

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 (new) - June 5
- K Series (new) - June 12
- R03, R21, R33, R34, R36 (new) - June 16
- R15 (all) - June 26
- 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

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.](#)

HHS Proposes a Further Delay to the Common Rule

The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) and 16 other federal departments and agencies issued a [Notice of Proposed Rulemaking \(NPRM\)](#) to delay the general compliance date for the revised Federal Policy for the Protection of Human Subjects ("the Common Rule") for an additional six months, from **July 19, 2018**, to **January 21, 2019**. As discussed during the 2018 GRAND Spring Conference, the notice was issued to "provide additional time to regulated entities for the preparations necessary to implement the 2018 requirements." The AAMC along with Association of American Universities (AAU) and the Association of Public and Land-grant Universities (APLU) had requested a delay in a [March 19 letter](#). The NPRM [seeks comment](#) by **May 21** on the new proposed compliance date and whether to allow institutions to implement three "burden reducing" provisions included in the revised rule prior to the 2019 general compliance date. Read more at AAMC [Washington Highlights](#), and additional updates and resources are available at the AAMC [Common Rule page](#).

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](#).

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GRANTSMANSHIP

Spring 2018 National Science Foundation Grants Conference

Semi-annual NSF Grants Conferences are essential learning opportunities for new faculty, researchers and administrators who want to gain key insights into a wide range of current issues at NSF. NSF program officers representing each NSF directorate will be on hand to provide up-to-date information about specific funding opportunities and to answer attendee questions. The Spring 2018 NSF Grants Conference will be held at the Marriott at the Renaissance Center in Detroit, Michigan, **June 4-5, 2018**. [Registration and more information.](#)

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

Florida Medical Malpractice Joint Underwriting Association's Alvin E. Smith Safety of Health Care Services Grant Program

The Florida Medical Malpractice Joint Underwriting Association is seeking applications for their grant program. The ultimate goal of this grant program is to improve the safety of health care services for all Floridians. The purpose of this RFA is to support projects that are intended to (1) identify, develop, test, and implement safe practice initiatives in inpatient and/or outpatient settings; and (2) share the findings and lessons learned including the challenges and barriers to developing and implementing these interventions through validated tools, products, and/or health care safety toolkits. The interventions and any resulting implementation toolkits shall be made publicly available so that they may be adapted and/or adopted by other health care organizations. Please note that this is a limited submission opportunity; if you are interested in applying, please notify research@med.fsu.edu as soon as possible. The application deadline is **May 21, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Department of Defense Breast Cancer Research Program (BCRP)

The Department of Defense (DoD) invites applications for several opportunities in their Breast Cancer Research Program (BCRP). The BCRP challenges the scientific community to design research that will address the urgency of ending breast cancer. Specifically, the BCRP seeks to accelerate high-impact research with clinical relevance, encourage innovation and stimulate creativity, and facilitate productive collaborations. The BCRP seeks applications that address the following overarching challenges: Prevent breast cancer (primary prevention); Identify determinants of breast cancer initiation, risk, or susceptibility; Distinguish deadly from non-deadly breast cancers; Conquer the problems of overdiagnosis and overtreatment; Identify what drives breast cancer growth and determine how to stop it; Identify why some breast cancers become metastatic; Determine why/how breast cancer cells lie dormant for years and then re-emerge; determine how to prevent lethal recurrence; Revolutionize treatment regimens by replacing them with ones that are more effective, less toxic, and impact survival; Eliminate the mortality associated with metastatic breast cancer. Each application deadline is listed below.

[More information.](#)

- Innovator Award - **May 15, 2018**
- Breakthrough Award Levels 3 and 4 - **May 15, 2018**
- Distinguished Investigator Award - **May 15, 2018**
- Breakthrough Award Levels 1 and 2 - **May 16, 2018**
- Era of Hope Scholar Award - **May 16, 2018**

Department of Defense Ovarian Cancer Research Program (OCRP)

The Department of Defense (DoD) invites applications for several opportunities in their Ovarian Cancer Research Program (OCRP). Ovarian cancer is the leading cause of death among gynecological cancers each year. In 2017, approximately 22,440 women will be diagnosed with ovarian cancer in the United States, and an estimated 14,080 will die from the disease. Ovarian cancer ranks fifth in cancer deaths among women. The OCRP establishes priorities to target the most critical needs along the research development pipeline from basic to translational to clinical research, including clinical trials, and to push the field of ovarian cancer forward through our vision to "Eliminate ovarian cancer". Application deadlines for opportunities are listed below. [More information.](#)

- Investigator-Initiated Research Award - **May 30, 2018**
- Pilot Award - **May 30, 2018**
- Clinical Development Award - **July 25, 2018**
- Omics Consortium Development Award - **July 25, 2018**
- Ovarian Cancer Academy – Early-Career Investigator Award - **July 25, 2018**

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES (Cont.)

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Evidence for Action: Making Health a Shared Value

The purpose of this call for proposals (CFP) is to improve understanding of the Action Area 1 drivers and outcomes related to health, well-being and equity, particularly with respect to disadvantaged children and families. A current lack of empirical evidence limits our ability to identify strategies with the potential to “drive” this Action Area forward. In addition, although these drivers are strongly correlated with individual health outcomes, we lack compelling evidence of the causal directions and the magnitudes of effects on health, well-being, and equity. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation seeks evidence on the extent to which Action Area 1 drivers—mindsets and expectations, sense of community, and civic engagement—can be changed through intervention at the individual or population levels to result in better health, well-being and equity outcomes. The application deadline is **June 1, 2018**. [More information.](#)

PCORI Engagement Awards

The Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) plans to award \$20.5 million in fiscal year 2018 as part of the Eugene Washington PCORI Engagement Awards program. These awards support projects that encourage active integration of patients, caregivers, clinicians, and other healthcare stakeholders as integral members of the patient-centered outcomes research/clinical effectiveness research (PCOR/CER) enterprise. The letter of intent deadline for each opportunity listed below is **June 1, 2018**.

- Capacity Building - [More information](#)
- Dissemination Initiative - [More information](#)

Rheumatology Research Foundation Career Development Research Awards

The Rheumatology Research Foundation invites applications for their Career Development Research Awards. 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 for each opportunity is listed below. [More information.](#)

- Career Development Bridge Funding Award: K Bridge - **June 1, 2018**
- Career Development Bridge Funding Award: R Bridge - **June 1, 2018**
- Scientist Development Award - **July 2, 2018**
- Investigator Award - **July 2, 2018**
- Career Development Bridge Funding Award: K Supplement—**August 1, 2018**

Global Healthy Living Foundation and Pfizer Independent Grants for Learning & Change Request for Proposal: Accelerating the Detection, Diagnosis and Initial Treatment of Psoriatic Arthritis

It is Pfizer’s intent to support projects that focus on improving the early detection, diagnosis and initial treatment (during the first six months following diagnosis) of adults with psoriatic arthritis (PsA) in partnership with health care providers in the community. Priority will be given to proposals that are able to: Leverage Arthritis Power™ or other validated tools and/or mobile (e.g., smartphone) applications for screening and data collection; Ensure healthcare system-based changes; and Demonstrate a direct impact on patient care. Programs should focus on accelerating detection, diagnosis and initial treatment of PsA by testing innovative healthcare system-based changes. Programs limited to a focus on one treatment will not be eligible for consideration. It is expected that the proposed project will be evidence-based and the proposed research/evaluation will follow generally accepted scientific principles. During review, the intended outcome of the project is given careful consideration and, if appropriate based on the project goal, projects with the maximum likelihood to directly impact patient care in a measurable way will be given high priority.

The required letter of intent is due **June 1, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Vilcek Prizes for Creative Promise in Biomedical Sciences

The Vilcek Foundation will award three prizes of \$50,000 each to young (not more than 38 years old as of December 18, 2018) foreign-born biomedical scientists who demonstrate outstanding early achievement. Eligible work may be in basic, applied, and/or translational biomedical science. Eligible positions include the following: assistant or associate professor, or equivalent independent position. The application deadline is **June 11, 2018**. [More information.](#)

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES (Cont.)

Children's Cardiomyopathy Foundation (CCF) Research Grant Program

The Children's Cardiomyopathy Foundation (CCF) is committed to improving outcomes and quality of life for children with all forms of cardiomyopathy. CCF's research grant program aims to advance medical knowledge on the causes and mechanism of pediatric cardiomyopathy and to develop diagnostic guidelines and targeted therapies. CCF's grant program is designed to provide seed funding to investigators for the testing of initial hypotheses and collecting of preliminary data to help secure long-term funding by other major granting institutions. Funding is available in the range of US\$25,000 to US\$50,000 for one year of total direct costs. The required letter of intent deadline is **June 13, 2018**. [More information.](#)

The Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) Discovery Research Grants

The Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) is leading the fight to free individuals from the harm of muscular dystrophy, ALS, and related muscle-debilitating diseases that take away physical strength, independence and life. Therefore, MDA invites applications for their Discovery Research Grants. Discovery research includes the search for understanding the causes of disease, unraveling pathways involved in disease, identifying novel drug targets, and testing new strategies to treat disease. The goal for discovery research is to form a solid foundation that informs and accelerates all subsequent drug development. Since each rare disease poses unique challenges to therapy development, discovery research may include various types of studies related to the unmet needs of each disorder including the creation of improved disease models, biomarker discovery, and the identification of the genetic causes of disease, among others. They invite applications for Research Grants and Development Grants. The application deadline is **June 15, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Research Centers

This Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) will provide funding to academic research centers to participate in the network of Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Research Centers (PRC Network) to: Establish and maintain a multi-disciplinary prevention research center (Center) that conducts high-quality applied health promotion and disease prevention research; Conduct one (1) applied public health prevention project (Core Research Project) using a community engagement approach to address a major cause of disease, disability, injury, or death in a population experiencing health disparities; Disseminate research findings to community, practice, and academic audiences; Translate evidence-based interventions for sustainability and widespread scale-up; and Serve as a resource, as part of the PRC Network, for developing, implementing, evaluating, disseminating, and translating evidence-based public health interventions at local, state, tribal, or national levels. The application deadline is **June 25, 2018**. [More information.](#)

Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation Program to Accelerate Clinical Trials (PACT)

The Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation invites letters of intent for their Program to Accelerate Clinical Trials (PACT). The goal of the Program to Accelerate Clinical Trials (PACT) RFP is to increase the number of innovative treatments tested in humans for Alzheimer's disease and related dementias. This program will fund: (1) clinical trials through Phase 2a of novel drug candidates, including small molecules and biologics (antibodies, oligonucleotides, peptides, gene therapies, cell therapies); (2) proof-of-concept biomarker-based trials in patients for repurposed/repositioned drugs*; (3) regulatory studies for investigational new drug (IND)/clinical trial application (CTA) preclinical packages that are required before testing novel drugs in human subjects. The average award may be up to \$3 million. The required letter of intent is due **July 13, 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.](#)

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
5/15/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes Perception and Cognition Research to Inform Cancer Image Interpretation (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-640</u>	5/30/2018
5/16/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes High-End Instrumentation (HEI) Grant Program (S10 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PAR-18-598</u>	5/31/2018
5/16/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes Shared Instrumentation Grant (SIG) Program (S10 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PAR-18-600</u>	5/31/2018
5/17/2018	National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) Research to Support the Reduction and Elimination of Mental Health Disparities (Admin Supp Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PA-18-621</u>	6/1/2018
5/18/2018	National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) NHLBI Early Phase Clinical Trials for Therapeutics and/or Diagnostics (R61/R33 Clinical Trial Required) <u>PAR-18-683</u>	6/4/2018
5/21/2018	National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) Understanding Processes of Recovery in the Treatment of Alcohol Use Disorder (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PA-18-619</u>	6/5/2018
5/21/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes Age-related Microbiota Changes and their Implications in Chronic Disease Prevention, Treatment and Progression (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PA-18-738</u>	6/5/2018
5/21/2018	National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS) Disease Mechanisms of Prenatal and Pediatric Hydrocephalus (R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PA-18-622</u>	6/5/2018

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
5/21/2018	National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Mechanistic investigations of psychosocial stress effects on opioid use patterns (R01- Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAS-18-624</u>	6/5/2018
5/21/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes Innovative Therapies and Tools for Screenable Disorders in Newborns (R01 - Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-689</u>	6/5/2018
5/21/2018	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Selective Cell and Network Vulnerability in Aging and Alzheimer's Disease (R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PAR-18-706</u>	6/5/2018
5/21/2018	National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) Genetics of Alcohol Sensitivity and Tolerance (R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PA-18-660</u>	6/5/2018
5/22/2018	National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research (NIDCR) NIDCR Behavioral and Social Intervention Clinical Trial Planning and Implementation Cooperative Agreement (UG3/UH3 Clinical Trial Required) <u>PAR-18-656</u>	6/6/2018
5/25/2018	National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Technologies for Healthy Independent Living for Heart, Lung, Blood and Sleep Disorders (R43 - Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>RFA-HL-19-016</u>	6/11/2018
5/25/2018	National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) NIDA Mentored Clinical Scientist Development Program Award in Substance Use and Substance Use Disorder Research (K12 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-746</u>	6/11/2018
5/30/2018	National Cancer Institute (NCI) U.S. Tobacco Control Policies to Reduce Health Disparities (R21 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-674</u>	6/13/2018

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
5/31/2018	National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Stimulating T4 Implementation Research to Optimize Integration of Proven-effective Interventions for Heart, Lung, and Blood Diseases and Sleep Disorders into Practice (STIMULATE) (R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>RFA-HL-19-014</u>	6/14/2018
6/4/2018	National Institute on Aging (NIA) In Vivo Synaptic Function in Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias (R21 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PAR-18-760</u>	6/18/2018
6/4/2018	National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research (NIDCR) Basic and Translational Oral Health Research Related to HIV/AIDS (R21 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PA-18-695</u>	6/18/2018
6/4/2018	National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) NIDA Small Research Grant Program (R03 Clinical Trial Required) <u>PA-18-626</u>	6/18/2018
6/4/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes Women & Sex/Gender Differences in Drug and Alcohol Abuse/Dependence (R03 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PA-18-601</u>	6/18/2018
6/4/2018	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Pilot and Feasibility Studies of HIV and Animal Models for HIV Infection within the Mission of NIDDK (R21 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PA-18-615</u>	6/18/2018
6/4/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes Age-related Microbiota Changes and their Implications in Chronic Disease Prevention, Treatment and Progression (R21 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PA-18-739</u>	6/18/2018
6/4/2018	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Pilot and Feasibility Clinical Research Grants in Kidney Diseases (R21 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-744</u>	6/18/2018

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
6/4/2018	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Secondary Analyses in Obesity, Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (R21 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PA-18-741</u>	6/18/2018
6/4/2018	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Pilot and Feasibility Clinical Research Grants in Urologic Disorders (R21 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-743</u>	6/18/2018
6/5/2018	National Cancer Institute (NCI) Basic Research in Cancer Health Disparities (R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>PAR-18-654</u>	6/19/2018
6/6/2018	National Human Genome Research Institute (NHGRI) Investigator-Initiated Genomic Medicine Research (R21 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-736</u>	6/20/2018
6/6/2018	National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) NIMH Biobehavioral Research Awards for Innovative New Scientists (NIMH BRAINS) (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>RFA-MH-19-130</u>	6/20/2018
6/6/2018	National Human Genome Research Institute (NHGRI) Investigator-Initiated Genomic Medicine Research (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-735</u>	6/20/2018
6/8/2018	National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) Silvio O. Conte Centers for Basic Neuroscience or Translational Mental Health Research (P50 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-737</u>	6/22/2018
6/11/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes Academic Research Enhancement Award (Parent R15) <u>PA-16-200</u>	6/25/2018

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
6/13/2018	NIH - Multiple Institutes Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENDS): Population, Clinical and Applied Prevention Research (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>PAR-18-612</u>	6/27/2018
6/15/2018	National Cancer Institute (NCI) Research Answers to National Cancer Institute's (NCI) Provocative Questions (R21 Clinical Trials Optional) <u>RFA-CA-18-020</u>	6/29/2018
6/25/2018	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Treating Diabetes Distress to Improve Glycemic Outcomes in Type 1 Diabetes (R01 Clinical Trial Required) <u>RFA-DK-17-028</u>	7/10/2018
6/25/2018	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Mass Spectrometric Assays for the Reliable and Reproducible Detection of Proteins/Peptides of Importance in Type 1 Diabetes Research (U01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) <u>RFA-DK-17-019</u>	7/10/2018
6/25/2018	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Incorporating Patient-Reported Outcomes into Clinical Care for Type 1 Diabetes (R01 Clinical Trial Required) <u>RFA-DK-17-027</u>	7/10/2018
6/25/2018	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Elucidating the Effect of Glycemic Excursions on Patient Well-being and Cognitive Status in People with Type 1 Diabetes (T1D) (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) <u>RFA-DK-18-003</u>	7/10/2018
7/2/2018	National Science Foundation (NSF) Developmental Sciences (DS) <u>PD 08-1698</u>	7/16/2018
8/31/2018	NIH Common Fund NIH Director's Pioneer Award (DP1 - Clinical Trial Optional) <u>RFA-RM-18-007</u>	9/14/2018

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](#).

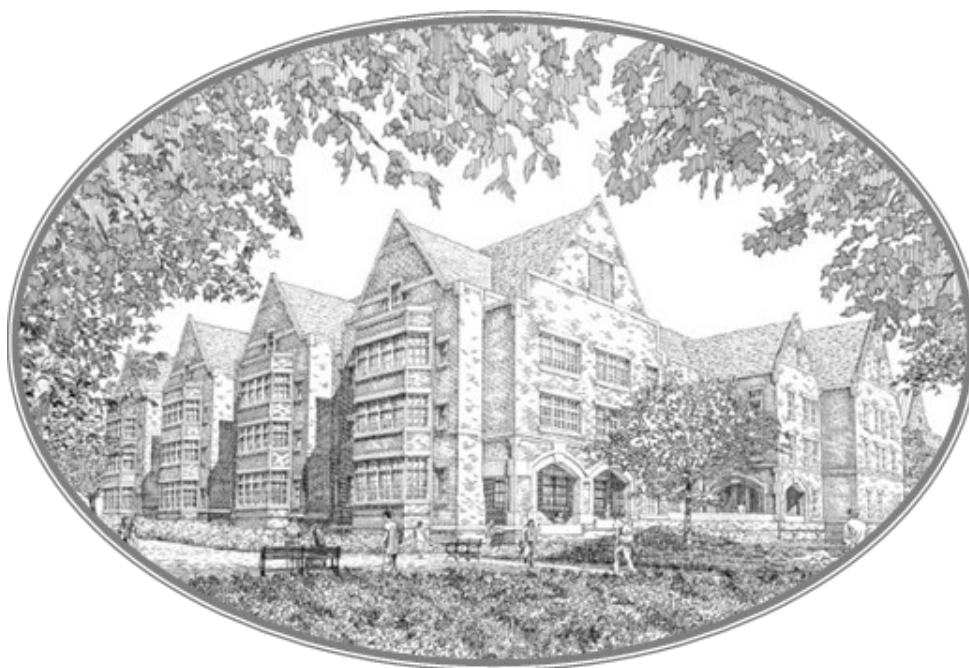
Research Fellowships for Medical Students

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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