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4/14/2021 <b>Limited Submission: Apply through Research Acceleration Office</b>	William T. Grant Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>  <a href="#">RAO Limited Submission</a>	\$350,000 (over 5 years)	Early Career	The <b>William T. Grant Scholars Program</b> supports career development for promising early-career researchers. The Foundation's mission is to support research to improve the lives of young people ages 5-25 in the United States. We pursue this mission by supporting research within two focus areas: Reducing Inequality and Improving the Use of Research Evidence. The program funds five-year research and mentoring plans that significantly expand junior researchers' expertise in new disciplines, methods, and content areas. The foundation recognizes that early-career researchers are rarely given incentives or support to take such risks, so this award includes a mentoring component, as well as an emphasis on community and collaboration. <b>Applicants of any discipline are eligible. Applicants must be nominated by their institutions. Applicant received his/her terminal degree (e.g., Ph.D., M.D.) within seven years of submitting the application.</b>
4/15/2021 (LOI)	Paul G. Allen Family Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$1 - \$1.5 Million (over 3 years)	Medical Research, Biology	The <b>Allen Distinguished Investigator (ADI) program</b> supports early-stage research with the potential to reinvent entire fields. Funding will support pioneering research in 1) Micropeptides, 2) Neural Circuit Design, and 3) Mammalian Synthetic Development. <b>They welcome submissions from researchers across all career stages, from Assistant Professors and similar positions onward. They believe that diverse perspectives are vital to science and welcome LOIs from researchers who are members of underrepresented groups and/or have followed less-traditional career paths.</b>
4/15/2021 (LOI)	Children's Heart Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000	Medical Research, Pediatrics, Cardiology, Translational	The <b>Children's Heart Foundation's 2021 Call for Research Proposals</b> funds life-saving, life-changing congenital heart defect (CHD) research in clinical cardiology, translational research, population science, and advancement, prevention, detection of surgical and interventional techniques including, but not limited to the following areas: Genetics, Biochemistry, Pharmacology, Devices and procedural research (cardiac catheterization and surgery), Neurodevelopmental and functional outcomes, Quality and policy regarding delivery of care, coverage, and access, Maternal environment and modifiable disease impact on fetuses with CHD, Fetal diagnosis and intervention, Long-term care of adults with CHDs, Technological development and advancements.

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4/15/2010	National Fish and Wildlife Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	\$375,000 - \$775000	Life Sciences, Conservation, Community Outreach	<b>Acres for America</b> is the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation's (NFWF) premier land conservation program, and was established to provide urgently needed funding for projects that conserve important large-scale habitats for fish, wildlife, and plants through land acquisitions and perpetual conservation easements. Preferential consideration will be given to proposals that can demonstrate their ability to achieve more than one of the program priorities: Conserve critical habitats for birds, fish, plants and wildlife; Connect existing protected lands to unify wild places and protect critical migration routes; Provide access for people to enjoy the outdoors; Ensure the future of local economies that depend on forestry, ranching and wildlife. <b>All grant awards require a minimum 1:1 match of cash or contributed goods and services. Federal funds may be considered as match.</b>
4/15/2021	McCarthy Dressman Education Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$30,000 (over 3 years)	Education, K-12 Programming	The McCarthy Dressman Education Foundation offers <b>Academic Enrichment Grants</b> designed to develop in-class and extra-curricular programs that improve student learning. Grants provide funding for programs that nurture the intellectual, artistic and creative abilities of children from low-income households. <b>The Foundation considers applications from educators who are employed by schools or non-profit organizations (e.g. community centers, museums, etc.), have the background and experience to complete the project successfully, have direct and regular contact with students in grades pre-k to 12, work with students from low-income households, and are willing to work in collaboration with the Foundation.</b>

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4/15/2021 (Pre-proposal)	National Fish and Wildlife Foundation	<a href="#">Project Grant</a>	<p align="center"><b>Technical Assistance:</b> Up to \$600,000</p> <p align="center"><b>Habitat Improvement:</b> Up to \$1.2 million</p>	Conservation, Butterflies, Pollinators	The goal of the <b>Monarch Butterfly and Pollinators Conservation Fund</b> (Pollinator Fund) is to protect, conserve, and increase habitat for the monarch butterfly and other native insect pollinators. Competitive grants for the Monarch Butterfly and Pollinators Conservation Fund are awarded in two categories: <b>Technical Assistance for Private Working Lands</b> - Grants are awarded to projects that support implementation of technical assistance to increase the number of private landowners engaged in monarch butterfly and pollinator conservation practices on working lands. Priorities include: hiring additional staff or contractors to assist landowners and NRCS with developing pollinator habitat management plans and NRCS financial assistance contracts; developing landscape-based partnerships to implement innovative methods to engage private landowners and expand restoration and enhancement activities on private working lands; and targeting outreach to landowners and other partners to prioritize, plan and deliver financial assistance available through EQIP and other programs to improve pollinator habitat and support at-risk species. <b>Habitat Improvement</b> - Grants are awarded to projects that create and sustain interconnected monarch and pollinator habitats to support annual life cycle needs. Priorities include: restoring and enhancing breeding and migration habitat to support ample milkweed and diverse nectar plants; protecting and improving overwintering habitat; and developing sustainable and affordable supplies of native milkweed and nectar-producing plant seeds and seedlings that support habitat restoration efforts.
4/15/2021 (LOI) 10/1/2021 (LOI)	Whitehall Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<p align="center">Research Grants: Up to \$225,000 (over 3 years)</p> <p align="center">Grants-in-Aid: Up to \$30,000</p>	Life Sciences, Biological Research	It is the Foundation's policy to assist those dynamic areas of basic biological research that are not heavily supported by Federal Agencies or other foundations with specialized missions. <b>Research Grants</b> are available to established scientists of all ages working at accredited institutions in the United States. The <b>Grants-in-Aid program</b> is designed for researchers at the assistant professor level who experience difficulty in competing for research funds because they have not yet become firmly established. <b>The Foundation will accept only one letter of intent per year from an Investigator.</b>

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4/15/2021 8/19/2021	Searle Freedom Trust	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$25,000 - \$300,000	Public Policy	The <b>Searle Freedom Trust</b> is primarily interested in supporting domestic public policy research. Recognizing that good policymaking relies on the availability of high-quality research, the foundation invests primarily in scholarship that results in the publication of books, journal articles, and policy papers. Funding is typically provided in the form of research grants, fellowships, and other types of targeted project support.
4/15/2021 10/15/2021	Angelman Syndrome Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$200,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Angelman Syndrome, Translational	The <b>Angelman Syndrome Foundation</b> is calling for proposals for pilot projects to test new ideas about pathogenesis and therapeutics of Angelman syndrome, translational research and clinical research studies. Of particular interest to the ASF are studies related to communication, behavioral issues and identification of issues and treatments that impact the daily life of people with Angelman syndrome and their families.
4/16/2021	Southwest National Primate Research Center	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000	Biomedical Research, Primates	The <b>SNPRC Pilot Research program</b> provides opportunities and support for investigators to use SNPRC nonhuman primate resources in highly focused, short-term studies with a high likelihood of enhancing the value, utility, feasibility, and attractiveness of nonhuman primates for biomedical research. High priority will be given to studies that propose to generate preliminary data for applications to the National Institutes of Health (NIH) for support of future research projects. <b>Investigators at the Staff Scientist (Research Assistant Professor) through Full Scientist (Full Professor) or equivalent positions at institutions meeting the requirements to apply for, receive, and administer grants in aid of research from the NIH are eligible to apply.</b>
4/16/2021	Muscular Dystrophy Association	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$25,000	Medical Research, Muscular Dystrophy, Translational	The <b>MDA Idea Award Program</b> seeks bold, innovative research ideas that can have an impact in the field of neuromuscular disease. The idea should be supported by a strong scientific premise and include a feasible experimental plan.

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4/16/2021	National Academy of Medicine	<a href="#">Prize</a>	\$20,000	Mental Health	Nominations are being accepted for the <b>Sarnat Prize</b> , which is awarded to individuals, groups, or organizations that have demonstrated contributions to improve understanding of or treatment of mental disorders, innovations in mental health services, or accomplishments in public policy that enhance public understanding of mental disorders. There are no constraints on the education, profession, or specific discipline of individuals, groups, or organizations.
4/19/2021	Cystinosis Research Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$150,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Cystinosis, Translational	The Cystinosis Research Foundation is pleased to announce its <b>Spring 2021 Call for Research Proposals</b> . The Cystinosis Research Foundation is prepared to fund proposals to improve the immediate care of children and adults with cystinosis and to develop a new understanding and treatment of cystinosis in an effort to help these patients in the future.
4/21/2021	Facebook	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$50,000	Computer Science, Mathematics	<b>Facebook</b> developed and open-sourced BoTorch, a modular framework for Bayesian optimization research, and Ax, a turn-key framework for those who want to apply Bayesian optimization to their own problems. The goal with BoTorch is to accelerate the pace of research in the area of Bayesian optimization and unlock new potential applications. With this RFP, they hope to deepen their ties to the academic research community by seeking out innovative ideas and applications of Bayesian optimization that further advance the field. <b>Facebook cannot consider proposals submitted, prepared, or to be carried out by individuals residing in or affiliated with an academic institution located in a country or territory subject to comprehensive U.S. trade sanctions. Government officials (excluding faculty and staff of public universities, to the extent they may be considered government officials), political figures, and politically affiliated businesses (all as determined by Facebook in its sole discretion) are not eligible.</b>

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4/21/2021	Facebook	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$100,000	Computer Science, Data Science, Cryptography, Privacy	The goal of the <b>2021 Privacy Enhancing Technologies RFP</b> is to help design and deploy new privacy-enhancing solutions that minimize the data Facebook collects, processes, and externally shares across the Facebook family of products, and to provide better tools to control, measure, and mitigate privacy risks. Areas of interest include, but are not limited to, the following: Applied cryptography, data policies and compliance, differential privacy, and privacy in AI.
4/22/2021	Fisher House Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$50,000	Veterans Programs	<b>Newman's Own Awards for Service Members and Families</b> will be awarded in support of innovative plans to improve the quality of life of active duty, Reserve, National Guard service members, veterans, and their families facing the stress of long deployments and separation and/or the long-term effects associated with service.
4/23/2021 (LOI)	Harrington Discovery Institute	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$600,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Alzheimer's Disease, Translational	<b>ADDF-Harrington Scholar Program Grant</b> is designed to accelerate the translation of academic discoveries into medicines for treating, preventing, or curing patients with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias. Of particular interest are targets related to proteostasis and neurovascular health. Researchers working on drug development programs that are relevant to, but not presently focused on, the Alzheimer's field are encouraged to apply. <b>A project may have only a single PI, who is responsible for project oversight and financial management. The PI may engage collaborators, core labs or commercial CROs to execute any fraction of the project.</b>
4/23/2021 (Pre-application)	National Multiple Sclerosis Society	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$300,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Multiple Sclerosis, Neurology, Translational	The National MS Society is pleased to announce the release of a new Request for Applications focusing on <b>Detecting Multiple Sclerosis Before the Onset of Neurological Deficits</b> , intended to support research that advances our Pathways to Cures Roadmap. A priority objective of the Roadmap is the early detection of MS prior to the accumulation of neurological deficits.

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4/25/2021	Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$300,000 - \$1,500,000	Engineering, Physical Sciences, Materials Science, Quantum Materials	The Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation announces a call for ideas for flexible funding grants, as part of the <b>Emergent Phenomena in Quantum Systems Initiative (EPIQS)</b> . The goal of flexible funding grants is to drive scientific innovation by enhancing experimental capabilities at leading research institutions and supporting projects with significant potential to create breakthroughs in the field of quantum materials. These grants have two varieties: equipment grants and rapid response grants. <b>Equipment grants</b> support the development of sophisticated and sometimes one-of-a-kind instrumentation at institutions with active research programs in quantum materials. <b>Rapid response grants</b> support projects that are exceptionally timely and have very high potential impact. These projects may include experimental tests of novel important theoretical concepts and innovative, unconventional research endeavors that are unlikely to be supported through traditional funding channels due to their high-risk nature.
4/26/2021	Foundation for Women's Wellness	<a href="#">Award</a>	\$25,000	Medical Research, Women's Health, Translational	<b>FWW Research Awards</b> target small, short-term studies with promise for improving medical care in leading women's health concerns including cardiovascular disease, female cancers, the role of hormones in disease and stage-of-life health issues like pregnancy and menopause and diseases disproportionately affecting women. FWW does not fund sociological research.

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4/30/2021 <b>Limited Submission: Apply through Research Acceleration Office</b>	NextFifty Initiative	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>  <a href="#">RAO Limited Submission</a>	Up to \$750,000	Aging, Social Science, Community Programs	Through its grant making, <b>NextFifty Initiative</b> seeks to identify and partner with organizations that are working to improve the lives of the current aging population and craft an exciting future for aging. In addition, NextFifty Initiative seeks projects that target the most vulnerable in the aging sector including low income individuals, ethnic and racial minorities, the homeless and LGBT communities. <b>Projects must be directed toward the aging or the aging-disabled population age 50 and over.</b>
4/30/2021	Lung Cancer Research Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<b>Pilot:</b> Up to \$150,00 (over 2 years)  <b>LCRF-AstraZeneca:</b> Up to \$150,00 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Lung Cancer, Translational, Early Career	The LCRF pilot grant program funds innovative projects across the full spectrum of basic, translational, clinical, epidemiological, health services, and other research focused on one or more of the following topics: Lung cancer biology; Prevention and screening for early detection; Identification of new biomarkers; Development of more effective and less toxic therapies including but not limited to targeted and immune-therapies; Mechanisms of sensitivity and resistance to lung cancer therapies; Supportive measures for people with lung cancer and their families; Quality of care and outcomes research. The LCRF-AstraZeneca grant program aims to fund innovative projects to: Understand primary and acquired resistance to osimertinib and novel combinations targeting concurrent driver mutations; Develop more effective approaches to address disease progression in patients treated with durvalumab; Discover novel biomarkers for predicting response to osimertinib or durvalumab and to identify patients who are at higher risk of recurrence (translational research preferred); Identify predictive biomarkers, understand the underlying biology and develop novel interventions for immune mediated adverse events, such as pneumonitis, in patients receiving durvalumab. Investigators must be affiliated with a non-profit academic or research institution and must be post-doctoral researchers, clinical fellows, or early-career and mid-career investigators with less than ten years' experience since their initial faculty appointment.

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4/30/2021	J.M. Kaplan Fund	<a href="#">Prize</a>	Up to \$175,000 (over 3 years)	Environment, Conservation, Social Justice	The <b>J.M.K. Innovation Prize</b> seeks to identify, support, and elevate innovators who are spearheading transformative early-stage projects in the fields of the environment, heritage conservation, and social justice. Over the three-year term, awardees are brought to two convenings each year.
4/30/21 (LOI)	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$500,000	Racial Equity, Public Health, Public Policy	Achieving racial equity and health equity in American communities requires effective solutions to the "wrong-pocket problem": we invest in systems that are designed to improve social and economic conditions—such as housing, transportation, education, income, and employment assistance; child and family supports; and legal and criminal justice services—but the financial benefits of these often flow elsewhere, in reduced costs for medical care from diseases and injuries prevented. The <b>Systems for Action: Systems and Services Research to Build a Culture of Health</b> call for proposals (CFP) will provide funding for new research to rigorously test and evaluate innovative solutions to the wrong-pocket problem that persists across health and social service systems.
4/30/2021	Alternatives Research and Development Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$40,000	Life Science, Biology, Medical Research, Animal Science	<b>ARDF's Annual Open grant program</b> was established to fund research projects that develop alternative methods to advance science and replace or reduce animal use. They have a preference for proposals that utilize in silico and in vitro methods with human cells or tissues.
4/30/2021 8/31/2021	The Elsa U. Pardee Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$200,000	Medical Research, Cancer	The foundation funds research directed toward new treatments or cures for cancer. They particularly encourage grant applications for a one-year period which allows establishment of capabilities of new cancer researchers, or new cancer approaches by established cancer researchers. Project relevance to cancer detection, treatment or cure should be clearly identified.

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5/1/2021	American Tinnitus Association	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$150,000	Medical Research, Tinnitus, Translational, Early Career	With the <b>2021 ATA Innovative Research Grants Program</b> the American Tinnitus Association supports the following program goals: (1) Attract more researchers to the field of tinnitus. (2) Encourage innovative research to advance possible cures and new treatments. (3) Advance the careers of early investigators in the field of tinnitus.
5/1/2022	American Psychological Foundation	<a href="#">Prize</a>	\$20,000	Psychology, Mental Illness	The <b>APF Alexander Galnick Research Investigator Prize</b> recognizes “exceptional individuals working in the area of serious mental illness,” including but not limited to schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, and paranoia (delusional disorder). <b>Nominees must: Have a doctoral degree and a record of significant research productivity in the area of serious mental illness; Have demonstrated research productivity in serious mental illness for a minimum of eight years; Have a record of significant involvement in training and development of more junior investigators.</b>
5/1/2021	B*CURED	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$50,000	Medical Research, Brain Cancer, Translational	The <b>Brain Cancer Research Investigator Grant</b> is presented to a clinical doctor or research scientist whose primary focus is brain cancer research. Clinical projects are encouraged, as well as translational projects with significant clinical promise. Projects for adult and pediatric brain cancer research will be considered. <b>The research project must be directly related to the field of brain cancer. Applicants must be faculty at a research institution in North America who are undertaking clinical or translational research, with the intention of applying for R01 NIH funding or the equivalent within 5 years, or undertaking innovative research to bridge from bench to animal research or to acquire preclinical data from animal models.</b>
5/1/2021	Environmental Research & Education Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$500,000 (over 3 years)	Waste Management, Biofuels, Energy	<b>General RFP:</b> Pre-proposal topics must relate to sustainable solid waste management practices and pertain to the following topic areas: Waste minimization; recycling; waste conversion to energy, biofuels, chemicals or other useful products; strategies to promote diversion to higher and better uses; and landfilling.

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5/1/2021	Lalor Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$35,000	Public Health, Sex Education	The <b>Anna Lalor Burdick Program</b> supports programs that offer sexual and reproductive health education to young women. It is interested in programs serving young women who are disadvantaged by poverty, discrimination, geographic isolation, lack of comprehensive sex education, hostile public policy, or other factors leading to inadequate sexual and reproductive health. The ALB Program is particularly interested in supporting new programs or initiatives, or innovations in successful programs. <b>While projects may take place outside the U.S., only organizations based in the United States are eligible.</b>
5/3/2021	Whiting Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	\$20,000 - \$35,000	Education, High School Programs, Liberal Arts	The <b>Whiting Foundation</b> seeks to support proven interventions that bring students into the heart of the humanities. They support organizations undertaking interventions such as teacher training, enrichment activities in or outside of school, or the development or dissemination of curricular resources. The work funded may occur anywhere in the United States but must be based in the core humanities disciplines of history, philosophy, or the study of literature and other arts, or in fields like classics that combine those disciplines. The program excludes literacy per se, language learning, and the practice of arts (e.g., creative writing).
5/3/2021	Simons Foundation (SFARI)	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$750,000 (over up to 3 years)	Medical Research, Autism, Translational	Grants awarded through the <b>2021 Human Cognitive and Behavioral Science RFA</b> are intended to produce foundational knowledge about the neurobehavioral differences associated with ASD, which will directly inform the development or refinement of tools needed for translational efforts, such as biomarkers and outcome measures. Special emphasis is placed on objective, quantitative measures that may be used in conjunction with standardized clinical measures and genomic information to better triangulate phenotypic and neurobiological variability within and across individuals with ASD. <b>Principal investigators (PIs) who do not have substantial ASD clinical expertise should include a close collaborator with such expertise on their grant application (e.g., multi-PI application).</b> SFARI recognizes the importance of diverse viewpoints for scientific advancement. As such, SFARI strongly encourages the inclusion of researchers who span institutions, career stages and groups historically underrepresented in science.

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5/3/2021 (Concept Papers)	United Engineering Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$200,000	Engineering, Education, Outreach	<b>United Engineering Foundation</b> provides funding to proposals and programs whose chief purpose is to advance engineering for the welfare of humanity. Proposals must be consistent with the mission of UEF and priorities for giving, which include programs that focus on the following areas: Diversity, Kindergarten -12th Grade Education, and Ethics and Leadership in Continuing Education. Preference is given to: Proposals for programs that are innovative and aim to integrate multiple fields and subspecialties of engineering; Proposals for programs that include outreach to engage the community; Collaborative proposals submitted on behalf of a group; Proposals which specify that grant funds will not be used to offset existing staff salaries. <b>UEF does not fund research proposals.</b>
5/3/2021 <b>Limited Submission: Apply through Research Acceleration Office</b>	W. M. Keck Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$1,000,000 (over 3 years)	Basic Science, Engineering, Medical Research	The W. M. Keck Foundation research program funds projects of \$1 million. It has two focus areas: <b>Science and Engineering Research</b> - High-risk/high-impact projects in physical science and engineering that are distinctive and novel in their approach to intractable problems, push the edge of their field, or question the prevailing paradigm. "Transformative" may mean creation of a new field of research, development of new instrumentation enabling observations not previously possible, or discovery of knowledge that challenges prevailing perspectives. <b>Medical Research</b> - Projects that advance the frontiers of the life sciences by supporting basic research that is high-risk and has the potential to transform its field or question the prevailing paradigm. <b>Projects should focus on basic research questions and not be clinical in nature. Projects should also focus on basic mechanisms with broad applications and not specific diseases.</b>

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5/4/2021	Pork Checkoff	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Unlimited	Agriculture, Pork Production, Public Health, Zoonotic Diseases	The National Pork Board is soliciting the following research proposals. <b>Impact of Feed Efficiency on Sustainable Pork Production</b> - Research proposals should have as underlying goal of improving feed efficiency across all phases of production by 5%. Submitted proposals must bring fundamental knowledge and application to improve feed efficiency and understanding the impact of feed efficiency on the downstream flow of nutrients such as nitrogen, phosphorus and carbon in the circular economy. Successful research in this area will require a variety of disciplines including but not limited to nutrition, nutritional physiology, biochemistry, immunology, mathematical modeling and ingredient chemistry. <b>Public Health Implications of Live Swine Production (LOI)</b> Submitted proposals must bring fundamental knowledge and application for continuous improvement relating to both community health and zoonotic influenza prevention in the pork industry.

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5/4/2021 (LOI)	Russell Sage Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$175,000	Social Science, Political Science, Economics, Sociology, Psychology	Proposals are sought in several areas: <b>Social, Political and Economic Inequality</b> seeks research on whether rising economic inequality has affected social, political, and economic institutions, and the extent to which increased inequality has affected equality of opportunity, social mobility, and the intergenerational transmission of advantage. They seek investigator-initiated research projects that will broaden our understanding of the causes and consequences of rising economic inequalities in the United States. <b>Behavior Economics</b> supports novel research that uses insights and methods from psychology, economics, sociology, political science and other social sciences to examine and improve social and living conditions in the United States. They seek investigator-initiated research proposals that will broaden understanding of the social, economic and political consequences of actual behaviors and decisions. <b>Future of Work</b> supports innovative research on the causes and consequences of changes in the quality of jobs for less- and moderately-skilled workers and their families. They seek investigator-initiated research proposals that will broaden understanding of the role of changes in employer practices, the nature of the labor market and public policies on the employment, earnings, and the quality of jobs of workers. <b>Decision Making and Human Behavior in Context</b> supports innovative research on decision making across the social sciences that examines causes, consequences, processes, or context from a behavioral or alternative perspective. They seek to support a wide range of research on decision-making in context by scholars in psychology, political science, sociology, and other social science fields who are pursuing questions consistent with the aims of the Foundation.

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5/5/2021 (LOI)	Crohn's and Colitis Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<b>Litwin IBD Pioneers:</b> Up to \$130,000  <b>Senior Research:</b> Up to \$115,000  <b>Career Development:</b> Up to \$90,000	Medical Research, Inflammatory Bowel Diseases, Translational Research, Early Career	<b>Litwin IBD Pioneers Initiative</b> supports innovative clinical and translational research projects with the potential to impact the treatment of IBD patients in the near future. The program encourages novel research into the diagnosis, identification of clinically relevant subsets, treatments, and cures for inflammatory bowel diseases (IBD) and funds innovative pilot research. <b>Senior Research Award</b> provides established researchers with funds to generate sufficient preliminary data to become competitive for funds from other sources. <b>Applicants must hold an M.D. or Ph.D. or equivalent degree.</b> <b>Career Development Award</b> facilitates the development of individuals for a career of independent basic or clinical investigation in the area of inflammatory bowel disease. <b>Individuals who are already will established in the field of IBD research are not eligible for this award. Applicants must hold M.D. or Ph.D. or equivalent degree.</b>
5/5/2021	William T. Grant Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grants</a>	Up to \$600,000 (over 3 years)	Inequality, Social Sciences, Public Policy	For the <b>Research Grant on Reducing Inequality RFP</b> , the William T. Grant Foundation seeks studies that aim to build, test, or increase understanding of programs, policies, or practices to reduce inequality in the academic, social, behavioral, or economic outcomes of young people. They prioritize studies about reducing inequality on the basis of race, ethnicity, economic standing, language minority status, or immigrant origins.
5/5/2021	Elevate Prize Foundation	<a href="#">Prize</a>	Minimum of \$300,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Life Sciences, Engineering, Social Science	<b>The Elevate Prize</b> is seeking to find, support, and shine a spotlight on Global Heroes, creating a multiplier effect that will allow them to more easily scale their work, impact more lives, and inspire others to tackle issues in their own communities – igniting a chain reaction of goodness across the world. Specifically, they are looking for extraordinary people leading high-impact projects and organizations who are: Elevating opportunities for all people, especially those who are traditionally left behind; Elevating issues and their solutions by building awareness and driving action to solve the most difficult problems of our world; Elevating understanding of and between people through changing people's attitudes, beliefs, and behaviors.

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5/6/2021	Spencer Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$50,000	Education Research, Conferences	The <b>Conference Grant Program</b> provides support to scholars to organize small research conferences, focused symposia, or other forms of convenings around important issues in education research. This program is intended to bring together researchers, practitioners, policymakers, and other important collaborators whose expertise, substantive knowledge and practice, theoretical insight, or methodological expertise can be engaged in ways that help to build upon and advance education research. <a href="#">We encourage applicants to think creatively about how convenings can expand the substantive work and impact of educational research on advancing racial equity.</a> <a href="#">Proposals to support annual ongoing conferences or meetings are not eligible for this program.</a> <a href="#">Relatedly, requests to fund travel to existing annual conferences or meetings are also not eligible.</a>
5/6/2021	Simons Foundation (SFARI)	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$300,000 (over 2 years)	Autism, Pilot Research	The Pilot Award is to provide early support for exploratory ideas, particularly those with novel hypotheses. Appropriate projects for this mechanism include those considered higher risk but with the potential for transformative results. <a href="#">All applicants and key collaborators must hold a PhD, MD or equivalent degree and have a faculty position.</a>
5/7/2021	Brain Aneurysm Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$50,000	Medical Research, Brain Aneurysm, Translational	The <b>Brain Aneurysm Foundation</b> invites applications for basic scientific research directed at early detection, improved treatment modalities, and technological advances that will ultimately improve outcomes for patients with brain aneurysms, as well as projects that are translational, clinical/outcome, early detection, imaging, and SAH/SAH complications focused. Any project with the potential to advance basic scientific, translational, and clinical brain aneurysm research will be considered.

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5/10/2021	Gordon & Betty Moore Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$250,000 - \$500,000	Medical Research, Sensors, Biomedical Engineering	The <b>Diagnostic Excellence Initiative</b> provides grants to develop innovative quality measures that promote excellence in diagnostic performance for three categories of disease – acute vascular events (such as stroke and myocardial infarction), infections (such as sepsis and pneumonia), and cancer (such as lung and colorectal cancer). The initiative aims to reduce harm from erroneous or delayed diagnoses, reduce costs and redundancy in the diagnostic process, improve health outcomes and save lives. <b>For this grant opportunity, there must be, at minimum, a proposed measure of diagnostic performance based on obtainable evidence in one or more of the three priority categories. The expected work requires two interlinked activities: 1) development of the rationale for a measure and 2) operationalizing the measure into an algorithm that can undergo pilot (or proof-of-concept) testing. Successful applications will describe teams and partnerships that include a multidisciplinary group of experts.</b>
5/14/2021	Ray C. Anderson Foundation	<a href="#">Grant</a>	\$100,000	Atmospheric Science, Global Warming	<b>The Ray C. Anderson Foundation NextGen Committee</b> requests proposals that would measurably reduce existing or avoid future emissions of greenhouse gases in the atmosphere. The Committee will give strong consideration to meaningful social and environmental benefits associated with the carbon reduction potential of the project.

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5/15/2021	Friedreich's Ataxia Research Alliance (FARA)	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<p><b>Bronya J. Keats International Research Collaboration Award:</b> Up to \$400,000 (over 2 years)</p> <p><b>Kyle Bryant Translational Research Award:</b> Up to \$500,000 (Over 2 years)</p>	Medical Research, Friedreich's Ataxia, Translational	<p><b>The Bronya J. Keats International Research Collaboration Award</b> supports international collaboration among investigators in at least two different countries. <b>The rationale for the collaboration needs to be convincing and must clearly demonstrate that the research goals could not be achieved by just one of the participating groups and that the synergy among the groups is essential for the success of the project. The Kyle Bryant Translational Research Award</b> honors its namesake for his diligent efforts to aid in the acceleration of preclinical studies to early pilot trials in FA patients. This award is given to proposals focused on pre-clinical and clinical investigations that will advance treatments for FA. <b>The specific aims must target one or more of the following: Identification of biomarkers for FA that will elucidate disease variability, severity, and prognosis; facilitate drug screening, and/or optimize selection of patients and clinical endpoints for clinical trials; Development of tools and technologies that can (a) be directly used for therapy development, (b) overcome existing obstacles to treatment, and (c) be directly applied to, or adapted for, delivery of potential therapeutics; Pre-clinical development and testing of potential therapeutics, biologics, and devices in cells and animals; Clinical studies of patient outcome measures.</b></p>
5/15/2021 (Concept Paper)	Gerber Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$350,000 (over 3 years)	Health, Nutrition, Human Development, Infants, Youth	<p>The foundation awards grants for research projects focused on issues faced by care providers that, when implemented, will improve health, nutrition, and/or developmental outcomes for infants and young children. Projects may address etiologic mechanisms of disease; new, improved, or less invasive diagnostic procedures; reduction or elimination of side effects; alleviation of symptoms; new, improved, or less invasive therapies or treatments; dosage or dosing requirements or mechanisms for drugs, nutrient supplementation, or other therapeutic measures (under or overdosing); and preventative measures. Priority is given to projects offering a substantial promise of meaningful advances in prevention and treatment of diseases, as well as those with broad applicability to the general population on a regional or national level.</p>

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5/24/2021	Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI)	<a href="#">Project Grant</a>	<p><b>COVID-19:</b> \$200,000 (over 18 months)</p> <p><b>IDD:</b> \$250,000 (over 18 months)</p>	Medical Research, COVID-19, Developmental Disabilities, Community Outreach	The <b>Eugene Washington PCORI Engagement Awards</b> support projects—not research studies— that encourage active, meaningful involvement of patients, caregivers, clinicians, and other healthcare stakeholders as integral members of the patient-centered outcomes research/comparative clinical effectiveness research (PCOR/CER) enterprise. <b>Building Capacity for PCOR/CER for Topics Related to COVID-19</b> - This will support projects that enable organizations and communities to build their capacity and skills to participate across all phases of the PCOR/CER process on topics that address health outcomes related to COVID-19. <b>Building Capacity for PCOR/CER in Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities</b> - This opportunity will support projects that enable organizations and communities to build their capacity and skills to participate across all phases of the PCOR/CER process on topics that address health outcomes related to intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD).
5/25/2021	Chan Zuckerberg Initiative	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Unlimited	Biology, Data Science	The <b>Ancestry Networks for the Human Cell Atlas RFA</b> is intended to bring together teams of experts to ethically and appropriately generate data derived from tissues from people whose ancestral groups are historically understudied and thereby expand the ancestral diversity of single-cell data that is available via the HCA, and utilize best practices and build up systems to enable long-term engagement of potential participants and donors from diverse communities to contribute to the current and future drafts of the HCA. This work will help provide insights into the contribution of genetic ancestry to disease now and in the future, resulting in an atlas that may be more generalizable and representative of the diversity found in the global human population. <b>Teams should consist of at least three principal investigators (PIs), including at least one computational biologist or data scientist and at least one single-cell biology expert.</b> Women and individuals from underrepresented racial or ethnic groups are strongly encouraged to apply.

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5/28/2021 (LOI) 10/1/2021 (LOI)	The Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<b>PACT:</b> Up to \$3,000,000 <b>DD:</b> Up to \$600,000 <b>PP:</b> Up to \$3,000,000 <b>BD:</b> Up to \$600,000	Medical Research, Alzheimer's Disease	ADDF currently has four opportunities: The <b>Program to Accelerate Clinical Trials (PACT)</b> supports support Phase 0 through Phase 2 clinical trials, experimental medicine studies in human subjects, and IND-enabling studies. The <b>Drug Discovery (DD)</b> program supports programs that advance novel lead molecules to the clinical candidate selection stage, or build preclinical evidence in relevant animal models for repurposed/repositioned drugs. The <b>Prevention Pipeline (PP)</b> program supports studies of cognitive symptoms due to health conditions, comparative effectiveness research, and epidemiological studies that probe whether the use or choice of drugs alters the risk for dementia or cognitive decline. The <b>Biomarkers Development (BD)</b> program supports the development and validation of biomarkers that will enhance the design and performance of clinical trials for Alzheimer's disease and related dementias. <b>Funding in all programs is open to researchers, clinicians, and postdoctoral fellows.</b>
5/31/2021	Foundation for Sarcoidosis Research	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$25,000	Medical Research, Sarcoidosis, Translational	The <b>FSR Small Grant</b> aims to support smaller scale or pilot research projects, which can be supported either singularly by FSR or through a partnership with additional funders. Proposals are encouraged from investigators across a variety of disciplines, submitting projects which will lead to direct and significant impact upon sarcoidosis research. <b>Proposals for research studies focused on areas other than sarcoidosis are not eligible.</b>
6/1/2021	Kurt Weill Foundation for Music	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$15,000	Music Performance	Funding may be requested by colleges and universities in support of general production expenses for performances of Kurt Weill's and/or Marc Blitzstein's stage works, and to cover musical expenses in connection with performances of Weill's or Blitzstein's concert works. <b>All works must be presented in their original versions and orchestrations or in authorized arrangements. Other more specific restrictions and guidelines are listed on the funders website.</b>

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6/1/2021	Lupus Research Alliance	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$1,000,000 (over 4 years)	Medical Research, Lupus, Translational, Biology	<b>The Distinguished Innovator Award</b> provides outstanding scientists with substantial support to conduct highly innovative research into the fundamental causes of systemic lupus erythematosus and so provide new directions towards a cure. The research proposal must aim to uncover the fundamental causes of lupus and present a compelling vision of how the discovery would lay the groundwork for a cure, prevention, or highly effective therapy. They encourage applications from investigators in diverse disciplines including, but not limited to, immunology, genetics, molecular-, cell- and systems biology.
6/1/2021 10/1/2021	Clif Bar Family Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$7,000	Community Service, Environment, Outdoor Activity, Food Systems	Small grants are awarded for general organizational support as well as funding for specific projects. Priority is given to applicants that address the funding priorities from a holistic perspective: Protect Earth's beauty and bounty; Create a robust, healthy food system; Increase opportunities for outdoor activity; Reduce environmental health hazards; Build stronger communities. Programs/projects should demonstrate strong community ties and operate at the community level. <b>At this time, only US-based 501(c)3 organizations (or groups with a 501(c)3 fiscal sponsor) are eligible for our small grants programs.</b>
6/1/2021	Wenner-Gren Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$20,000	Anthropology	Grants are available for conferences and workshops that bring international scholars together to develop anthropological knowledge and debate. Priority is given to events that foster the creation of an international community of research scholars in anthropology and advance significant and innovative anthropological research.

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6/4/2021	International Fibrodysplasia Ossificans Progressiva Association	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$90,000	Medical Research, Fibrodysplasia Ossificans Progressiva, Translational	The IFOPA offers the <b>ACT (Accelerating Cures and Treatments) for FOP</b> grant program to help enable the research and development of safe and transformative therapies for fibrodysplasia ossificans progressiva (FOP). Research grants should focus on the discovery and advancement of therapeutic approaches to FOP, including: Potential new therapies that either provide a novel approach to treating FOP or have convincing animal data to warrant further research; Preclinical research that investigates a drug's effectiveness on post-resection of heterotopic bone; Research that assesses novel imaging techniques that have the near term potential to be used as a biomarker or endpoint in clinical trials; Research that further elucidates the mechanisms for FOP muscle regeneration as well as tendon and ligament repair.
6/9/2021	National Forest Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	\$25,000 (Average award)	Environmental Management, Forestry, Education	The <b>National Forest Foundation (NFF) Matching Awards Program (MAP)</b> provides funding for results-oriented on-the-ground projects that enhance forest health and outdoor experiences on National Forests and Grasslands. They have two program areas: <b>Outdoor Experiences</b> - projects that improve the quality, condition, and care of Outdoor Experiences on National Forests by Improving or maintaining recreation resource connectivity including, and similar to: trail maintenance, bridge and crossing construction or repair, and installation of trail drainage structures; and/or engaging youth, volunteers, or diverse, underserved or under-engaged populations in hands-on stewardship activities; and/or employing youth and/or veterans crews to implement on-the-ground conservation, stewardship and/or restoration work. <b>Forest Health</b> - results-oriented, on-the-ground, citizen-involved projects that maintain and/or restore ecosystem resiliency on National Forests by promoting ecosystem structure, function and diversity; and/or promoting forest health through the removal or control of non-native invasive species, and/or reintroduction of native plants and trees. Applications that cohesively integrate the two program areas are encouraged.

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6/11/2021 (Online Funding Inquiry)	John Templeton Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	\$50,000 - \$3 Million	Community Outreach, Character Development	The <b>Character Virtue Development department</b> at the John Templeton Foundation invites proposals from organizations that seek to strengthen their understanding and practice of character development through communities of practice. In talking about "character," they are referring to the thoughts, attitudes, and motivations that guide a person's behavior. A "community of practice" is a group of people who share a concern or a passion for something they do and learn how to do it better as they interact regularly.
6/11/2021	Vilcek Foundation	<a href="#">Prize</a>	\$50,000	Biomedical Science, Dance, Early Career	The <b>Vilcek Prizes For Creative Promise in Biomedical Science and Dance</b> recognize young foreign-born biomedical scientists and artists who demonstrate outstanding early achievement. Eligible work may be in basic, applied, and/or translational biomedical science. <b>Applicant must: have been born outside the United States; not be more than 38 years old as of December 31, 2021 (born on or after January 1, 1983); be a naturalized citizen or permanent resident; biomedical scientists must have earned a doctoral degree (MD, PhD, or equivalent); Dancer must be professional artistic director, choreographer or performer.</b>
6/15/2021	Holberg Prize	<a href="#">Prize</a>	NOK 6,000,000 (~\$700,000)	Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences, Law, Theology	The <b>Holberg Prize</b> is an international prize awarded for outstanding contributions to research in the arts and humanities, social sciences, law and theology. Scholars holding positions at universities, academies, and other research institutions, are entitled to nominate candidates to the Holberg Prize. <b>Self-nominations and post-humous nominations are not accepted.</b>

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6/15/2021 (LOI)	The LAM Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<p><b>Pilot and Feasibility:</b> Up to \$50,000</p> <p><b>Career Development:</b> Up to \$60,000 (over 3 years)</p> <p><b>Established Investigator:</b> Up to \$50,000 (over 2-3 years)</p>	Medical Research, Lung Disease, Early Career	<p><b>Pilot and Feasibility:</b> provides funds to encourage the development and testing of new hypotheses and/or new methods in research areas relevant to LAM. Proposed work must be hypothesis generating or hypothesis testing, reflecting innovative approaches to important questions in LAM research. <b>Career Development:</b> provides support for postdoctoral research fellows who are starting their research careers and are working in the labs of established researchers. <b>Candidates must have an M.D., Ph.D. or equivalent degrees with less than three years in a faculty position who intend to pursue a career in LAM research.</b> <b>Established Investigator:</b> provides funds to faculty level investigators for technician support and supplies to encourage of new information that contributes to the understanding of the basic biology of LAM expression, and the pathogenesis/management of LAM.</p>
6/15/2021	11th Hour Racing	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000	Environmental & Life Sciences, Oceans, Water Quality	<p><b>11th Hour Racing</b> seeks proposals that align with one or more of our focus areas: Solutions that Reduce Plastic Pollution, Ocean Literacy and Stewardship amongst coastal communities, Clean Technologies and Best Practices that reduce the environmental impact of the maritime industry and coastal communities, and Projects tackling water quality issues and climate change through Ecosystem Restoration. <b>Grant funding must be tied to a specific project, with measurable outcomes. They do not offer general funding, capital or infrastructure grants, or endowment funding.</b></p>

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6/15/2021 (LOI) 10/15/2021 (LOI)	National MPS Society	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	<b>Tier I:</b> Up to \$200,000 (over 2-4 years)  <b>Tier II:</b> Up to \$100,000 (over 2-4 years)	Medical Research, MPS, Translational	The <b>National MPS Society</b> funds research that may lead to treatments for MPS diseases and solicits applications for innovative research projects that involve basic research, translational studies and clinical research. The Society welcomes submissions of any type, but specifically seeks applications in the current cycle that address those topics listed on their website. <b>Tier I</b> - This award will address complex or multidisciplinary research questions and/or unmet needs in basic, translational, clinical, or diagnostic aspects of the MPS and ML disorders. <b>Tier II</b> - These awards may address any of the following: discreet studies or deliverables involving drug repurposing, models, etc.; research needs designed to make possible a significant and new research grant; research needs designed to improve a resubmission of a significant research grant; analysis of previously compiled data or research resources; pre-clinical extension to an alternate syndrome of a previously validated therapy.
6/15/2021 (LOI)	Aplastic Anemia and MDS International Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$60,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Bone Marrow Disorders, Translational, Early Career	The Aplastic Anemia and MDS International Foundation, Inc. (AAMDSIF) is pleased to help researchers dedicated to the study of bone marrow disorders, advance the understanding, prevention and treatment of the following bone marrow disorders: Aplastic Anemia (focus on acquired); Myelodysplastic Syndromes (MDS) o MDS transition to Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML); Overlap between Myelodysplastic Syndromes and Myeloproliferative Neoplasms (MDS/MPN) o Includes Chronic Myelomonocytic Leukemia (CMML); Paroxysmal Nocturnal Hemoglobinuria (PNH); Pure Red Cell Aplasia (PRCA). <b>To be eligible to apply for a research grant, an applicant must hold a Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Philosophy, Doctor of Osteopathy, Doctor of Science, or other doctoral level degree (e.g., PharmD). Preference will be given to New Investigators who propose a project that will contribute toward their professional development in bone marrow failure disease research.</b>
6/15/2021 (LOI)	The Retirement Research Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$250,000	Retirement, Aging, Advocacy	Proposals are sought for RRF's <b>Responsive Grants Programs</b> . The areas of interest include advocacy, direct service, professional education and training, and research seeking causes and solutions to significant problems for older adults.

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6/18/2021	Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$1,000,000 (over 5 years)	Medical Research, Pediatric Cancers, Early Career	The ' <b>A' Award</b> provides \$200,000 annually for four years (with the possibility of additional funding for a fifth year) to early independent career scientists who want to establish a career in pediatric oncology research. The ideal applicant has an original project that is not currently being funded. <b>Applicants must have an M.D., Ph.D. or dual M.D., Ph.D. (D.O., MBBS or equivalent) and be within 5 years of their first faculty appointment as an Assistant Professor. Associate and Full Professors are ineligible.</b>
CSU Deadline: TBD Brain Research Foundation Deadline: 6/24/2021 (LOI) <b>Limited</b>	Brain Research Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$150,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Neuroscience,	Brain Research Foundation has invited eligible US academic institutions to nominate one senior faculty member (Associate and Full Professor) to submit a Letter of Intent for the <b>Scientific Innovations Award (SIA)</b> . Brain Research Foundation's Scientific Innovations Award Program provides funding for innovative science in both basic and clinical neuroscience. This funding mechanism is designed to support creative, exploratory, cutting edge research in well-established research laboratories, under the direction of established investigators. <b>The nominated candidate must be a full-time associate professor or full professor at an invited US academic institution, working in the area of studies of brain function in health and disease. Current major NIH or other peer-reviewed funding is preferred but evidence of such funding in the past three years is essential. The grant proposal must detail a new research project that is not funded by other sources. This grant is not to be used as bridge funding.</b>
6/25/2021	Bank of America	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$50,000	Community Outreach, Economic Mobility, Arts and Humanities, Social Science	In 2021, <b>The Bank of America Charitable Foundation</b> seeks proposals on the priority focus area of Economic Mobility. The February deadline is focused on needs of individuals and families (workforce development & education and basic needs), and the June round will focus on needs of community (affordable housing, small business, neighborhood revitalization).

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6/30/2021	Dannon Company	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	\$30,000	Food Systems, Community Health	The <b>“One Planet. One Health” Initiative</b> is a competitive program that will select and fund up to five transdisciplinary teams in 2021 to design, implement and evaluate actionable community-based projects on sustainable food systems that contribute to the nutritional health of populations and support communication about their impact. This initiative will provide seed funding for projects such as pilot studies, feasibility testing, needs assessments and planning grants. <b>Teams should include four core team members representing diverse disciplines related to food systems, including, but not limited to, nutrition, health, economics, agriculture, community food access and social or environmental sciences. All team members must actively work together on the project rather than serving exclusively in an advisory role. At least one team member must be a faculty member from a U.S. or Canadian institution of higher education.</b>
6/30/2021 (Executive Summary)	BIRD Energy	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$1,000,000	Engineering, Renewable Energy	<b>BIRD Energy</b> develops innovation through U.S.-Israel cooperation on a range of clean energy technologies, including renewable energy, energy efficiency, natural gas, and energy-water technologies. <b>Projects that qualify for BIRD Energy funding must include the following: R&amp;D cooperation between two companies or cooperation between a company and a university/research institution (one from the United States and one from Israel); Innovation in any areas of renewable energy and energy efficiency, such as solar and wind power, advanced vehicle technologies and alternative fuels, smart grid, storage, water-energy nexus, advanced manufacturing, etc.; Significant commercial potential; the project outcome should lead to commercialization.</b>

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6/30/2021	Aaron Copland Fund for Music	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$20,000	Music Performance, Contemporary American Music	Funds are available for General Operating Support for professional performing ensembles and presenting organizations with a history of substantial commitment to contemporary American music and with plans to continue that commitment. The program also provides Project Support for exceptionally important activities relating to contemporary American music proposed by professional performing ensembles and presenting organizations that do not normally feature contemporary American music in their programming.  <b>Applicants must have a performance history as an ensemble or presenter of at least two years at the time of application. Individuals and student ensembles are not eligible.</b>
6/30/2021	Children's Leukemia Research Association	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$30,000	Medical Research, Childhood Leukemia	Proposals are sought from investigators for promising projects focused on isolating the causes of and finding a cure for childhood leukemia. <b>Funding from other sources is permissible, but CLRA funding objectives should not duplicate those of other funding sources. Any doctor at the Ph.D. or M.D. level involved in finding the causes of and a cure for leukemia is eligible to apply.</b>
6/30/2021 10/8/2021 1/6/2021	Pfizer	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Unlimited	Medical Research, Oncology, Translational	Pfizer supports <b>Investigator Sponsored Research (ISR) projects</b> that advance medical and scientific knowledge about their therapies. This grant type is used as support for pre-clinical and clinical studies (including interventional and non-interventional), that involve a Pfizer asset (e.g., commercial drug, investigational drug, pure compound). Pfizer also supports general research projects focused on the development or refinement of specific and defined medical knowledge unrelated to a Pfizer asset. A list of Oncology assets available for ISR proposals, including Areas of Interest, are available on <a href="http://www.Pfizer.com/ISR">www.Pfizer.com/ISR</a>

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6/30/2021 10/31/2021	The Mohamed bin Zayed Species Conservation Fund	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$25,000	Conservation, Environment	The <b>Mohamed bin Zayed Species Conservation Fund</b> was established to provide targeted grants to individual species conservation initiatives, recognize leaders in the field and elevate the importance of species in the broader conservation debate. Its focus is global and eligibility for grants will extend to all plant, animal and fungi species conservation efforts, without discrimination on the basis of region or selected species. The Fund is primarily interested in in situ species conservation work, but will consider applications for an ex situ project where it is demonstrated to be critical to the survival of the species concerned. <b>Anyone directly involved in species conservation can apply to the Fund for a grant.</b>
7/1/2021 (Pre-proposal) 11/1/2021 (Pre-Proposal)	Partnership for Clean Competition	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$225,000	Medical Research, Sports Science, Translational	Proposals are sought for original work that focuses on improving existing analytical methods for detecting particular drugs, developing new analytical methods to test for substances not currently detectable, and discovering cost-effective approaches for testing widely abused substances across all levels of sport, the following areas of investigation reflect the PCC's current research priorities: Developing methods of cost-effective testing to detect and deter the use of banned and illegal substances; Developing testing protocols to detect designer substances; Improving existing analytical methods to detect particular drugs; Developing analytical methods to detect PEDs not currently detectable; Longitudinal urinary excretion patterns; Critical reviews to support interpretation of laboratory data; Alt. specimens, (ex. oral fluid, dried blood/plasma) for testing.

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7/1/2021	Damon Runyon Cancer Research Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$800,000	Medical Research, Cancer, Early Career	The <b>Damon Runyon-Rachleff Innovation Award</b> is designed to provide support for the next generation of exceptionally creative thinkers with “high-risk/high-reward” ideas that have the potential to significantly impact our understanding of and/or approaches to the prevention, diagnosis or treatment of cancer. The Innovation Award is specifically designed to provide funding to extraordinary early career researchers who have an innovative new idea but lack sufficient preliminary data to obtain traditional funding. It is not designed to fund incremental advances. The research supported by the award must be novel, exceptionally creative and, if successful, have the strong potential for high impact in the cancer field. <b>Applicants must belong to one of the following categories: Tenure-track Assistant Professors within the first four years of obtaining their initial Assistant Professor position; Clinical Instructors and Senior Clinical Fellows (in the final year of their sub-specialty training) holding an MD who are pursuing a period of independent research before taking a tenure-track faculty position; Distinguished Fellows with an exceptional record of research accomplishment identified by their institution.</b>
7/1/2021	Fibrolamellar Cancer Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$180,000	Medical Research, Cancer, Fibrolamellar Hepatocellular Carcinoma, Translational	The <b>Fibrolamellar Cancer Foundation</b> is accepting proposals to support innovative research, leading to curative treatments for this aggressive teen/young adult liver cancer. The research must focus on fibrolamellar hepatocellular carcinoma. Studies should be intended to advance knowledge in the areas of FL-CC. Of particular interest are those showing a clear path to clinical trials. <b>Collaboration and open sourcing is a requirement for FCF funding and will be so specified in any grant agreement.</b>

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7/5/2021 10/4/2021	Microsoft Corporation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000	Engineering, Computer Science, Ecosystem Science, Agriculture, Scientific Modeling	<b>Microsoft's AI for Earth</b> program supports novel projects that create and deploy AI tools to improve the way we monitor, model, understand, and ultimately manage Earth's natural resources for a more sustainable future. The grants given by the partnership will support projects that use cloud computing to create and deploy open-source models and algorithms that make key analytical processes more efficient in the field. This partnership is focused on supporting projects that will build tools such as applications, application programming interfaces (APIs), or packages to be shared.
7/15/2021 (LOI)	Friedreich's Ataxia Research Alliance	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$300,000 (over 2 years)	Medical Research, Neuroscience, Early Career	<b>General Research Grants</b> are open to qualified investigators proposing projects that fall within FARA Research Priorities: advancing understanding of neuroscience, advancing understanding of cardiac disease in FA, advance drug discovery, facilitate the drug development process and translational research, and advance clinical research. <b>FARA encourages applications from junior investigators and young clinicians.</b>
7/15/2021 11/15/2021	Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation	<a href="#">Event Grant</a>	Up to \$750,000	Events, Physics, Scientific Meetings	The <b>Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation Convening Awards</b> support small scientific meetings to promote collaboration and enable a number of individuals to gather and have focused discussions and presentations. Each year, they will fund one grant up to \$75,000 and two additional grants up to \$25,000 to support scientific meetings. <b>Organizers of all nationalities and all physics subfields are eligible.</b>
7/15/2021 11/15/2021	The Emily Davie and Joseph S. Kornfeld Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$200,000	Medical Research, Education, Bioethics	The <b>Emily Davie and Joseph S. Kornfeld Foundation's</b> interests include bioethics, palliative care, medical research and education. Grants in the past have been offered in the areas of ALS research, community service, palliative care, education, and more.
7/15/2021 (Preliminary Proposals)	Glaucoma Research Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$50,000	Medical Research, Glaucoma, Translational	<b>Shaffer Grants</b> support new high-impact clinical, epidemiological and laboratory research based on GRF's strategic research goals: Protect and restore the optic nerve; Accurately detect glaucoma and monitor its progress; Find the genes responsible for glaucoma; Understand the intraocular pressure system and develop better treatments; Determine the risk factors for glaucoma damage using systematic outcomes data.

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7/15/2021	Leakey Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grants</a>	Up to \$25,000	Biology, Human Origins, Social Sciences	The <b>Leakey Foundation</b> exclusively funds research related to human origins. Priority of funding is commonly given to exploratory phases of promising new research projects that meet the stated purpose of the Foundation.
8/1/2021	American Floral Endowment	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$45,000	Botany, Agricultural Science	<b>AFE</b> research solves scientific challenges posed by disease, pests, and other environmental issues. This research benefits not only growers but every segment of the industry down to the consumer. The primary research priorities are: Botrytis Control and Management; Thrips Control and Management; Postharvest Technology; Production Technology; Advanced Breeding Technology, including CRISPR; Long-Term Storage and Shipping Conditions for Cut Flowers; Bedding and Potted Plants; Automation and Technology Leading to Labor Savings.
8/1/2021 12/1/2021	Brady Education Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000 per year	Education	The Foundation pursues its mission by promoting collaboration between researchers and educators via the funding of program development and program evaluations in education. Currently, the Foundation is particularly focused on evaluating the effectiveness of programs designed to promote positive cognitive and/or achievement outcomes for children (birth through 18 years) from underserved groups and/or low-resourced communities (minority ethnic groups, low-income families).
8/1/2021 (LOI)	Tulane National Primate Research Center	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$60,000	Primate Research, Biomedical Science	The purpose of the <b>Pilot Research Program</b> is to provide funds to investigators who show promise of developing a strong career in nonhuman primate biomedical research or who wish to add a nonhuman primate component to their existing research programs. The program is also open to investigators with established research programs using nonhuman primates who wish to develop substantially new research directions.

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8/2/2021	Terra Foundation for American Art	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$350,000	Visual Art, Exhibitions	The <b>Terra Foundation</b> supports exhibitions that increase the understanding and appreciation of historical American art (circa 1500–1980). The foundation has a particular interest in exhibitions that add an international dimension to the study or presentation of historical American art or take place in Chicago, where we're headquartered. "International dimensions" vary by project, but include: A venue outside the United States; A focused thesis that makes a significant contribution to scholarship on historical American art in an international context; and/or An international curatorial team.
8/6/2021 (LOI)	Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$500,000	Medical Research, Inflammatory Bowel Disease, Translational	The Crohn's & Colitis Foundation seeks to accelerate the development of products that aim to improve the quality of life of patients with inflammatory bowel diseases. Toward that end, the Foundation has launched <b>IBD Ventures</b> , a new program and dedicated funding mechanism to support product-oriented research and development. <b>The Principal Investigator (PI) must be a faculty member actively conducting research in the area of sensor technologies for healthcare applications. If the PI does not have experience in IBD research, collaborators with experience in IBD should be identified as needed to support the project objectives.</b>
8/31/2021	Engineering Information Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$25,000	Engineering	The <b>Engineering Information Foundation</b> supports developmental projects, instructional projects, and training programs in engineering education and research that fit our fields of interest. These currently include the availability and use of published information, women in engineering, and information access in developing countries.

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9/1/2021 (LOI)	Samuel H. Kress Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$50,000	Visual Arts, Art History, Art Education	The <b>Digital Art History Program</b> is intended to foster new forms of research and collaboration and new approaches to teaching and learning. Support may be offered for the digitization of important visual resources (especially art history photographic archives) in the area of pre-modern European art history; of primary textual sources (especially the literary and documentary sources of European art history); for promising initiatives in online publishing; and for innovative experiments in the field of digital art history. <b>Please note that this grant program does not typically support the digitization of museum object collections.</b>
9/1/2021	Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts	<a href="#">Project Grant</a>	Up to \$120,000	Visual Arts	The Foundation's grantmaking activity is focused on serving the needs of artists by funding the institutions that support them. Grants are made for scholarly exhibitions at museums; curatorial research; visual arts programming at artist-centered organizations; artist residencies and commissions; arts writing; and efforts to promote the health, welfare and first amendment rights of artists. <b>The Foundation will only consider proposals for museum exhibitions opening no sooner than six months from the grant notification date (July 1 or January 1).</b>
9/1/2021 (LOI) 12/15/2021 (LOI)	Samuel H. Kress Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000	Visual Arts, Art History, Art Education	The <b>History of Art</b> program supports scholarly projects that will enhance the appreciation and understanding of European art and architecture. Grants are awarded to projects that create and disseminate specialized knowledge, including archival projects, development and dissemination of scholarly databases, documentation projects, museum exhibitions and publications, photographic campaigns, scholarly catalogues and publications, and technical and scientific studies. Grants are also awarded for activities that permit art historians to share their expertise through international exchanges, professional meetings, conferences, symposia, consultations, the presentation of research, and other professional events.

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9/1/2021 (LOI) 12/15/2021 (LOI)	Kress Foundation	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$25,000	Visual Arts, Art History, Art Preservation	The <b>Conservation program</b> supports the professional practice of art conservation, especially as it relates to European art of the pre-modern era. Grants are awarded to projects that create and disseminate specialized knowledge, including archival projects, development and dissemination of scholarly databases, documentation projects, exhibitions and publications focusing on art conservation, scholarly publications, and technical and scientific studies. Grants are also awarded for activities that permit conservators and conservation scientists to share their expertise with both professional colleagues and a broad audience through international exchanges, professional meetings, conferences, symposia, consultations, the presentation of research, exhibitions that include a prominent focus on materials and techniques, and other professional events.
9/10/21 (LOI)	Foundation for Prader-Willi Research	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000	Medical Research, Prader-Willi Syndrome, Translational	The <b>Foundation for Prader-Willi Research (FPWR)</b> is dedicated to supporting research to advance the understanding and treatment of Prader-Willi syndrome (PWS). FPWR accepts applications in all areas of research relevant to PWS, but we are particularly interested in supporting projects that will lead to new interventions to alleviate the symptoms associated with PWS.
9/15/2021	Les Paul Foundation	<a href="#">Grant</a>	Up to \$50,000	Music, Engineering, Hearing Loss	The <b>Les Paul Foundation</b> invites applications for its grants program, which awards grants to programs and projects that explore music innovation and engineering, as well as medical research on hearing loss.

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9/15/2021 (LOI)	Eppley Foundation for Research	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$30,000	Chemistry, Physics, Biology, Ecology, Climate Change	Proposals are sought that increase knowledge in chemistry, physics and biology through study, research and publication. <b>The Foundation does not support work in the social sciences, education or computer science, and only rarely funds research into diseases that have considerable financial support available, such as AIDS, diabetes, cancer and heart disease.</b> Particular areas of interest include innovative medical investigations, climate change, whole ecosystem studies, as well as research on single species if they are of particular significance in their environments, in the U.S. and abroad. <b>The Foundation does not fund work that can qualify for funding from conventional sources such as the National Science Foundation or the National Institutes of Health, or similar agencies at the state level.</b> It is important to the Foundation that the work proposed be novel in its insights and unlikely to be underway elsewhere. <b>PhDs or MDs with an established record of publication in their specialties are eligible. Candidates with newly awarded doctorates occasionally, but rarely, meet the Foundation's requirements for advanced research.</b>
9/26/2021	University of Pennsylvania	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$250,000	Psychology, Social Science	The goal of the <b>Primals Research Awards</b> is to promote new empirical research exploring how primal world beliefs ('primals') are formed, maintained, change, or influence nontrivial outcomes or psychological processes. Primals are basic perceptions of the general character of the world as a whole, such as the world is dangerous and the world is interesting, that correlate with many behaviors and wellbeing-related variables.
10/15/2021	American Cancer Society	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$660,000 (over 4 years)	Medical Research, Cancer, Translational, Early Career	The <b>Research Scholar Grant (RSG)</b> supports investigator-initiated projects across the cancer research continuum. <b>Independent investigators in the first 6 years of an independent research career or faculty appointment are eligible to apply. Eligibility is extended for 8 years for clinician scientists who remain active in clinical care. Applicants typically must be within 12 years of receiving a terminal (doctorate) degree and cannot have more than one R01/R01-like grant (&gt;\$100,000/year direct costs for more than 3 years) as principal investigator at the time of application.</b>

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10/15/2021	American Cancer Society	<a href="#">Research Grants</a>	<p><b>The Role of Health Policy...:</b> Up to \$600,000 over 5 years</p> <p><b>Pilot and Exploratory Projects...:</b> Up to \$500,000</p>	Cancer Care Research, Public Policy, Palliative Care	<p>The American Cancer Society has special Initiatives that may be of interest to CSU researchers: <b>RFA: The Role of Health Policy and Health Insurance in Improving Access to and Performance of Cancer Care</b> - A call for research that evaluates the impact of the many changes now occurring in the healthcare system with a particular focus on cancer prevention, control, and treatment. They are keenly interested in supporting rapid learning research to study the effects of health policy changes on patients, providers, and health systems. This includes but is not limited to: Facilitators and barriers to care; Unintended consequences; Differential experiences and outcomes of patients seeking or receiving care; Best practice models for quality care; and, Economic Impact.</p> <p><b>RFA: Pilot and Exploratory Projects in Palliative Care of Cancer Patients and Their Families</b> - Provides funding for investigators to perform pilot and exploratory research studies with the purpose of testing interventions, developing research methodologies, or exploring novel areas of research in palliative care for cancer patients and their families. This RFA is limited to applications that focus on palliative care research projects for seriously ill cancer patients and their families in 3 specific areas: 1. Exploring the relationship of pain and other distressing symptoms on quality and quantity of life, independence, function, and disability and developing interventions directed at their treatment in patients with advanced and chronic illnesses; 2. Studying methods of improving communication between cancer survivors living with serious illness with their families and health care providers; 3. Evaluating models and systems of care for patients living with advanced illness and their families.</p>

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11/1/2021	Fahs-Beck Fund for Research and Experimentation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$20,000	Social Science, Public Health, Psychology	Grants are available to help support the research of faculty members or post-doctoral researchers affiliated with non-profit human service organizations in the United States and Canada. Areas of interest to the Fund are: studies to develop, refine, evaluate, or disseminate innovative interventions designed to prevent or ameliorate major social, psychological, behavioral or public health problems affecting children, adults, couples, families, or communities, or studies that have the potential for adding significantly to knowledge about such problems. <b>The research for which funding is requested must focus on the United States or Canada or on a comparison between the United States or Canada and one or more other countries.</b>
Rolling	AMD	<a href="#">HPC Research Assistance</a>	N/A	Medical Research, COVID-19	<b>AMD</b> teams with Penguin Computing to contribute high-performance computing (HPC) systems for pandemic research. AMD EPYC™ CPUs and AMD Radeon™ Instinct GPUs to power focused research programs at leading institutions. The recipient universities are expected to utilize the new compute capacity across a range of pandemic-related workloads including genomics, vaccine development, transmission science and modeling.
Rolling	Pfizer Inc.	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Unlimited	Medical Research, COVID-19, Vaccines, Translational	Pfizer is currently accepting <b>COVID-19 general research grant</b> requests that address the following areas: Studies evaluating COVID-19 burden of disease and sero-epidemiological surveys among specific populations; Epidemiology studies evaluating direct & indirect impact, including modeling approaches, of Pfizer's vaccine particularly in specific patient populations; Studies measuring the impact of efforts to overcome vaccine hesitancy and enhance vaccine uptake. <b>Currently, they are not accepting applications for clinical research that studies the safety, immunogenicity, and/or efficacy of Pfizer's COVID-19 vaccine. To ensure vaccine availability for the general public, Pfizer is unable to provide COVID-19 vaccine as part of a grant.</b>

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Rolling	Internet Society Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$200,000 (over 2 years)	Computer Science, Social Science, Economics, Ecology	The <b>Internet Society Foundation</b> has announced a new grants program in support of researchers worldwide who are studying the future and sustainability of the Internet. Through the program, grants are available for research focused in one of two categories: Greening the Internet and The Internet Economy.
Rolling	Merck	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	€300,000 - €1,500,000 (over 3 years) ~ \$325,000 - \$1,620,000	Medical Research, Pandemic Preparedness	<b>Pandemic preparedness</b> - Project proposals will be considered that leverage modern technologies to create new breakthrough solutions to be more prepared for pandemic outbreaks or work towards existing solutions that could help to fight emerging viral infections.
Rolling	North Pacific Research Board	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$800,000	Life Sciences, Biological Research, Social Science	The <b>North Pacific Research Board</b> provides grants to organizations to conduct research activities on, or relating to, fisheries and marine ecosystems in the North Pacific Ocean, Bering Sea, Aleutian Islands, Gulf of Alaska, and Arctic. NPRB prioritizes research that improves understanding of marine ecosystems and enhances effective fishery management and sustainable use of marine resources.
Rolling	Open Technology Fund	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$50,000 - \$200,000	Computer Science, Digital Security, Internet Freedom	The <b>Internet Freedom Fund</b> supports technologists and activists working bring to life ideas that advance inclusive and safe access to global communications networks, counteract censorship and surveillance, and mitigate digital security threats to Internet freedom specifically for at-risk users, journalists, human-rights defenders, civil society activists, and others living in repressive environments. Projects must fall within one of the following areas: Technology Development, Applied Research, Digital Security, or Community Convenings.
Rolling	Reckitt Benckiser	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$150,000 (over 6-9 months)	Chemistry, Biology	Reckitt Benckiser is seeking alternative germ-killing actives to quaternary ammonium for use in Lysol and Dettol that are equally effective at low concentrations, high dilutions, and direct replacement volumes.

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Rolling	Transformational Partnerships Fund	<a href="#">Programmatic Grant</a>	Up to \$100,000	Diversity Equity and Inclusion, Student Success	The Transformational Partnerships Fund supports colleges and universities interested in exploring partnerships and collaborations that could fundamentally transform the way they operate — centering students in solutions that deliver stability and success. <b>Catalytic grants</b> can be used to engage third-party technical assistance providers knowledgeable in law, finance, governance, fundraising, human resources, and other related fields. These grants may support the exploration of partnerships in many forms — ranging from shared administrative services or consolidated academic offerings on one end of the spectrum, to full mergers on the other. <b>Partnerships supported by TPF typically involve two or more degree-granting institutions of higher education. These can include private nonprofit colleges, public universities or systems, community colleges, and (in exceptional situations) for-profit institutions. One or more of the participating institutions must serve a student population that is at least 25 percent persons of color and/or where 40 percent meet the financial criteria for Pell eligibility; One or more of the participating institutions deem the partnership to be transformational and that, if completed, it would make a material difference to the operations of the institution(s); The partnership, if completed, is expected to produce materially better outcomes for current and/or future students of the institution(s).</b>
Rolling	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Average Award: \$315,031 (over 1-3 years)	Health Equity, Arts & Humanities, Sociology, Business	<b>Pioneering Ideas: Exploring the Future to Build a Culture of Health</b> seeks proposals that are primed to influence health equity in the future. They are interested in ideas that address any of these four areas of focus: Future of Evidence; Future of Social Interaction; Future of Food; Future of Work. Additionally, we welcome ideas that might fall outside of these four focus areas, but which offer unique approaches to advancing health equity and our progress toward a Culture of Health. They want to hear from scientists, anthropologists, artists, urban planners, community leaders—anyone, anywhere who has a new or unconventional idea that could alter the trajectory of health, and improve health equity and well-being for generations to come.

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Rolling	Found Animals Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$750,000 (over 3 years)	Veterinary Medicine, Sterilization	<b>Michelson Grants</b> provide funding for research in pursuit of a single-dose, permanent, nonsurgical sterilization product or technology for use in male and female dogs and cats. Investigators are encouraged to submit for "proof of concept" studies in cell culture or rodents (in certain cases), and/or in dogs and cats. When developing a potential approach, applicants should consider the program's goal of bringing to market a low-cost, permanent, nonsurgical sterilant or sterilants that will have a maximum impact in addressing populations of animals driving shelter intake. Strong preference will be given to projects with the potential to produce a prize-winning product or technology, and approaches must represent a significant improvement over existing products. <b>To qualify for a Michelson Grant, a proposed project must pursue a technology, mechanism, or pathway representing an innovative approach to nonsurgical sterilization.</b>
Rolling	Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	\$2,000,000	Medical Research, Parkinson's Disease	The <b>Alpha-Synuclein Imaging Prize</b> will go to the first team to develop a viable selective alpha-synuclein PET tracer and agree to make that tracer available broadly. In vivo imaging of alpha-synuclein pathology could be useful as a biomarker of the presence of Parkinson's Disease and disease progression and as a pharmacodynamic tool for drug development. <b>There is no deadline for submissions. The award will be issued to the first contestant who submits compelling evidence of a viable selective tracer and agrees to its widespread use.</b>

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Rolling	Smith Richardson Foundation	<a href="#">Research Grant</a>	Up to \$300,000	Public Policy	The <b>Domestic Public Policy Program</b> supports projects that will help the public and policy makers understand and address critical challenges facing the United States. To that end, the Foundation supports research on and evaluation of existing public policies and programs, as well as projects that inject new ideas into public debates. Grant making portfolios include: identifying mechanisms that can inform thinking on fiscal practices at the national, state, and municipal levels; identifying how schools can become more productive (including post-secondary education); and whether costs can be lowered in the criminal justice system while still protecting public safety. <b>The Foundation has a two-stage application process. Initial inquiries should be submitted by mail in the form of the concept paper.</b>

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