

October 20, 2020

Announcements

Funding Opportunities for COVID-19 Research

The Office of the Vice President for Research and Innovation has a research [UO COVID-19 FAQ page](#) with excellent resources regarding research, including specialized funding opportunities related to COVID-19.

Workshops on Navigating the NIH for Early Career Investigators

RDS is hosting four workshops on the National Institutes of Health for early-career investigators. Trainings include:

- *NIH Overview*, Wednesday, October 21, 12-12:45 pm
- *NIH Review Process*, Wednesday, October 28, 12-12:45 pm
- *NIH Specific Aims*, Wednesday, November 4, 12-12:45 pm
- *Writing Your First NIH Proposal*, Wednesday, November 11, 12-12:45 pm
- [Workshop descriptions and access to registration](#).

Research Compliance Services - Information Sessions

RCS, in the Office of the Vice President for Research and Innovation, announces workshops for this fall on topics that cover many aspects of research compliance and integrity. Trainings include:

- *Human Subjects Protections and Institutional Review Board (IRB) Review* - Friday, October 30, 12-1:30 pm
- *UO Conflict of Interest Policies and Research* - Friday, November 6, 12-1:30 pm
- *Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR)* - Friday, November 13, 12-1:30 pm
- [Session descriptions and access MyTrack registration](#).

RCS also provides support on Clinical Trials, the new Research Administration Portal (RAP) and conducts both group presentations and individual consultations. [Contact RCS](#) to learn more.

New NSF Dear Colleague Letter on Convergence Accelerator

The National Science Foundation has issued a new [Dear Colleague Letter](#) requesting information on future topics for the NSF Convergence Accelerator. FY2022 track topics should build upon use-inspired foundational research aligned to Industries of the Future, NSF's Big Ideas, or other research of national importance. The deadline for topics is **November 9, 2020**.

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Opportunities

Cell Press

[Rising Black Scientists Award](#)

Application Deadline: December 4, 2020

Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation

[Mellon Emerging Faculty Leader Awards](#)

If you are interested in applying for this opportunity, please contact [Foundation Relations](#).

Application Deadline: December 2, 2020

Featured External Opportunities

The McKnight Endowment Fund for Neuroscience

[McKnight Scholar Award](#)

Application Deadline: January 4, 2021

National Science Foundation

[Advancing Informal STEM Learning](#)

Application Deadline: January 12, 2021

National Science Foundation

[Focused Research Hubs in Theoretical Physics](#)

Application Deadline: January 15, 2021

National Science Foundation

[Principles of Scalable Systems: Planning Grants and Large Grants](#)

Application Deadline: January 25, 2021

National Institutes of Health

[NLM Grants for Scholarly Works in Biomedicine and Health \(G13 Clinical Trial Not Allowed\)](#)

Application Deadline: February 26, 2021

Samuel S. Kress Foundation

[History of Art Grants Program](#)

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Letter of Inquiry Deadline: December 15, 2020

Application Deadline: January 15, 2021

Templeton World Charity Foundation

[Grand Challenges for Human Flourishing](#)

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Request for Ideas Deadline: November 11, 2020

U.S. Department of Energy

[Buildings Energy Efficiency Frontiers & Innovation Technologies](#)

Step-one Application Deadline (mandatory concept paper): November 5, 2020

Step-two Application Deadline: January 20, 2021

Honors and Awards

Society for Development Biology

[Developmental Biology Lifetime Achievement Award](#)

Application Deadline: December 15, 2020

International Communication Association

[Outstanding Book Award](#)

Application Deadline: December 14, 2020

Society for the Study of Social Problems

[C. Wright Mills Book Award](#)

Application Deadline: December 15, 2020

Curated Pivot Searches

[Pivot](#) is a funding opportunities database of available external funding opportunities from federal, non-federal and international sponsors across all disciplines and is accessible to UO researchers using your Shibboleth login.

[Visit our Getting Started with Pivot page to learn more about using the powerful online funding database tool.](#) We will show you how to identify funding opportunities, save alerts for on-going searches, and identify collaborators.

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Education Research and Social Sciences	Technology, Math, and Data Sciences
Environmental Sciences	Training Programs and STEM Outreach
Graduate and Postdoctoral Grants	

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