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**Upcoming Funding Events/News**

**National Institutes of Health**


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eRA Commons, ASSIST Will Be Offline Memorial Day Weekend For Unicode Upgrade

All systems, including eRA Commons and ASSIST, will be unavailable over the Memorial Day weekend. The systems will be brought down at 9 p.m. on Friday, May 23 and are expected to be restored to service by Tuesday, May 27 at 7 a.m.


**Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute**

New Models for Research Using Health Data

What are the latest trends in using "big data" from health care to create new opportunities for research innovation? Find out in an upcoming webinar featuring PCORI Executive Director Joe Selby, MD, MPH; National Institutes of Health Director and PCORI Board Member Francis Collins, MD, PhD; and NIH Associate Director for Data Science Philip Bourne, PhD. The webinar will run from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. ET, Wednesday, May 28, and include Q&A with the audience. [Register online](https://www.pcors.org/pcors-webinar-series-2014/).
US Department of Education First in the World (FITW) Pre-Application Webinars

May 28, 2014 -- 1:30 - 3:30 p.m. EDT -- Register for this webinar.
June 4, 2014 -- 1:30 - 3:30 p.m. EDT -- Register for this webinar.

FITW is an evidence-based grant program that provides awards to institutions of higher education to spur the development of innovative approaches and strategies that will improve educational access and outcomes, including making a postsecondary education more affordable and attainable for students and families.

US Department of Education

IES Webinar on the FY2015 Education Research and Development Centers Competition

Tuesday, June 10, from 1PM to 3PM

To register for this webinar, click here.

IES Research and Development Centers produce and disseminate rigorous research and provide national leadership on specific education topics. For FY 2015, NCER is competing three Research and Development Centers, one in each of the following topic areas: Knowledge Utilization, Standards in Schools, and Virtual Learning. IES staff will conduct a webinar for potential applicants that will describe the focus of each center, the application requirements, and the peer review process.

Current Top Searches on PIVOT

National Science Foundation

Research Experiences for Undergraduates (REU): Sites and Supplements

Deadline: August 27, 2014 for REU Site proposals

http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/71847

Verizon Foundation

Deadline: Continuous

http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/101348
Spencer Foundation
Lyle Spencer Research Awards: Advancing Understanding of Education Practice and Its Improvement
**Deadline: June 12, 2014, LOI; September 23, 2014 by invitation only**
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/99936

National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST)
Measurement Science and Engineering (MSE) Research Grants Programs – Material Measurement Laboratory (MML) Grant Program
**Deadline: Continuous**
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/128318

National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH)
NEH/DFG Bilateral Digital Humanities Program
**Deadline: September 25, 2014**
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/119648

**Highlighted Funding Opportunities**

National Institutes of Health
Notice of Intent to Publish a Funding Opportunity Announcement for Biomarker Discovery through the Use of Data and Resources Developed by the NINDS Parkinson's Disease Biomarker Program (PDBP) (U01) (NOT-NS-14-027)

National Science Foundation
I/UCRCs in Areas Relevant to the Forensic Sciences
**Deadline: Required LOI, June 27, 2014; Full Proposal September 26, 2014**
National Institutes of Health
Center for Inherited Disease Research (CIDR) High Throughput Sequencing and Genotyping Resource Access (X01)
**Deadline: Continuous**

Water Research Foundation
Optimizing Biofiltration for Various Source Water Quality Conditions
**Deadline: July 10, 2014**
[http://www.waterrf.org/funding/rfps/RFPs/RFP_4555.pdf](http://www.waterrf.org/funding/rfps/RFPs/RFP_4555.pdf)

US Department of Education
First in the World (FITW)
**Deadline: June 30, 2014**

Harry Frank Guggenheim Foundation
Research Grants
**Deadline: August 1, 2014**
New Faculty/New Investigator

Department of Defense
Gulf War Illness Research Program New Investigator Award
**Deadline: Letter of Intent, September 11, 2014**

National Science Foundation
Computer and Information Science and Engineering (CISE) Research Initiation Initiative (CRII)
**Deadline: September 24, 2014**

Online Computer Library Center (OCLC)
Library & Information Science Research Grants
**Deadline: September 15, 2014**

Research Corporation for Science Advancement (RCSA)
Cottrell Scholars Awards
**Deadline: August 15, 2014**
Limited Submissions

URL for limited submission proposals procedure:
http://policy.ku.edu/research/institutional-endorsement

National Institutes of Health
NIH Research Evaluation and Commercialization Hub (REACH) Awards (U01)
Internal Deadline: May 27, 2014
http://pivot.cos.com/curated_opps/716

National Science Foundation
International Research Network Connections (IRNC)
Internal Deadline: May 27, 2014
http://pivot.cos.com/curated_opps/717

Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)
Bridging the Word Gap Research Network
Internal Deadline: May 27, 2014
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/151734

National Science Foundation
Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM)
Internal Deadline: June 2, 2014
http://pivot.cos.com/curated_opps/150

US Department of Education
Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences
Internal Deadline: June 2, 2014
Pre-Award Services: Email: kucpremgmt@ku.edu or nbiles@ku.edu; Phone: 864-7434
Research Development: Email: researchdevelop@ku.edu; Phone: 864-3289
Mallinckrodt Foundation
Edward J. Mallinckrodt Jr. Grants Program
Internal Deadline: June 6, 2014
http://pivot.cos.com/curated_opps/520

W.M. Keck Foundation
Grant Programs in Science and Engineering, Medical Research, and Undergraduate Education
Internal Deadline: June 16, 2014
http://www.wmkeck.org/grant-programs/grant-programs

National Institutes of Health
Science Education Partnership Award (SEPA) (R25)
Internal Deadline: June 16, 2014

Pew Charitable Trusts
Pew Scholars Program in the Biomedical Sciences
Internal Deadline: June 20, 2014
http://www.pewhealth.org/biomedical-research/pew-biomedical-scholars-327805

National Science Foundation
EarthScope National Office (ESNO)
Internal Deadline: June 23, 2014