

Funding Opportunities & Announcements

ALERTS

NIH Standard Due Dates

Cycle 2 will begin on **May 25, 2017** 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.](#)

NIH: Interim Guidance on Salary Limitation for Grants and Cooperative Agreements

Since 1990, Congress has legislatively mandated a limitation on direct salary for individuals under NIH grant and cooperative agreement awards. The mandate appears in the annual appropriation act that provides authority for NIH to incur obligations for a given Fiscal Year (FY). At this time NIH has not received a FY 2017 appropriation, and is operating under a Continuing Resolution that applies the terms and conditions of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2016, which restricts the amount of direct salary to Executive Level II of the Federal Executive pay scale. The Executive Level II salary was previously set at \$185,100, and increased to \$187,000 effective **January 8, 2017**. For awards issued in those years that were restricted to Executive Level II (see Salary Cap Summary, FY 1990 – FY 2016), including competing awards already issued in FY2017, if adequate funds are available in active awards grantees may rebudget to accommodate the current Executive Level II salary level. *No additional funds will be provided to these grant awards.* [NOT-OD-17-049.](#)

NIH: Reporting Preprints and Other Interim Research Products

NIH has developed guidance on how applicants will have the option, for applications submitted on **May 25, 2017** and beyond, to cite interim research products in applications. As described in the NIH Guide Notice ([NOT-OD-17-050](#)), citations of interim research products in biosketches should follow citation formats that include citation of the object type (e.g. preprint), a digital object identifier in the citation, and information about the document version. This guidance is also incorporated into NIH application instructions. For renewal applications submitted for the **May 25, 2017** due date and thereafter, awardees can claim these products on the progress report publication list. Awardees can also report these products on their research performance progress reports (RPPRs) as of **May 25, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

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GRANTSMANSHIP

AAMC Webinar Series Highlights Future Research Funding Opportunities

The Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) is hosting a series of webinars highlighting research efforts and related funding opportunities by the National Cancer Institute, the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, and the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality. The free webinars will be held on **April 5, 2017** and **May 9, 2017** and will include a discussion by organization leaders and a participant Q&A. [Registration and More Information.](#)

Registration Open for the May 2017 NIH Regional Seminar in New Orleans

NIH will hold two NIH Regional Seminars on Program Funding and Grants Administration in 2017. This seminar is a great opportunity for investigators early in their career, research administrators and anyone new to working with the NIH grants process to connect with NIH and HHS staff in a central location. Attendees have the opportunity to meet individually through 1:1 meetings, as well as connect through presentations on topics that include the NIH peer review process and grant writing, finding the right funding opportunity, animals and human subjects in research, pre- and post- award management, electronic research administration, diversity in biomedical research, special programs, and so much more. Registration for the May seminar in New Orleans is now open. The seminar will be held on **May 3-5, 2017**. [Registration and More Information.](#)

Spring 2017 National Science Foundation Grants Conference

Semi-annual National Science Foundation (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 2017 NSF Grants Conference will be held in Louisville, Kentucky, **June 5-6, 2017**. [Registration and More Information.](#)

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs Anticipated Funding for Fiscal Year 2017

Due to the current Continuing Resolution, the Fiscal Year 2017 (FY17) Defense Appropriations bill has not been passed. Although research funds have not been appropriated for the peer reviewed programs managed by the Department of Defense (DOD) office of Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs (CDMRP), information is being provided in pre-announcements to allow investigators time to plan and develop ideas for submission to the anticipated FY17 funding opportunities. Pre-announcements for the following programs have been released:

- [Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Research Program](#)
- [Bone Marrow Failure Research Program](#)
- [Breast Cancer Research Program](#)
- [Gulf War Illness Research Program](#)
- [Lung Cancer Research Program](#)
- [Military Burn Research Program](#)
- [Multiple Sclerosis Research Program](#)
- [Muscular Dystrophy Research Program](#)
- [Neurofibromatosis Research Program](#)
- [Ovarian Cancer Research Program](#)
- [Peer Reviewed Cancer Research Program](#)
- [Peer Reviewed Orthopaedic Research Program](#)
- [Prostate Cancer Research Program](#)
- [Psychological Health and Traumatic Brain Injury \(PH/TBI\) Research Program](#)
- [Spinal Cord Injury Research Program](#)
- [Tick-Borne Disease Research Program](#)
- [Tuberous Sclerosis Complex Research Program](#)
- [Vision Research Program](#)

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES (Cont.)

March of Dimes General Research Grants

March of Dimes invites all qualified scientists with faculty appointments or the equivalent, at universities, hospitals and research institutions (not for profit or profit), to submit applications for research grants relevant to their mission. *The mission of the March of Dimes is to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects, premature birth and infant mortality.* This encompasses basic biological processes governing differentiation and development involving both human and animal model systems, genetics and genomics of these processes, clinical studies, reproductive health and environmental toxicology. Social and behavioral studies are encouraged concerning cognitive and behavioral risks that affect outcomes of pregnancy, the perinatal period, and subsequent child development. The latter may involve family units and those genes, toxicants and social determinants that adversely affect language or behavior. The letter of intent deadline is **April 28, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

Elsa U. Pardee Foundation Support for Innovative Cancer Research Grants

The Elsa U. Pardee Foundation funds grants for investigators 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 for the upcoming cycle is **April 30, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America Senior Research Awards

The Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America, (CCFA), was established to find the cause of and cure for Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis, collectively known as inflammatory bowel disease (IBD). The guiding mission of the foundation is to stimulate and encourage innovative research in the basic biomedical and clinical sciences, which is likely to increase our understanding of the etiology, pathogenesis, therapy, and prevention of the inflammatory bowel diseases. Collaborative efforts between basic scientists and clinicians are encouraged. The objective of the Senior Research Award (SRA) is to provide established researchers with funds to generate sufficient preliminary data to become competitive for funds from other sources, such as the National Institutes of Health (NIH). Proposal must be relevant to Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD) or Crohn's disease and/or ulcerative colitis. The letter of intent deadline is **May 1, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation Grand Challenges - Round 19 Initiatives

The Grand Challenges family of initiatives fosters innovation to solve key health and development problems. The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation are funding four Grand Challenges grant opportunities for the Round 19 initiatives:

- Health Systems Strengthening: Ensuring Effective Health Supply Chains
- Innovations for Integrated Diagnostics Systems
- New Approaches for Improving Timeliness of Routine Immunizations in Low-Resource Settings
- Wearables and Technology for Maternal, Neonatal and Child Health Behavior Change

The application deadline for all grant opportunities is **May 3, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

Craig H. Neilsen Foundation Funding Opportunity for Spinal Cord Injury (SCI) Research on the Translational Spectrum

The Craig H. Neilsen Foundation has launched this year's SCI Research on the Translational Spectrum (SCIRTS) grants cycle. Eligible organizations conducting research to address gaps in the field and advance novel approaches to improving function and developing curative therapies after SCI are encouraged to apply. Award amounts in this competitive grants process range from \$150,000 to \$600,000. Funding categories range from postdoctoral fellowships to pilot and senior research grants. SCIRTS grant support is designed to improve understanding and advance the treatment of acute and chronic SCI and includes mechanistic, preclinical, translational and/or clinical studies. The letter of intent deadline is **May 12, 2017**. [More Information.](#)

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation - New Connections: Increasing Diversity of RWJF Programming

New Connections: Increasing Diversity of RWJF Programming is celebrating its 11th year; over the history of the program,

FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES (Cont.)

It has supported research grants and career development opportunities for a network of more than 920 researchers from diverse, underrepresented and historically disadvantaged backgrounds. New Connections is a career development program for early career researchers, providing support to grantees and other individuals who are part of a network of eligible researchers. Through grantmaking, mentorship, career development and networking, New Connections enhances the research capacity of its grantees and network members. The researchers in this program come from multiple disciplines (health, social sciences, business, urban planning, architecture and engineering); work to build the case for a Culture of Health with strong qualitative and quantitative research skills; and produce and translate timely research results. Grants of up to \$50,000 will be awarded. The application deadline is **May 16, 2017**. [More Information](#).

Dravet Syndrome Foundation 2017 Funding Cycle Research Grants

Dravet Syndrome Foundation's Research Grant Program offers funding for research directly related to Dravet syndrome and associated disorders. These grants fund initial research hypotheses that have not been fully explored. The results extracted from this type of research will help bring untested research to the point that it can qualify for larger governmental funding. Research applications are judged principally on novelty of the hypotheses, innovative approaches with a direct relevance and application to Dravet syndrome and related epilepsies, scientific quality, strength of approach, and likelihood of success. Research Grant requests may be made for up to \$75,000 per year for two years. The letter of intent deadline is **May 19, 2017**. Full applications, with or without a letter of intent, are due by **September 5, 2017**. [More Information](#).

Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation Core Requests for Proposals

The Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation (ADDF) offers funding to researchers in both nonprofit and for-profit organizations for Alzheimer's drug discovery and preclinical development, clinical trials, and biomarker development research. The ADDF is currently accepting letters of intent through their Core Requests for Proposals (RFPs): the Preclinical Drug Discovery RFP, the Program to Accelerate Clinical Trials (PACT) RFP, the Biomarkers Development RFP, and the Prevention Beyond the Pipeline RFP. The letter of intent deadline for all Core RFPs is **May 19, 2017**. The deadline for the invited full proposal is **June 9, 2017**. [More Information](#).

Doris Duke Charitable Foundation Award Opportunity - Sickle Cell Disease/Advancing Cures

The Doris Duke Sickle Cell Disease/Advancing Cures award provides grants to advance curative approaches for sickle cell disease including, gene modification and drug therapies to restore hemoglobin function. The foundation seeks to support about eight, three-year research projects through Sickle Cell Disease/Advancing Cures awards. Flexible, annual direct-cost amounts of \$150,000 to \$300,000 will be considered. This program aims to support clinical research that will: 1) Advance gene therapies for sickle cell disease into the clinic, including gene addition and genome editing, and 2) Build on globin regulatory mechanisms to restore red blood cell function. The application deadline is **May 25, 2017**. [More Information](#).

The Michael J. Fox Foundation For Parkinson's Research Grant Opportunity

The Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research seeks to support research that will develop new or improve upon existing biomarker tools for neuroinflammation/peripheral inflammation in Parkinson's disease (PD). The specific goals of this initiative are to: 1) facilitate the development of biomarker measures that can be utilized for novel target validation, 2) assess pathological progression or phenoconversion, or 3) identify inflammation paradigms unique to PD. Proposed biomarkers should facilitate objective decisions to validate a particular target or target efficacy marker (downstream readouts of successful target modification), improve the ability to enrich subject populations in clinical trials and/or determine whether experimental treatments are modifying the course of the disease, its symptoms or its progression. 1-2 year grants up to \$300,000 are available. The pre-proposal deadline is **May 31, 2017**. [More Information](#).

PCORI Engagement Award: Knowledge, Training and Development, and Dissemination Awards

The Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) plans to award \$20.5 million in FY 2016 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 maximum project period is 2 years and award total costs may not exceed \$250,000. The letter of intent deadline is **June 1, 2017**. [More Information](#).

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
4/17/2017	<p>National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) From Genomic Association to Causation: A Convergent Neuroscience Approach for Integrating Levels of Analysis to Delineate Brain Function in Neuropsychiatry (U01) <u>PAR-17-179</u></p>	5/1/2017
4/17/2017	<p>National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Pragmatic Research in Healthcare Settings to Improve Diabetes and Obesity Prevention and Care (R18) <u>PAR-17-177</u></p>	5/1/2017
4/17/2017	<p>National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Planning Grants for Pragmatic Research in Healthcare Settings to Improve Diabetes and Obesity Prevention and Care (R34) <u>PAR-17-180</u></p>	5/1/2017
4/24/2017	<p>NIH - Multiple Institutes HIV-1 infection of the Central Nervous System (R01) <u>PA-17-100</u></p>	5/8/2017
4/24/2017	<p>National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) Innovations in HIV Testing, Adherence, and Retention to Optimize HIV Care Continuum Outcomes (R21) <u>PA-17-181</u></p>	5/8/2017
4/24/2017	<p>National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) Targeted basic behavioral and social science and intervention development for HIV prevention and care (R01) <u>PA-17-106</u></p>	5/8/2017
4/25/2017	<p>National Cancer Institute (NCI) Quantitative Imaging Tools and Methods for Cancer Therapy Response Assessment (UG3/UH3) <u>PAR-17-128</u></p>	5/9/2017
4/25/2017	<p>National Cancer Institute (NCI) Quantitative Imaging Tools and Methods for Cancer Response Assessment (U01) <u>PAR-17-129</u></p>	5/9/2017

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4/25/2017	Administration for Community Living Disability and Rehabilitation Research Projects (DRRP) Program: Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) Model System Centers Program <u>HHS-2017-ACL-NIDILRR-DPTB-0204</u>	5/9/2017
4/25/2017	Administration for Community Living Spinal Cord Injury Model Systems (SCIMS) Multi-Site Collaborative Research Project <u>HHS-2017-ACL-NIDILRR-SIMS-0216</u>	5/9/2017
4/25/2017	National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS) Detecting Cognitive Impairment, Including Dementia, in Primary Care and Other Everyday Clinical Settings for the General Public and in Health Disparities Populations (UG3/UH3) <u>RFA-NS-17-012</u>	5/9/2017
4/26/2017	National Cancer Institute (NCI) Integration and Validation of Emerging Technologies to Accelerate Cancer Research (R33) <u>RFA-CA-17-023</u>	5/10/2017
5/2/2017	National Institute on Aging (NIA) The Health and Retirement Study (U01) <u>RFA-AG-18-005</u>	5/16/2017
5/3/2017	National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) Alcohol-PTSD Comorbidity: Preclinical Studies of Models and Mecha- nisms (R01) <u>RFA-AA-17-016</u>	5/17/2017
5/8/2017	NIH - Multiple Institutes Mechanisms of Disparities in Chronic Liver Diseases and Cancer (R21) <u>PAR-17-150</u>	5/22/2017
5/10/2017	National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) Silvio O. Conte Centers for Basic Neuroscience or Translational Mental Health Research (P50) <u>PAR-17-168</u>	5/24/2017
5/12/2017	National Cancer Institute (NCI) Multilevel Interventions in Cancer Care Delivery: Building from the Problem of Follow-up to Abnormal Screening Tests (U01) <u>PAR-17-146</u>	5/26/2017

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5/16/2017	National Cancer Institute (NCI) Perception and Cognition Research to Inform Cancer Image Interpretation (R21) <u>PAR-17-124</u>	5/30/2017
5/18/2017	National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health (NCCIH) Innovation Award for Mechanistic Studies to Optimize Mind and Body Interventions in NCCIH High Priority Research Topics (R33) <u>PAR-17-162</u>	6/1/2017
5/19/2017	NIH - Multiple Institutes NIH Health Care Systems Research Collaboratory - Demonstration Projects for Pragmatic Clinical Trials (UG3/UH3) <u>RFA-RM-16-019</u>	6/2/2017
5/22/2017	National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) Biomarkers for Diabetes, Digestive, Kidney and Urologic Diseases Using Biosamples from the NIDDK Repository (R01) <u>PAR-17-123</u>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	National Cancer Institute (NCI) Reducing Overscreening for Breast, Cervical, and Colorectal Cancers among Older Adults (R01) <u>PA-17-109</u>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Functional Genetics, Epigenetics, and Non-coding RNAs in Substance Use Disorders (R01) <u>PA-17-155</u>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) Advancing our Understanding of the Brain Epitranscriptomics (R01) <u>PAR-17-153</u>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Juvenile Protective Factors and Their Effects on Aging (R01) <u>PAR-17-126</u>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	National Cancer Institute (NCI) Cancer Tissue Engineering Collaborative: Enabling Biomimetic Tissue-Engineered Technologies for Cancer Research (R01) <u>PAR-17-171</u>	6/5/2017

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
5/22/2017	Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Development of Appropriate Pediatric Formulations and Pediatric Drug Delivery Systems (R01) <u>PAR-17-193</u>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Neuroscience Research on Drug Abuse (R01) <u>PA-17-111</u>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Marijuana, Prescription Opioid, or Prescription Benzodiazepine Drug Use Among Older Adults (R01) <u>PA-17-196</u>	6/5/2017
5/22/2017	NIH - Multiple Institutes Secondary Analysis and Integration of Existing Data to Elucidate the Genetic Architecture of Cancer Risk and Related Outcomes (R01) <u>PA-17-239</u>	6/5/2017
6/2/2017	Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Biomarkers: Bridging Pediatric and Adult Therapeutics (R21) <u>PAR-17-169</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) Secondary Data Analyses to Explore NIMH Research Domain Criteria (R03) <u>PAR-17-158</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Functional Genetics, Epigenetics, and Non-coding RNAs in Substance Use Disorders (R21) <u>PA-17-157</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR) Reducing Health Disparities Among Minority and Underserved Children (R21) <u>PA-17-117</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	NIH - Multiple Institutes Zika Virus (ZIKV) Complications (R21) <u>PA-17-085</u>	6/16/2017

SELECT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES BY DEADLINE (Cont.)

CoM Deadline	Requests for Applications / Proposals	Sponsor Deadline
6/2/2017	National Institute on Aging (NIA) Advancing the Science of Geriatric Palliative Care (R21) <u>PA-17-226</u>	6/16/2017
6/2/2017	National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD) Hearing Health Care for Adults: Improving Access and Affordability (R21) <u>PA-17-227</u>	6/16/2017
6/5/2017	National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research (NIDCR) Neoantigen-Based Therapeutic Targeting of Head and Neck Cancers (R01) <u>RFA-DE-18-004</u>	6/19/2017
6/6/2017	National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Sex Hormone Induced Thromboembolism in Pre-Menopausal Women (R61/R33) <u>RFA-HL-18-003</u>	6/20/2017
6/13/2017	Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Human-Animal Interaction (HAI) Research (R01) <u>PAR-17-231</u>	6/27/2017
6/14/2017	National Cancer Institute (NCI) Research Answers to NCI's Provocative Questions (R21) <u>RFA-CA-17-018</u>	6/28/2017
6/21/2017	National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Center for the Investigation of Factor VIII (FVIII) Immune Response in Patients with Hemophilia A (U54) <u>RFA-HL-18-014</u>	7/6/2017
6/26/2017	NIH - Multiple Institutes Mechanisms and Consequences of Sleep Disparities in the U.S. (R01) <u>PAR-17-234</u>	7/11/2017
7/24/2017	Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Translational Research in Pediatric and Obstetric Pharmacology and Therapeutics (R21) <u>PAR-17-187</u>	8/7/2017

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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