st Century, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2012/nsf12609/nsf12609.htm>
* March 28: Research Initiation Grants in Engineering Education, <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11507/nsf11507.htm>

National Institutes of Health (Note: Approximately 75% of NIH awards go to Investigator-Initiated Research Proposals. Check <http://www.nih.gov/icd/> to see if NIH has an Institute or Center that funds your work.)

* Open Submission: Research Supplements to Promote Diversity in Health-Related Research, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-149.html>
* Open Submission: Research Supplements to Promote Re-Entry into Biomedical and Behavioral Research Careers, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-150.html>
* December 4: Research Answers to NCI’s (National Cancer Institute) Provocative Questions—Group A, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-CA-12-015.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-CA-12-016.html>
* December 4: Research Answers to NCI’s Provocative Questions—Group B, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-CA-12-017.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-CA-12-018.html>
* December 4: Research Answers to NCI’s Provocative Questions—Group C, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-CA-12-019.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-CA-12-020.html>
* December 4: Research Answers to NCI’s Provocative Questions—Group D, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-CA-12-021.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-CA-12-022.html>
* December 7: Global Partnerships for Social Science AIDS Research (R24), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HD-13-012.html>. LOI due November 16.
* December 17: Basic Social and Behavioral Research on Culture, Health, and Wellbeing (R24), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-LM-12-002.html>
* December 18: Transgenerational Inheritance in Mammals after Environmental Exposure, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-ES-12-006.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-ES-12-007.html>
* January 7: Ethical Issues in Research on HIV/AIDS and Its Co-Morbidities, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-244.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-243.html>
* January 15: Dynamics of Host-Associated Microbial Communities (R01), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-GM-14-001.html>. LOI due December 14.
* January 16: Environmental Influences on the Microbiome (R21), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-ES-12-009.html>
* March 21: Shared Instrumentation Grant Program (S10), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-13-008.html>. Note: While an institution may submit more than one proposal, the applicant team must include at least three (3) investigators with R01 type funding. The four individuals at UTEP (Igor Almeida, Sid Das, June Kan-Mitchell, and Laura O’Dell) received the PAR directly. It will be sent to any other individual who receives R01 funding.
* NOTE: Many NIH Program Announcements (PAs) use the standard dates for parent grants listed above. Some PAs that may be of interest include:
* Research on Children in Military Families: The Impact of Parental Military Deployment and Reintegration on Child and Family Functioning : R01, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-200.html> ; R21, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-202.html>
* Research on Ethical Issues in Biomedical, Social and Behavioral Research: R01, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-180.html>; R03, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-181.html>; R21, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-182.html>
* Nanoscience and Nanotechnology in Biology and Medicine: R01, http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-148.html ; R21, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-149.html>
* Reducing Health Disparities among Minority and Underserved Children: R01, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-104.html>; R21, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-105.html>
* Translating Basic Behavioral and Social Science Discoveries into Interventions to Improve Health-Related Behaviors (R01), <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-063.html>
* Research on Autism and Autism Spectrum Disorders: R01, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-10-158.html>; R21, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-10-160.html>; R03, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-10-159.html>
* Home and Family Based Approaches for the Prevention or Management of Overweight or Obesity in Early Childhood: R01, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-10-127.html>; R21, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-10-128.html>
* Development, Application, and Evaluation of Prediction Models for Cancer Risk and Prognosis: R01, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-10-025.html>; R21, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-10-026.html>
* Bioengineering Research Grants (R01), <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-10-009.html>
* Exploratory/Developmental Bioengineering Research Grants (R21), <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-10-010.html>
* Behavioral Science Track Award for Rapid Transition (B/START) (R03), <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-09-239.html>
* Drug Abuse Prevention Intervention Research: R01, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-08-217.html>; R21, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-08-218.html>; R03, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-08-219.html>
* Biomarkers: Bridging Pediatric and Adult Therapies, R01, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-11-322.html>; R03, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-11-323.html>; R21, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-11-323.html>
* mHealth Tools to Promote Effective Patient-Provider Communication, Adherence to Treatment and Self-management of Chronic Diseases in Underserved Populations, R01, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-330.html>; R03, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-331.html>; R21, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-332.html>
* Healthy Habits: Timing for Developing Sustainable Healthy Behaviors in Children and Adolescents, R01, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-327.html>; R03, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-328.html>; R21, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-329.html>
* Short Courses on Mathematical, Statistical, and Computational Tools for Studying Biological Systems (R25), <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-351.html>
* Advancing Diversity in Aging Research through Undergraduate Education (R25), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-016.html>
* Screening and Brief Alcohol Interventions in Underage and Young Adult Populations, <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-031.html> (R01), <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-030.html> (R21), and <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-029.html> (R03)
* Effects of Adolescent Binge Drinking on Brain Development, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-027.html> (R01) and <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-028.html> (R21)
* Behavioral Interventions to Address Multiple Chronic Health Conditions in Primary Care (R01), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-024.html>
* Practical Interventions to Improve Medication Adherence in Primary Care, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-022.html> (R01) and <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-023.html> (R21)
* Mechanisms Mediating Osteoarthritis in Aging, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-019.html> (R01) and <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-018.html> (R21)
* Advances in Patient Safety through Simulation Research (R18), <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-11-024.html>. An interdisciplinary team is developing a proposal for submission on May 25.
* Mental Health Research Dissertation Grants to Increase Diversity, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-103.html>
* Secondary Analyses in Obesity, Diabetes, and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (R21), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-125.html>
* Health Services and Economic Research on the Prevention and Treatment of Drug, Alcohol, and Tobacco Use, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-127.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-128.html>; R03: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-129.html>
* The NCI Transition Career Development Award (K22), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-121.html>
* Research on the Health of LGBTI Populations, R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-113.html> ; R03: http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-112.html ; R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-111.html>
* Mechanisms of Alcohol-associated Cancers, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-146.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-147.html>
* Senior Scientist Research Award (K05), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-148.html>
* NCI Exploratory/Developmental Research Grant Program (NCI Omnibus R21), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-145.html>
* NCI Small Grants Program for Cancer Research (NCI Omnibus R03), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-144.html>
* NINDS Faculty Development Award to Promote Diversity in Neuroscience Research (K01), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-152.html>
* Research to Action: Assessing and Addressing Community Exposure to Environmental Contaminants, <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-153.html>
* Basic Research on HIV Persistence, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-161.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-162.html>
* Pilot and Feasibility Clinical Research Grants in Diabetes and Endocrine and Metabolic Diseases (R21), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-157.html>
* Alcohol Abuse, Sleep Disorders and Circadian Rhythms, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-177.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-178.html>
* Role of Environmental Chemical Exposures in the Development of Obesity, Type 2 Diabetes, and Metabolic Syndrome, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-185.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-184.html>
* Transition to Independent Environmental Health Research (TIEHR) Career Development Award (K22), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-188.html>
* NIH support for Conferences and Scientific Meetings (Parent R13/U13), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-212.html>
* Identifying Non-Coding RNA Targets for Early Detection of Cancer, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-213.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-214.html>
* Women’s Mental Health during Pregnancy and the Postpartum Period, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-216.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-215.html>
* Research on Psychopathology in Intellectual Disabilities (R01), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-219.html>
* Biomarkers for Early Detection of Hematopoietic Malignancies, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-221.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-220.html>
* Research on Children in Military Families: The Impact of Parental Military Deployment and Reintegration on Child and Family Functioning (R13, Support for Conferences and Scientific Meetings), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-223.html>
* Development and Testing of Novel Interventions to Improve HIV Prevention, Care, and Program Implementation (R34), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-231.html>
* Fatigability, Activity Limitations, and Bioenergetics in Aging, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-227.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-225.html>; R03: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-226.html>
* Stem Cells and Alcohol-induced Tissue Injuries, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-233.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-232.html>
* Physical Activity and Weight Control Interventions among Cancer Survivors: Effects on Biomarkers of Prognosis and Survival, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-228.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-229.html>
* Development of Mathematical Cognition and Reasoning and the Prevention of Math Learning Disabilities, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-248.html>; R21:
* <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-246.html>; R03: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-247.html>
* Behavioral Science Track Award for Rapid Transition (B/START) (R03), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-12-251.html>
* HIV/AIDS, Drug Use, and Vulnerable Populations in the U.S., R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-281.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-280.html>
* Exploratory/Developmental Bioengineering Research Grants (R21), <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-284.html>
* Drug Abuse Aspects of HIV/AIDS, R01: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-293.html>; R21: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-295.html>; R03: <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-294.html>

Note: Links to all active PAs are at <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/search_results.htm?year=active&scope=pa>

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Other Agencies

* December 4: National Endowment for the Humanities, Sustaining Cultural Heritage Collections, <http://www.neh.gov/grants/preservation/sustaining-cultural-heritage-collections>
* December 4: NASA, Space Technology Research Fellowships, <http://nspires.nasaprs.com/external/viewrepositorydocument/cmdocumentid=340787/solicitationId=%7B67565659-36F8-8888-A19E-6DC271DA6ED5%7D/viewSolicitationDocument=1/NSTRF13%2010%2010%202012%20release.pdf>
* December 4: USAID/NSF Partnerships for Enhanced Engagement in Research (PEER) Science, http://sites.nationalacademies.org/pga/dsc/peerscience/index.htm
* December 5: Environmental Protection Agency, Fall 2013 EPA Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) Fellowships for Undergraduate Environmental Study, <http://www.epa.gov/ncer/rfa/2013/2013_gro_undergrad.html>
* December 11: Environmental Protection Agency, 10th Annual P3 Awards: A National Student Design Competition for Sustainability Focusing on People, Prosperity and the Planet, <http://www.epa.gov/ncer/rfa/2013/2013_p3.html>
* December 12: Department of Defense, FY 2013 Department of Defense Multidisciplinary Research Program of the University Research Initiative (MURI), <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=bDlyQrJDdrvgQbPqnl2vhdTQSwkZLFYnVtHHDct12628vgTGnx4p!-232291924?oppId=192113&mode=VIEW>
* January 4: Office of Naval Research, FY 2013 ONR Young Investigator Program, <http://www.onr.navy.mil/~/media/Files/Funding-Announcements/BAA/2013/13-003.ashx>
* January 15: Institute of Museums and Library Services: Museums for America, <http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?GrantId=11>
* Sometime in Mid-January: Hogg Foundation for Mental Health, Mental Health Research Grants for Tenure-Track Assistant Professors in Texas, <http://www.hogg.utexas.edu/initiatives/academic_research.html>. Note J. Wiebe and F. Dick have copies of last year’s guidelines that will be sent upon request.
* January 18: Invited Full Proposals for PEER Health, <http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/dsc/peerhealth/index.htm>
* January 22: U.S. Department of Education, National Institute of Disability and Rehabilitation Resources (NIDRR), Field Initiated Projects, <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2012-11-05/html/2012-26929.htm>
* February 8: United States Department of Agriculture, Higher Education Challenge Grants Program, <http://nifa.usda.gov/funding/rfas/higher_education_challenge.html>
* February 11: United States Department of Agriculture, Hispanic-serving Institutions Regular Grants, <http://nifa.usda.gov/funding/rfas/pdfs/13_hsi.pdf>. Note: This is a Limited Submission, with an institution able to submit only four (4) applications in this category. NOI’s were be due October 29, and White Papers will be due November 26.
* February 18: United States Department of Agriculture, Hispanic-serving Institutions STEAM Grants, <http://nifa.usda.gov/funding/rfas/pdfs/13_hsi.pdf>. Note: This is a Limited Submission, with an institution able to be the lead on only one (1) application in this category. NOI’s were due October 25, and White Papers will be due November 26.
* March 4: National Endowment for the Humanities, Landmarks of American History and Culture: Workshops for School Teachers, <http://www.neh.gov/grants/education/landmarks-american-history-and-culture-workshops-school-teachers>
* April 16: National Endowment for the Humanities, Awards for Faculty at Hispanic-Serving Institutions, <http://www.neh.gov/grants/research/awards-faculty-hispanic-serving-institutions>