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**Upcoming Funding Events/News**

National Science Foundation Issues New Proposal & Award Policies & Procedures Guide (PAPPG) with Significant Changes

- **Chapter I.F, When to Submit Proposals**, has been updated to remove the ability to use other than 5 p.m. submitter’s local time in solicitations. **Failure to submit by 5 p.m. submitter’s local time will result in the proposal not being accepted.**
- **Chapter II.C.1.e, Collaborators & Other Affiliations Information**, is a new single-copy document that requires each senior project personnel to provide information regarding collaborators and other affiliations. This information used to be provided as part of the Biographical Sketch. The new format no longer requires proposers to identify the total number of collaborators and other affiliations when providing this information.
- **Chapter II.C.2.b, Project Summary**, has been modified to remind proposers that only Project Summaries that use special characters may be uploaded in the Supplementary Documents section. Such Project Summaries must contain separate headings for Overview, Intellectual Merit and Broader Impacts or the proposal will be returned without review.
- **Chapter II.C.2.d(ii), Project Description**, has been updated to state that URLs must not be used in the Project Description.
- **Chapter II.C.2.j, Special Information and Supplementary Documentation**, now specifies the format that must be used for letters of collaboration.

The recommended format for letters of collaboration is as follows:
“If the proposal submitted by Dr. [insert the full name of the Principal Investigator] entitled [insert the proposal title] is selected for funding by NSF, it is my intent to collaborate and/or commit resources as detailed in the Project Description or the Facilities, Equipment or Other Resources section of the proposal.”

**National Science Foundation Public Access Policy**
NSF has developed a plan to increase public access to scientific publications and digital scientific data resulting from research the foundation funds. The plan is consistent with the Office of Science and Technology Policy memorandum, "Increasing Access to the Results of Federally Funded Research," and with long-standing policies encouraging data sharing and communication of research results.

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NSF will require that either the version of record or the final accepted manuscript in peer-reviewed scholarly journals and papers in juried conference proceedings or transactions must:

- Be deposited in a public access compliant repository designated by NSF;
- Be available for download, reading and analysis free of charge no later than 12 months after initial publication;
- Possess a minimum set of machine-readable metadata elements in a metadata record to be made available free of charge upon initial publication;
- Be managed to ensure long-term preservation; and
- Be reported in annual and final reports during the period of the award with a persistent identifier that provides links to the full text of the publication as well as other metadata elements.

This NSF requirement will apply to new awards resulting from proposals submitted, or due, on or after January 25, 2016.


Health Care Foundation of Greater Kansas City Healthy Communities Pre-Proposal Conference
November 16, 2015, 8:30-11:30 am, Kauffman Foundation Conference Center, Kansas City, MO
Attendees will explore the development of food, physical environment and tobacco use prevention policies from the ground level of grassroots mobilization to policy approval and implementation.

There is no cost for this event.
For more information and to register:
http://signup.hcfgkc.org/healthy-communities-conference/

**Current Top Searches on PIVOT**

United States Department of Energy (DOE)
Atmospheric System Research Program - New Data Products
**Deadline: Pre-Application, November 3, 2015**
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/161423

National Institutes of Health (NIH)
BRAIN Initiative: Research Opportunities Using Invasive Neural Recording and Stimulating Technologies in the Human Brain (U01)
**Deadline: December 15, 2015**
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/161432

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National Science Foundation (NSF)
Improving Undergraduate STEM Education: Education and Human Resources (IUSE: HER)
**Deadline: January 11, 2015**
[http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/147909](http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/147909)

United States Department of Education (ED)
Special Education Research: Low-Cost, Short-Duration Evaluation of Special Education Interventions
**Deadline: January 12, 2016**

United States Department of Defense (DOD)
ARO Core Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research
**Deadline: Continuous**

**Highlighted Funding Opportunities**

National Science Foundation (NSF)
Emerging Frontiers in Research and Innovation (EFRI)
**Deadline: Letter of Intent, November 9, 2015**

National Science Foundation (NSF)
Industry/University Cooperative Research Centers Program (I/UCRC)
**Deadline: Letter of Intent, November 16, 2015**

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National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine
Ford Foundation Predoctoral Fellowship
**Deadline: November 20, 2015**

Governor’s Grants Program
Federal STOP Violence Against Women Act Grant
**Deadline: November 23, 2015**

Brown University - John Carter Brown Library (JCB)
Short-Term Fellowships
**Deadline: December 1, 2015**
[http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/2214](http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/2214)

U.S Department of Education
Fulbright-Hays seminars Abroad Program
**Deadline: December 9, 2015**
[https://www.g5.gov/ext/wps/portal](https://www.g5.gov/ext/wps/portal)

National Science Foundation (NSF)
Improvements in Facilities, Communications, and Equipment at Biological Field Stations and Marine Laboratories (FSML)
**Deadline: January 11, 2016**

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National Science Foundation (NSF)
Exploiting Parallelism and Scalability (XPS)
Deadline: January 19, 2015
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/140492

New Faculty/New Investigator

Society for Imaging Informatics in Medicine (SIIM)
SIIM New Investigator Travel Awards
Deadline: December 16, 2015
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/145668

Parkinson Study Group (PSG)
Mentored Clinical Research Award (MCRA) for New Investigators in Patient Oriented Research in Parkinson's Disease and Related Disorders
Deadline: January 2, 2016
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/133010

Council of American Overseas Research Centers (CAORC)
Multi-Country Research Fellowship Program
Deadline: January 30, 2016
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/33529

University of London
Visiting Fellowships
Deadline: Continuous
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/136767

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Active Limited Submissions

URL for limited submission proposals procedure:

http://policy.ku.edu/research/institutional-endorsement

National Science Foundation
Partnerships for Innovation: Building Innovation Capacity (PFI:BIC)
Internal Deadline: November 2, 2015
Sponsor Deadline: January 26, 2016
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/138745

Camille & Henry Dreyfus Foundation
Camille Dreyfus Teacher-Scholar Awards Program
Internal Deadline: November 9, 2015
Sponsor Deadline: February 10, 2016
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/2649

National Science Foundation
Cultivating Cultures for Ethical STEM (CCE STEM)
Internal Deadline: November 16, 2015
Sponsor Deadline: February 16, 2016
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/127599

Brain Research Foundation
Fay/Frank Seed Grant Program
Internal Deadline: November 16, 2015
Sponsor Deadline: April 1, 2016
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/140521
Additional Limited Submissions

The internal deadline has passed for the following opportunities. If interested in submitting, please contact kucrlimitedsubs@ku.edu as soon as possible.

http://policy.ku.edu/research/institutional-endorsement

**National Science Foundation**
Research Experiences for Teachers (RET) in Engineering and Computer Science

**Sponsor Deadline: November 2, 2015**

http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/77659

**National Science Foundation (NSF)**
Louis Stokes Alliances for Minority Participation (LSAMP)

**Sponsor Deadline: November 4, 2015**

http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/33135

**National Science Foundation**
IUSE / Professional Formation of Engineers: REvolutionizing Engineering and Computer Science Departments (RED)

**Sponsor Deadline: LOI, November 10, 2015; Full Proposal, December 15, 2015**

http://pivot.cos.com/curated_opps/856

**The New York Academy of Sciences**
2016 Blavatnik Awards National Competition, Young Scientists in Life Sciences

**Sponsor Deadline: November 18, 2015**

http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/148243

**National Institutes of Health**
Nanomaterials Health Implications Research (NHIR) U01

**Sponsor Deadline: November 30, 2015**

http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/160326

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National Institutes of Health

NINDS Neuroscience Development for Advancing the Careers of a Diverse Research Workforce

Sponsor Deadline: January 25, 2016

http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/145106