Upcoming Workshop with SC INBRE - #ALCDW2021

SC INBRE, the South Carolina Dual Networks of Biomedical Research Excellence, is hosting their annual summer Academic Leadership and Career Development Workshop (ALCDW) in 2021, now in an online, all-virtual format. The workshop will be held on Monday, June 14 and Tuesday, June 15. This free event is open to anyone from summer high school students through university faculty across disciplines with a particular focus on STEM/NIH and NSF research interest areas. The week's events include a Special 'Thirsty Thursday' panel discussion on June 17 at 7pm EST featuring the film “Picture a Scientist.” Registration for #ALCDW2021 closes at 5pm on Wednesday, June 9! Note: Attendance is free, but registration is mandatory. For more information about registration, agendas, and panelists, please click here.

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Standard Grants Program FOA

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service in collaboration with the U.S. Standard Grants Program announces a grant funding opportunity through the North American Wetlands Conservation Act (NAWCA) for FY2022. These programs support the protection and management of the nation’s natural resources by collaborating with partners and stakeholders to conserve land and water, and to expand outdoor recreation and access. FY22 NAWCA funded projects must involve long-term protection, restoration, enhancement and/or establishment of wetland and associated upland habitats to benefit migratory birds. The deadline for applications is July 9, 2021. For more information please click here.

Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Funding Opportunity

In 2020, Congress recognized the Center for Disease Control and Prevention’s work with stakeholders to expand public health education and awareness activities that help improve surveillance, diagnosis, and proper treatment to chronic diseases. This led to the establishment of a three-year competitive grant program 'Expanding the National Approach to Chronic Disease Education and Awareness' to expand and advance work with stakeholders on education, outreach, and public awareness activities for a variety of chronic diseases for which there is a clear disparity in public and professional awareness. Project applications for this program should address the following CDC priorities: 1) Data dissemination activities that support awareness for public health professionals; 2) Development of data collection tools to fill surveillance gaps; 3) Educational activities supporting public awareness; and 4) Educational activities supporting health professional screening, referral, and/or management. The deadline for applications is June 21, 2021. For more information please click here.

National Science Foundation - Geoscience Funding Opportunity

The National Science Foundation (NSF) funds the Geoscience Opportunities for Leadership in Diversity (GOLD) Program. The GOLD Program supports the mission of achieving greater and more systemic diversity by creating a network of champions who can generate greater implementation of evidence-based best practices and resources to promote belonging, accessibility, justice, equity, diversity and inclusion (BAJEDI) throughout the geoscience education, research enterprise and workforce. Supported projects will research and develop the complex interplay of environmental context, personal traits, and motivating factors that must be considered in creating BAJEDI champions and supporting efforts that make the geosciences welcoming to all. Application proposals are accepted anytime. For more information please click here.

National Endowment for the Arts - Grants for Arts Projects

The National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) is now accepting applications for their FY2022 Grants for Arts Projects Program. Through project-based funding, the Grants for Arts Projects Program supports public engagement with, and access to, various forms of art across the nation, the creation of excellent art, learning in the arts at all stages of life, and the integration of the arts into the fabric of community life. NEA seeks to fund arts projects that use the arts to unite and heal in response to current events, celebrate our creativity and cultural heritage, invite mutual respect for differing beliefs and values, and enrich humanity. Applications are due on July 8, 2021 to grants.gov. For more information please click here.

Minerva Research Institute Funding Opportunity Announcement

The Minerva Research Initiative aims to improve the Department of Defense’s (DoDs) basic understanding of the social, cultural, behavioral, and political forces that shape regions of the world of strategic importance to the U.S by supporting social science projects with competitive grant funding opportunities. For more information on the Minerva 2021 research priorities and topics of interests for the FY21 funding please click here. The deadline for white paper submissions is June 23, 2021 and full proposals are due September 29, 2021.