NASA SC Space Grant Consortium Funding Opportunities: REAP & Palmetto Acadmey Programs

The NASA SC Space Grant Consortium’s (SCSGC) Research and Education Awards Program (REAP) provides support for faculty members and/or students for the development of contacts and collaborations that will bring SC faculty into the mainstream of research activity, thereby increasing their chances for successfully competing in the research and education marketplace. The overall goal of REAP is to effectively utilize the SCSGC resources to: 1) develop new research projects or directions, 2) obtain unique training and exposure, and 3) foster collaborations among the campuses, as well as with NASA and/or other federal agencies and the aerospace industry. Faculty members are eligible to apply to any of four subprograms: The Research Facilitation Award Subprogram, The Education Research Award, The Curriculum Development Award Subprogram, and The Travel Award Subprogram. Applications are due Friday, January 28, 2022. For more information please, click here.

The Palmetto Academy Faculty and Student Programs support faculty and student led research projects with relevance to the NASA Strategic Plan 2018, the NASA Mission Directorate priorities, as well as South Carolina’s Science and Technology Vision 2025 in order to meet the growing need by NASA for skilled science and engineering workers in South Carolina. The faculty program funds principal investigators leading undergraduate/graduate research training projects. The student program funds undergraduate and graduate student led research projects. Palmetto Academy faculty applications are due December 7, 2021 and student applications are due January 28, 2022. For more information please, click here.

City of Charleston, Office of Cultural Affairs: Lowcountry Quarterly Arts Grant

The Lowcountry Arts Grants Program (LOAGP) is a subgranting program of the South Carolina Arts Commission (SCAC) and is administered by the City of Charleston Office of Cultural Affairs and the City of North Charleston Cultural Arts Program. The LOAGP supports arts organizations and projects that reflect artistic excellence and events which are well-advertised and open to the public, and provides assistance for professional or career development for individual artists and staff of cultural organizations in Berkeley, Charleston and Dorchester Counties. Applications are due Monday, November 15, 2021. For more information please, click here.

National Endowment for the Humanities Funding Announcements

The Public Humanities Projects program supports projects that helps humanities programs reach new audiences through public programming. This opportunity supports three types of projects: Exhibitions, Historic Places, and Humanities discussions. Proposed projects can apply for funding for either the planning or implementation side of these projects. Applications are due January 12, 2022. For more information please, click here.

The Sustaining Cultural Heritage Collections program aims to help cultural institutions preserve large holdings of humanities materials through supporting sustainable conservation methods that both preserve the collections and increase the resilience of the institution. Projects can include reducing the use of fossil fuels, improving its financial health, preparing for natural emergencies or benefiting green initiatives. Applications are due January 13, 2022. For more information please, click here.

The Digital Humanities Advancement Grant is available to innovative, challenging, or experimental digital projects that may enhance research, teaching, or public programming in the humanities. Research projects must respond to at least one of four priorities for the grant. These priorities include researching computationally challenging methods, enhancement and design of digital infrastructure, research that examines the history or ethics of digital culture, and evaluative studies that investigate the impact of digital scholarship on research. Applications are due January 14, 2022. For more information please, click here.

Support of the National Estuary Program Watersheds Grant, US Environmental Protection Agency

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency is offering funding support through the National Estuary Program Grant. This grant supports projects that address urgent and emerging issues that threaten to damage the economic viability of estuarine areas. Potential projects relating to themes of coastal resilience, fisheries health, water quality, stormwater runoff, and mammalian health are encouraged. The deadline for applications is November 15th, 2021. For more information please, click here.

Available Resources from ORGA's Research Protections and Compliance Team

The Office of Research and Grants Administration (ORGA) has a suite of resources available to College of Charleston Faculty and Staff members across campus. Among these, the Research and Compliance Team provides support for the Institutional Review Board for the Protection of Human Research Participants (IRB), the Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC), and the Institutional Biosafety Committee (IBC). Additionally, the office offers in person training for undergraduate and graduate level classes on the Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) Guidelines. For more information please visit our website here. Or, contact compliance@cofc.edu.

For information on how to contact ORGA, please visit our website. We look forward to working with you on your research endeavors! Make sure to follow us on Facebook and Twitter for daily updates on funding opportunities, helpful tips, and previous awards!