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JULY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Applications for Tobacco-Related Disease Research Programs (TRDRP) are now open!

Programmatic guidance for completing Core2 award applications may be found in Appendix E of this Call for Applications. Programmatic guidance for completing applications for the Community-Partnered Participatory Research Awards (CPPRA) and Tobacco Policy Research Centers (TPRC) may be found in those Calls on their website (<https://www.trdrp.org/funding-opportunities/>).

Live Webinar by Jason Borenstein, NSF Program Director Ethical and Responsible Research

The goal of this presentation is to introduce the Ethical and Responsible Research (ER2) Program at the National Science Foundation. Research projects funded by the ER2 Program use fundamental research to produce knowledge about what constitutes or promotes responsible or irresponsible conduct of research and why, as well as how to best instill responsible conduct of research into researchers, practitioners, and educators at all career stages. The presentation will include a brief history of the ER2 program, a brief description of the types of proposals that are supported by the program, and the merit review process. A portion of the time will be set aside to address questions from the audience. This webinar will be held on **August 29, 2023, from 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM**. To register for the webinar sign up [here](#).

Approaches to Centering Equity in Health Communication Research and Practice Webinar

This webinar will provide an overview of an equity-centered health communication framework with a focus on research, design, and strategy. The speakers will share real-world case studies of incorporating the principles of the framework into the development of inclusive health materials, digital products, and campaigns, including case studies specific to the work and mission of NNLM. We'll discuss practical strategies and tips for how webinar participants can apply an equity-centered health communication approach to their everyday work. This webinar will be held on **October 4th, 2023 from 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM EDT**, to register for the webinar sign up [here](#).

Reminder on proposal submissions – 20 Business Days Advance Notice In our [Pre-Award Review and Approval Procedure](#), we request 20 business days notice in advance of deadlines, and additional time if there are subawards, cost-sharing, extensive data needs, or complex compliance aspects involved. We expect to have a busy proposal calendar this fall and would love to hear from you about upcoming submissions. In some cases, we may need to ask project teams to draft budget justifications and other documents we ordinarily draft.

OGSR is collecting research interest keywords. Please fill out our [3-question survey](#) to let us know all the keywords about your research or scholarly activities. We will use this information when there are funding opportunities that come to our attention.

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PROPOSALS

Congratulations to all who submitted proposals recently:

Dr. Joely Proudfit | CICSC | Common Counsel Foundation and Native Americans in Philanthropy, Subaward Native Voices Rising | General Support Grant | *General Support Grant*

Dr. Konane Martinez, Ana Ardón, Luna Prieto, and Rosalva Romero Gonzalez | NRLC | U.S. Department of Health and Human Services - Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services | Minority Research Grant Program (MRGP) | *Community Schools Bridges2Health Research Project: Integrating Community Health into Community Schools*

Dr. Rachael Dombrowski | CEHHS/Public Health | Robert Wood Johnson Foundation | Healthy Eating | *Assessing Alignment to Nutrition Support Programs for Children: A multi-state exploration of Dollar Store Food Environments*

Dr. Richard Armenta | CTREE | National Institute of Health | R25 Science and Education Partnership | *Utilizing Community Partnerships to enhance Indigenous STEM Education for American Indian Youth*

Dr. Elizabeth Ridder | CHABSS/Liberal Studies | National Science Foundation | Archaeology Senior Researcher Awards | *Collaborative Research: Climate Change and Agricultural Responses in Ancient Mediterranean Socio-Environmental Systems*

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AWARDS

Congratulations to those who received awards recently:

Dr. Yanyan Li | CSTEM/Computer Science and Information Systems | National Science Foundation | Improving Undergraduate STEM Education | *Collaborative Research: Building A Cybersecurity Mindset Through Continuous Cross-module Learning*

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FEATURED FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

Program: [Inclusion across the Nation of Communities of Learners of Underrepresented Discoverers in Engineering and Science](#) (INCLUDES)

Sponsor: National Science Foundation

Synopsis: NSF INCLUDES is a comprehensive, national initiative to enhance U.S. leadership in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) discovery and innovation, focused on NSF's commitment to ensuring accessibility and inclusivity in STEM fields. Significant advancement in the inclusion of groups that have historically been excluded from or underserved in STEM will result in a new generation of STEM talent and leadership to secure the Nation's future and long-term economic competitiveness.

Deadline: October 24, 2023

Program: [Discovery Research PreK-12 \(DRK-12\)](#)

Sponsor: National Science Foundation

Synopsis: The goal of the Discovery Research PreK-12 program (DRK-12) is to catalyze research and development that enhances all preK-12 teachers' and students' opportunities to engage in high-quality learning experiences related to the sciences, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM). Outcomes of DRK-12 projects can include but are not limited to promising, evidence-based products that can be used by others to support the success of all teachers and all students (e.g., curriculum, teaching and research tools, and models of collaboration).

Deadline: November 8, 2023

Program: [Collaborative Research](#)

Sponsor: National Endowment For The Humanities

Synopsis: The Collaborative Research program aims to advance humanistic knowledge by fostering rich scholarship that a single researcher could not accomplish working alone. The program supports sustained collaboration by teams of two or more scholars. Teams may propose research in a single field of study or interdisciplinary work. NEH encourages projects that incorporate multiple points of view and pursue new avenues of inquiry in the humanities.

Deadline: November 29, 2023

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CSUSM Highlight (send submissions to grants@csusm.edu)



Physics Professor Helps Win Energy Department Grant to Expand Science Education

The Department of Energy (DOE) has awarded CSUSM Physics professors Justin Perron, Ed Price and colleagues from CSU Chico, the Chancellor's Office, and Sandia National Labs a three-year grant for more than \$2.5 million. This initiative, "QIST in the CSU: Expanding Access to Quantum Information Science and Technology," aims at broadening participation in

the QIST field. The project has two foci, one aimed at providing opportunities and support for students to engage with QIST and one aimed at building capacity within the CSU system for incorporating QIST into the undergraduate curriculum.

The project kicked off with a workshop “Introductory QIST and Educational Modules” at CSUSM from June 14th through 16th. At the workshop QIST researchers from across the country presented the core QIST concepts and pedagogical approaches to introducing those concepts into STEM courses. The grant provided travel support for 15 CSU faculty and participants included faculty from 13 CSU campuses. Thanks to this Workshop, faculty increased their knowledge of the QIST field and left with tools to help them incorporate QIST into their existing courses.

The story continues on [CSUSM NewsCenter website](#).

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