

WEEKLY FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

March 16, 2009

Office of Sponsored Programs, Dakota State University, Madison, SD 57042—605-256-5100

Recovery Act Measurement Science and Engineering Research Grants Program: Providing the Technology Infrastructure to Address National Priorities

Deadline: Various

The U.S. Department of Commerce, National Institute of Standards and Technology, announces the availability of up to \$35 million to award approximately 20-60 grants and cooperative agreements in support of measurement science and engineering research as part of NIST's activities through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act). Proposals will be considered that address measurement science and engineering research needs in areas of national importance. These areas of national importance are energy, environment and climate change, *information technology/cybersecurity*, biosciences & healthcare, manufacturing, and physical infrastructure. These grants will support NIST's mission to promote U.S. innovation and industrial competitiveness by advancing measurement science, standards, and technology in ways that enhance economic security and improve our quality of life.

Go to:

<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppld=46063>

*Search all funding opportunities at COS -
<http://www.cos.com>
Get registered and start searching*

Research Experiences for Undergraduates (REU)

National Science Foundation

Deadline: mid-August

Supports active research participation by undergraduate students in any research area funded by NSF. There are two mechanisms of funding. [REU Sites](#) support independent projects to initiate & conduct research projects involving a number of undergraduates. [REU Supplements](#) support the addition of undergraduates to ongoing, new, or renewal NSF-funded projects (deadlines vary by discipline).

See

http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=5517 for details.

E-mail: reu.coord@nsf.gov.

New Proposal Resources!

A Guided for Proposal Writing

www.nsf.gov/pubs/1998/nsf9891/nsf9891.pdf
A great introduction to writing NSF proposals.

Community of Science End User Training Web-based Training Sessions for COS

This is a great opportunity to learn how to navigate COS and find funders. Sign up for sessions you attend through your own computer.

Sessions are scheduled for
March 23 & March 30.

Enroll at: www.cos.com/news/workshops

Research Grants in Biomedical Informatics and Bioinformatics

National Institutes of Health

Deadline: Jun 05, 2009

Research funding focuses on understanding data, information & knowledge--their nature, forms & uses--in the domains of health care & basic biological sciences. Biomedical informatics is the intersection of basic informational & computing sciences with an application domain in biomedicine.

For more details see

<http://www.nlm.nih.gov/ep/GrantResearch.html>

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The Lawrence Foundation

Deadline: April 30 and Oct 31

The Lawrence Foundation is a private family foundation focused on making grants to support environmental, education, human services and other causes. Submit online requests April 30 or Oct 31. For additional information:

www.thelawrencefoundation.org

Charles A. and Anne Morrow Lindbergh Foundation

Deadline: June 11, 2009

Funds research projects that balance education or scientific innovation and the environment. Lindbergh grants combine innovative, yet practical, ideas using science/technology to tackle serious environmental issues. For additional information:

www.lindberghfoundation.org

Awards and Grants Program: International Reading Association

Deadline: June 1, 2009

The Association's awards program includes honors for teaching, service to the profession, research, media coverage of reading, and authorship of children's books. Grants support professional development, graduate studies, and research. IRA funds Children's Literature Awards; Professional Development Awards & Grants; Research Awards & Grants; Service Awards; Teachers Awards & Grants & Travel Grants. Various deadlines for the Different programs offered through IRA, including some in November.

For detail see

<http://www.reading.org/Resources/AwardsandGrants.aspx>

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News & Events Updates

- Mar 19** Monthly Research Colloquium
Topic: Funding Opportunities in the
America Recovery & Reinvesting Act
(aka "Federal Stimulus Package")
- Mar 23** Community of Science
End User Training
- Mar 30** Community of Science
End User Training
- Mar 30** ***The Proposal Review Experience***
Special presentation by faculty
members who have served on
national review panels (NSF and
Dept. of Education)
- Apr 24** Faculty Research Initiative
Presentations