

Funding Opportunities & Announcements

ALERTS

NIH Standard Due Dates

Cycle 2 will begin on **May 25, 2018** and standard due dates for common mechanisms are as follows:

- R01 (renewals, resubmissions, revisions) - July 5
- K Series (renewals, resubmissions, revisions) - July 12
- R03, R21, R33, R34, R36 (renewals, resubmissions, revisions) - July 17
- F Series (all) - August 8

Cycle 3 will begin on September 25, 2017 and standard due dates for common mechanisms are as follows:

- R01 (new) - October 5
- K Series (new) - October 12
- R03, R21, R33, R34, R36 (new) - October 16
- R15 (all) - October 25
- R01 (renewals, resubmissions, revisions) - November 6
- K Series (renewals, resubmissions, revisions) - November 13
- R03, R21, R33, R34, R36 (renewals, resubmissions, revisions) - November 16
- F Series (all) - December 8

Help us help you! The sooner you let us know of your intent to submit a proposal for extramural funding (30 days is recommended), the sooner we can help you navigate the paths to a successful submission. All proposal elements are due to our office ten (10) business days in advance so we can secure all COM approvals and help you assemble the complete proposal by the University's three (3) business days deadline for institutional approval. [More Information.](#)

FSU Procurement Services Announcement

Florida State University, in coordination with Sponsored Research, will be implementing new federal regulations impacting procurement of goods and services on **July 1, 2018** (start of fiscal year 2019). The regulations, known as Uniform Guidance, are issued by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) and there are a number of reforms and changes for institutions that receive federal grant funding. The primary impact will be the added due diligence required for small purchases in excess of the micro-purchase threshold (\$10K), and especially for Sole Source purchases, which will require a more compliant screening and sourcing process. In addition, institutions will be required to have internal policies and procedures that define conflicts of interest for staff engaging in procurement decisions and organizational conflicts of interest. To view more information on these important changes, federal guidance updates, along with upcoming information on informational sessions, [click here.](#)

GRANTSMANSHIP

NIH Scientist Launch Game for Kids

The NIH Center for Scientific Review (CSR) has just released the [NIH Scientist Launch Game™ app](#), a fun way to learn about peer review and experience the excitement of advancing science and health and exploring a research career. *[Cont. on p. 2]*

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The app “leads players through the challenges and excitement of learning about science, getting a grant, and overcoming challenges researchers often face. Along the way, players learn more about various diseases, experimental design, and the life of a successful scientist.” [More information.](#)

Letters of Intent Submission Process Requirements

Sponsored Research Administration recently sent out an announcement regarding guidance on letters of intent, concept papers, and white papers. Please note that the College of Medicine has separate internal requirements for these submittals. In accordance with FSU CoM Research Policy, the Office of Research Administration should be notified of all potential proposals (including letters of intent) so that we can help COM researchers navigate the application process and ensure appropriate approvals are secured. Please send notice of any sponsored funding related submittal to [re-search@med.fsu.edu](mailto:research@med.fsu.edu) at least 10 business days in advance of the deadline. Additional guidelines may be found [here](#).

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

Alzheimer’s Drug Discovery Foundation Funding Opportunities

The Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation (ADDF) is seeking applications for two programs: the Drug Discovery Program and the Biomarkers Development Program. The required letter of intent deadline for both opportunities is **July 13, 2018**.

Drug Discovery Program: The ADDF's Drug Discovery RFP focuses on supporting programs that aim to: Advance novel lead molecules to the clinical candidate selection stage (defined as compounds suitable for IND-enabling studies); or Build pre-clinical evidence in relevant animal models for repurposed/repositioned drugs. The average award is \$150,000-\$600,000 based on stage and scope of research. For studies requiring additional support, co-funding from other funding agencies or investors is encouraged. [More information.](#)

Biomarkers Development Program: Clinical trials for Alzheimer's disease and related dementias have been hindered, in part, by the limited number of biomarkers that can (1) accurately diagnose these diseases, (2) properly stratify cohorts and enrich for patients with target pathology, (3) demonstrate target engagement for novel therapies, and (4) reliably monitor disease progression and response to treatment. This RFP seeks to support the development and validation of biomarkers that will enhance the design and performance of clinical trials for Alzheimer's disease and related dementias. This includes companion biomarkers for specific clinical-stage therapies and biomarkers with broader applicability across trials and therapeutic targets. [More information.](#)

National Organization for Rare Disorders: Research Grant Program

NORD’s Rare Disease Research Grant Program is accepting proposals for the study of: Alveolar Capillary Dysplasia with Misalignment of the Pulmonary Veins (ACD/MPV); Appendix Cancer and Pseudomyxoma Peritonei (PMP); Familial Hypercholesterolemia; Malonic Aciduria; New-Onset Refractory Status Epilepticus (NORSE) and Febrile Infection-Related Epilepsy Syndrome (FIRES); PACS1-Related Syndrome (Schuurs-Hoeijmakers Syndrome); Primary Orthostatic Tremor. The application deadline is **July 16, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs Funding for Fiscal Year 2018

The Fiscal Year 2018 Department of Defense Appropriations Act provides research funding for peer reviewed programs managed by the Department of Defense office of Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs (CDMRP). Comprehensive Program Announcements will be released throughout 2018. The Program Announcements include detailed descriptions of funding mechanisms, evaluation criteria, submission requirements, and deadlines. All programs have a required Pre-Application. Each Program Announcement may be downloaded from the Grants.gov website (<http://www.grants.gov>), or the CDMRP website (<http://cdmrp.army.mil>) upon its release. Upcoming Pre-Application deadlines for some of these programs are as follows:

- Prostate Center Research Program: Impact Award - **July 19, 2018**
- Ovarian Cancer Research Program (OCRP) - **July 25, 2018**
- Neurofibromatosis Research Program - **July 26, 2018**
- Lung Cancer Research Program: Concept Award - **July 26, 2018**
- Prostate Center Research Program: Physician Research Award - **August 16, 2018**
- Prostate Center Research Program: Early Investigator Research Award - **August 16, 2018**
- Peer Reviewed Cancer Research Program: Career Development Award - **August 28, 2018**
- Lung Cancer Research Program: Career Development Award - **September 6, 2018**

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES (Cont.)

Burroughs Wellcome Fund Investigators in the Pathogenesis of Infectious Disease Program

The Investigators in the Pathogenesis of Infectious Disease program provides opportunities for assistant professors to bring multidisciplinary approaches to the study of human infectious diseases. The goal of the program is to provide opportunities for accomplished investigators still early in their careers to study what happens at the points where the systems of humans and potentially infectious agents connect. The program supports research that sheds light on the fundamentals that affect the outcomes of these encounters: how colonization, infection, commensalism, and other relationships play out at levels ranging from molecular interactions to systemic ones. From this year forward, microbiome-related proposals must be infectious disease focused to compete well in this program. PATH is a highly competitive award program that provides \$500,000 over a period of five years. The awards are intended to give recipients the freedom and flexibility to pursue new avenues of inquiry, stimulating higher risk research projects that hold potential for significantly advancing understanding of how infectious diseases work and how health is maintained. The application deadline is **July 16, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Healthy Eating Research: Building Evidence to Promote Health and Well-Being Among Children

Healthy Eating Research (HER) is a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) national program, which supports research on policy, systems, and environmental (PSE) strategies with strong potential to promote the health and well-being of children at a population level. Specifically, HER aims to help all children achieve optimal nutrition and a healthy weight. HER grantmaking focuses on children and adolescents from birth to 18, and their families, with a priority on lower-income and racial and ethnic minority populations that are at-risk of poor nutrition and obesity. Findings are expected to advance RWJF's efforts to ensure that all children and their families have the opportunity and resources to experience the best physical, social, and emotional health possible, promote health equity, and build a Culture of Health. Healthy Eating Research issues calls for proposals (CFPs) to solicit scientifically rigorous, solution-oriented proposals from investigators representing diverse disciplines and backgrounds. This CFP is for two types of awards aimed at providing advocates, decision-makers, and policymakers with evidence to promote the health and well-being of children through nutritious foods and beverages. The award types are Round 11, small- and large-scale grants. The two funding opportunities are described in more detail beginning on page 2 of the CFP. The application deadline is **July 18, 2018**. [More information.](#)

The Little Giraffe Foundation Neonatal Research Initiative

The Little Giraffe Foundation invites applications for research grants directed at addressing both the long term and immediate health needs caused by premature birth. Research subjects appropriate for support by the Little Giraffe Foundation include basic biological processes governing development, genetics, clinical studies, studies of reproductive health, environmental toxicology, and social and behavioral studies. Please note that studies related to development of educational interventions or to address quality improvement initiatives will not be considered for funding. The required letter of intent is due **July 20, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) Funding Opportunities

Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) invites application for several grant opportunities. PCORI funds projects that answer patient-centered questions about health and health care. By highlighting comparisons and outcomes that matter, we expect research findings to inform decisions by patients, caregivers, clinicians, and other healthcare stakeholders. We are looking for projects that assess the benefits and harms of interventions related to preventive, diagnostic, therapeutic, or palliative care or the healthcare delivery system. In most research projects that we fund, researchers partner with patients and other stakeholders from the planning stages through the final dissemination of findings. (We recognize that in some highly technical and methodological projects, patients may not make appropriate partners.) The programs and deadlines are listed below. [More information.](#)

- Implementation of Effective Shared Decision Making Approaches in Practice Settings - **July 24, 2018**
- Engagement Awards - **October 1, 2018**
- Broad PCORI Funding Announcements - (for Addressing Disparities, Assessment of Prevention, Diagnosis, and Treatment Options, Communication and Dissemination Research, and Improving Health Systems - **November 6, 2018**
- Improving Methods for Conducting Patient-Centered Outcomes Research - **November 6, 2018**

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES (Cont.)

American Gastroenterological Association Robert & Sally Funderburg Research Award in Gastric Cancer

The objective of this award is to support an established investigator in the field of gastric biology whose research will enhance the fundamental understanding of gastric cancer pathobiology to ultimately prevent or develop a cure for the disease. The award will provide \$50,000 per year for two years (totaling \$100,000). The application deadline is **July 27, 2018**. [More information.](#)

AmerisourceBergen Foundation Opioid Resource Grant Program

Understanding the need for expediency, and to simultaneously balance an objective of developing long-term solutions, AmerisourceBergen Foundation initial opioid resource grant offering will be dedicated to generating ideas from those who know best, tapping into bright and innovative organizations across the U.S. The AmerisourceBergen Foundation invites nonprofit, grant-funded, organizations to apply for a grant, by providing proposals that describe how the AmerisourceBergen Foundation can best contribute resources and funding to address opioid abuse and misuse. Grants will be awarded for the most innovative and constructive solutions and priority will be given to concepts addressing these key areas of focus: Safe disposal & Education around prevention. The size of grant disbursements will depend on the needs of each grantee, up to \$100,000 per grant. The required letter of intent is due **July 31, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Community Access to Child Health: Community Pediatric Health Programs

Community Access to Child Health (CATCH), a program of the American Academy of Pediatrics, provides support to pediatricians looking to collaborate with others in their communities so that all children have access to needed health services. To that end, CATCH is accepting applications for two community health grant programs, the CATCH Planning and Implementation Grants program and the CATCH Resident Grants program. The application deadline is **July 31, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Rheumatology Research Foundation Career Development Bridge Funding Award

The Rheumatology Research Foundation invites applications for their Career Development Bridge Funding Award. The Career Development Research Awards are designed to encourage early and mid-career investigators to continue vital research into the cause, prevention, and treatment of rheumatic diseases. The application deadline is **August 1, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Scientific Research Network on Decision Neuroscience & Aging 2018 Pilot Grants

The Scientific Research Network on Decision Neuroscience and Aging (SRNDNA) will award 2-3 grants up to \$30,000 in 2018 to junior researchers or senior researchers new to the area. The proposed research must focus directly on adult development and aging or on life course decisions that improve health and well being in old age. Applicants do not have to be US citizens but have to be at a US institution. The max \$30,000 budget limit is direct costs. The application deadline is **August 1, 2018**. [More information.](#)

American Hearing Research Foundation Grants

The American Hearing Research Foundation (AHRF) is seeking applications for four opportunities. The AHRF serves two vital roles: to fund significant research in hearing and balance disorders, and to help educate the public about hearing loss and balance disorders related to the inner ear. The AHRF funds an average grant of \$20,000. These research projects cover a wide range of research areas and are conducted with the hopes that we might better understand how we lose hearing and balance functions, how we regain them, and, most importantly, how to preserve the function we still have. The application deadline for all opportunities listed below is **August 15, 2018**. [More information.](#)

- AHRF Regular Grants
- Meniere's Disease Grant
- ACI Alliance/ AHRF Grant
- Bernard and Lottie Drazin Memorial Grants

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES (Cont.)

Elsa U. Pardee Foundation: Cancer Research Grants

The Elsa U. Pardee Foundation funds research to investigators in United States non-profit institutions proposing research directed toward identifying new treatments or cures for cancer. The Foundation particularly encourages grant applications for a one year period which will allow establishment of capabilities of new cancer researchers, or new cancer approaches by established cancer researchers. It is anticipated that this early stage funding by the Foundation may lead to subsequent and expanded support using government agency funding. Project relevance to cancer detection, treatment, or cure should be clearly identified. The application deadline is **August 31, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Gilead Sciences Research Scholars Program in Hematology/Oncology

This award is intended for junior faculty who are in the early stages of their career and are planning to become independent investigators. The mission of the Gilead Sciences Research Scholars Program in Hematology/Oncology is to support innovative scientific research that will advance knowledge in the field of hematology/oncology, with a focus on hematologic malignancies, and provide support for research career development. Gilead Sciences, Inc. hopes that the research supported by these awards will enhance understanding in hematology/oncology. The application deadline is **September 7, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Amyloidosis Foundation Research Grants

The Amyloidosis Foundation focuses on raising awareness in the medical field of amyloidosis, a group of diseases in which abnormal protein, known as amyloid fibrils, builds up in tissue; educating medical professionals through its Grand Rounds program and attendance at medical conferences; prioritizing a research agenda through grants and partnership with the Amyloidosis Research Consortium; and empowering patients through its comprehensive range of services, including accurate, up-to-date information. To that end, the foundation will award grants of up to \$50,000 in support of basic biomedical and clinical research related to systemic amyloidosis. To be eligible, applicants must be within ten years of completion of their postdoctoral studies or clinical fellowship and have a mentor. The application deadline is **September 14, 2018**. [More information.](#)

National Eczema Association Research Grants

The goal of the program is to promote and cultivate impactful research in the field of eczema and support innovative work that can ideally compete for funding from the National Institute of Health or other agencies in the future. The NEA research program centers on projects that further our understanding of the eczema disease process, opportunities for new therapies, optimal physician-patient engagement, and the impact eczema has on patients, families, school/work, and the healthcare system. Applications are requested for the following areas: Innovations in Basic Science Research; Pediatric Eczema: Novel Insights; Innovations in Practice Care; Patient/Caregiver Burden of Disease. The application deadline is **September 14, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Oxalosis and Hyperoxaluria Foundation Research Grant Program

The Oxalosis and Hyperoxaluria Foundation seeks to support research that will ultimately lead to new diagnostics, treatments, and a cure for primary hyperoxaluria and related hyperoxaluria conditions. Applications for up to two years of support will be considered. These funds may be used in the following categories: Personnel, Supplies, Other Costs, Travel, and Equipment. Indirect costs up to 10% of the direct costs (excluding equipment) may be requested. Maximum funding: \$200,000.00 for up to two years. Indirect costs must be included in the maximum funding amount. The application deadline is **November 1, 2018**. [More information.](#)

ASXL Rare Research Endowment Foundation

The ASXL Rare Research Endowment Foundation conducts biannual calls for research proposals. One- or two-year grants will be awarded for various amounts of up to \$100,000 per year. Highest priority will be given to pilot projects to test new ideas about pathogenesis and therapeutics of ASXL congenital syndromes and clinical research studies. Of particular interest to the foundation are studies related to respiratory illness, cyclic vomiting, seizures, sleep issues, and identification of treatments that impact the daily life of people with ASXL syndromes and their families. **Applications are accepted on a continual basis.** [More information.](#)

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
7/2/2018	National Science Foundation (NSF) Social Psychology <u>PD 98-1332</u>	7/16/2018
7/2/2018	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Geriatrics and Clinical Gerontology Research to Address Health Disparities in the U.S. (Admin Supp Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PA-18-751</u>	7/16/2018
7/2/2018	National Science Foundation (NSF) Developmental Sciences (DS) <u>PD 08-1698</u>	7/16/2018
7/4/2018	National Science Foundation (NSF) Faculty Early Career Development Program (CAREER) <u>NSF 17-537</u>	7/18/2018
7/5/2018	National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Catalyzing Innovation in Late Phase Clinical Trial Design and Statistical Analysis Plans (U34 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>RFA-HL-19-027</u>	7/19/2018
7/26/2018	Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Using Archived Data and Specimen Collections to Advance Maternal and Pediatric HIV/AIDS Research (R21 - Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>RFA-HD-19-018</u>	8/9/2018
7/26/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes Rare Genetic Disorders as a Window into the Genetic Architecture of Mental Disorders (U01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>RFA-MH-19-200</u>	8/9/2018
7/26/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes Rare Genetic Disorders as a Window into the Genetic Architecture of Mental Disorders (Collaborative U01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>RFA-MH-19-201</u>	8/9/2018

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
8/2/2018	<p>National Cancer Institute (NCI) Investigation of the Transmission of Kaposi Sarcoma-Associated Herpesvirus (KSHV) (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>RFA-CA-18-013</u></p>	8/16/2018
8/7/2018	<p>National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Genetic analysis of non-human animal models to understand the genomic architecture of substance use disorders and addictive behaviors (U01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PAR-18-789</u></p>	8/21/2018
8/13/2018	<p>U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Minor Use Minor Species Development of Drugs (R01) <u>PAR-18-827</u></p>	8/27/2018
8/17/2018	<p>National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health (NCCIH) NCCIH Natural Product Early Phase Clinical Trial Award (R33 Clinical Trial Required) <u>PAR-18-828</u></p>	8/31/2018
8/17/2018	<p>National Cancer Institute (NCI) NCI Community Oncology Research Program (NCORP) Minority/ Underserved Community Sites (UG1 Clinical Trial Required) <u>RFA-CA-18-017</u></p>	8/31/2018
8/17/2018	<p>National Cancer Institute (NCI) NCI Community Oncology Research Program (NCORP) Research Bases (UG1 Clinical Trial Required) <u>RFA-CA-18-015</u></p>	8/31/2018
8/21/2018	<p>NIH - Multiple Institutes Approaches for Understanding Disease Mechanisms and Improving Outcomes in TB Meningitis (TBM) (R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PAR-18-822</u></p>	9/4/2018
8/22/2018	<p>National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS) Better Defining Growth Medium to Improve Reproducibility of Cell Culture (SBIR) (R43/R44 - Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PA-18-815</u></p>	9/5/2018

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
8/22/2018	<p>National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS) Better Defining Growth Medium to Improve Reproducibility of Cell Culture (STTR) (R41/R42 - Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PA-18-816</u></p>	9/5/2018
8/24/2018	<p>National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Development and Testing of Novel Interventions to Improve HIV Prevention, Care, and Program Implementation (R34-Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PA-18-780</u></p>	9/7/2018
8/27/2018	<p>National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Short-Term Research Education Program to Increase Diversity in Health-Related Research (R25 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>RFA-HL-19-024</u></p>	9/10/2018
8/27/2018	<p>Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) NIH Directors New Innovator Award Program (DP2 - Clinical Trial Optional) <u>RFA-RM-18-008</u></p>	9/10/2018
8/31/2018	<p>NIH Common Fund NIH Director's Pioneer Award (DP1 - Clinical Trial Optional) <u>RFA-RM-18-007</u></p>	9/14/2018
9/7/2018	<p>Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) NIH Directors Transformative Research Award (R01 - Clinical Trial Optional) <u>RFA-RM-18-009</u></p>	9/21/2018
9/11/2018	<p>Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) Making Health Care Safer in Ambulatory Care Settings and Long Term Care Facilities (R18) <u>PA-18-750</u></p>	9/25/2018
9/11/2018	<p>National Institute on Aging (NIA) Examining Diversity, Recruitment and Retention in Aging Research (R24 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PAR-18-749</u></p>	9/25/2018

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
9/20/2018	National Institutes of Health (NIH) - Multiple Institutes Immune Mechanisms at the Maternal-Fetal Interface (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>RFA-AI-18-023</u>	10/4/2018
9/21/2018	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Alzheimer's Drug-Development Program (U01 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-820</u>	10/5/2018
10/4/2018	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Collaborative Network to Advance Deprescribing Research for Older Adults with Multiple Chronic Conditions (R24 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>RFA-AG-19-005</u>	10/18/2018
10/10/2018	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Paul B. Beeson Emerging Leaders Career Development Award in Aging (K76 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>RFA-AG-19-017</u>	10/24/2018
10/10/2018	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Paul B. Beeson Emerging Leaders Career Development Award in Aging (K76 Independent Clinical Trial Required) <u>RFA-AG-19-018</u>	10/24/2018
10/23/2018	Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Development of Novel Nonsteroidal Contraceptive Methods (R61/R33 - Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>RFA-HD-19-015</u>	11/6/2018
10/24/2018	National Institutes of Health (NIH) - Multiple Institutes The Role of Epitranscriptomics in Development and Disease (R01 - Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PAR-18-830</u>	11/7/2018
10/31/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes Addressing the Challenges of the Opioid Epidemic in Minority Health and Health Disparities Research in the U.S. (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-747</u>	11/14/2018

OTHER FUNDING RESOURCES

Pivot

From any on-campus computer, go to <http://pivot.cos.com>. FSU's IP addresses will be recognized by Pivot, so you can start searching for funding opportunities right away. Creating a Pivot account is easy—at the website, click “Sign up” in the upper right corner. Once registered, you can log in with a Pivot username and password anytime, anywhere. Logging in allows you to manage active or tracked funding opportunities, save searches, share opportunities, and search for potential collaborators. Username and password access is necessary when you are off-campus or when you want to save a funding record or funding search.

FSU Foundation Search Tool and Corporate Development Assistance

For grant funding assistance related to your programmatic research and academic initiatives, the Office of Corporate & Foundation Development is happy to provide institution-wide access to the Foundation Center Online database accessible through FSU IP. [Click here](#) to begin your search of over 100,000 private foundations and charities.

The FSU Foundation can also assist researchers by establishing relationships with corporations and private foundations. Corporate Development staff members will work with you on proposal and concept development, private foundation or corporation research, and the submission process of grant proposals. [More Information](#).

National Institutes of Health Resources

[NIH Funding Opportunities and Notices Search Engine](#)

[NIH Standard Due Dates for Competing Applications](#)

[All About Grants Podcasts](#) - Conversations with NIH staff members providing inside information for successful grantsmanship.

[NIH Extramural Nexus & Rock Talk Blog](#) - News, updates and blog posts on extramural grant policies, processes, events and resources.

FSU Office of Research

Office of Proposal Development - The office provides a variety of services including proposal development assistance, faculty partnership identification, as well as training opportunities for faculty who are new to grant seeking and grant writing. Additionally, they offer copyediting services for researchers who speak English as a second language. [More Information](#).

SRA Listserv Administration - Subscribe to keep up with notices of important news and events related to contracts and grants, including limited submission opportunities. [More Information](#).

Office of Research Newsletter - Online access to Sponsored Research's monthly newsletter pertaining to research activities and important announcements. [More Information](#).

Research Development and Grant Writing News - FSU has a subscription to this newsletter containing both articles and links to funding news. All FSU faculty, staff and students have access to current and back issues. To be added to the monthly distribution list, email [Beth Hodges](#). You will also be provided with a username and password for the archives found at [Research Development and Grant Writing News](#).

Limited Submission Opportunities - Funding Opportunities requiring an internal competition before submission to an external sponsor. [More Information](#).

Internal Competitions - Funding Opportunities available only to FSU faculty. [More Information](#).

OTHER FUNDING RESOURCES (Cont.)

Postdoc and Student Resources

UCLA Graduate & Postdoctoral Extramural Support (GRAPES) Database

This database catalogs extramural funding opportunities of interest to students and postdoctoral scholars. It contains information on over 500 private and publicly funded awards, fellowships, and internships. Access the database through the [GRAPES Search Form](#).

FSU Office of Postdoctoral Affairs

Part of The Florida State University's Graduate School, the Office of Postdoctoral Affairs (OPA) serves as a central resource and information conduit for all postdoctoral researchers as well as faculty and staff who work with postdoctoral researchers at FSU. The OPA publishes a weekly digest. Additionally, FSU is a sustaining member of the National Postdoctoral Association, giving all postdocs at FSU Affiliate Membership in the NPA. [More Information](#).

Research Fellowships for Medical Students

Many medical schools and institutions offer programs for medical students who are interested in exploring research as part of their career. Fellowships and scholarly programs are offered in summers or as year-long programs. Fourth and fifth year medical students can also participate in research electives. [More Information](#).

Other

[Morganonscience.com](#)

Morgan on Science is a free resource for grant writing tips and secrets by Morgan Giddings, Ph.D.



SUBMITTING PROPOSALS FOR GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

College of Medicine, Office of Research Administration (Med-RA)

Help us help you! The sooner you let us know of your intent to submit a proposal for extramural funding, the **sooner we can help you navigate** the paths to a successful submission. Our goals are to assist you with the CoM requirements and those of FSU Sponsored Research Administration (SRA), or in the case of private funding, the FSU Research Foundation (FSURF); minimize the administrative burden; and meet sponsor guidelines in a seamless, integrated fashion.

SRA/FSURF requires "complete" proposals three (3) business days in advance of the sponsor's deadline. *Please note that generally our office works on a first in, first out basis.* If you contact us at least 30 days in advance, together we can identify, gather, or create the elements/components, then assemble the application by the SRA/FSURF deadline for institutional approval. The goal is to have all the elements needed to assemble a complete proposal for SRA/FSURF no later than 10 business days before the sponsor's deadline.

10-Day Advance Proposal Preparation Guidelines

Contact Med-RA at research@med.fsu.edu for proposal preparation assistance.

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[Med-RA Website.](#)

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