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Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program: Application Guidance & September 15 Deadline

Ready to start your Fulbright U.S. Scholar application? Be sure to check the competition-specific details and eligibility requirements found in the FY23-24 Competition Awards Catalog before applying. The program website for application guidance includes helpful instructions for all materials, review criteria and eligibility for proposal submissions. You can elect to review the written application instructions or watch a video guide, both providing an in depth look at the Fulbright online application system and offering important guidance for all components and required materials for proposal submission. Still have questions about your application? Register for the Open Forum Webinar on Wednesday, August 31, 2022 from 2-3 pm EST. The webinar will provide an in depth look at the application process and provide applicants a chance to ask their questions live to Fulbright staff. Remember, the submission deadline for all applications is September 15, 2022.

The National Science Foundation (NSF) Funding Opportunity Announcements

The NSF Research Experiences for Undergraduates (REU) program supports active research participation by undergraduate students, who are U.S. citizens, in ongoing research programs or projects in any of the areas of research funded by the National Science Foundation. Two mechanisms exist to provide support for student research. (1) REU Sites are based on independent proposals to initiate and conduct projects that engage several students in research. REU Sites may be based in a single discipline or academic department or may offer interdisciplinary or multi-department research opportunities with a coherent intellectual theme. (2) REU Supplements may be included as a component of proposals for new or renewal NSF grants or cooperative agreements or may be requested for ongoing NSF-funded research projects. The application deadline is September 6, 2022. For more information please, click here.

The NSF Research Coordination Networks in Undergraduate Biology Education (RCN-UBE) program links biological research discoveries with innovations in undergraduate education to improve the learing environment in biology classrooms by building collaboratuve networks and developing new educational materials and pedagogies that improve the teching of biological concepts and create a supportive and engaging learning environment for all. The program supports small groups of investigators to communicate and coordinate their research, training, and education practices. The project's theme/focus can be on any topic, and the proposed activities can cross disciplinary, organizational, geographic, and international boundaries. The application deadline is January 24, 2023. For more information please, click here.

The National Endowment For The Humanities (NEH) Program Announcements

The NEH Connections program seeks to expand the role of the humanities in undergraduate education at two- and four-year institutions with the purpose of encouraging and developing new integrative learning opportunities for students. The program supports innovative curricular approaches that foster partnerships among humanities faculty and their counterparts in the social and natural sciences and in pre-service or professional programs, such as, business, engineering, health sciences, law, computer science, and other technology-driven fields. The program will award a maximum amount of $35,000 over 12 months for project planning and $150,000 over a period of 18-36 months for project implementation. Applications are due September 1, 2022 for project start dates between June 1, 2023 and September 1, 2023. For more information please, click here.

The NEH Archaeological and Ethnographic Field Research program supports individuals or scholarly teams that set out to use empirical research to answer significant questions in the humanities using archaeological and ethnographic methodologies providing observational and experiential data on human history and culture. The program will provide a maximum award amount of $150,000 for up to three years of support for fieldwork and data processing. The application deadline is October 4, 2022, for project start dates between June 1, 2023, and May 1, 2024. For more information please, click here.

The American Council of Learned Societies (ACLS) Fellowship Program

The ACLS supports the creation and circulation of knowledge that advances understanding of humanity and human endeavors in the past, present, and future, with a view toward improving human experience. The ACLS Fellowship Program supports outstanding scholarship in the humanities and interpretive social sciences and invites scholars to submit research proposals in all disciplines of the humanities and related social sciences, in any time period, world region, or humanistic methodology. The goal of the project should be a major piece of scholarly work by the applicant, such as, a monograph, articles, digital research project, critical edition, or other scholarly resources. The fellowship supports projects at any stage of development and is intended to help scholars devote six to twelve continuous months to full-time research and writing. Applications are due September 28, 2022. For more information please, click here.

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) Academic Research Enhancement Award (AREA)

The NIH R15 Academic Research Enhancement Award (AREA) for Undergraduate-focused Institutions supports small scale research grants at institutions that do not receive substantial funding from the NIH, with an emphasis on providing biomedical research experiences primarily for undergraduate students and enhancing the research environment at applicant institutions. The program will provide a maximum of $300,000 in direct costs for projects lasting up to three years in duration. The application deadline for new proposals as well as renewals and resubmissions is October 25, 2022 for project start dates beginning in July 2023. For more information please, click here.

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