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Welcome to the **Guide to Grants!**

I am honored to represent the 7th Congressional District of Alabama. One of the most important responsibilities as your representative is to provide you with information about funding opportunities. Now more than ever, grant opportunities are vital to the success of our local governments, organizations and other entities. This guide will identify federal and foundation grant opportunities to assist you in goals for our communities. This guide will include links to grant writing resources to help you make your proposals more successful. This guide will also describe new funding opportunities for economic development, infrastructure, healthcare and educational projects. In addition, I am pleased to provide a Letter of Support for grant application projects in the 7th Congressional District of Alabama. Please let us know when grants are awarded, especially if you found the opportunities in the **Guide to Grants**.

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Rep. Sewell Calls on State, Once Again, to Expand Medicaid to Shore Up Rural Hospitals

At Ways & Means hearing, Congresswoman remarks on state of rural health care

WASHINGTON, D.C. – During the House Ways & Means Committee member day hearing Tuesday, U.S. Rep. Terri Sewell (AL-07), a member of the Subcommittee on Health, drew on her visit to Sumter County's Hill Hospital last week to highlight the dire state of Alabama's rural hospitals, and the need to expand Medicaid.

"Last week, I had the fortune of visiting one of my rural hospitals in Sumter County, Alabama. Over 90 percent of this hospital's patients are either on Medicaid or Medicare or are uninsured – 90 percent," **Sewell explained**. "Our state Medicaid program reimburses these hospitals at about 10 percent of emergency room costs in some cases, and Medicare doesn't reimburse higher than 67 percent of costs. First and foremost, our states need to expand Medicaid. We know that nearly 90% of rural hospital closures have occurred in states that had not expanded Medicaid before the closure."

"It's very important that we put politics aside and help hospitals and citizens in states that have been left behind by their state leaders' decisions not to expand Medicaid," **Sewell continued**. "At the same time, we cannot expect our rural hospitals in non-expansion states to survive if the Medicare program continues reimbursing for hospital services at bare-bone levels. ... I look forward to working with my colleagues on this committee, specifically Congressmen Ron Kind, Adrian Smith, Jodey Arrington and others to modernize the way we reimburse rural hospitals and health care providers."

Medicaid expansion would allow Alabamians making up to \$23,336 per year for a household of two, or 138 percent of the poverty level, to receive health care they can afford. Some 320,000 Alabamians would benefit, and, by extension, hospitals would see increased reimbursements from an increased insurance population. Because many of those who would be impacted by Medicaid expansion live in rural parts of the state, rural hospitals especially stand to benefit from expansion.

To incentivize Governor Kay Ivey and the Alabama legislature to expand the program, Sewell introduced [legislation](#) earlier this year to allow states that expand Medicaid to receive a 100 percent federal match for the first three years, 95 percent for the fourth year, 94 percent for the fifth year, 93 percent for the sixth year and 90 percent for each year thereafter, regardless of when they decide to expand. Under current law, states that have not yet expanded Medicaid have missed the window to receive a full federal match for any amount of time.

Video of Sewell's remarks is available [here](#).

Rep. Sewell Commends House-Passed Funding to Support Low-Income Families

H.R. 2940 extends TANF and CCES block grant funding through FY 19

WASHINGTON, D.C. – The U.S. House of Representatives voted today to extend the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) and Child Care Entitlement to States (CCES) programs, critical programs that give low-income families access to important financial and child care support.

“We know low-income workers face significant hurdles in reaching economic security. TANF is critical to making sure these families can afford basic necessities like food, housing and medicine,” **U.S. Rep. Terri Sewell (AL-07), a member of the House Ways & Means Subcommittee on Worker and Family Support, said on the House floor today.** “In fact, over 11,000 families in Alabama currently receive assistance from TANF and more than 20,000 children benefit from this important program.”

“This legislation also extends the Child Care Entitlement to States program, an important tool as we fight to make sure all parents can access affordable, quality child care. Child care is one of the largest expenses facing families, and the matching funds included in this program are important to support low-income workers and their children,” **Sewell continued.** “I am pleased that this bill will unlock \$10.2 million in funding for child care in Alabama to help meet the needs of children and families in my district.”

TANF is designed to help low-income families afford basic needs and provide services to aid in job preparation and retention. The CCES program provides important child care benefits to working parents, which especially impacts working mothers. Studies [show](#)that higher child care costs have a negative impact on mothers’ employment, whereas child care subsidies increase women’s labor force participation, help them obtain and maintain a job and increase their income. Families who receive child care support are more likely to be employed – and to be employed for longer periods of time – than families who do not receive support.

H.R. 2490 extends these critical programs through fiscal year 2019.

Video of Sewell’s remarks on the House floor today is available [here](#).

Rep. Terri Sewell Votes for Bipartisan Disaster Relief Funding

WASHINGTON, D.C. – The U.S. House of Representatives approved a bipartisan disaster relief funding bill today, following months of negotiations and delays, due to disagreements about funding for Puerto Rico hurricane recovery efforts, and the President’s request for additional funds for border operations.

“This disaster relief bill is long overdue,” said **Rep. Terri Sewell (AL-07)**. “This funding will go a long way toward helping Alabamians who lost their homes due to tornadoes in Lee County, and farmers who saw devastating crop losses as a result of Hurricane Michael. I am glad that my Republican colleagues finally put partisan politics aside to help Americans affected by natural disasters.”

The disaster aid package passed today includes \$19.1 billion for disaster relief around the country, including:

- **Agricultural Programs** — \$3.005 billion. Payments for crop and livestock losses due to hurricanes, typhoons, volcanic activities, tornados, floods, snowstorms or wildfires during 2018 and 2019.
- **Emergency Forest Restoration Program** — \$480 million. Assistance to owners of private forests to restore disaster-damaged forests.
- **Emergency Conservation Program** — \$558 million. Provides emergency funding and technical assistance to farmers and ranchers to rehabilitate farmland damaged by natural disasters.
- **Rural Community Facilities Program** — \$150 million. Grants for facilities to provide health care, education, public safety, and public services to rural communities.

Earlier this year, the House passed two different versions of the disaster relief package, but they stalled in the Republican-led Senate. The legislation passed today now heads to the President’s desk for his signature.

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- A federal grant is an award of financial assistance from a federal agency to a recipient to carry out a public purpose of support or stimulation authorized by a law of the United States. Federal grants are not federal assistance or loans to individuals. A federal grant may not be used to acquire property or services for the federal government's direct benefit. The 26 federal agencies offer over 1,000 grant programs annually in various categories. Website: <http://www07.grants.gov/aboutgrants/grants.jsp>
- To learn about Federal grant opportunities, register your organization and receive notices, please visit www.grants.gov. It is the resource for all Federal grants.
- To apply for Federal Grants: http://www.grants.gov/applicants/apply_for_grants.jsp
- [Grants.gov](#) Applicant Training Video - Need a quick lesson on how to Register, Find and Apply? Watch this short video to get tips on registering with Grants.gov; finding grant opportunities; understanding your search results; and, applying for opportunities.
- To learn about foundation grant opportunities, please visit <http://foundationcenter.org/>. The Foundation Center is a gateway to information about private funding sources and provides guidelines about how to write a grant proposal. It also provides links to state libraries with grants reference collections, and links to other useful Internet websites.

Section II PROGRAM FUNDING THROUGH FEDERAL AGENCIES

Environmental Protection Agency

National Aeronautics and Space Administration

National Endowment for the Humanities

Digital Humanities Advancement Grants – (CFDA 45.169)

Digital Humanities Advancement Grants (DHAG) support digital projects at different stages throughout their lifecycles, from early start-up phases through implementation and sustainability. Experimentation, reuse, and extensibility are hallmarks of this program, leading to innovative work that can scale to enhance scholarly research, teaching, and public programming in the humanities. This program is offered twice per year. Proposals are welcome for digital initiatives in any area of the humanities. Through a special partnership with NEH and pending the availability of appropriated funds, the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS) anticipates providing additional funding to this program to encourage innovative collaborations between museum or library professionals and humanities professionals to advance preservation of, access to, use of, and engagement with digital collections and services. IMLS and NEH may jointly fund some DHAG projects that involve collaborations with museums and/or libraries. Digital Humanities Advancement Grants may involve • creating or enhancing experimental, computationally-based methods, techniques, or infrastructure that contribute to the humanities; • pursuing scholarship that examines the history, criticism, and philosophy of digital culture and its impact on society; or • conducting evaluative studies that investigate the practices and the impact of digital scholarship on research, pedagogy, scholarly communication, and public engagement.

Deadline: June 19, 2019

Media Projects – (CFDA 45.164)

The National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Division of Public Programs is accepting applications for the Media Projects: Development Grants and Production Grants program. This program supports the collaboration of media producers and scholars to develop humanities content and to prepare documentary film, television, radio, and podcast projects that engage public audiences with humanities ideas in creative and appealing ways. All projects must be grounded in humanities scholarship.

Deadline: August 14, 2019

National Science Foundation

NSF Program on Fairness in Artificial Intelligence (AI) in Collaboration with Amazon – (CFDA 47.070, 47.075)

NSF has long supported transformative research in artificial intelligence (AI) and machine learning (ML). The resulting innovations offer new levels of economic opportunity and growth, safety and security, and health and wellness. At the same time, broad acceptance of large-scale deployments of AI systems relies critically on their trustworthiness which, in turn, depends upon the collective ability to ensure, assess, and ultimately demonstrate the fairness, transparency, explainability, and accountability of such systems. Importantly, the beneficial effects of AI systems should be broadly available across all segments of society. NSF and Amazon are partnering to jointly support computational research focused on fairness in AI, with the goal of contributing to trustworthy AI systems that are readily accepted and deployed to tackle grand challenges facing society. Specific topics of interest include, but are not limited to transparency, explainability, accountability, potential adverse biases and effects, mitigation strategies, validation of fairness, and considerations of inclusivity. Funded projects will enable broadened acceptance of AI systems, helping the U.S. further capitalize on the potential of AI technologies. Although Amazon provides partial funding for this program, it will not play a role in the selection of proposals for award. Advancing AI is a highly interdisciplinary endeavor drawing on fields such as computer science, information science, engineering, statistics, mathematics, cognitive science, and psychology. As such, NSF and Amazon expect these varied perspectives to be critical for the study of fairness in AI. NSF's ability to bring together multiple scientific disciplines uniquely positions the agency in this collaboration, while building AI that is fair and unbiased is an important aspect of Amazon's AI initiatives. This program supports the conduct of fundamental computer science research into theories, techniques, and methodologies that go well beyond today's capabilities and are motivated by challenges and requirements in real systems.

Deadline: June 25, 2019

National Robotics Initiative 2.0: Ubiquitous Collaborative Robots – (CFDA 10.310, 12.800, 43.001, 47.041, 47.070, 47.075, 47.076, 81.049, 81.104)

The NRI-2.0 program builds upon the original National Robotics Initiative (NRI) program to support fundamental research in the United States that will accelerate the development and use of collaborative robots (co-robots) that work beside or cooperatively with people. The focus of the NRI-2.0 program is on ubiquity, which in this context means seamless integration of co-robots to assist humans in every aspect of life. The program supports four main research thrusts that are envisioned to advance the goal of ubiquitous co-robots: scalability, customizability, lowering barriers to entry, and societal impact. Topics addressing scalability include how robots can collaborate effectively with multiple humans or other robots; how robots can perceive, plan, act, and learn in uncertain, real-world environments, especially in a distributed fashion; and how to facilitate large-scale, safe, robust and reliable operation of robots in complex environments. Customizability includes how to enable co-robots to adapt to specific tasks, environments, or people, with minimal modification to hardware and software; how robots can personalize their interactions with people; and how robots can communicate naturally with humans, both verbally and non-verbally. Topics in lowering barriers to entry should focus on lowering the barriers for conducting fundamental robotics research and research on integrated robotics application. This may include development of open-source co-robot hardware and software, as well as widely-accessible testbeds. Outreach or using robots in educational programs do not, by themselves, lower the barriers to entry for robotics research. Topics in societal impact include fundamental research to establish and infuse robotics into educational curricula, advance the robotics workforce through education pathways, and explore the social, economic, ethical, and legal implications of our future with ubiquitous collaborative robots. Collaboration between academic, industry, non-profit, and other organizations is encouraged to establish better linkages between fundamental science and engineering and

technology development, deployment, and use. The NRI-2.0 program is supported by multiple agencies of the federal government including the National Science Foundation (NSF), the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), and the U.S. Department of Defense (DOD). Questions concerning a particular project's focus, direction and relevance to a participating funding organization should be addressed to that agency's point of contact, listed in section VIII of this solicitation.

Deadline: January 22, 2020

[Accelerating Research through International Network-to-Network Collaborations – \(CFDA 47.041, 47.049, 47.050, 47.070, 47.074, 47.075, 47.076, 47.079, 47.083\)](#)

The goals of the Accelerating Research through International Network-to-Network Collaborations (AccelNet) program are to accelerate the process of scientific discovery and prepare the next generation of U.S. researchers for multiteam international collaborations. The AccelNet program supports strategic linkages among U.S. research networks and complementary networks abroad that will leverage research and educational resources to tackle grand scientific challenges that require significant coordinated international efforts. The program seeks to foster high-impact science and engineering by providing opportunities to create new collaborations and new combinations of resources and ideas among linked global networks. This solicitation invites proposals for the creation of international networks of networks in research areas aligned either with one of the NSF Big Ideas or a community-identified scientific challenge with international dimensions. AccelNet awards are meant to support the connections among research networks, rather than supporting fundamental research as the primary activity. Each network of networks is expected to engage in innovative collaborative activities that promote synergy of efforts across the networks and provide professional development for students, postdoctoral scholars, and early-career researchers. There are two proposal categories covered by this solicitation: Catalytic and Full-Scale Implementation.

Deadline: January 31, 2020

[Innovation Corps - National Innovation Network Teams Program \(I-Corps™ Teams\) – \(CFDA 47.041, 47.049, 47.050, 47.070, 47.074, 47.075, 47.076, 47.079, 47.083\)](#)

The National Science Foundation (NSF) seeks to develop and nurture a national innovation ecosystem that builds upon fundamental research to guide the output to facilitate the application of scientific discoveries closer to the development of technologies, products and processes that benefit society. In order to maintain, strengthen and grow a national innovation ecosystem, NSF has established the Innovation Corps - National Innovation Network Teams Program (I-Corps Teams). The NSF I-Corps Teams Program purpose is to identify NSF-funded researchers who will receive additional support in the form of entrepreneurial education, mentoring and funding to accelerate innovation that can attract subsequent third-party funding. The purpose of the I-Corps Teams program is to identify NSF-funded researchers who will receive additional support in the form of entrepreneurial education, mentoring and funding to accelerate the translation of knowledge derived from fundamental research into emerging products and services that can attract subsequent third-party funding. The outcomes of I-Corps Teams projects will be threefold: 1) a clear go/no go decision based on an assessment of the viability of the overall business model, 2) substantial first-hand evidence for or against product-market fit, with a pithy definition of the customer segments and corresponding value propositions, and 3) a narrative of a compelling technology demonstration for potential partners. WEBINAR: A webinar will be held monthly to answer questions about this

program. Details will be posted on the I-Corps website (see http://www.nsf.gov/news/special_reports/i-corps/program.jsp) as they become available.

Deadline: Proposals accepted at anytime

Cyberinfrastructure for Emerging Science and Engineering Research – (CFDA 41.070)

The Cyberinfrastructure for Emerging Science and Engineering Research (CESER) program aims to catalyze new science and engineering discovery pathways through early-stage collaborative activities between disciplinary scientists and engineers as well as developers/implementers of innovative cyberinfrastructure (CI) capabilities, services, and approaches. Beginning in FY 2017, the CESER program replaced the Strategic Technologies for Cyberinfrastructure (STCI) program. CESER has retained STCI's focus on supporting innovation across the CI ecosystem with increased emphasis on addressing and enabling emerging areas of potentially transformative research, including NSF priority areas, national strategic directions, and international collaborative research. CESER accepts proposals pursuant to this Program Description year-round. From time to time, NSF may also issue Dear Colleague Letters pursuant to CESER to signal special thematic interests and opportunities. CESER employs existing NSF funding mechanisms to accomplish the program's goals such as Early-concept Grants for Exploratory Research (EAGER) and Conference proposals. GUIDANCE TO POTENTIAL PROPOSERS Science/engineering-driven collaboration. A central feature of successful CESER projects is a strong, mutually-dependent collaborative team comprising expertise in the target science/engineering discipline(s) as well as expertise in CI development and implementation. Such a collaborative approach is critical to informing and guiding the development of requirements towards the eventual development and deployment of user-centric innovative CI that fosters new pathways to discovery. Proposals pursuant to CESER should clearly identify and describe the science and engineering goals and rationale, and explain and support the potential for transformative impacts on science/engineering research and broader impacts. Proposals for technical efforts that are not well-tied to identified science and engineering research challenges as well as utilization scenarios are unlikely to be supported. Exploratory and pilot activities. CESER supports early-stage exploratory efforts that may comprise analysis, community planning, and pilot-level activities that are preparatory or informative for eventual future development and deployment of science/engineering-driven CI. Proposals for full-scale technical efforts leading to development/deployment should be directed to other appropriate NSF programs. Integrative and accelerative approaches. Proposals are particularly welcomed that address identified common needs across multiple research disciplines; leverage and accelerate the impact of existing CI investments in resources and services in one or more application domains; aim to reduce barriers to broader adoption of CI-enabled science/engineering approaches; and integrate different aspects and elements of CI to achieve holistic solutions with transformative science/engineering impact. Requirement to contact NSF Cognizant Program Officers. CESER is an inherently collaborative science/engineering-CI program. Successful CESER projects typically involve co-funding from the relevant disciplinary research programs within NSF. Consequently, before submitting a proposal to CESER, proposers must first (1) discuss their ideas with a cognizant CESER Program Officer to ensure that CESER is the appropriate venue for the proposal and (2) discuss their ideas with the relevant NSF disciplinary science and engineering research program(s) to ensure there is adequate disciplinary interest in the proposed effort. Proposals that have been declined by CESER or any other NSF program may not be resubmitted to CESER without substantial revision. Proposals violating this restriction may be returned without review

Deadline: Proposals accepted anytime

High-Risk Research in Biological Anthropology and Archaeology – (CFDA 47.075)

Anthropological research may be conducted under unusual circumstances, often in distant locations. As a result, the ability to conduct potentially important research may hinge on factors that are impossible to assess from a distance and some projects with potentially great payoffs may face difficulties in securing funding. This program gives small awards that provide investigators with the opportunity to assess the feasibility of an anthropological research project. It is required that the proposed activity be clearly high risk in nature. The information gathered may then be used as the basis for preparing a more fully developed research program. Investigators must contact the cognizant NSF Program Director before submitting an HRRBAA proposal. This will facilitate determining whether the proposed work is appropriate for HRRBAA support.

Deadline: Proposals accepted anytime

Broadening Participation in Engineering – (CFDA 47.041)

NSF seeks to strengthen the future U.S. Engineering workforce by enabling the participation of all citizens through the support of research in the science of Broadening Participation in Engineering (BPE). The BPE program is a dedicated to supporting the development of a diverse and well-prepared engineering workforce. BPE focuses on enhancing the diversity and inclusion of all underrepresented populations in engineering, including gender identity and expression, race and ethnicity (African Americans/Blacks, Hispanic Americans, American Indians, Alaska Natives, Native Hawaiians, and Native Pacific Islanders), disability, LGBTQ+, first generation college and socio-economic status. BPE funds research to Understand and analyze the systemic barriers that prevent underrepresented groups from pursuing and succeeding in engineering, for example, understand the problem of insufficient interest and poorly sustained participation in engineering across underrepresented demographic groups; insignificant preparation and scarce opportunities for members of underrepresented groups to learn meaningful, relevant engineering content. Understand and analyze factors that enhance our ability to increase access to engineering by creating support systems and social networks that raise career awareness about different engineering pathways. Develop innovative methods and projects to significantly impact the recruitment and retention of engineering students from underrepresented groups. Activities must be supported by relevant data and have the capability to produce a model that can be replicated in other contexts. Develop innovative methods and projects to aggressively recruit and retain tenure track faculty from underrepresented groups. Design and transform culture to make diversity, equity, and inclusion a priority in the engineering enterprise. BPE research activities will provide scientific evidence that engineering educators, employers, and policy makers need to make informed decisions to design effective programs that broaden the participation of persons from historically underrepresented groups in the engineering workforce. BPE is interested in funding research that spans K-12 to workforce and offers the greatest return on investment. BPE funded research should produce outcomes that are scalable, sustainable, and applicable to various contexts, settings, and demographics within the engineering enterprise. BPE is particularly interested in research that employs intersectional approaches in recognition that gender, race and ethnicity do not exist in isolation from each other and from other categories of social identity. BPE is equally interested in research activities that align with and provide meaningful connections to the NSF INCLUDES National Network. The overarching goal of NSF INCLUDES is to achieve significant impact at scale in transforming STEM education and workforce development by educating a diverse, STEM-capable workforce that includes talented individuals from all sectors of the Nation's population. Collaborations are encouraged between BPE proposals and existing NSF INCLUDES projects, for example, the NSF INCLUDES Alliances and Coordination Hub, provided these collaborations strengthen both the BPE and NSF INCLUDES projects. Before submitting a proposal to the BPE program, prospective Principal Investigators are strongly encouraged to speak to the program director to obtain guidance as to whether the proposed ideas are aligned with the strategic goals of the BPE program. Proposal Elements All BPE proposals should Be informed

by the current theoretical and scientific literature as well as add to the extant knowledge base. Directly address how the work will broaden the participation of one or more underrepresented populations in engineering. Provide appropriate justification to support selection of the targeted group(s), with specific and applicable objectives, and demonstrate applicable knowledge of the relevant literature on underrepresentation. Integrate a mechanism to assess and evaluate how well the project has achieved the stated objectives as part of the project management plan. Provide evidence of clear, measurable outcomes and consideration of how the strategy will advance knowledge beyond localized contexts. Incorporate a dissemination plan that goes beyond publishing research papers and presenting at conferences. PIs should think creatively about who needs to hear about the research for it to have an impact, and develop a strategy to reach that audience. Describe how the outcomes have the potential to enhance diversity and inclusion of underrepresented populations in engineering. The Project Summary must contain a list of 3-5 keywords. Place the keywords on a separate line at the end of the Overview section of the Project Summary.

Deadline: Proposals accepted anytime

U.S. Department of Agriculture

Community Facilities Technical Assistance and Training Grant – (CFDA 10.766)

The Agency will make grants to public bodies and private nonprofit corporations, (such as States, counties, cities, townships, and incorporated towns and villages, boroughs, authorities, districts, and Indian tribes on Federal and State reservations) to provide associations Technical Assistance and/or training with respect to essential community facilities programs. The Technical Assistance and/or training will assist communities, Indian Tribes, and Nonprofit Corporations to identify and plan for community facility needs that exist in their area. Once those needs have been identified, the Grantee can assist in identifying public and private resources to finance those identified community facility needs.

Deadline: June 17, 2019

Dairy Business Innovation Initiatives – (CFDA 10.176)

The Dairy Business Innovation (DBI) Initiatives support dairy businesses in the development, production, marketing and distribution of dairy products. DBI Initiatives provide direct technical assistance and grants to dairy businesses, including niche dairy products, such as specialty cheese, or dairy products derived from the milk of a dairy animal, including cow, sheep and goat milk. These initiatives specifically focus on: Diversifying dairy product markets to reduce risk and develop higher-value uses for dairy products. Promoting business development that diversifies farmer income through processing and marketing innovation. Encouraging the use of regional milk production.

Deadline: June 17, 2019

Local Food Promotion Program – (CFDA 10.175)

Approximately \$11.5 million in competitive grant funds in fiscal year (FY) 2019 is available for award through the Local Food Promotion Program (LFPP). LFPP is a component of the Farmers Market and Local Food Promotion Program (FMLFPP), which is authorized by the 2018 Farm Bill under the Local Agriculture Marketing Program (LAMP). The goal of LFPP grants are to develop, coordinate and expand local and regional food business enterprises that engage as intermediaries in indirect producer to consumer marketing to help increase access to

and availability of locally and regionally produced agricultural products. LFPP offers both Planning and Implementation projects. For LFPP Planning, the minimum award is 25,000 and a maximum of \$100,000 for up to 18 months (1.5 years). Applicants are expected to begin on September 30, 2019 and be completed by March 31, 2021. For LFPP Implementation projects, the minimum award is \$100,000 and a maximum of \$500,500 for a period of 36 months (3 years). Applicants are expected to begin September 30, 2019 and be completed by September 29, 2022. Matching funds of 25% of the Total Federal portion of the grant is required.

Deadline: June 18, 2019

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Sustainable Agricultural Systems – (CFDA 10.310)

Applications to the FY 2019 Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Sustainable Agricultural Systems (SAS) Request for Applications (RFA) must focus on approaches that promote transformational changes in the U.S. food and agriculture system within the next 25 years. NIFA seeks creative and visionary applications that take a systems approach, and that will significantly improve the supply of abundant, affordable, safe, nutritious, and accessible food, while providing sustainable opportunities for expansion of the bioeconomy through novel animal, crop, and forest products and supporting technologies. These approaches must demonstrate current and future social, behavioral, economic, health, and environmental impacts. Additionally, the outcomes of the work being proposed must result in societal benefits, including promotion of rural prosperity and enhancement of quality of life for those involved in food and agricultural value chains from production to utilization and consumption. See AFRI SAS RFA for details.

Deadline: September 26, 2019

Specialty Crop Multi-State Program – (CFDA 10.170)

The Specialty Crop Multi-State Program (SCMP) offers grants to solely enhance the competitiveness of specialty crops by funding collaborative, multi-state projects that address the following regional or national level specialty crop issues: food safety; plant pests and disease; research; crop-specific projects addressing common issues; and marketing and promotion.

Funds are competitively awarded to participating State departments of agriculture (Participating States) within any of the 50 States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

Deadline: October 1, 2019

U.S. Department of Commerce

NIST FY19 Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program Phase II – (CFDA 11.620)

This NOFO provides an opportunity to all FY 2018 NIST SBIR Phase I awardees to submit a Phase II application following completion of Phase I. This NOFO provides instructions for FY 2019 NIST SBIR Phase II application preparation and submission requirements. In Phase II, work from Phase I that exhibits potential for commercial application is further developed. Phase II is the R&D or prototype development phase. To apply for a Phase II award, each Phase I awardee will be required to submit a comprehensive application outlining the proposed research and a detailed plan to commercialize the final product. Each NIST Phase II award is for up to \$400,000 and up to a 24-month period of performance. One year after completing the Phase II R&D activity, the awardee

shall be required to report on its commercialization activities. Up to an additional \$6,500 may be requested for Technical and Business Assistance (TABA); see Section 5.11 for more information about TABA.

Deadline: June 12, 2019

U.S. Department of Defense

ONR, on behalf of the Office of the Secretary of Defense, for the Manufacturing Engineering Education Program – (CFDA 12.300)

The National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) for Fiscal Year 2017 established the "Manufacturing Engineering Education Program," (MEEP) (Section 2196, Title 10, United States Code 10 U.S.C. § 2196), which authorizes the Department of Defense (DoD) to support industry-relevant, manufacturing-focused, engineering training at United States institutions including education, industry, nonprofit, and consortia of such institutions or industry. The purpose of this program is to establish new or to enhance existing programs (or collections of programs) to better position the current and next-generation manufacturing workforce to produce military systems and components that assure technological superiority for the DoD. Interested parties should focus programs on manufacturing education to support one or more distinct manufacturing technologies of DoD interest, for example: manufacturing of lightweight structures, systems and materials; robotics for manufacturing; manufacturing to exploit nanotechnology; manufacturing of components and systems for power generation, storage, or distribution; or manufacturing of multi-functional electronics and/or optical devices. Proposed efforts should develop and enhance curricula and programs to effectively develop skills sets needed for students to operate in multidisciplinary design and manufacturing environments, including those for which manufacturing schema are informed by computational tools for modeling and simulation. Students also should be prepared to work effectively in environments where multiple engineering disciplines are engaged during design, development and manufacturing, and where the roles of manufacturers and suppliers in businesses of various sizes, from start-ups to major systems integrators, are optimized. Curricula and programs that develop shop-floor capabilities are also sought and may include welding; manufacturing-related programming (Computer Numerical Control (CNC), Computer Aided Design (CAD), Programmable Logic Controllers (PLC), logic, robotic control, etc.); operation and maintenance of state-of-the-art manufacturing equipment/tooling; process monitoring and optimization, and in-line quality assurance; and manufacturing, supply chain, and distribution management. The DoD, through the Office of Naval Research (ONR), seeks a broad range of consolidated and integrated multidisciplinary programs of education that encompasses the total manufacturing engineering enterprise with an emphasis on: a. Developing targeted instruction and/or curricula that covers desired manufacturing technologies and skills. b. Identifying specific opportunities for faculty and student engagement with industry, including opportunities for students to obtain relevant work experience in manufacturing through such activities as internships, summer job placements, or cooperative work-study programs. Identifying specific industrial partnership(s) and providing details of the collaboration is a critical element for any proposed program. c. Geographical diversity. Instruction that encompasses the total manufacturing engineering enterprise may include but is not limited to the following: a. Manufacturing engineering education and training through classroom activities, laboratory activities, thesis projects, individual or team projects, internships, cooperative work-study programs, and interactions with industrial facilities, consortia, or other such activities and organizations in the United States and appropriate foreign countries; b. Faculty and teacher development programs; c. Recruitment of educators highly qualified in manufacturing engineering to teach or develop manufacturing engineering courses; d. Presentation of seminars, workshops, and training for the development of specific manufacturing engineering skills; e. Activities involving

interaction between students and industry, including programs for visiting scholars or industry executives, or other personnel exchanges; f. Development of new, or updating and modification of existing, manufacturing curriculum, course offerings, and education programs; g. Establishment of programs in manufacturing workforce training; h. Establishment of joint manufacturing engineering programs with defense laboratories and depots; i. Expansion of manufacturing training and education programs and outreach for members of the armed forces, dependents and children of such members, veterans, and employees of the Department of Defense. Any proposed program or collection of programs should include quantitative assessment plans to demonstrate the increased understanding of manufacturing engineering challenges and potential solutions, and the enhanced quality and effectiveness of the instruction that result from that increased understanding.

Deadline: June 20, 2019

DOD Tick-Borne Disease, Idea Award – (CFDA 12.420)

II.B. Award Information The FY19 TBDRP Idea Award intends to support conceptually innovative, high-risk/potentially high-reward research in the early stages of development that could lead to critical discoveries or major advancements that will accelerate progress in improving outcomes for individuals affected by Lyme disease and/or other tick-borne illnesses. This award mechanism promotes new ideas that represent innovative approaches to Lyme disease and other tick-borne diseases research and have the potential to make an important contribution toward the TBDRP mission. Applications should include a well-formulated, testable hypothesis based on strong scientific rationale that is established through inferential reasoning and/or critical review and analysis of the literature. The following are key aspects of the FY19 TBDRP Idea Award: •Innovation: Innovative research may introduce a new paradigm, challenge existing paradigms, look at existing problems from new perspectives, or exhibit other uniquely creative qualities that may include high-risk/potentially high-gain approaches to Lyme disease and other tick-borne diseases research. Research that is merely an incremental advance (the next logical step) is not considered innovative. • Relevance: Applications should articulate how the proposed research is relevant to at least one of the FY19 TBDRP Focus Areas. Highly relevant research will address the current evidence-based burden of disease on public health, while also considering the healthcare needs and welfare of military Service members and their families. • Preliminary Data: Due to this award’s emphasis on innovation, inclusion of preliminary data, such as unpublished data from the laboratory of the Principal Investigator (PI) or collaborators named on the application, and/or data from published literature that are relevant to Lyme disease and other tick-borne diseases and support the proposed research project, is encouraged, but not required. To leverage existing resources and maximize statistical power, Lyme and other tick-borne disease biorepositories and databases are important resources to consider if retrospectively collected human anatomical substances or correlated data are critical to the proposed studies. Investigators are strongly encouraged to incorporate the following components into their study design where appropriate: authentication of proposed cell lines; statistical rigor of in vitro cellular studies and preclinical animal experiments; and validation in well-pedigreed cohorts of uniformly documented patients. Studies utilizing data derived from large patient studies that include long-term health records, biospecimen repositories, and pre-existing research, and/or studies that apply state-of-the art genomic and/or proteomic analysis, bioinformatics, and/or mathematical models to such data are also encouraged. The proposed research must be relevant to active duty Service members, Veterans, military beneficiaries, and/or the American public. The anticipated direct costs budgeted for the entire period of performance for an FY19 TBDRP Idea Award will not exceed \$300,000. Refer to Section II.D.5, Funding Restrictions, for detailed funding information. The CDMRP expects to allot approximately \$0.48M to fund approximately one Idea Award application. Funding of applications received is contingent upon the availability of Federal funds for this program as well as the number of applications received, the quality and merit of the applications as evaluated by scientific

and programmatic review, and the requirements of the Government. Funds to be obligated on any award resulting from this funding opportunity will be available for use for a limited time period based on the fiscal year of the funds. It is anticipated that awards made from this FY19 funding opportunity will be funded with FY19 funds, which will expire for use on September 30, 2025. Awards will be made no later than September 30, 2020. For additional information refer to Section II.F.1, Federal Award Notices. The types of awards made under the Program Announcement will be assistance agreements (grants or cooperative agreements). The level of involvement on the part of the Department of Defense (DoD) during project performance is the key factor in determining whether to award a grant or cooperative agreement. An assistance agreement (grant or cooperative agreement) is appropriate when the Federal Government transfers a “thing of value” to a “state, local government,” or “other recipient” to carry out a public purpose of support or stimulation authorized by a law of the United States, instead of acquiring property or service for the direct benefit and use of the U.S. Government. An assistance agreement can take the form of a grant or cooperative agreement. If “no substantial involvement” on the part of the funding agency is anticipated, a grant award will be made (31 USC 6304). Conversely, if substantial involvement on the part of the funding agency is anticipated, a cooperative agreement will be made (31 USC 6305) and the award will identify the specific substantial involvement. Substantial involvement may include collaboration, participation, or intervention in the research to be performed under the award. The award type, along with the start date, will be determined during the negotiation process.

Deadline: August 22, 2019

FY19 Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) for the Office of Naval Research (ONR) Navy ROTC Cybersecurity Training Program

The ONR seeks a broad range of applications for augmenting existing or developing innovative solutions that directly maintain, or cultivate a diverse, world-class STEM workforce in order to maintain the U.S. Navy and Marine Corps’ technological superiority. The goal of any proposed effort must provide solutions that will grow a capable and trained workforce with the skills to defend against emergent cyber and electronic warfare threats.

Funding efforts will be targeted primarily toward projects addressing the technical skills taught to university students enrolled in ROTC programs; these ROTC programs are not restricted to any particular Service. While this effort is targeted primarily toward students enrolled in ROTC programs it can also include civilian students.

Project scope may range in size and complexity. Projects are especially encouraged to consider the following areas:

- Expand the technical skills taught to university students, especially those enrolled in ROTC programs
- Grow the participant’s cyber and electronic warfare skills
- Develop the research capacity of participants
 - Funds will be earned by participants who will perform research under the guidance of a graduate student mentor and a professor principal investigator (PI).
 - The plan is to pay participants \$18 per hour for a maximum of 15 hours per week.
- Establish meetings of stakeholders that must seek to connect relevant people and organizations to explicitly develop broader projects for affecting entire communities.

See complete notice for additional information.

Deadline: July 3, 2020

U.S. Department of Education

U.S. Department of Energy

Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 Wind Energy Technologies Office Funding Opportunity Announcement – (CFDA 81.087)

Complete information, including the full Funding Opportunity Announcement, can be found on the EERE Exchange website - <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/> The Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) is issuing, on behalf of the Wind Power Technologies Office (WPTO), a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) titled “Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 Wind Energy Technologies Office Funding Opportunity Announcement.” This FOA consists of four Areas of Interest and will provide \$28.1 M in federal funding for innovative wind energy technologies research and development including land-based, distributed, and offshore applications. 1. Wind Innovations for Rural Economic Development (WIRED) Subtopic 1a. Fully integrated distributed wind research and development (R&D) innovations to enhance resilience and reliability Subtopic 1b. Balance of system cost reduction through standardization 2. Utilizing and Upgrading National-Level Facilities for Offshore Wind R&D Subtopic 2a. R&D utilizing existing national-level offshore wind testing facilities Subtopic 2b. R&D requiring upgrades to existing national offshore wind testing facilities 3. Project Development for Offshore Wind Technology Demonstrations 4. Tall Towers for U.S. Wind Power Complete information, including the full Funding Opportunity Announcement, can be found on the EERE Exchange website - <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/>

Deadline: June 17, 2019

Water Power Technologies Office 2019 Research Funding Opportunity – (CFDA 81.087)

Complete information, including the full Funding Opportunity Announcement, can be found on the EERE Exchange website - <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/> The Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) is issuing, on behalf of the Water Power Technologies Office (WPTO), a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) titled “Water Power Technologies Office 2019 Research Funding Opportunity.” This FOA addresses priorities in the following Areas of Interest: Area of Interest 1: Hydropower Operational Flexibility Area of Interest 1a: Quantify Hydropower Capabilities for Operational Flexibility Area of Interest 1b: Operational Strategies for Increasing Hydropower Flexibility Area of Interest 2: Low-Head Hydropower and In-Stream Hydrokinetic Technologies Area of Interest 2a: Modular Technologies for Low-Head Hydropower Applications Area of Interest 2b: Modular Technologies for River Current Energy Converter Applications Area of Interest 3: Advancing Wave Energy Device Design Area of Interest 4: Marine Energy Centers Research Infrastructure Upgrades Complete information can be found on the EERE Exchange website - <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/>

Deadline: July 09, 2019

Solar Energy Technologies Office Fiscal Year 2019 Funding Program – (CFDA 81.087)

The Solar Energy Technologies Office (SETO) works across the solar energy technology spectrum with the goal of improving the affordability, reliability, and performance of solar technologies on the grid. Ensuring that more Americans can benefit from the declining costs of solar is one of SETO’s primary goals, which support early-stage research, development, and demonstration of solar technologies. Achieving SETO’s priorities across the solar energy technology landscape requires sustained, multifaceted innovation. With this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), the office intends to fund high-impact, early-stage research in the following areas: Topic

Area 1: Photovoltaics Research and Development Topic Area 2: Concentrating Solar-Thermal Power Research and Development Topic Area 3: Balance of Systems Soft Costs Reduction Topic Area 4: Innovations in Manufacturing: Hardware Incubator Topic Area 5: Advanced Solar Systems Integration Technologies

Deadline: July 25, 2019

[DE-FOA-0001960 - Clean Energy Manufacturing Innovation Institute: Cybersecurity in Energy Efficient Manufacturing – \(CFDA 81.086\)](#)

The Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE), within the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), invests in cutting-edge research, development, and demonstration activities focused on sustainable transportation, renewable power, and energy efficiency. Through EERE's Advanced Manufacturing Office (AMO) public-private R&D consortia, manufacturers, small businesses, universities, national laboratories, and state and local governments are brought together to pursue coordinated early-stage R&D in high-priority areas essential to energy in manufacturing. Federal funding is the catalyst to bring stakeholders into shared spaces and to address process and technological challenges that present a significant degree of scientific or technical uncertainty. Through this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), EERE in partnership with the Office of Cybersecurity, Energy Security and Emergency Response (CESER), seeks to establish a Clean Energy Manufacturing Innovation Institute dedicated to advancing cybersecurity in energy efficient manufacturing (referred hereafter as the Institute). The Institute will pursue targeted research and development (R&D) that will focus on understanding the evolving cybersecurity threats to greater energy efficiency in manufacturing industries, developing new cybersecurity technologies and methods, and sharing information and knowledge to the broader community of U.S. manufacturers. The Institute will leverage expertise from industry, academia, state and local governments, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs), non-profits and Federally Funded Research and Development Centers (FFRDCs). The full Funding Opportunity Announcement is posted on the EERE Exchange website at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>. Applications must be submitted through the EERE Exchange website to be considered for award. The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE Exchange website. The User's guide for applying to Department of Energy, Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy's Funding Opportunity Announcements through the Exchange website can be found at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx>. Information on where to submit questions regarding the content of the announcement and where to submit questions regarding submission of applications is found in the full FOA posted on the EERE Exchange website, <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>.

Deadline: August 20, 2019

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

[Availability of funds for Title X Family Planning– Innovations in Family Planning Clinical Service Delivery and Studies to Address Opportunities and Barriers for Linking Family Planning Services and Substance Use Disorder Screening and Treatment – \(CFDA 93.974\)](#)

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), issued by the Office of Population Affairs (OPA), invites applications from public or private nonprofit entities to conduct research that will lead to feasible and effective strategies to increase access to quality Title X family planning services among hard to reach populations or provide family planning services in resource limited areas, as well as among individuals who misuse opioids and/or other substances, including those with substance use disorders (SUDs). Applicants should address only ONE priority area per application, but an entity may submit multiple applications. If an applicant submits more

than one application for the same focus area, then only the last application submitted for that focus area will be considered. Priority areas for these research grants are as follows: 1) Innovative family planning clinical service delivery models that can be used to increase access to quality Title X family planning services among hard to reach populations or provide Title X family planning services in resource limited areas. 2) Meeting the family planning needs of women and men who misuse opioids and/or other substances, including those with substance use disorders (SUDs), so they can prevent or achieve pregnancy when desired. Applicants must clearly identify in the project narrative which focus area the proposal addresses.

Deadline: June 14, 2019

Child Care Policy Research Partnership Grants – (CFDA 93.575)

The Administration for Children and Families (ACF) plans to solicit applications for Child Care Policy Research Partnership grants. These four-year cooperative agreements will be conducted through partnerships between CCDF Lead Agencies in states, territories, or tribes and researchers from institutions of higher education, research organizations, and other eligible organizations. Applications are invited from CCDF Lead Agencies, institutions of higher education, research organizations, and other organizations with proven expertise conducting policy research. The work supported by this grant program should be collaborative from start to finish. Specifically, the CCDF Lead Agency and their research partners need to work together throughout all phases of the project. Child Care Policy Research Partnership grantees will be expected to pursue research questions of national and state relevance. Therefore, grantees are encouraged to include other local and state child care stakeholders. These projects are intended to add to our knowledge about the efficacy of child care subsidy policies and quality improvement initiatives that support employment and self-sufficiency outcomes for parents, increase low-income families' access to high quality child care programs, and promote positive learning and school readiness outcomes for children. Examples of priority questions include, but are not limited to: effects of policy changes since the Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG) Act of 2014, supports for family child care providers, consumer education, licensing and monitoring, and efforts to build the supply of high-quality care. Funding is subject to availability of funds and the best interests of the federal government.

Deadline: June 14, 2019

Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant– 2019 – (CFDA 93.991)

This notice announces the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) intent to fund the Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant applications in Federal Fiscal Year 2019, as directed by Public Law 115-245, Department of Defense and Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Appropriation Act, 2019 and Continuing Appropriations Act, 2019.

Deadline: July 01, 2019

Maternity Group Home Program – (CFDA 93.550)

The Administration for Children and Families, Administration on Children, Youth and Families' Family and Youth Services Bureau (FYSB) announces the availability of funds under the Transitional Living Program's Maternity Group Home (MGH) grant program (hereafter referred to as the MGH program). The purpose of FYSB's MGH program is to provide safe, stable, and appropriate shelter only for pregnant and/or parenting youth ages 16 to under 22 and their dependent child(ren) for 18 months and, under extenuating circumstances, up to 21 months. Service providers must accommodate for the needs and safety of the dependent children to include facility safety standards for infants and children on the premises. MGH services include, but are not limited to, parenting

skills, child development, family budgeting, and health and nutrition education, in addition to the required services provided under the Transitional Living Program to help MGH youth realize improvements in four core outcome areas. The MGH combination of shelter and services is designed to promote long-term, economic independence to ensure the well-being of the youth and their child(ren). Grants awarded under this announcement will have a start date of September 30, 2019 and will be for a 36-month project period.

Deadline: July 11, 2019

Lead and Healthy Homes Technical Studies (LHHTS) Grant Program Pre- and Full Application – (CFDA 14.906)

To fund technical studies to improve existing methods for detecting and controlling key housing-related health and safety hazards; to develop new methods to detect and control these hazards; and to improve our knowledge of these key housing-related health and safety hazards.

Deadline: July 11, 2019

National Technical Assistance Resource Center on Disaster/Emergency Preparedness, Response & Recovery for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities – (CFDA 93.631)

2018 was a record year for major disasters, with it being in the top 10 of “Billion Dollar Disasters” in recorded US history. A critical observation from these disasters and those that came before is that the needs of individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities who are reliant on complex community support systems to remain independent and live in the community are not adequately addressed during disaster and emergency preparedness planning. For examples, disaster and emergency planning may not address whether individuals with disabilities have access to proper food and/or water, accessible transportation for evacuation and sheltering, access to reasonable accommodations i.e. wheelchair accessible restrooms, durable medical equipment, prescribed medications, and accessible signage. Thus, disaster and emergency planning that addresses the unique needs of individuals with disabilities during each phase (mitigation, preparedness, response and recovery) of emergency planning process, is critical. Making this a priority for all State and local emergency agencies helps to support the safety of individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities during a disaster or emergency as well as ensure that adequate supports are provided during each phase of the emergency process. To accomplish this, the Administration on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (AIDD) within the Administration on Disabilities, Administration for Community Living, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), plans to fund one cooperative agreement to establish a national technical assistance and resource center. The aim of the center will be to provide direct assistance and guidance to States and Territories and build improve their capacity to better addressing the safety needs as well as access to adequate support of individuals with disabilities during an emergency or disaster during the response and recovery phase.. In addition, the center will aim to provide technical assistance, resources, and information at the State, Federal, and local level as a part of the response and recovery efforts.

Deadline: August 14, 2019

Human Dignity and Civil Rights for People with Disabilities – (CFDA 93.631)

The Administration on Disabilities (AOD) seeks to fund a three-year cooperative agreement for the development, testing and dissemination of resources for the medical community to better support the rights of all individuals with ID/DD to access all forms of health care. The goal of this project is to ensure that Americans with ID/DD experience improved access to health care, life-saving treatments, and to mental health care - leading to greater

equitable health care across our nation free from discrimination by carrying out the following three main activities: Conduct gap analysis of existing data and research, medical curricula, policies, guidelines, and protocols around medical discrimination issues that exist for the ID/DD population, including in areas such as organ transplants, pre-natal counseling, aging, end of life, mental health referrals, suicide ideation and any others identified by the applicant; Convene a panel of partners and stakeholders to use findings from gap analysis to develop and validate protocols to support medical professionals treating patients with ID/DD without discrimination; and Conduct national disseminate of protocols to multiple professionals in the medical and allied health fields to raise awareness of the issue and the resources. Applicants must address the following components into the project proposal: Partnerships in the design and implementation of the project: Partnering with local, state, and national level organizations, agencies and other relevant stakeholders, including at least one self-advocacy organization and one family-led organization, to conduct all three project activities. The DD Act defines “advocacy” as an active support of policies and practices that promote self-determination and inclusion in the community and workforce for individuals with ID/DD and their families. Successful applicants will propose a coordinated approach across various partners. A signed Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the members of the partnership must be submitted as part of the application. The agreement should describe how the entities participated in the development of the application and more importantly, how they plan to work together to ensure the goals and objectives included in the application are achieved. Applicants should demonstrate support of civil rights across the lifespan for people with disabilities. Meaningful and active engagement with self-advocates and family members throughout all phases and aspects of this project. In addition to the partnership requirement above, it is expected that self-advocates and family members will be fully engaged throughout the life cycle and in all aspects of this project, including in conducting the gap analysis, developing and testing protocols, and national dissemination efforts. Self-advocates and family members are expected to serve in various roles and capacities in the project. Meaning and active engagement with the medical community and subject matter experts throughout all phases and aspects of this project. In addition to the partnership requirement above, it is expected that members of the medical community, including the health and allied health professions, will be fully engaged throughout the life cycle and in all aspects of this project. Medical professionals should inform the gap analysis, the development and testing of protocols, and national dissemination efforts. Medical professionals are expected to serve in various roles and capacities in the project. Partners should demonstrate support of civil rights across the lifespan for people with disabilities. Conceptual Framework for the Design of the Project. The project should be guided by a conceptual framework that incorporates a civil rights framework, the core values in the Developmental Disabilities Assistance and Bill of Rights (DD Act) and other relevant evidence or theories related to discrimination and equal access to health care. The application should describe how the conceptual framework will be used to guide all aspects of the project. Evaluation to assess progress and determine outcomes from the project. It is expected that the project will use process evaluation techniques to analyze how the project activities are delivered to determine, among other things, the extent to which the project is being implemented as planned, how the project activities are being received by the target group, the barriers to implementation, and areas for project improvements/refinements. It is also expected that the project will use summative evaluation techniques to determine project success in meeting the intended outcome of enhancing the health and safety of individuals by increasing their independence, social capital, self-determination, community integration, productivity and participation. Sustainability: An expected outcome of this project will be sustainability of the efforts to raise awareness about the issue of medical discrimination experienced by the ID/DD and of the resources available to ensure equal access to health care. During the course of the project, efforts should be made to generate the sufficient resources and strategies for organizational sustainability, financial sustainability and/or community sustainability to continue and refine the work. Project Impact The development and dissemination of the medical

protocols will ensure that Americans with ID/DD experience improved access to health care, life-saving treatments, and to mental health care, leading to greater equitable health care across our nation free from discrimination by: Enhancing the health and safety of individuals with ID/DD by ensuring equal access to medical care and interventions. Strengthening the knowledge, skills, retention, and advancement of the health care professionals treating patients with ID/DD as well as strengthening the knowledge of community partners who serve individuals with ID/DD. Strengthening and elevating the leadership roles that self-advocacy organizations, family-led organizations, and other peer support networks working together with families and others must play in improving and ensuring equal health care access for individuals with ID/DD. Enhancing the effectiveness and coordination of efforts by the state, the DD Act network and others to anticipate, avoid, investigate, reduce and remediate civil rights violations in the health care system for people with ID/DD. Engaging self-advocates and family members in meaningful ways to carry out the project.

Deadline: September 11, 2019

[Research to Action: Assessing and Addressing Community Exposures to Environmental Contaminants \(R01 Clinical Trial Optional\) – \(CFDA 93.113, 93.361\)](#)

This Funding Opportunity Announcement encourages applications using community-engaged research methods to investigate the potential health risks of environmental exposures of concern to the community and to implement an environmental public health action plan based on research findings. The overall goal is to support changes to prevent or reduce exposure to harmful environmental exposures and improve the health of a community.

Deadline: September 07, 2019

[Single Cell Opioid Responses in the Context of HIV \(SCORCH\) Program: CNS Data Generation \(UM1 Clinical Trial Not Allowed\) – \(CFDA 93.279\)](#)

To support generation of single cell datasets for one or more brain regions relevant to opioid use disorder and persistent HIV infection. If fully successful, this project will generate 1. A cellular parts list for selected NIDA-relevant brain regions, 2. Reveal how cell types within these brain regions differ from one another with respect to gene expression, 3. Reveal how cell types within these brain regions are altered by chronic opioid exposure providing potential novel therapeutic targets for opioid addiction, 4. Reveal how HIV infection in the CNS influences single cells, providing potential targets for improving HIV neurobiological sequelae, and 5. Uncover potential synergistic effects of chronic opioid exposure and HIV infection in the CNS.

Deadline: October 08, 2019

[Advanced Development of Informatics Technologies for Cancer Research and Management \(U24 Clinical Trial Optional\) – \(CFDA 93.396\)](#)

The purpose of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to invite Cooperative Agreement (U24) applications for advanced development and enhancement of emerging informatics technologies to improve the acquisition, management, analysis, and dissemination of data and knowledge across the cancer research continuum including cancer biology, cancer treatment and diagnosis, early cancer detection, risk assessment and prevention, cancer control and epidemiology, and/or cancer health disparities. As a component of the NCI's Informatics Technology for Cancer Research (ITCR) Program, this FOA focuses on emerging informatics technology, defined as one that has passed the initial prototyping and pilot development stage, has demonstrated potential to have a significant and broader impact, has compelling reasons for further improvement and enhancement, and has not been widely adopted in the cancer research field. The central mission of ITCR is to

promote research-driven informatics technology across the development lifecycle to address priority needs in cancer research. In order to be successful, proposed development plans must have a clear rationale on why the proposed technology is needed and how it will benefit the cancer research field. In addition, mechanisms to solicit feedback from users and collaborators throughout the development process must be included. Potential applicants who are interested in early-stage development or informatics resource sustainment should consult the companion FOAs listed above.

Deadline: November 20, 2019

Occupational Safety and Health Training Project Grants (T03) – (CFDA 93.262)

The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), invites grant applications for Training Project Grants (TPGs) that are focused on occupational safety and health training. NIOSH is mandated to provide an adequate supply of qualified personnel to carry out the purposes of the Occupational Safety and Health Act, and the TPGs are one of the principal means for meeting this mandate. The majority of TPGs are in academic institutions that provide high quality training in the core occupational safety and health disciplines of industrial hygiene (IH), occupational health nursing (OHN), occupational medicine residency (OMR), occupational safety (OS), as well as closely related allied disciplines. NIOSH also funds non-academic programs to meet specific training needs of targeted populations including firefighters, commercial fishermen and occupational health and safety interns.

Deadline: November 24, 2019

NIMH Research Education Mentoring Programs for HIV/AIDS Researchers (R25) – (CFDA 93.242)

The NIH Research Education Program (R25) supports research education activities in the mission areas of the NIH. The over-arching goal of this National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) R25 program is to support educational activities that complement and/or enhance the training of a workforce to meet the nations biomedical, behavioral and clinical research needs and advance the priorities outlined in the Office of AIDS Research (OAR) Annual Strategic Plan and the research program priorities of the NIMH Division of AIDS Research (DAR).

Deadline: September 07, 2020

Comparative Genomics Research Program (R01) – (CFDA 93.172)

NHGRI invites applications for research developing comparative approaches that can be used to understand genome structure and function and the relationship between genomic features and phenotypes. This program supports studies that enable the use of a diverse array of species to advance our ability to understand basic biological processes related to human health and disease, as well as studies that develop novel analytical tools and resources for the comparative genomics research community.

Deadline: January 07, 2021

NIH Research Project Grant (Parent R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) – (CFDA 93.113, 93.121, 93.172, 93.173, 93.213, 93.233, 93.242, 93.273, 93.279, 93.286, 93.307, 93.351, 93.361, 93.393, 93.394, 93.395, 93.396, 93.399, 93.837, 93.838, 93.839, 93.840, 93.846, 93.847, 93.853, 93.855, 93.856, 93.859, 93.865, 93.866, 93.867, 93.879)

The NIH Research Project Grant supports a discrete, specified, circumscribed project in areas representing the specific interests and competencies of the investigator(s). The proposed project must be related to the

programmatic interests of one or more of the participating NIH Institutes and Centers (ICs) based on their scientific missions. This Funding Opportunity Announcement does not accept clinical trials.

Deadline: January 07, 2021

Advancing Post-Market Surveillance of High-Risk Facilities and Products through Signal detection, Data analysis, and the Review of the State of Quality (U01) Clinical Trial Optional – (CFDA 93.103)

The purpose of this program is to advance comprehensive quality surveillance and provide the state of quality for all regulated sites and products. Using predictive analytics, data mining, and other quantitative tools, this research program will expand the knowledge base related to site and product quality, especially for high-risk foreign facilities and their products.

Deadline: April 05, 2021

Engaging Men in HIV Testing, Prevention, and Care (R21 Clinical Trial Optional) – (CFDA 93.242)

The purpose of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to develop and test strategies to increase the engagement of men in HIV prevention and care within global settings and among US domestic populations who have evidenced lower rates of engagement and retention in HIV prevention and care. The R21 Exploratory/Developmental Grant supports studies that may involve considerable risk but may lead to a breakthrough in a particular area; or to the development of novel techniques, agents, methodologies, models; or applications that could have a major impact on a field of biomedical, behavioral, or clinical research.

Deadline: September 07, 2021

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Family Self-Sufficiency Program - New Applicants – (CFDA 14.896)

Program Overview: The FSS program supports the Department's strategic goal of utilizing housing as a platform for improving quality of life by helping HUD-assisted renters increase their economic security and self-sufficiency. The purpose of the FSS program is to promote the development of local strategies to coordinate the use of assistance under the HCV and PH programs with public and private resources to enable participating families to increase earned income and financial literacy, reduce or eliminate the need for welfare assistance, and make progress toward economic independence and self-sufficiency. PHAs that administer FSS programs enter into five-year contracts with new families on an ongoing basis. The FSS contract spells out the terms and conditions governing participation and the responsibilities of both the PHA and the family. PHAs are not permitted to limit FSS participation to those families most likely to succeed because of current education level or job history. Program Framework: PHAs work in collaboration with a Program Coordinating Committee (PCC) to secure commitments of public and private resources for the operation of the FSS program, to develop the PHA's FSS Action Plan (the FSS policy framework), and to implement the program. Once an eligible family is selected to participate in the program, the PHA, and the head of each participating family execute a FSS Contract of Participation that specifies the rights and responsibilities of both parties. The term of the FSS contract is generally 5 years, but it may be extended for another 2 years by the PHA for good cause. The FSS contract also incorporates the family's individual training and services plan (ITSP). The ITSP is the document that records the plan for the family. That is, the series of intermediate and long-term goals and the steps the family needs to take – and the services and resources they may need to access – to achieve those goals.”

Deadline: June 13, 2019

FY 2018 Section 202 Supportive Housing for the Elderly Program – (CFDA 14.157)

HUD is providing Capital Advance funding and project rental subsidies for the development and ongoing operation of supportive rental housing for very low-income persons, aged 62 years or older. This funding, leveraged with other financing sources, will expand affordable housing opportunities that are physically designed and that have a robust set of services that will allow seniors to live independently and age in community.

Deadline: August 28, 2019

U.S. Department of Homeland Security

Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 Homeland Security National Training Program (HSNTP) - Continuing Training Grants (CTG) – (CFDA 97.005)

The Department of Homeland Security Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 Homeland Security National Training Program (HSNTP), Continuing Training Grants (CTG) program plays an important role in the implementation of the National Preparedness System by supporting the building, sustainment, and delivery of core capabilities essential to achieving the National Preparedness Goal (the Goal) of a secure and resilient Nation. Delivering core capabilities requires the combined effort of the whole community, rather than the exclusive effort of any single organization or level of government. The FY 2019 HSNTP/CTG supports efforts to build and sustain core capabilities across Prevention, Protection, Mitigation, Response, and Recovery mission areas, with specific focus on addressing the training needs of our Nation. Objectives: FY 2019 HSNTP/CTG training programs will provide training solutions to address specific national preparedness gaps, correlate training needs with exercise activities and outcomes, incorporate the core capabilities identified in the National Preparedness Goal, and ensure training is available and accessible to a nationwide audience.

Deadline: July 2, 2019

U.S. Department of the Interior

FY2020 Multistate Conservation Grant Program – (CFDA 15.628)

The Sport Fish Restoration Act and the Wildlife Restoration Act, as amended by the Wildlife and Sport Fish Restoration Programs Improvement Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106-408) authorize the Secretary of the Interior to make up to \$6,000,000 available annually under the Wildlife and Sport Fish Restoration Program (WSFR) to fund multistate conservation project grants. The primary goal of the MSCGP is to provide grant funds to address regional or national priority needs (National Conservation Needs or NCNs) of the State fish and wildlife agencies (States) and their partners that are beyond the scope and capabilities of a single State. Projects awarded funding are published annually in the Federal Register. Lists of past awards are also available from the Wildlife and Sport Fish Restoration Program or the Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies contacts listed below (Section VIII, Agency Contacts). WSFR's mission is to work through partnerships to conserve and manage fish and wildlife and their habitats for the use and enjoyment of current and future generations. WSFR's vision is of healthy, diverse, and accessible fish and wildlife populations that offer recreation, economic activity, and other societal benefits, in addition to sustainable ecological functions. WSFR's guiding principle is that society benefits from

conservation-based management of fish and wildlife and their habitats and opportunities to use and enjoy them. The MSCGP aligns with WSFR's mission, vision, and guiding principle, and support three of the Department of the Interior's priorities including, creating a conservation stewardship legacy second only to Teddy Roosevelt; Utilizing our natural resources; and Restoring trust with our local communities. Projects funded through the MSCGP provide grant funds to address regional or national level priority needs of the States that are beyond the scope and capabilities of a single State.

Deadline: July 26, 2019

15.658 Natural Resource Damage Assessment and Restoration Program (NRDAR) – (15.658)

Natural Resource Damage Assessment and Restoration Program (NRDAR) Authorizing Legislation: Federal Water Pollution Control Act, 33 U.S.C. §§ 1251-1387; Oil Pollution Act, 33 U.S.C. §2701 et seq.; Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. §9601, et seq., and Fish and Wildlife Act, 16 U.S.C. §742 et seq.

Deadline: July 30, 2019

State Wildlife Grant Program – (CFDA 15.634)

The State Wildlife Grant (SWG) Program provides States, the District of Columbia, Commonwealths, and Territories (States) Federal grant funds for the development and implementation of programs for the benefit of wildlife and their habitats, including species that are not hunted or fished. Eligible activities include both conservation planning and implementation activities. Conservation planning activities must contribute directly to the development or modification of your current Wildlife Action Plan (Plan) approved by the Director of the Service. Implementation activities are those that you intend to carry out to execute your Plan. SWG Program funds must benefit species of greatest conservation need (SGCN) identified in your Plan, and when prioritizing use of these funds you should take into consideration the relative level of funding available for the conservation of those species. As directed by Congress, the Service encourages you to prioritize funding for conservation of species listed or considered for listing under the Endangered Species Act (ESA), including candidate, threatened, and endangered species when such species are identified in your Plan and when directing SWG Program funds for their conservation is consistent with your priorities and operations. Ineligible activities include wildlife education and law enforcement activities, unless the activity is minor or incidental and is considered critical to the success of a project. Additional information about the SWG Program is available here. WSFR's mission is to work through partnerships to conserve and manage fish and wildlife and their habitats for the use and enjoyment of current and future generations. WSFR's vision is of healthy, diverse, and accessible fish and wildlife populations that offer recreation, economic activity, and other societal benefits, in addition to sustainable ecological functions. WSFR's guiding principle is that society benefits from conservation-based management of fish and wildlife and their habitats and opportunities to use and enjoy them. The SWG Program aligns with WSFR's mission, vision, and guiding principle, and supports three of the Secretary of the Department of the Interior's priorities including:1. Creating a conservation stewardship legacy second only to Teddy Roosevelt; 2. Utilizing our natural resources; and3. Restoring trust with our local communities.

Deadline: August 31, 2019

U.S. Department of Justice

BJA FY 19 A National Training and Technical Assistance Initiative to Improve Law Enforcement-Based Responses to People with Mental Health Disorders and Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (CFDA – 16.738)

Through this solicitation, BJA seeks a provider to operate a National Training and Technical Assistance Center (National TTA Center) that will assist and guide states, tribes and local governments to grow and enhance cross system responses between local law enforcement and their mental health and IDD service delivery partners; and to address local response, needs and outcomes for people with mental illness and intellectual and developmental disabilities. This National TTA Center is critical to assisting jurisdictions by organizing the structure of the National TTA Center and responding to the focus of policy and practice as outlined in this solicitation.

Deadline: June 13, 2019

OJJDP FY 19 Addressing the Training Needs of Juvenile Prosecutors – (CFDA 16.540)

The FY 2019 Addressing the Training Needs of Juvenile Prosecutors program will fund state agencies responsible for administering, managing, or overseeing the training, education, and professional development needs of juvenile prosecutors and their support staff. The juvenile prosecutor's office has a need for legal training because of the specialized nature of juvenile and family law. This funding will allow states to develop or supplement existing training and/or professional development that is tailored to the unique needs and challenges related to juvenile prosecution. States will be able to use funding to address a wide range of training, resources, and professional development needs that will assist juvenile prosecutors and their support staff (including victim witness support coordinators) with prosecuting juvenile delinquency cases.

Deadline: June 17, 2019

BJA FY 19 Comprehensive Corrections Training and Technical Assistance – (CFDA 16.812)

The Comprehensive Corrections Training and Technical Assistance Program provides comprehensive and high quality training and technical assistance (TTA) to BJA's grantees and criminal justice practitioners to improve the delivery of correctional services and increase public safety by improving outcomes for people detained and incarcerated in correctional facilities.

Deadline: July 13, 2019

OVC FY 2019 Discretionary Training and Technical Assistance Program for VOCA Victim Assistance Grantees – (CFDA 16.582)

The purpose of this solicitation is to provide training and technical assistance to VOCA Victim Assistance service providers and others who work with victims of crime. Activities funded through this program may include, but are not limited to: the establishment or enhancement of state victim assistance academies, statewide training initiatives, crime victim-related conferences, basic training for new programs, or scholarships to attend conferences and/or training. Eligible applicants are limited to state administering agencies for the Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) Victim Assistance Program Formula Grants. OVC will conduct a pre-application webinar on June 17, 2019, at 1:00 p.m. e.t. Register at www.ovc.gov/grants/webinars.html. Apply by July 18, 2019.

Deadline: July 18, 2019

OVC FY 2019 Direct Services to Support Victims of Human Trafficking – (CFDA 16.320)

This solicitation will provide funding for direct services to victims of sex trafficking and labor trafficking, as well as for efforts to increase the capacity of communities to respond to human trafficking through the development

of interagency partnerships, professional training, and public awareness activities. Applicants may apply for one or more of the following purpose areas (PAs) and focus areas (FAs): PA 1: Comprehensive Services for Victims of All Forms of Human Trafficking which has 3 FAs (FA 1. Building Capacity to Provide Comprehensive Services, FA 2. Sustaining Capacity to Provide Comprehensive Services to Victims of All Forms of Human Trafficking, and FA 3. Comprehensive Services and Partnership With Enhanced Collaborative Model Human Trafficking Task Forces), and Purpose Area 2: Specialized Services. OVC will conduct a pre-application webinar on June 14, at 1:00 p.m. e.t. Register at www.ovc.gov/grants/webinars.html. Apply by July 19.

Deadline: July 19, 2019

U.S. Department of Labor

Women in Apprenticeship and Nontraditional Occupations (WANTO) Technical Assistance Grant Program – (CFDA 17.701)

This program is intended to provide technical assistance (TA) to employers and labor unions to encourage employment of women in apprenticeable occupations and nontraditional occupations (A/NTO), specifically by:

- Developing (establishing, expanding, and/or enhancing) pre-apprenticeship, apprenticeship, or other nontraditional skills training programs designed to prepare women for careers in A/NTO;
- Providing ongoing orientations or other resources for employers, unions, and workers on creating a successful environment for women in A/NTO; and/or
- Setting up support groups, facilitating networks, and/or providing supportive services for women in A/NTO to improve their retention.

Deadline: July 8, 2019

Workforce Opportunity for Rural Communities (WORC): A Grant Initiative for the Appalachian and Delta Regions – (CFDA 17.280)

ETA/U.S. Department of Labor (DOL), in partnership with the Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) and the Delta Regional Authority (DRA), announce the available funds for demonstration grant projects supporting alignment of workforce development with existing strategies and plans for economic development and diversification in rural communities from the following areas hard hit by economic transition and recovering slowly: 1.) The Appalachian region, as defined in 40 U.S.C. 14102(a)(1), and 2.) The Lower Mississippi Delta (Delta) region, as defined in 7 U.S.C. 2009aa(2).

These grants will enable eligible applicants within the Appalachian and Delta regions to expand the impact of existing workforce development initiatives, as well as provide valuable career, training, and support services to eligible individuals in counties and parishes and/or areas currently underserved by other resources. These grants support workforce development activities that prepare dislocated workers, new entrants to the workforce, and incumbent workers for good jobs in high-demand occupations aligned with a regional or community economic development strategy.

Deadline: July 15, 2019

YouthBuild – (CFDA 17.274)

Eligible applicants for these grants are private non-profit or public agencies. These organizations include rural, urban, or Native American agencies that have previously served disadvantaged youth in a YouthBuild or other similar program. These agencies or organizations may include, but are not limited to:

- Community and faith-based organizations with IRS 501(c)(3) non-profit status;
- An entity carrying out activities under WIOA, such as a local workforce development board or one-stop center partner program;
- Educational institutions, including a local school board, public school district, or community college;
- A community action agency;
- A State or local housing development agency;
- Any Indian and Native American entity eligible for grants under Section 166 of WIOA, including Federally and other than Federally-Recognized Tribes, Native American non-profit organizations, and Native Hawaiian and Alaska Native organizations;
- A community development corporation;
- A State or local youth service conservation corps; and
- Any other public or private non-profit entity that is eligible to provide education or employment training under a Federal program and can meet the required elements of the grant.

Deadline: August 6, 2019

Disaster Recovery National Dislocated Worker Grants to Address the Opioid Crisis – (CFDA 17.277)

The U.S. Department of Labor announces the availability of funding to address the opioid crisis through the Disaster Recovery Dislocated Worker Grants program. The Disaster Recovery DWGs are authorized under Section 170 of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA). The purpose of these grants is to enable eligible applicants to create disaster-relief employment to alleviate the effects of the opioid crisis in affected communities, as well as to provide employment and training activities, including supportive services, to address economic and workforce impacts related to widespread opioid use, addiction, and overdose. While the opioid crisis affects communities in unique ways that necessitate customized approaches to best address its impacts, the Department expects that successful opioid Disaster Recovery DWG projects will accomplish the following: facilitate community partnerships that are central to dealing with this complex public health crisis; provide training that builds the skilled workforce in professions that could impact the causes and treatment of the opioid crisis, such as: addiction treatment, mental health, and pain management; ensure the timely delivery of the appropriate career, training, and supportive services to dislocated workers (including displaced homemakers), individuals temporarily or permanently laid off due to the opioid crisis, long-term unemployed individuals, and self-employed individuals unemployed or significantly underemployed as a result of the opioid public health emergency—including individuals in these populations who have been impacted by opioid use; and create temporary disaster-relief employment that addresses the unique impacts of the opioid crisis in affected communities.

Deadline: September 30, 2019

Announcement of Stand Down Grants – (CFDA 17.805)

DOL VETS supports local Stand Down (SD) events that assist homeless veterans by providing a wide variety of employment, social, and health services. A homeless veteran is a veteran, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(2), who is “homeless” as that term is defined at 42 U.S.C. 11302(a)-(b), as amended by the Homeless Emergency Assistance and Rapid Transition to Housing Act of 2009 (Public Law 111-22). Stand Down grant funds must be used to enhance employment and training opportunities or to promote the self-sufficiency of homeless veterans through paid work. Veterans experiencing homelessness do not always have access to basic hygiene supplies necessary to maintain their health and appearance. Lack of shelter limits their ability to prepare for and present themselves at

job interviews or be contacted for follow-up. Basic services such as showers, haircuts, attention to health concerns, and other collaborative services provided at SD events can give participants a greater sense of self and an opportunity to improve their chances of securing and maintaining employment. Each year, VETS sets funds aside from the Homeless Veterans' Reintegration Program (HVRP) budget activity to award SD grants. Stand Down funding is a non-competitive grant awarded on a first-come, first-served basis until available annual funding is exhausted. VETS will continue to accept applications and process them when additional funds become available. The maximum amount that can be awarded, per applicant for a geographic area, in a fiscal year (October 1 – September 30) is \$7,000 for a one-day event and \$10,000 for a multi-day event. VETS recognizes the following as circumstances that may justify awarding SD grants in higher amounts: emergencies or major disasters, as defined in the Stafford Act, which have been declared eligible for public assistance by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). In addition, emergencies or disaster situations of national significance, natural or man-made, that could result in a potentially large loss of employment, as declared or otherwise recognized in writing by the chief official of the Federal Agency with jurisdiction over the Federal response to the emergency or disaster. If the VETS Assistant Secretary determines it is appropriate to award increased grants for SD events due to a disaster, the VETS Assistant Secretary will announce such a determination in writing, including the maximum amount that can be awarded on account of such an identified disaster, in order to provide notice to entities proposing to conduct SD events in those geographic areas where a disaster has been declared or to which a substantial number of veterans have relocated or been relocated. Acceptable uses of Stand Down grant funds do not change in such circumstances. All applications should be emailed to the appropriate DVET of the state in which the SD event is planned.

Deadline: December 31, 2020

U.S. Department of State

Deadline: June 14, 2019

U.S. Department of Transportation

FY 2019 National Infrastructure Investments – (CFDA 20.933)

The FY 2019 Appropriations Act provided \$900 million for National Infrastructure Investments. As with previous rounds, funds for the FY 2019 BUILD Transportation program are to be awarded on a competitive basis for projects that will have a significant local or regional impact. The Act also allows DOT to use a small portion of the \$900 million for oversight and administration of grants. If this solicitation does not result in the award and obligation of all available funds, DOT may publish additional solicitations. The Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2019 specifies that BUILD Transportation Discretionary Grants may not be less than \$5 million and not greater than \$25 million, except that for projects located in rural areas the minimum BUILD Transportation Discretionary Grant size is \$1 million. The FY 2019 Appropriations Act specifies that not more than 50 percent of funds can be spent on projects located in a rural area with a population equal to or less than 200,000 and not more than 50 percent of funds can be spent on projects located in an urbanized area with a population of more than 200,000. The Department revised the definition for rural and urban projects from previous BUILD/TIGER rounds to two categories, consistent with the urban and rural funding maximums. Pursuant to the FY Consolidated

Appropriations Act, 2019, no more than 10 percent of the funds made available for TIGER BUILD Transportation Discretionary Grants (or \$90 million) may be awarded to projects in a single State. Further, pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2019, DOT must take measures to ensure an equitable geographic distribution of grant funds, an appropriate balance in addressing the needs of urban and rural areas, and investment in a variety of transportation modes. The Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2019 requires that FY 2019 BUILD funds are only available for obligation through September 30, 2021. No FY 2019 BUILD funds may be expended after September 30, 2026. As part of the review and selection process described in the Notice of Funding Opportunity, DOT will consider whether a project is ready to proceed with an obligation of grant funds from DOT within the statutory time provided. Under the FY 2019 Appropriations Act, no waiver is possible for these deadlines. The FY 2019 Appropriations Act allows for up to 20 percent of available funds (or \$180 million) to be used by the Department to pay the subsidy and administrative costs for a project receiving credit assistance under the Transportation Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act of 1998 (“TIFIA”) program, if it would further the purposes of the BUILD Transportation Discretionary Grant program. Recipients of prior TIGER Discretionary Grants may apply for funding to support additional phases of a project awarded funds in earlier rounds of this program. However, to be competitive, the applicant should demonstrate the extent to which the previously funded project phase has been able to meet estimated project schedules and budget, as well as the ability to realize the benefits expected for the project. DOT expects that each BUILD Transportation Discretionary Grant will be administered by one of the relevant modal administrations, pursuant to a grant agreement between the BUILD Transportation Discretionary Grant recipient and the relevant modal administration.

Deadline: July 15, 2019

FAA Aviation Research and Development Grants – (CFDA 20.108)

The FAA is soliciting proposals for research grants and cooperative agreements to pursue the long-term growth and short-term technical needs of civil aviation. In order to streamline the application process, it is recommended that all prospective grantees submit a white paper (letter of intent) for agency technical review before complete proposal submission. Please be sure to identify the specific area of interest (Solicitation FAA-12-01 – Chapter I. FAA Research Grants Program, Technical Areas of Research #1-#9). The white paper shall be no longer than three (3) pages and shall detail overall research objectives.

Deadline: December 31, 2019

Section III PROGRAM FUNDING THROUGH PRIVATE, CORPORATE & COMMUNITY FOUNDATIONS

BoatUS Foundation Accepting Grant Applications for Safe and Clean Boating Projects

The BoatUS Foundation for Boating Safety and Clean Water is accepting applications for its Grassroots Grants Program, which awards funds on an annual basis to nonprofit organizations, boating clubs, and student groups in the United States for projects that utilize innovative approaches to education about safe and clean boating.

The foundation is looking for creative projects that promote safe and clean boating on local waterways. Past topics have ranged from PSAs on the effects of boating under the influence to hands-on education about the effects of marine debris.

Projects the foundation is most interested in funding will be unique (topic, methods, or delivery mechanism); include extensive outreach to boaters; use technology to educate boaters, including social media and the Web; have a widespread reach (not just a handful of boaters); include hands-on work with the boating community; and have a way to measure the success of the program.

Applicants can include boating groups, clubs and associations, student groups, and local nonprofit organizations, including local chapters of national organizations. Grants will not be awarded to government agencies, international organizations, for-profit businesses, or individuals.

Applicants may request up to \$10,000. Funded projects must be completed within a year.

Deadline: Open

Baseball Tomorrow Fund

The Baseball Tomorrow Fund (BTF) awards grants to non-profit and tax-exempt organizations involved in the operation of youth baseball and/or softball programs and facilities. Organizations operating in the U.S. and international locations are eligible to apply. To date, an average of 400 requests are received annually; approximately 10 percent are awarded grants. Grants are awarded on a quarterly basis.

Review cycle deadlines:

- January-March: January 1
- April-June: April 1
- July-September: July 1
- October-December: October 1

Surdna Foundation Sustainable Environment Grants

The Sustainable Environments Program is working to overhaul our country's outdated and crumbling infrastructure with a new approach that will foster healthier, sustainable, and just communities. We believe in the potential of what we call "next generation infrastructure" to improve transit systems, make buildings more energy efficient, better manage our water systems and rebuild regional food systems. Focusing on urban areas and their

surrounding suburbs, we seek solutions that connect and improve these infrastructure systems in ways that maximize positive impacts and minimize negative environmental, economic and social consequences.

JFNY Grant for Arts and Culture

The Japan Foundation New York office (JFNY) accepts applications for projects that take place within the 37 states east of Rocky Mountains listed below for the JFNY Grant throughout the year. This grant aims to support projects that will further understanding of Japanese arts and culture. Successful projects may be granted up to \$5,000. Priority will be given to those projects that have secured additional funding from sources other than the Japan Foundation.

Deadline: Applications must be received at least 3 months prior to beginning date of project.

CSX Beyond Our Rails Grant

CSX provides non-profit assistance and support through a variety of programs, including grants that typically range from \$2,500 to \$5,000 for projects focusing on safety, community, wellness, and/or the environment.

Examples given for environmental projects include:

- Teaching environmental stewardship
- Planting eco-friendly trees and plants
- Leading and supporting environmental cleanups
- Recycling and waste minimization
- Promoting energy efficiency and carbon reduction

Deadline: Ongoing

Laboratory Equipment Donation Program for Colleges, Universities and Museums

The Laboratory Equipment Donation Program (LEDP), formerly the Energy-Related Laboratory Equipment (ERLE) Grant Program, was established by the United States Department of Energy (DOE) to grant surplus and available used energy-related laboratory equipment to universities and colleges in the United States for use in energy oriented educational programs.

Deadline: Ongoing

Zayed Future Energy Global High Schools Prize

The primary aim of the Global High Schools category is to inspire future generations across the globe by instilling an ethos of sustainability from an early age, including an appreciation of issues in energy, and broader sustainability. Each school will submit a detailed proposal for a project, and the Prize will become a grant that enables the project's completion. While the main objective is to promote sustainability in schools, special emphasis of the proposed project should be on specific measurable initiatives to promote renewable energy and sustainability, which may include improvements in energy or water efficiency, or a reduction in waste.

Waste Management Charitable Giving

Healthy thriving communities depend on involved citizens, organizations and corporate partners for momentum. We lend our support and services to causes that promote civic pride, economic development and revitalization. Every community has its own challenges, and we strive always to be part of problem-solving initiatives. Programs that Waste Management is most motivated to support include: environment, environmental education, and causes

important to the areas where we operate. Applications are accepted year round and are reviewed on a continuous basis. Given the large amount of requests received, please anticipate an estimated two-month review period for each request.

Clif Bar Foundation Small Grants

These grants are awarded for general organizational support as well as funding for specific projects. Small grants average approximately \$7,000 each. Priority is given to applicants that: Address our funding priorities from a holistic perspective; Protect Earth's beauty and bounty; Create a robust, healthy food system; Increase opportunities for outdoor activity; Reduce environmental health hazards; Build stronger communities; Operate with clearly defined objectives and viable plans to achieve them; Demonstrate strong community ties and operate at the community level; Promote positive change through both the projects and their implementation process.

Deadline: Applications are reviewed three times a year; the deadlines are the 1st of February, June, and October. Grants awarded during a particular cycle will be announced at the beginning of the following cycle.

Foundation for Contemporary Art Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants

Since its inception in 1963, the mission of the Foundation for Contemporary Arts has been to encourage, sponsor, and promote innovative work in the arts created and presented by individuals, groups, and organizations.

Created in 1993, the foundation's Emergency Grants program provides grants of up to \$2,000 to innovative visual and performing artists who have unanticipated, sudden opportunities to present their work to the public when there is insufficient time to seek other sources of funding; or who incur unexpected or unbudgeted expenses for projects close to completion with committed exhibition or performance dates.

To be eligible, applicants must be living, working, and paying taxes in the United States; have committed to a performance or exhibition opportunity and be able to provide specific dates at the time of application; and be an individual artist or an individual representing an artist collective, ensemble, or group. Curators, producers, workshop organizers, organizations, or arts presenters are not eligible to apply.

Deadline: OPEN

Weyerhaeuser Giving Fund

We support U.S. and Canadian communities where we have a significant presence or business interest. These communities range from rural to metropolitan, each with unique priorities and needs. Our employees serve on local advisory committees for our Giving Fund and develop funding priorities within four focus areas to support their particular communities. This provides a strong companywide framework for giving while allowing flexibility to meet unique needs in our different communities.

Through the Weyerhaeuser Giving Fund we concentrate the majority of our funding in four focus areas:

- Affordable Housing and Shelter
- Education and Youth Development
- Environmental Stewardship
- Human Services, Civic and Cultural Growth

To be eligible for funding, a program must:

- Serve a Weyerhaeuser community
- Be a tax-exempt, nonprofit public charity classified under Section 501(c)(3) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code OR a registered charity in Canada with a Canada Revenue Agency Number, or registered as a provincial nonprofit society OR a public education institution or government entity qualified under Section 170(c)(1) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code or qualified as a Canadian municipality.

Wells Fargo Corporate Giving Programs

Wells Fargo supports nonprofit organizations that work on a community level in the areas of human services, arts and culture, community development, civic responsibility, education, environmental consciousness, and volunteerism.

Deadline: Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.

Good Sports Accepting Applications for Sports Equipment Grant

Good Sports helps lay the foundation for healthy, active lifestyles by providing athletic equipment, footwear, and apparel to disadvantaged young people nationwide. By working closely with teams, coaches, and community leaders across the United States, the organization is able to focus on the respective needs of each individual program and help offset the main factors causing the greatest challenges.

Good Sports is accepting applications from organizations and schools for equipment, apparel, and footwear for a wide range of sports. Organizations that are approved will have access to equipment, apparel, and footwear inventory for a two-year period. During that time, organizations can make up to six separate donation requests — as long as need is well documented, donations will be granted. There is no need to resubmit a full application again during the two-year period.

To be eligible, applicants must directly serve youth between the ages of 3 and 18; serve youth in an economically disadvantaged area; be located in North America (the U.S. and Canada); and operate an organized sport, recreational activity, or fitness program that offers consistent and structured opportunity for play to large groups of children. Schools must apply as a whole; applications for individual programs within a school will not be considered. Donation requests for short-term events such as sports camps and tournaments or to individual athletes will not be considered.

While the equipment, apparel, and footwear received through the program are free, recipients are expected to pay shipping and handling costs, which amount to roughly 10 percent of the donation value, with a maximum fee of \$1,500.

Deadline: Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis. It is recommended, however, that organizations apply at least eight weeks prior to the start of their particular season or program to ensure the desired equipment can be accessed and shipped on time.

Karma for Cara Foundation Invites Applications for Youth Microgrants

The Karma for Cara Foundation is a nonprofit founded by 21-year-old Cara Becker and her family while she was undergoing treatment for leukemia at the Johns Hopkins Kimmel Cancer Center. Cara and her two brothers began volunteering at a young age as part of their family's commitment to community service. She and her family saw a tremendous need to help support other patients and their families who were also challenged by cancer. Tragically, Cara passed four months after her diagnosis, yet her wish to help others through K4C lives on with the support of an ever-growing circle of family and friends.

As part of an effort to promote and support youth voluntarism, k4C started a microgrant program in fall 2014 to encourage kids 18 and under to apply for a grant of between \$250 and \$1,000 to complete service projects in their communities. Examples of fundable projects include but are not limited to turning a vacant lot into a community garden, rebuilding a school playground, and helping senior citizens get their homes ready for winter. Grants will be distributed as gift cards to home goods stores, office supply stores, grocery food chains, and toy stores.

Deadline: OPEN

VFW Accepting Applications From Veterans for Emergency Financial Assistance

Veterans of Foreign Wars is accepting applications from active and discharged military service members who have been deployed in the last six years and have run into unexpected financial difficulties as a result of deployment or other military-related activity. Since the program's inception, Unmet Needs has distributed more than \$5 million in assistance to qualified military families, with nearly half of those funds going directly toward basic housing needs.

The hardship must be the result of deployment, a military pay issue, or military-related illness or injury. It cannot be due to civil legal or domestic issues, misconduct, or any issues that are a result of spousal separation or divorce, financial mismanagement, or bankruptcy.

Deadline: OPEN

Start a Snowball Invites Applications for Youth Philanthropy Projects

Start a Snowball, Inc. encourages kids of all ages to engage in philanthropic and community service activities. The organization believes that even one child with the right intentions and support can start a project that seems small in the beginning and eventually grows ("snowballs") into something that inspires and benefits an entire community.

In order to help kids kick off their philanthropy efforts, Start a Snowball awards \$100 in seed funding for projects taken on by individuals or organizations.

To be eligible, projects must be led by youth between the ages of 5 and 18 and have the intention of doing good.

Start a Snowball does not give directly to collection funds. The organization also does not provide support for fundraisers for sports teams, unless they serve an underserved or disadvantaged group, or support projects that are discriminatory or political in nature.

Deadline: Rolling

Craft Emergency Relief Fund Accepting Applications From Craftspeople in Need

The Craft Emergency Relief Fund is a national nonprofit organization that awards small grants and loans to professional craftspeople experiencing career-threatening illness, accident, fire, theft, or natural disaster.

Financial assistance ranges from \$500 to \$8,000. Other services include referrals to craft suppliers who have agreed to offer discounts on materials and equipment to craftspeople eligible for CERF funds and booth fee waivers from specific craft show producers.

CERF loan recipients are expected to repay the loan in full within five years, enabling CERF to have funds readily available for future craftspeople in need.

Applicants must be a professional artist working in a craft discipline (e.g., a potter, metalsmith, glass artist, woodworker, fiber artist, or furniture maker) who has had a recent career-threatening emergency and a legal resident of the U.S.

Deadline: OPEN

Pollock-Krasner Foundation Accepting Applications From Artists With Financial Need

The mission of the Pollock-Krasner Foundation is to aid those individuals who have worked as artists over a significant period of time. The foundation's dual criteria for grants are recognizable artistic merit and financial need, whether professional, personal, or both.

Grants are intended for a one-year period of time, with the size of the grant to be determined by the artist's individual circumstances and professional exhibition history. Artists applying for a grant must be actively exhibiting their current work in a professional artistic venue such as a gallery or museum space.

The foundation does not accept applications from commercial artists, video artists, performance artists, filmmakers, crafts-makers, computer artists, or any artist whose work primarily falls into these categories.

Deadline: OPEN

Pollination Project Invites Applications From Social Entrepreneurs for Seed Grants

The Pollination Project is accepting applications from social entrepreneurs looking to make their communities and world a better place. Seed grants of up to \$1,000 will be awarded to projects in the early stages of development, including those that promote compassion toward all life (people, planet, animals), environmental sustainability, justice in all its forms, community health and wellness, and social change-oriented arts and culture. Only applications for seed funding, as opposed to ongoing operational or program costs of a nonprofit organization, will be accepted. To be eligible, applicants must be a passionate, committed individual with a social change vision that fits within one or more of the categories above. Established nonprofit organizations with paid staff will not be considered.

Deadline: OPEN

Hope for The Warriors Accepting Applications for Critical Care Support for Wounded Veterans

Hope For The Warriors believes those touched by military service can succeed at home by restoring their sense of self, family, and hope. Nationally, the organization provides service members, veterans, and military families with comprehensive support programs focused on transition, health and wellness, peer engagement, and community resources.

Originally designed to meet short-term needs in the days following an injury, the Hope for The Warriors' Critical Care Coordination program has expanded to assist post-9/11 combat-wounded veterans and their families as they navigate through long-term recovery.

Program case coordinators work daily with post-9/11 combat-wounded service members and veterans, their families, and families of the fallen to meet immediate financial needs related to daily living including utilities, groceries, rent, mortgage, and rental deposits. The program provides casework assistance and resource referrals that will help clients immediately and in the future. Payment is always made to a third party.

To be eligible, applicants must be seeking support for needs that are a direct result of a service member's post-9/11 combat-related injury.

Deadline: OPEN

Singing for Change Accepting LOIs for Projects to Address Social and Environmental Problems

Created by Jimmy Buffett in 1995, Singing for Change initially was funded with contributions from the singer's summer concert tour. Since then, SFC has offered competitive grants to progressive nonprofit organizations working to address the root causes of social or environmental problems.

Priority will be given to organizations that keep their overhead low, include community members in planning, and collaborate with other groups to find innovative ways of solving common problems. SFC aims to advance the common good by empowering people to thrive and strengthen and sustain vibrant, diverse communities.

Grants will range in size from \$1,000 to \$10,000. Grants are made only to nonprofit organizations with tax-exempt status under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or to organizations that have a sponsoring agency with exempt status.

Deadline: Ongoing

A Little HOPE Announces Youth Bereavement Support Services Grants

A Little HOPE supports organizations that provide bereavement support services and grief counseling to children and teens who have experienced the death of a parent, sibling, or loved one.

To be considered, applicants must e-mail (no telephone calls) the name of their program, website address, names of the executive director and program director, and the location of the program. No other information is needed or will be processed. Strong preference will be given to applicants who demonstrate a commitment to the use of community trained volunteers. Grant award amounts are based on the scope and budget of the project.

Deadline: OPEN

Captain Planet Foundation Offers Grants for Hands-On Environmental Education Activities

The mission of the Captain Planet Foundation is to promote and support high-quality educational programs that help children and youth understand and appreciate our world through hands-on learning experiences aimed at improving the environment in their schools and communities.

Grants are intended to serve as a means of bringing environment-based education to schools and inspiring youth and communities to participate in community service through environmental stewardship activities. The

foundation will fund unique and innovative projects that do not precisely match the grant guidelines but otherwise promote the foundation's mission to advance hands-on environmental activities.

Deadline: January 31 (typically for fall and winter projects), September 30 (typically for spring and summer projects)

Chambers of Commerce Invited to Start Young Entrepreneur Academies

The Young Entrepreneurs Academy today serves thousands of students across America. In 2011, the United States Chamber of Commerce Foundation became a national sponsor and partner of the academy to help celebrate the spirit of enterprise among today's youth and the future leaders of tomorrow.

To that end, YEA, in partnership with Sam's Club and the U.S. Chamber of Commerce Foundation, is accepting applications from chambers of commerce across the country to start Young Entrepreneurs academies of their own. The thirty-week program teaches students in grades 6-12 how to generate business ideas, conduct market research, write business plans, pitch to a panel of investors, and launch their own companies. In 2015, Sam's Club will award startup funds of up to \$2,500 each to thirty chambers of commerce across the country.

Cornell Douglas Foundation Grant

The Cornell Douglas Foundation provides grants to organizations that advocate for environmental health and justice, encourage stewardship of the environment, and further respect for sustainability of resources. The average grant amount is \$10,000.

Deadline: accepted all year

Public Welfare Foundation

The Public Welfare Foundation has three programs, Criminal Justice, Juvenile Justice, and Workers' Rights, that support efforts to advance justice and opportunity for people in need. The Foundation looks for strategic points where its funds can make a significant difference and improve lives through policy and system reform that results in transformative change.

Criminal Justice Guidelines

The Foundation's Criminal Justice Program supports groups that are working to end the over incarceration of adults in the United States while also aiming to reduce racial disparities. In particular, the Program makes grants primarily to state-based groups that are working to:

- Reduce state incarceration levels and racial disparities through reforms in sentencing, charging, and supervision policies and procedures.
- Advance the redirection and prioritization of state and local resources toward targeted investments that support system-involved individuals in their communities, through research and strategic thought leadership.

Juvenile Justice Guidelines

The Foundation's Juvenile Justice Program supports groups working to end the criminalization and reliance on incarceration of youth in the United States. The Program makes grants to groups that are working to:

- Advance state policies that dramatically restrict juvenile justice systems' use of incarceration and out-of-home placements and prioritize the use of community-based programs for youth;

- End the practice of trying, sentencing, and incarcerating youth in the adult criminal justice system; and
- Promote the fair treatment of youth of color who come into contact with the juvenile justice system.

Workers' Rights Guidelines

The Foundation's Workers' Rights Program supports policy and system reforms to improve the lives of low-wage working people in the United States, with a focus on securing their basic legal rights to safe, healthy, and fair conditions at work. Specifically, the Program makes grants to groups working to:

- Advance reforms to hold employers accountable for wage theft;
- Advance reforms to prevent severe illness, injury, and death on the job; and
- Advance workers' rights in complex, fissured employment arrangements through research and strategic thought leadership.

Ben & Jerry's Foundation Seeks Proposals for Social and Environmental Justice Projects

One-year grants of up to \$20,000 will be awarded to nonprofit grassroots community-organizing groups in the United States working to further social and environmental justice and support sustainable and just-food systems. Grants can be used to support both program and operational costs.

KaBOOM! Invites Applications for Community Playground Grants

KaBOOM!, a program that provides eligible communities with most of the funds, tools, and resources they need to build a custom-made playground in one day.

Deadline: OPEN

Binoculars for Young Citizen Scientists

Cornell's BirdSleuth K-12 initiative is awarding binoculars to schools where educators have made outstanding efforts to engage their students in citizen science.

Deadline: OPEN

International Paper Environmental Education Grants

The International Paper (IP) Foundation supports non-profit organizations in communities where its employees live and work. Environmental education is one of the primary areas the Foundation supports. The Foundation seeks programs that help generations understand a sustainable approach to business that balances environmental, social and economic needs.

Lego Children's Fund

The LEGO Children's Fund provides grants primarily in two focus areas: (1) early childhood education and development that is directly related to creativity and (2) technology and communication projects that advance learning opportunities. Typical awards are between \$500 and \$5,000. Interested parties must complete an eligibility quiz, be approved and invited to submit a grant proposal. Each grant will be subject to a specified time frame for completion.

Deadline: Applications accepted four times a year.

Evidence for Action: Investigator-Initiated Research to Build a Culture of Health

Evidence for Action (E4A), a national program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, funds research that expands the evidence base needed to build a Culture of Health. Our mission is to support rigorously designed quantitative, qualitative, and mixed methods research that yields convincing findings regarding the population health, well-being, and equity impacts of specific policies, programs and partnerships. We are especially interested in research examining the health impacts of programmatic or policy interventions that address factors outside the domain of health care services or public health practice.

Deadline: Open

Pioneering Ideas Brief Proposals

The goal of the Pioneering Ideas Brief Proposal funding opportunity is to explore; to look into the future and put health first as we design for changes in how we live, learn, work and play; to wade into uncharted territory in order to better understand what new trends, opportunities and breakthrough ideas can enable everyone in America to live the healthiest life possible.

While improving the status quo is vital to the health and well-being of millions of Americans now, the Pioneering Ideas Brief Proposal opportunity reaches beyond incremental changes to explore the ideas and trends that will influence the trajectory and future of health. Ultimately, we support work that will help us learn what a Culture of Health can look like—and how we can get there.

Deadline: Open

Section IV STATE OF ALABAMA GRANTS

Alabama Power Foundation Grant

The Alabama Power Foundation Grant offers funds to nonprofit organizations in Alabama working in one of the following areas:

- Health
- Human services
- Arts
- Community life
- Education
- Environment

Priority is given to projects that address underserved segments of the population and can be duplicated in other communities.

Alabama Board of Medical Scholarship Awards

The Alabama Board of Medical Scholarship Awards offers forgivable loans to students enrolled in an Alabama medical school who agree to practice primary care in a pre-approved medically, underserved community in Alabama upon graduation.

Loans are repaid at the rate of one year of service per year of loan.

Deadline: Applications accepted on ongoing basis.

Economic Development Fund

Land, facilities and infrastructure to benefit industry that will create jobs. Create minimum of 15 permanent jobs to benefit 51% low to moderate income beneficiaries. Continuous. Applications are taken throughout the year. Maximum request: \$250,000. Minimum Request: \$50,000. Note: Waiver of match available for applicants with 2010 Census population of 1,000 or less. May also waive the grant ceiling for projects that demonstrate significant long-term economic benefit to the State.

Contact: Community and Economic Development; Shabbir Olia, CED Programs Manager, 334.242.5462, shabbier.olia@adeca.alabama.gov

Economic Development Incubator projects

Units of local government. Applicants must maintain active registration with SAM. Program must benefit 51% low to moderate income beneficiaries. Project must commit to create jobs. Maximum request: \$250,000. Match request: 20%. Applications are taken throughout the year. Award upon approval and as funding is available. Application workshop held in April and compliance workshop held in the fall.

Contact: Community and Economic Development; Shabbir Olia, CED Programs Manager, 334.242.5462, shabbier.olia@adeca.alabama.gov

States' Economic Development Assistance Program (SEDAP)

Applicants: State and local units of governments, public bodies, and non-profit entities. Eligible counties in West Alabama: Bibb, Fayette, Hale, Lamar, Pickens, and Tuscaloosa.

Activities: Water and wastewater facilities, telecommunications, health care, planning activities, leadership development, education and training programs, business development, and entrepreneurship.

Requirements: Project must meet one of ARC's goals: increase job opportunities and per capita income, strengthen the capacity of people to compete in the global economy or develop and improve infrastructure to make the Region economically competitive. Construction projects funded by ARC must have an "Administering Agency" such as ADECA, USDA Rural Development or TVA. The project will be administered by and take on the requirements of that agency

Deadline: Pre-application due date in August. Applicant notified in late fall/winter if a full application is requested. Award announcements typically made in May.

Contact: Alabama Department of Economic and Community Affairs (ADECA), Jimmy Lester, ARC Program Manager (334) 353-4490, jimmy.lester@adeca.alabama.gov

Alabama Humanities Foundation Grants

Applicants are encouraged to develop projects for a wide variety of audiences including: library and museum patrons, teachers and scholars, youth, senior citizens, nursing home residents, hospital patients, the economically disadvantaged, the incarcerated, and the hearing and sight impaired.

Application submission deadlines:

- Major Grants (\$1,500 and up) – February 15, June 16, September 15
- Minor Grants (\$1,500 or less) – February 15, June 16, September 15

Bank of America Grant

The Bank of America (BoA) offers grants that support high-impact initiatives, organizations and the development of visionary leaders. Schools with farm-to-school type programs may be eligible under the funding areas:

- Developing Career Leadership and Skills: Opportunities that increase civic and community engagement, career exploration and youth employment, financial knowledge and life-skill and soft-skill development
- Assisting with Food Access: Food deserts, green/fresh food access, etc

BoA's Charitable Foundation provides philanthropic support to address needs vital to the health of communities through a focus on preserving neighborhoods, educating the workforce for 21st century jobs and addressing critical needs, such as hunger.

Deadline: Requests for proposals are issued three times per year.

Costco Wholesale Grants

Costco Wholesale grants support programs focusing on children, education and health and human services. They look to achieve the greatest impact where Costco's employees and members live and work. Only 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations, which meet their giving guidelines and focus areas, are considered.

Deadline: Applications are accepted throughout the year on a rolling basis.

Walmart Foundation National Giving Program Grants

Through its National Giving Program, the Walmart Foundation awards grants of \$250,000 and above to non-profit organizations that operate on a national scope through chapters/affiliates in many states around the country or through programs that operate regionally/locally but seek funding to replicate program activities nationally.

Areas of focus for the Foundation include:

- Hunger Relief & Healthy Eating
- Sustainability
- Women's Economic Empowerment
- Career Opportunity

Deadline: OPEN

William G. McGowan Charitable Fund Issues Request for Proposals for Projects That Address Homelessness

The fund will award grants in support of initiatives that seek to correct circumstances contributing to homelessness, as well as initiatives designed to help eradicate the condition of homelessness in the long term.

Deadline: OPEN

Section V (NEW) FELLOWSHIPS / INTERNSHIPS / SCHOLARSHIPS / FINANCIAL AID / AWARDS

June Scholarships

Lloyd M. Johnson, Jr. Scholarship

Sponsor: Minority Corporate Counsel Association

Amount: Up to \$10,000

Closing Date: – *extended to June 13, 2019*

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current law students attending an ABA-accredited U.S. law school for a full-time Juris Doctorate Program. Applicant must have at least a 3.2 GPA and must have an interest in corporate law.

Make Your Mark Scholarship

Sponsor: Hardwick & Pendergast, P.S.

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 13, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to high school seniors and current college students who have at least a 3.0 GPA. Applicant must be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident, or DACA status. Applicant must submit an essay on how they plan to make their mark.

Advancement of Women in Sports & Entertainment Scholarship

Sponsor: The Floyd Mayweather Jr. Foundation

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 14, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to female undergraduate or graduate students who are majoring in Public Relations, Communication, Media Studies, Marketing or Journalism. Applicant must be a legal resident of the United States and have a desire to work in the entertainment or sports industry.

Courage in Student Journalism Award

Sponsor: Student Press Law Center

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 14, 2019

Description: Award is open to student journalists who have shown determination, despite difficulty or resistance, in lawfully exercising their First Amendment press rights.

Financial Literacy Awareness Scholarship

Sponsor: LoanMart

Amount: \$2,000

Closing Date: June 14, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors who are citizens or permanent residents of the United States. While preference is given to students studying in technical and financial degree programs, the opportunity is open to anyone who can show the best way to reach out to their peers and community about financial literacy.

[John Weir Academic Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Ann Arbor Center for Independent Living

Amount: Up to \$500

Closing Date: June 14, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors who have a significant disability of any kind (physical, visual, development, cognitive, hearing, learning, emotional, or other). Applicant must live in Washtenaw, Livingston, or Monroe County, Michigan.

[Levin-Goffee Scholarship for LGBTQI Immigrants](#)

Sponsor: Stonewall Community Foundation

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: – *extended to June 14, 2019*

Description: Scholarship is open to lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans, queer, or intersex students who are enrolled at an accredited, nonprofit school in New York City. Applicant must not hold U.S. citizenship, a green card, or an F-1 visa.

[Railway Supply Institute Scholarship Program](#)

Sponsor: Railway Supply Institute

Amount: Up to \$5,000

Closing Date: June 14, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to children or dependents of current employees whose company is a member of the Railway Supply Institute. Applicant must currently be enrolled as a full-time student at an accredited post-secondary institution with at least sophomore status.

[Ricoh Scholarship Program](#)

Sponsor: UNCF | Ricoh

Amount: Up to \$2,500

Closing Date: June 14, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to U.S. citizens and permanent residents who are enrolled as a full-time college sophomore or junior at a Historically Black College/University (HBCU). Applicant must be majoring in or have an academic focus in one of the following disciplines: Computer Science, Computer Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Marketing, Finance, Accounting, information Technology, or Business Operations.

[SelectBlinds.com College Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: SelectBlinds

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 14, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current college students who are citizens or legal residents of the United States or students who have a valid student visa. Applicant must submit their innovative design ideas on how to create the perfect space.

[AIR Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Aviation Insurance Resources

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to student pilots and pilots to help further their training.

AmericanMuscle Automotive Scholarships

Sponsor: AmericanMuscle

Amount: \$2,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to high school seniors and current college students who are pursuing an automotive degree or related field of study.

AmericanTrucks Student Scholarships

Sponsor: AmericanTrucks

Amount: \$2,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and students currently enrolled full-time in an accredited United States technical institute, secondary votech or tuition bearing apprenticeship program in the traditional building trades (e.g. carpentry, HVAC, electrical or related fields of study).

ASF Translation Awards

Sponsor: American-Scandinavian Foundation

Amount: Up to \$2,500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Applicant must submit an outstanding English translation of poetry, fiction, drama or literary prose originally written in a Nordic language.

Billy Welu Bowling Scholarship

Sponsor: Professional Bowlers Association

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to amateur bowlers who are currently in college and maintain at least a 2.5 GPA.

Breakthrough Junior Challenge

Sponsor: Breakthrough Prize Foundation

Amount: Up to \$250,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Competition is open to students between the ages of 13 and 18 years of age. Applicant must explain a big scientific idea in fundamental physics, life sciences or mathematics with a short video (three minutes maximum).

CFA Institute 11 September Memorial Scholarship

Sponsor: CFA Institute

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students who were dependent children, spouses or domestic partners on September 11, 2001 of those persons who died or were permanently disabled as a direct result of the September 11th attacks. Applicant must be planning to enroll or already enrolled in part-time or full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college or university and studying finance, economics, accounting, or business ethics.

Chapman Albin Scholarship for Law Students

Sponsor: Chapman | Albin

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to law school students who are accepted to attend or are currently attending a law school in the U.S. Applicant must be a U.S. citizen and at least 18 years old. Applicant must submit an essay on a movie or novel where someone has a difficult moral choice to make.

Communication Contest for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (CCDHH)

Sponsor: Optimist International

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Contest is open to young people through grade 12 in the United States and Canada, to CEGEP in Quebec and grade 13 in the Caribbean, who are educated in the United States, Canada or the Caribbean. Applicant must be deaf or hard of hearing. Closing date is the national closing date. Applicant should contact local Optimist Club for specific date.

Consolidated Foodservice Scholarship

Sponsor: Consolidated Foodservice

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to high school seniors who plan to enroll in college at the start of next school year and students who are currently enrolled in a Culinary Arts or Hospitality Management program.

Entrepreneurial Scholarship

Sponsor: Simmrin Law Group

Amount: \$1,500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently enrolled in, or have been accepted by, an accredited university/college in the United States. Applicant must have a passion for pursuing their entrepreneurial dream. Applicant must submit an essay on one of three given prompts related to entrepreneurs.

ExtremeTerrain's Student Scholarship

Sponsor: ExtremeTerrain

Amount: \$3,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students who are/will be pursuing a degree in Environmental Studies, Environmental Research, Land Use, Earth & Atmosphere Studies, Sustainable Land Management, Parks and Recreation, or Sustainable Agriculture Systems during the fall term.

Feldco Windows, Siding and Doors Scholarship

Sponsor: Feldco Factory Direct

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and current college students who will be

enrolled in a college/university in 2019. Applicant must submit an essay on how their family contributed to who they are today.

[FormSwift Scholarship Program](#)

Sponsor: FormSwift

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and current college students. Applicant must create a business plan infographic for one of the given industries provided.

[Global Lift Equipment Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Global Lift Equipment

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently attending or planning on attending a post-secondary institution in Canada or the U.S. in the fall of 2019. Applicant must submit a short story of 2,000 words or less from the viewpoint of an inanimate object.

[Helen Gee Chin Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Helen Gee Chin Scholarship Foundation

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to U.S. citizens who plan to or are currently enrolled full-time as an undergraduate at an accredited U.S. four-year college or university for the entire academic year. Applicant must have studied one or more of the Chinese Martial Arts – Kung Fu, Wu Shu, or Tai Chi – for a minimum of five years.

[Horatio Alger National Career & Technical Scholarship Program](#)

Sponsor: Horatio Alger Association

Amount: Up to \$2,500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students who will be enrolled in an eligible program in Fall 2019. Applicant must be under the age of 30 and a U.S. citizen. Applicant must exhibit a strong commitment to pursue and complete a career or technical program at an accredited non-profit post-secondary institution in the United States.

[Huddle Against Hunger: Collect 1 Item for a Food Pantry](#)

Sponsor: DoSomething

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: You could win the scholarship by collecting healthy and non-perishable food items for kids in need. You'll ensure everyone can have at least one proper meal. Share a picture of you donating food and you'll be entered to win the scholarship.

[May E. Tisdale Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Order of United Commercial Travelers of America (UCT)

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current college students who are members or children or grandchildren of The Order of United Commercial Travelers of America.

Narrative Prize

Sponsor: Narrative

Amount: \$4,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Contest is open to anyone with a talent for writing. Contestant can submit a short story, novel excerpt, poem, one-act play, graphic story, or work of literary nonfiction.

National Presbyterian College Scholarship

Sponsor: Presbyterian Mission Agency

Amount: Up to \$2,500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and current college students who are Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) members entering college in fall 2019 at a Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) related college or university.

Native American Scholarship

Sponsor: Continental Society Daughters of Indian Wars

Amount: \$5,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to tribal members who are accepted in, or already attend, an accredited college or university. Applicant must plan to work with a tribe or nation in the field of Education or Social Service.

Pretty Lightroom Presets Scholarship Program

Sponsor: Pretty Presets For Lightroom

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to high school seniors, students transferring from high school to college, and current college students in the United States and Canada. Applicant must submit an essay and photos on topic related to Adobe Lightroom.

Scholarships4mom.net Scholarship

Sponsor: Scholarships4Moms.net

Amount: \$10,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to legal U.S. residents who are at least 18 years of age and currently enrolled, or will be enrolled within the next three months, in a college or university in the United States. Applicant must be a mother or an expectant mother.

Stop-Painting.com Scholarship

Sponsor: Stop-Painting.com

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to all students currently enrolled at an accredited college, university, or related program. Applicant must submit a completed application and an essay on a given topic related to organization.

Swope, Rodante P.A. Scholarship for Philanthropic Efforts

Sponsor: Swope, Rodante P.A.

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students in good standing with a GPA of 3.0 or higher who are seeking an undergraduate or advanced degree at an accredited institution of higher education within the United States.

Applicant must submit an essay on how their field of study will positively impact the lives of people with a disability and a personal statement on how and why they choose to give back to the community.

TechChecks Business Leadership Scholarship

Sponsor: TechChecks

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming students for Fall 2019 who will be working towards their MBA or any other field that emphasizes business or marketing. Preference will be given to applicants who are female, have a disability, or belong to a minority group.

Think Einstein HR Knowledge Scholarship

Sponsor: Einstein HR

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently enrolled at an accredited college or university with at least a 3.0 GPA. Applicant must submit an essay on why they deserve to be awarded the scholarship.

Towel Supercenter College Scholarship

Sponsor: Towel Supercenter

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students who will be enrolling as a freshman for the first time in the Fall 2019 semester. Applicant must submit a personal essay on one of five given prompts.

Van Nattan-Hansen Scholarship Program

Sponsor: Denver Astronomical Society

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and current undergraduate students who are or will be majoring in astronomy or the physical sciences.

Varsity Tutors College Scholarship Contest

Sponsor: Varsity Tutors

Amount: \$200

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to legal residents of the 50 United States and the District of Columbia who are 16 years of age or older. Applicant must submit an essay on a lesson they've learned from their favorite teacher.

Veterans & Military Family Scholarship

Sponsor: George Sink, P.A. Injury Lawyers

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to accepted or currently enrolled college students who are currently serving in the military, honorably discharged, or have an active duty or retired military spouse or parent.

Women Forward in Technology Scholarship Program

Sponsor: Distil Networks

Amount: \$3,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current undergraduate and graduate students who are enrolled full-time at an accredited university in the U.S. in a Science, Technology, Engineering or Math (STEM) field. Applicant must submit an essay on what female leader in the technology industry inspires them and why.

Women in Cybersecurity Scholarship

Sponsor: Morphisec

Amount: Up to \$5,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to female undergraduate students currently studying for degrees in Cybersecurity, Information Assurance, Information Security, Information Systems Security, or other cybersecurity-related STEM disciplines.

Women in Public Finance Scholarship

Sponsor: Women in Public Finance (WPF)

Amount: At least \$1,000

Closing Date: June 15, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to female high school students entering their senior year of high school in the fall of 2019. Applicant must have an interest in pursuing a public finance related career in finance, government, nonprofits, or law.

TMCF | Walmart Foundation First -Generation Scholars Mentorship

Sponsor: TMCF | Walmart Foundation

Amount: \$250 per semester

Closing Date: June 16, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to first-generation college students who are graduating seniors/incoming college freshmen. Applicant must be accepted to and prepared to attend one of the TMCF's 47 member schools.

Golden Key Scholarships and Awards

Sponsor: Golden Key International Honour Society

Amount: Up to \$5,000

Closing Date: June 17, 2019

Description: Awards are open to Golden Key members who are current undergraduate or graduate students, or

graduates and alumni. In addition to the general scholarships, there is a specific scholarship for students who will be studying abroad.

Ocean Awareness Student Contest

Sponsor: From the Bow Seat

Amount: Up to \$1,500

Closing Date: June 17, 2019

Description: Contest is open to middle and high school students from around the world between the ages of 11 and 18 years of age. Applicant must focus on this year theme of “Presence of Future” and submit a piece of art, poetry, prose, film or music on this year’s theme. In addition to the general contest, there is a hometown award open to students from Boston, Massachusetts.

Osage Nation Higher Education Scholarships

Sponsor: The Osage Nation

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: June 17, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to legally enrolled members of the Osage nation interested in pursuing post-secondary education at the associate level or beyond.

Husband and Wife Law Team Scholarship

Sponsor: Breyer Law Offices PC

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 18, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and current college students who are U.S. Citizens, permanent residents, or DACA recipients. Applicant must submit an essay on how they intend to use what they learn in college, no matter what field they end of working in.

WIA Foundation Scholarship

Sponsor: Women in Aerospace Foundation

Amount: \$2,000

Closing Date: June 18, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to female students of any citizenship or nationality who are rising college juniors or seniors and have an interest in a career in the aerospace field and pursuing a higher education degree in engineering, math, or science.

BigSun Scholarship... 2019

Sponsor: BigSun Athletics

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 19, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to all student athletes who are high school seniors or current college students. Applicant must submit an essay on how their high school sports participation influenced them.

\$1,000 June Scholarship

Sponsor: Niche

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 20, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to high school, college, and graduate students and those planning to enroll within 12 months. Applicant must be a legal resident of the United States or an international student with a valid visa. Applicant must log in to Niche or create a free account to apply for the scholarship.

[AWAF Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Automotive Women's Alliance Foundation (AWAF)

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: June 20, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to female, North American citizens, with a passion for a career or advancement in the automotive industry or a related industry. Applicant must be accepted to or enrolled in an accredited collegiate program with at least a 3.0 GPA.

[Diabetes Council Scholarship Program](#)

Sponsor: The Diabetes Council

Amount: Up to \$1,000

Closing Date: June 20, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to current and prospective college students who have Diabetes (Type 1 or Type 2). Applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA. Scroll to the bottom of the page for scholarship information and application.

[Innovation in Education Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: LaTutors

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 20, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently enrolled in high school or college within the United States with at least 3.0 GPA. Applicant must be a citizen of, permanent resident, or hold a valid student visa in the United States or Canada. Applicant must have designed an innovative project that makes a difference in the lives of others and submit an essay describing the goal of the particular project and provide supporting documentation.

[Jim Dodson Law Scholarship for Brain Injury Victims & Their Caregivers](#)

Sponsor: Jim Dodson Law

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 20, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to brain injury victims and their caregivers who are incoming or currently enrolled in a four-year college with at least a 2.75 GPA.

[MYFA Scholarships](#)

Sponsor: Metro Youth Football Association

Amount: Up to \$1,500

Closing Date: June 20, 2019

Description: Scholarships are open to high school juniors who are current or former Metro Youth Tackle Football (MYTF) participants. Applicant must be a current high school football player who has a GPA of 2.5 or higher and have plans to pursue post-secondary education.

Freedom of Religion Foundation Catherine Fahringer Memorial Award

Sponsor: Black Skeptics Los Angeles | Freedom From Religion Foundation

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 21, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors who live in the U.S. , who identify as atheist, agnostic, humanist and/or secular, and are accepted into a two or four-year college. Preference is given to students of color (Black/African American, Latino(a), Asian/Pacific Islander, Native American). Students who are (or have been) in foster care, homeless, undocumented and/or LGBTQ are encouraged to apply.

Northern Ohio Scholars Scholarship

Sponsor: UNCF Northern Ohio Inter-Alumni Council

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: June 21, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and HBCU-enrolled freshmen, sophomores, juniors, and seniors who are permanent residents of northern Ohio with at least a 2.5 GPA.

National Potato Council Scholarship

Sponsor: National Potato Council

Amount: \$10,000

Closing Date: June 21, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduate students working to improve the future of the U.S. potato industry.

Providian Medical Scholarship

Sponsor: Providian Medical Equipment

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 21, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students 16 years of age and older who are graduating high school seniors and current college students in the United States with at least a 3.0 GPA. Applicant must submit an essay on how medical equipment technology has changed the face of a college course and curriculum.

Chief Manuelito Scholarship for High School Students

Sponsor: Office of Navajo Nation Scholarship and Financial Assistance (ONNSFA)

Amount: \$7,000

Closing Date: June 25, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to high achieving high school graduates and undergraduate Navajo students. Students seeking an Associates of Applied Science (AAS) or Certificate are ineligible.

Traub-Dicker Rainbow Scholarship

Sponsor: Stonewall Community Foundation

Amount: Up to \$3,000

Closing Date: June 26, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to LGBTQ graduating high school seniors and current undergraduate and graduate students who are women-identified students. Applicant must demonstrate a commitment to impacting LGBTQ issues.

Glow-Up, Grow Up Scholarship Slam

Sponsor: Power Poetry

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 27, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to current and former high school students who are under the age of 25. Applicant must submit an original poem on, an experience that made them realize they weren't a kid anymore.

Akash Kuruvilla Memorial Scholarship

Sponsor: Akash Kuruvilla Memorial Scholarship Fund

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 28, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to full-time undergraduate students. Applicant must submit an essay on a given topic related to "The American Dream."

All Majors Scholarship

Sponsor: MyBioSource Inc.

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 28, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors, and current undergraduate and graduate students at an accredited college or university for the Fall 2019 semester. Applicant must submit an application and short essay on why they chose their major.

Bryon Riesch Paralysis Foundation Scholarship

Sponsor: Bryon Riesch Paralysis Foundation

Amount: Up to \$4,000

Closing Date: June 28, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and current college students who have neurological disabilities or are the child of a person with a neurological disability. Priority will be given to direct spinal cord injuries and diseases resulting in paralysis such as spinal tumors, strokes or aneurysms affecting the spinal cord, or spina bifida.

Dear Abby College Columnist Scholarship Contest

Sponsor: National Society of Newspaper Columnists

Amount: \$5,000

Closing Date: June 28, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to undergraduate students (including seniors) writing bylined general interest, editorial or specialized (humor, sports, business, art, culture, etc.) columns appearing in print or online editions of college newspapers.

Navigate Your Future Scholarship

Sponsor: National Air Transportation Association (NATA)

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 28, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors planning a career in the general aviation field and enrolled or accepted into an aviation-related program at an accredited college or university.

Pepsico Foundation-UNCF Bronx Women's Initiative

Sponsor: Pepsico Foundation – UNCF

Amount: Up to \$5,000

Closing Date: June 28, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to female high school seniors and current undergraduate students from the Bronx who have at least a 2.75 GPA. Applicant must have a demonstrated, unmet financial need and be actively involved in community service.

Quality Formations Scholarship

Sponsor: Quality Formations

Amount: \$1,250

Closing Date: June 28, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to current and incoming full-time undergraduate and postgraduate students at accredited learning institutions in the United Kingdom or the United States. Applicant must submit an essay on a business proposal.

R.W. Bob Holden Memorial Scholarship

Sponsor: Hawaii Lodging & Tourism

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 28, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to residents of Hawaii who are enrolled full-time at an accredited university/college in the United States and majoring in hotel/lodging management and have at least a 3.0 GPA.

SDL365 Achievers Scholarship

Sponsor: Same Day Loans

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 28, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students who are enrolled full-time in high school or at least part-time in college, graduate, professional, or trade school. Applicant must be a U.S. citizen and have at least a 2.8 GPA. Applicant must submit an essay or infographic on improving life or debt-free living versus getting a degree.

S.T.E.M. Majors Scholarship

Sponsor: MyBioSource Inc.

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 28, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students enrolled as a freshman, undergraduate or graduate student at an accredited college or university for the 2019 Fall semester and intending on majoring in Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics or a related field.

Strada Education Network Scholarship

Sponsor: UNCF

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 28, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students enrolled full-time at any UNCF member college or university, other HBCUs, or an accredited four-year institution in the state of Indiana.

Dolman Law Group Video Essay Contest

Sponsor: Dolman Law Group

Amount: \$1,100

Closing Date: June 29, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently attending or planning to attend a college or university during the 2019-2020 academic year. Applicant must create a two-minute video essay discussing dockless bike and scooter companies.

10 Words or Less Scholarship

Sponsor: StudentScholarships.org

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to anyone between the ages of 14-25 years of age who will be attending school in the Fall of 2019. Applicant must visit the StudentScholarships.org Facebook page and share their 10 words or less on why they deserve the scholarship.

\$1,000 No Essay Scholarship

Sponsor: Get Schooled

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to residents of the United States and the District of Columbia who are at least 17 years of age and no more than 24 years of age and currently attending an accredited post-secondary institution in the United States or plan on attending in the fall of 2019. Applicant must log into their get schooled account (free) and complete at least one piece of content each month.

\$2,000 “No Essay” College Scholarship

Sponsor: Niche

Amount: \$2,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to high school, college, and graduate students and those planning to enroll within 12 months. Applicant must be a legal resident of the United States or an international student with a valid visa. Applicant must log in to Niche or create a free account to apply for the scholarship.

A Voice For Cats Essay Contest Scholarship

Sponsor: All About Cats

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to current college students who are cat lovers. Applicant must submit an essay on any topic related to cats.

AAUS Student Scholarships

Sponsor: American Academy of Underwater Sciences (AAUS)

Amount: Up to \$3,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to current graduate students who are members of AAUS.

ABA Therapy Scholarship

Sponsor: Action Behavior Centers

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to U.S. citizens and permanent residents enrolled in or planning to enroll in an accredited college or university full-time in 2019. Applicant must be studying in a field that will benefit the research or clinical therapy for Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD).

Addiction Recovery Scholarship

Sponsor: The Watershed Addiction Treatment Programs

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to accepted and enrolled college students who are in recovery from drug addiction and/or alcoholism.

Addiction Science Scholarship

Sponsor: The Watershed Addiction Treatment Programs

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to accepted and enrolled college students who are pursuing a degree and/or career in the field of Addiction Sciences (addiction studies, mental health, neurochemistry, etc.)

AEL Collegiate Essay Contest

Sponsor: Americanism Educational Leaders and Pepperdine University Libraries

Amount: Up to \$2,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to current undergraduate college students who are U.S. citizens. Applicant must submit an essay on a given topic related to what they consider the most influential invention in the history of the United States.

AfterCollege STEM Inclusion Scholarship

Sponsor: AfterCollege

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to currently enrolled students working towards a degree in a field of Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics from a group underrepresented in their field of study.

Underrepresented groups may be defined by gender, race, ethnic background, disability, sexual orientation, age, socio-economic status, nationality, and other non-visible differences.

AfterCollege Succurro Scholarship

Sponsor: AfterCollege

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to currently enrolled students in an accredited program, working towards a degree with at least a 2.5 GPA. Applicant must create a profile on the AfterCollege website.

AfterCollege/AACN Scholarship

Sponsor: AfterCollege

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students who are seeking a baccalaureate, master's or doctoral degree in nursing.

AlgaeCal Health Scholarships

Sponsor: AlgaeCal

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently attending a post-secondary institution in the United States or Canada with at least a 3.0 GPA. Applicant must submit an essay on a given topic related to health and well-being.

Andrew Flusche Scholarship Contest

Sponsor: Andrew Flusche, PLC

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and current college students. Applicant must also be a citizen or lawful resident of the United States. Applicant must create a public service advertisement video (PSA) about avoiding distracted driving (e.g. cell phones, passengers, radio, etc).

AT&T Veterans Scholarships

Sponsor: AT&T Veterans

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current college students who are military veterans.

Automotive Hall of Fame Scholarships

Sponsor: Automotive Hall of Fame, Inc.

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming college freshmen and upper-level undergraduate students. Applicants must have at least a 3.0 GPA and have a sincere interest in an automotive career.

AWG Minority Scholarship

Sponsor: Association for Women Geoscientists

Amount: Up to \$2,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to minority female students who are enrolled full-time in a geosciences program who is African-American, Hispanic, or Native American.

Babe Ruth League Scholarship

Sponsor: Babe Ruth League Inc.

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to high school seniors and current college students. Applicant must have participated in a Cal Ripken Baseball, Babe Ruth Baseball or Babe Ruth Softball League anytime during the ages of 4-18.

[Beauty School Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Keller International Salon, Berber, and Spa Equipment

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students enrolled in an accredited cosmetology program.

[Because College is Expensive Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Cedar Education Lending

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to high school juniors and seniors, adults looking to head back to school, current college students, and anyone else looking to attend college or graduate student. Applicant must fill out a short form.

[Business Student Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: AfterCollege

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently working towards a degree in a field of business such as Accounting, Advertising, Business Administration, Economics, Finance, Human Resources, International Relations, Management, Political Science, Public Relations, etc. Applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA.

[Cappex Easy College Money Scholarship*](#)

Sponsor: Cappex

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to high school and college students in the United States who are/will be enrolled in college within the next 12 months. Applicant must create a Cappex profile (if they don't have one already), share about their extracurricular, leadership, and volunteer activities, and then search Cappex for scholarships.

[Celebrate Pride! Share Tips on How to Show Support to LGBTQ+ Community!](#)

Sponsor: DoSomething

Amount: \$2,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Around one-third of LGBTQ+ students have skipped school over safety concerns related to bullying or harassment, but you can help fix this! Share tips on how to show support to the LGBTQ+ community *and* you'll enter to win a \$2,000 scholarship!

[Chaffin Luhana Anti-Distracted Driving Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Chaffin Luhana LLP

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and current undergraduate students under the age of 25. Applicant must submit an essay on a given topic related to distracted driving.

[Cloud Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Evolve IP

Amount: Up to \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current college students who have financial need. Applicant must submit a completed application and an essay on a given topic related to technology.

[Community College Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: SR Education Group

Amount: \$5,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students enrolled at a public community college, junior college, technical college, or city college, and working towards a certificate, diploma, or degree.

[Community Superhero Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: D. Miller & Associates, PLLC

Amount: \$1,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students enrolled in or accepted to an accredited college or university. Applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA and demonstrable history of community service and volunteerism. Applicant must submit an essay on the topic, "How are you a superhero in your community?"

[Community Volunteer Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: DealHack

Amount: \$1,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students enrolled full-time at a college or university in the USA or Canada for the 2019-2020 academic year who exemplify outstanding community volunteer involvement.

[Courage to Grow Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Courage To Grow

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to juniors and seniors in high school and college students with a minimum GPA of 2.5. Applicant must explain in 250 words or less why they believe they should be awarded the scholarship.

[CPAP-Supply.com Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: CPAP-Supply.com

Amount: \$1,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students enrolled full-time at a college or university located in the United States. Applicant must submit an essay on one of two given topics related to running an online business or choosing a career path.

Delete Cyberbullying Scholarship Award

Sponsor: Delete Cyberbullying

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to U.S. citizens and permanent residents who are attending or planning to attend an accredited U.S. college or university for undergraduate or graduate studies. Applicant must submit an essay on a given topic related to cyberbullying.

Digital Privacy Scholarship

Sponsor: Digital Responsibility

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to current high school, college, and graduate school students. Home school students are also eligible. Applicant must complete a short form and finish the following statement in 140-characters or less: "I'm taking responsibility for my digital profile by..."

Discover Student Loans Scholarship

Sponsor: Discover Financial Services

Amount: \$5,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to high school seniors and undergraduate students who are 16 years of age or older. Applicant must sign up to receive helpful tips on planning and paying for college and they will be automatically entered into the sweepstakes.

Do-Over Scholarship

Sponsor: Unigo

Amount: \$1,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students 13 years of age or older who are legal residents of the 50 United States or the District of Columbia and are currently enrolled (or will enroll no later than the fall of 2025) in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education. Applicant must share what they would do "if they could turn back time."

EDvestinU Quarterly Scholarship Giveaway

Sponsor: EDvestinU

Amount: \$1,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to legal residents of the United States and foreign students with a valid student visa who are or will be enrolled at any Title IV eligible college or university by September 30, 2019. Two winners will be selected – a national winner and a student who is from or attending college in New Hampshire.

[Ellis Injury Law Disability Scholarship Award](#)

Sponsor: Ellis Law Corporation

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current undergraduate and graduate degree students who have a short or long term disability caused by an accident. Applicant must submit an essay on how they struggled with the disability and overcame it or found a way to successfully cope with it.

[Engineering & Technology Student Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: AfterCollege

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently working towards a degree in a field of engineering, technology and/or mathematics. This can also include Computer Science and Cybersecurity. Applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA.

[Express Medical Supply Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Express Medical Supply, Inc.

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students enrolled at an accredited two or four-year college in the United States. Applicant must share a picture of "How your education will help you positively impact the world."

[FACT Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Federation of American Consumers and Travelers (FACT)

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and incoming and current college students. Scholarship is only open to FACT members and their immediate family members.

[Future Counselors of America Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: DatingAdvice.com

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to undergraduate and graduate students majoring in psychology who are seeking a career in relationship counseling or a related field.

[Golden Eagle Coins Scholarship Program](#)

Sponsor: Golden Eagle Coins

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently enrolled in high school or college within the United States with at least 3.0 GPA. Applicant must be a citizen of, permanent resident, or hold a valid student visa in the United States or Canada. Applicant must have designed an innovative project that makes a difference in the lives of others and submit an essay describing the goal of the particular project and provide supporting documentation.

Graduate Scholarship

Sponsor: SR Education Group

Amount: \$5,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduate students enrolled at a private or public educational institution, and working towards a certificate, diploma, or degree.

Health Care Scholarship

Sponsor: The Watershed Addiction Treatment Programs

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to accepted and enrolled college students who are seeking a degree and/or career in the Health Care field (nursing, pre-med, nutrition, therapy, psychology, social work, health science, radiology, phlebotomy, surgery, pediatric, etc.)

Heart Disease Scholarship

Sponsor: Berger and Green

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students enrolled in or accepted to an accredited college or university in the U.S. who has been diagnosed with heart disease or a congenital heart defect.

Heavy Metal Giveaway

Sponsor: truth | Fastweb

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Contest is open to registered Fastweb members (free to sign-up) who are legal residents of the 50 United States or the District of Columbia who are between the ages of 15 and 24 years of age. Applicant must answer a question related to e-cig pods. Truth (the sponsor) wants to be the generation that ends smoking for good and cleans up the environment doing it.

Huntington's College Scholarship Sweepstakes

Sponsor: Huntington Learning Center

Amount: \$4,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Sweepstakes is open to high school students and their parents or guardians who are legal residents of the United States.

Hylan Family Scholarship

Sponsor: Hyland Dental Care

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and current college students who will be enrolled for the fall 2019 term. Applicant must submit an essay on an experience from their life and explain how it has influenced their educational and personal development.

IEEE PES Scholarship

Sponsor: IEEE Power & Energy Society

Amount: Up to \$3,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current engineering students working towards a bachelor's degree. Applicant must be considering a career in electric power and energy engineering.

Illustrators of the Future Contest

Sponsor: L. Ron Hubbard Library

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Contest is open to new and amateur artists who have not been professionally published and paid for more than three black-and-white story illustrations, or more than one process-color painting, in media distributed broadly to the general public.

ILMA Foundation Scholarship Program

Sponsor: Independent Lubricant Manufacturers Association (ILMA)

Amount: Up to \$3,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current college students who will be enrolled full-time during the 2019-2020 academic year. Preference will be given to students majoring in Math, Science, and Engineering. Applicant must submit an essay on why they should receive the scholarship.

Inverters R Us Power Scholarship

Sponsor: Inverters R Us

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to U.S. citizens and permanent residents with at least a 3.0 GPA who are enrolled or planning to enroll in an accredited college or university for Fall 2019. Applicant must submit a short essay on a topic related to power inverters.

KAS Scholarships

Sponsor: ..

Amount: Up to \$5,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to Korean students who will be a full-time student and classified as a high school sophomore, junior or senior, undergraduate, or graduate student. Applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA and demonstrate financial need.

Key Thinkers Scholarship

Sponsor: MoneyKey

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents who are enrolled as a full-time student at an accredited college, university, or trade school in the United States. Applicant must submit an essay on a given topic related to financial responsibility.

Life Parts Express Scholarship

Sponsor: Lift Parts Express

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students between the ages of 16 and 21 who will be attending school in the fall of 2019. Applicant must submit an essay on how they expect to pay for college.

LogoMaker Scholarship Program

Sponsor: LogoMaker

Amount: \$1,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to undergraduate students in the United States. Applicant must have completed one year of coursework in one or more of the following: Graphic Design, Product Design, Branding, and/or Marketing. Applicant must create three original logo designs for three given industries.

Maine Osteopathic Association Scholarship Program

Sponsor: Maine Osteopathic Association

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to residents of Maine who are able to present proof of enrollment at an approved osteopathic college.

Mays Mission for the Handicapped Scholarship

Sponsor: Mays Mission for the Handicapped

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students who have a documented significant physical and/or mental disability.

Military Scholarships

Sponsor: SR Education Group

Amount: \$5,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to veterans and active members of the U.S. military who are enrolled at a private or public educational institution, and working towards a certificate, diploma, or degree.

Momeni Foundation Financial Assistance Scholarship

Sponsor: Momeni Foundation

Amount: Up to \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and current undergraduate and graduate students of Iranian descent regardless of citizenship or country of residency.

Momeni Foundation Scholastic Achievement Scholarship

Sponsor: Momeni Foundation

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors who are of Iranian descent. Applicant must be a citizen or permanent resident of the United States and have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.5.

Most Promising Logo Design Scholar

Sponsor: FreeLogoServices.com

Amount: \$1,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to current college students in graphic or product design, or branding or marketing. Applicant must submit one original logo for each of the following three industries: automotive, construction, and beauty & massage.

National CPR Foundation Healthcare and Education Scholarship Program

Sponsor: National CPR Foundation

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current college students who are at least 18 years of age and have a minimum GPA of 2.8. Applicant must be currently or planning to be enrolled in school majoring in a healthcare or education-related field.

Nitro College Scholarship

Sponsor: Nitro

Amount: \$2,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to legal residents of the United States and the District of Columbia who are enrolled in an accredited college or university located in the United States at the time of awarding the prize. Applicant must complete a scholarship survey, and answer three short-answer questions.

No Sweat Scholarship

Sponsor: Cirkled In

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students 13 years of age or older who are legal residents of the United States or the District of Columbia. Applicant must create a free Circkled in account.

OppU Achievers Scholarship

Sponsor: OppLoans

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to U.S. citizens who are graduating high school seniors or current undergraduate students with at least a 3.0 GPA. Applicant must submit an essay on why they are an achiever.

Pediatric Nursing Student Scholarship

Sponsor: Children's National Health | AfterCollege

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently working towards their BSN and have an interest in pediatrics. Applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA.

Poetry Card Contest

Sponsor: Blue Mountain Arts

Amount: Up to \$350

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Contestant must submit an original poem.

Ray Snader Scholarship

Sponsor: Law Office of Howard A. Snader, L.L.C.

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors and current college students who live in a single parent home as a result of one parent currently being held in custody, or because one of a parent's former incarceration.

Recovery Village Health Care Scholarship

Sponsor: The Recovery Village

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to U.S. citizens and permanent residents who are enrolled or accepted in an accredited college or university and plan to continue enrollment. Applicant must submit an essay on why they are passionate about healthcare, particularly substance use disorder and mental health treatment.

Sallie Mae Monthly Sweepstakes

Sponsor: SallieMae

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Sweepstakes is open to legal residents of the 50 United States and the District of Columbia who are of the age of majority in the jurisdiction in which they reside and who are students, parents, guidance counselors, or financial aid officers at the time of entry. Applicant must complete an online registration form.

SAPA Scholarship and Excellence in Education Program

Sponsor: Sino-American Pharmaceutical Professionals Association

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors who are planning to attend a full-time undergraduate program at an accredited four-year college/university with a major related to the life sciences. Applicant must have at least a 3.3 GPA.

Scholarship Poetry Contest

Sponsor: Live Poets Society of New Jersey

Amount: Up to \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to all U.S. high school students. Applicant must submit an original poem with 20 lines or less.

School Survey Sweepstakes

Sponsor: Niche

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Sweepstakes is open to current high school students, high school alumni who graduated within the last four years, and the parents of those students or alumni. Individual must take a survey on a United States high school.

Science Student Scholarship

Sponsor: AfterCollege

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently working towards a degree in one of the many fields of science. Applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA.

Sleeping Angels Co. Scholarship Program

Sponsor: Sleeping Angels

Amount: \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students currently enrolled as a college/university student within the United States who are American citizens, permanent residents, or hold a valid student visa. Applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA. Student must submit an essay describing the evolution of the nanny in the 21st century.

SpinLife.com Innovation in Motion Scholarship Program

Sponsor: SpinLife.com

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to manual or power wheelchair users who are at least 17 years old and enrolled at an accredited four-year educational institution at the undergraduate level. Applicant must be a legal resident of the U.S. or possess a valid student visa and have at least a 3.0 GPA.

Supporting STEM Scholarship

Sponsor: HoshizakiIceMaker.com

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming and current college students who have at least a 3.0 GPA and is/will be majoring in a science, technology, engineering, or math (STEM) field of study.

Take Back the Prom: Outfits Donation

Sponsor: DoSomething

Amount: \$2,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: The average student spends over \$1,100 on prom, with one major expense being the outfit. Donate

your gently-used prom clothes to a local organization to ensure students from low-income households can have an outfit on prom night. Or, you can even run a drive in your school and/or community to collect these items to be part of the nation's largest youth-led prom clothing drive.

[Take Back the Prom: Submit a Petition or Share your Story](#)

Sponsor: DoSomething

Amount: \$2,500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Prom is supposed to be an experience every student can celebrate and cherish. But this year, thousands will face discrimination on the basis of race, sexual orientation, gender identity, body type, ability, income, or even clothing. Submit a petition signature demanding change from schools that still have discriminatory prom policies or share your own story of discrimination at a prom.

[Tatiana McIntosh Memorial Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: Tati, Inc.

Amount: Up to \$500

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to incoming college freshman and sophomores who are enrolled on a full-time basis in a Bachelor's degree program. Applicant must demonstrate financial need.

[The \\$1,000 SuperCollege Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: SuperCollege.com

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to current high school seniors, college students, graduate school students and returning adult students who will enroll in a college or university. Applicant must fill out a short form.

[Travel Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: VolunteerForever

Amount: Up to \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students in the US, UK, EU, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand who are volunteering, studying, interning, teaching, or working abroad.

[TravelNursing.org Nursing Education Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: TravelNursing.org

Amount: \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to students who are accepted to or currently attending a full-time nursing or medical program at an accredited institution.

[Undergraduate Scholarship](#)

Sponsor: SR Education Group

Amount: \$5,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Scholarship is open to undergraduate students enrolled at a private or public educational institution, and working towards a certificate, diploma, or degree.

Writers of the Future Contest

Sponsor: L. Ron Hubbard Library

Amount: Up to \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Contest is open only to those who have not professional published a novel or short novel, or more than one novelette, or more than three short stories, in any medium.

Writer's Square Essay Contest

Sponsor: Hakka Foundation

Amount: Up to \$1,000

Closing Date: June 30, 2019

Description: Contest is open to students in 1st grade through graduate school. Applicant must submit an essay on the theme of "Fairness."

Scholarship Resources

- [HBCU Scholarship Directory](#)
- [Alabama's Scholarship and Grant Programs](#)
- [Alabama Scholarships](#)
- [Nerd Wallet](#)
- [Scholarships due in June 2019](#)
- [Fast Web](#)
- [Scholarship Experts](#)

Financial Aid

[FAFSA \(Free Application for Federal Student Aid\)](#)

[Federal Aid Website](#)

Fellowship Search

National Endowment for the Humanities

Fellowships support individuals pursuing advanced research that is of value to humanities scholars, general audiences, or both. Recipients usually produce articles, monographs, books, digital materials, archaeological site reports, translations, editions, or other scholarly resources in the humanities. Projects may be at any stage of development.

Section VI RESOURCES

THE UPDATED GRANT AND LOAN GUIDE FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENTS IN WEST ALABAMA IS AVAILABLE ONLINE NOW!

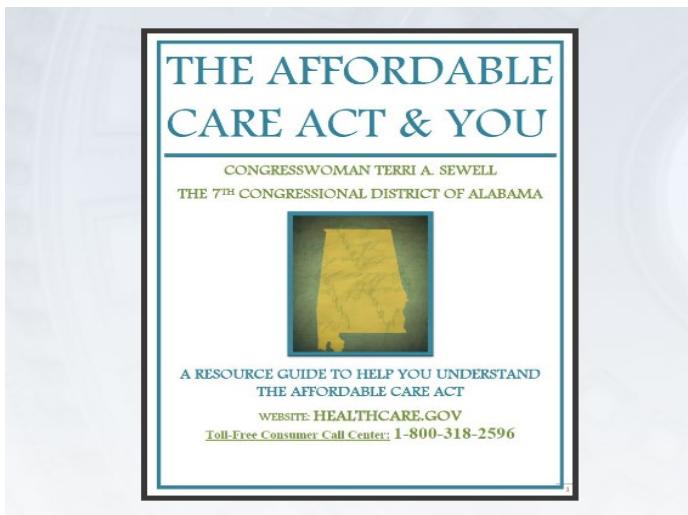
The guide is a quick reference to a variety of commonly used programs giving you the most important details you need to get started.

Find the Guide at <http://warc.info/planning-a-development/documents>. Scroll down to REGIONAL INFORMATION DOCUMENTS.

The guide is a free web-based resource designed to provide counties and municipalities in the West Alabama region with information about available grant and loan programs for community and economic development activities.

The guide provides program details on major Federal and State programs including agency contacts; award cycles; grant ceilings; matching requirements; and eligibility factors.

Healthcare



Website: <https://sewell.house.gov/aca-you>

Enroll now in a plan that covers essential benefits, pre-existing conditions, and more. Plus, see if you qualify for lower costs.

<https://www.healthcare.gov/>

Alabama

Health Insurance Marketplace - [HealthCare.Gov](#) is the Health Insurance Marketplace for Alabama. Consumers can apply as early as October 1, 2013. Visit [HealthCare.Gov](#) to learn more.

Find out where the uninsured live in Alabama: [Enroll America's Outreach Maps](#)

The new Alabama Health Insurance Marketplace is operated by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). Visit [marketplace.cms.gov](#) to see how you can partner with HHS to help people enroll in the new coverage options in Alabama.

See more at: <http://www.enrollamerica.org/states/alabama#sthash.uT0mDsbB.dpu>

Alabama Additional Funding Sources

Community Foundations in Alabama

There are 13 community foundations in Alabama, covering 78 percent of the counties in the state and holding assets that total more than \$190 million.

Daniel Foundation

The Daniel Foundation offers grants in four program areas: Civic and Community Improvement, Education, Health, and Arts and Culture. Applications are limited to 501 (c)(3) organization that are located in Alabama.

Alabama Power Foundation

The Alabama Power Foundation allocates funding in four categories: Improving Education, Strengthening Communities, Promoting Arts and Culture, and Restoring and Enhancing the Environment.

Alabama Humanities Foundation

The AHF awards grants solely to support public humanities projects. Active public participation, involvement of humanities scholars, and strong humanities content are the three essential components of AHF-funded projects.

Gwyn Turner Endowed Fund

The fund is administered by the National Trust for Historic Preservation, in partnership with Alabama Trust for Historic Preservation. Nonprofits and governmental agencies can obtain funding for preservation planning, heritage education, workshops, conferences and special interventions. Grants range from \$1,000 to \$5,000 and require a 1:1 cash match.

Applicants are encouraged to discuss their project with the National Trust Southern Office before submitting an application. Contact the Southern Office at 843.722.8552, or e-mail soro@nthp.org.

Sybil H. Smith Trust

Established in 1983, this trust funds organizations in the First Congressional District only. Awards limited to arts, community development, education, and human services. No awards are given for individuals. For more information, call: 251.432.0208.

Alabama State Council on the Arts

Grants awarded to nonprofit organizations and local governments in the following categories: Presenting Grants, Project Assistance, Operating Support, Technical Assistance, Collaborative Ventures, and Program Development.

Historic Chattahoochee Commission

The Historic Chattahoochee Commission (HCC) promotes tourism and historic preservation in the Chattahoochee Trace, an 18-county region in Alabama and Georgia. The HCC supports preservation through two grant programs: Seed Grant and the Threatened Landmarks Program.

Veterans

FACT SHEET: Veterans Employment Center

The online Veterans Employment Center is the single federal source for Veterans looking for new career opportunities in the private and public sectors, as well as Service Members transitioning to the civilian workforce, military and Veteran spouses and dependents looking for employment opportunities, GI Bill beneficiaries transitioning from training to the job market and employers looking to connect with high quality applicants. It is the first interagency tool that brings together public and private job opportunities with resume building and other career tools currently offered on a variety of websites together in one place.

Through the online Veterans Employment Center, Veterans, transitioning Service Members and spouses are connected to high quality career choices by matching their identified skills with available public and private job opportunities. The site is built using an open application programming interface (API) to attract private sector innovation.

Veteran Applicant Resources:

- Quick public resume posting with an instant connection to thousands of public and private employers
- Target job search based on specific, high-demand career paths
- Single search for both public and private sector positions
- Military skills translator and resume generator
- Social media integration with popular bookmarking sites for saving job postings

Employer Resources:

- Access targeted feed of qualified resumes from Veteran applicants
- View reverse skills translation (military to civilian skills) for applicants
- Set Veterans hiring goals and track progress
- Connect to resources designed to help recruit and retain talented, Veteran employees

In connection with the First Lady and Dr. Biden's Joining Forces initiative, the Department of Veterans Affairs worked with the Departments of Defense, Labor, and Education, and the Office of Personnel Management to design and develop the site and incorporate features of existing online employment tools at each agency. The result is an upgrade to the existing Veterans Job Bank and an integrated solution connecting Veterans, transitioning Service Members and employers.

Employers, Veterans and transitioning Service Members deserve a single, authoritative source for connecting to each other. Now that the core tools and an integrated search function exist in one single location, each agency is engaged in minimizing duplication and redundancy of current sites and services.

The Veterans Employment Center can be found at: <https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/jobs%20%20>

For a tutorial video on how to use the Veterans Employment Center, please visit:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VWFhI-eSoWk>

Regional Planning Commissions in Alabama

West Alabama Regional Commission
4200 Highway 69 North
Northport, Alabama 35473-3505
Phone: 205.333.2990
Fax: 205.333.2713
Region 2 website -
<http://www.warc.info/index.php>

Regional Planning Commission of Greater
Birmingham
1731 First Avenue North, Suite 200
Birmingham, Alabama 35203
Phone: 205.251.8139
Fax: 205.328.3304
Region 3 website - <http://www.rpcgb.org/>

South Central Alabama Development
Commission
5900 Carmichael Place
Montgomery, Alabama 36117

Phone: 334.244.6903
Fax: 334.270.0038
Region 5 website - <http://scadc.state.al.us/>

Alabama-Tombigbee Regional Commission
107 Broad Street
Camden, Alabama 36726
Phone: 334.682.4234
Fax: 334.682.4205
Region 6 website -
<http://www.alarc.org/atrc/index.htm>

Central Alabama Regional Planning
Development Commission
125 Washington Avenue
Montgomery, Alabama 36104
Phone: 334.262.4300
Fax: 334.262.6976
Region 9 website - <http://www.carpdc.com/>

Community Foundations in Alabama

Website: <http://alabamagiving.org/cf-directory/>

Autauga Area Community Foundation
c/o Central Alabama Community Foundation,
Inc.
434 N. McDonough Street
Montgomery, AL 36104
Phone: 334-264-6223
Website: www.aacfinfo.org

Black Belt Community Foundation
609 Lauderdale Street
Selma, AL 36701-4555
Phone: 334-874-1126 Fax: 334-874-1131
Website: <http://blackbeltfound.org/>

The Community Foundation of Greater Birmingham
2100 First Ave. N., Ste. 700
Birmingham, AL 35203
Telephone: (205) 328-8641
Fax: (205) 328-6576
Website: <http://www.foundationbirmingham.org>

Community Foundation of West Alabama
P.O. Box 3033
Tuscaloosa, AL 35403
Telephone: 205-366-0698, Fax 205-366-0813
Website: <http://thecfwa.org/>

Central Alabama Community Foundation, Inc.
434 N. McDonough Street
Montgomery, AL 36104
Telephone: 334-264-6223 Fax: 334-263-6225
Website: <http://www.cacfinfo.org>

Elmore County Community Foundation
c/o Central Alabama Community Foundation
434 N. McDonough Street
Montgomery, AL 36104
Phone: 334-264-6223
Website: www.eccfinfo.org