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Upcoming Funding Events/News

National Science Foundation (NSF)

Revised Proposal & Award Policies & Procedures Guide (PAPPG), (NSF 18-1) Issued

The new PAPPG will be effective for proposals submitted, or due, on or after January 29, 2018.

Significant changes include:

- Implementation of the standard Collaborators and Other Affiliations (COA) template that has been in pilot phase since April;
- Increase in the Budget Justification page limitation from three pages to five pages;
- Restructuring of coverage on grantee notifications to and requests for approval from NSF, including referral to the [Prior Approval Matrix](#) available on the NSF website; and
- Numerous clarifications and other changes throughout the document.

An informational webinar will be held on December 8, at 1:00 PM.

Register for the webinar at <https://nsfgrantsconferences.com/pappg-update-webinar/>

National Institutes of Health (NIH)

Interim and Final RPPR Project Outcomes Section now available via NIH RePORTER

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) intends to publish the Project Outcomes Section of all Final and Interim Research Performance Progress Reports (RPPRs) submitted on or after October 1, 2017 and make them available to the general public via the NIH RePORTER.

With NIH's implementation of the Final and Interim RPPR, recipients are required to adhere to the new requirement to report on Project outcomes. **This section will be made publicly available via the NIH RePORTER**, thus allowing recipients to provide the general public with a concise summary of the cumulative outcomes or findings of the project (analogous to the Project Summary/Abstract section of the competing application) at the end of each competitive segment.

The NIH will only publish project outcomes that have been reviewed and approved by NIH staff to ensure the narrative is written for the general public in clear and comprehensible language, without including any proprietary, confidential information or trade secrets. If the description of the project outcomes are found to be unacceptable, recipients will be required upon NIH request to submit revised project outcomes statements using the Additional Material functionality in place for the Final and

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Interim RPPR (i.e., Final Report Additional Materials (FRAM) for Final RPPR). The Additional Material functionality for both the Final and Interim RPPR have been enhanced in order to capture revised project outcomes in a web form format that will support NIHs ability to make this information publically available. **Please note that the web form data entry field pertains only to the entry of Project Outcomes text. Any other additional materials requested, if applicable, should be uploaded as a file attachment.** In order to assist recipients, NIH has posted sample descriptions for project outcomes that may assist recipients in submitting acceptable project outcomes. **See the Sample Project Outcomes description available at:** https://grants.nih.gov/grants/rppr/sample_project_outcomes_RPPR.htm. See steps on [how to submit revised project outcomes for interim RPPRs \(IRAM\)](#) and [for final RPPRs \(FRAM\)](#) in the eRA Commons online help.] For more information, see <https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-18-103.html>

New Podcast: “Understanding the Definition of a Clinical Trial and What That Means for You”

Dr. Mike Lauer, NIH deputy director for extramural research, discusses the NIH definition of a clinical trial, addresses community questions, and speaks to how changes to clinical trials policies will impact applicants and grantees.

All About Grants podcast episodes are produced by the NIH Office of Extramural Research, and designed for investigators, fellows, students, research administrators, and others just curious about the application and award process. The podcast features NIH staff members who talk about the ins and outs of NIH funding, and provide insights on grant topics from those who live and breathe the information. Listen to more episodes via the [All About Grants podcast page, through iTunes](#), or by using [the NIH RSS feed](#) in your podcast app of choice.

Current Top Searches on PIVOT

National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine Gulf Research Program

Scientific Research Disaster Recovery Grants

Deadlines: January 3, 2018; February 28, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/177942

US Department of Defense (DoD)

Psychological Health and Traumatic Brain Injury Research Program (PH/TBIRP) Peer Support Program
Translational Research Award

Deadlines: Pre-Application, January 5, 2018; Application, January 19, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/178089

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US Department of State (DOS)

Empowering Youth in India

Deadline: January 12, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/178020

National Institutes of Health (NIH)

Improving Student Health and Academic Achievement through Nutrition, Physical Activity and the Management of Chronic Conditions in Schools

Deadline: January 26, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/178148

National Science Foundation (NSF)

Campus Cyberinfrastructure

Deadline: January 30, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/110852

Highlighted Funding Opportunities

Kansas Governor's Grants Program

Federal S.T.O.P. Violence against Women Act (VAWA) Grant

Deadline: December 21, 2017

[http://www.grants.ks.gov/opportunities/federal-s-t-o-p-violence-against-women-grant-\(s-t-o-p-vawa\)](http://www.grants.ks.gov/opportunities/federal-s-t-o-p-violence-against-women-grant-(s-t-o-p-vawa))

National Science Foundation (NSF)

International Research Experiences for Students (IRES) Sites

Deadline: January 30, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/70085

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National Science Foundation (NSF)

Research Coordination Networks in Undergraduate Biology Education (RCN-UBE)

Deadline: January 30, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/177727

National Institutes of Health (NIH)

Testing Interventions for Health-Enhancing Physical Activity (R01-Clinical Trial Optional)

Deadline: February 5, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/154986

National Institutes of Health (NIH)

NINDS CREATE Bio Optimization Track for Biologics (U01)

Deadlines: February 13, 2018; July 18, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/154047

New Faculty/New Investigator

National Multiple Sclerosis Society (NMSS)

Pilot Research Grants

Deadlines: Pre-Application, January 8, 2018; Application, January 10, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/15547

University of Colorado, Boulder

Cooperative Institute for Research in Environmental Sciences (CIRES) Visiting Fellows Program

Deadline: January 9, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/9822

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Lupus Research Alliance

Target Identification in Lupus (TIL) Grants

Deadline: February 9, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/61141

National Institutes of Health (NIH)

NIBIB Trailblazer Award for New and Early Stage Investigators (R21)

Deadline: February 16, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/168845

National Institutes of Health (NIH)

Imaging – Science Track Award for Research Transition (I/START) (R03)

Deadline: February 16, 2018

<https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-18-081.html>

Limited Submissions

[Limited Submission Policy](#)

The internal deadline has passed for the following opportunities.

If interested in submitting, please contact kureslimitedsubs@ku.edu as soon as possible.

National Science Foundation (NSF)

NSF Research Traineeship Program (NRT)

Sponsor Deadlines: Letter of Intent, December 6, 2017; Full Proposal, February 6, 2018

https://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/150940

Health Care Foundation of Greater Kansas City (HCF)

Healthy Communities

Sponsor Deadlines: Letter of Intent, January 17, 2018; Full Proposal, February 14, 2018

<https://hcfgkc.org/grantees-and-applicants/what-we-fund/foundation-defined-grants/healthy-communities/>

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