Funding Opportunities (from the past 7 days)
For previous funding opportunities, see 
http://teesresearch.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/

**LIMITED SUBMISSIONS**
If you would like to receive all notices of limited submission opportunities, please email shelly.martin@tamu.edu. Note that if you are on this list, you will receive any and all announcements, whether or not they apply to you. All limited submission opportunities are also posted on the VPR’s site.

- **Limited Submission** NSF Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM) – Email of Intent Due March 8, 2016; Internal Proposal Due March 11, 2016
- **Limited Submission** Innovation Corps Sites Program (I-Corps Sites) – Email of Intent Due March 22, 2016; Internal Proposal Due March 25, 2016
- **Limited Submission** American Diabetes Association Pathway to Stop Diabetes – Email of Intent Due April 4, 2016; Internal Proposal Due April 11, 2016

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**American Diabetes Association**
[Link](http://teesresearch.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/)

**DOD**
Bone Marrow Failure Research Program ([link](http://teesresearch.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/))
Young Faculty Award ([link](http://teesresearch.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/))

**DOE**
Solar Energy Evolution and Diffusion Studies II – State Energy Strategies (SEEDSII-SES) ([link](http://teesresearch.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/))
SBIR/STTR FY 2016 Phase II Release II ([link](http://teesresearch.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/))

**NASA**
Early Career Faculty ([link](http://teesresearch.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/))
National Space Grant College and Fellowship Program Training Grant Augmentation – Opportunities in NASA STEM ([link](http://teesresearch.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/))

**NIH**
Accelerating Research on Intervertebral Disc (ARID) (R01) ([link](http://teesresearch.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/))
Improvement of Animal Models for Stem Cell-Based Regenerative Medicine (R01) ([link](http://teesresearch.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/))
NSF Limited Submission NSF Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM) (link)
Limited Submission Innovation Corps Sites Program (I-Corps Sites) (link)
Innovation Corps – National Innovation Network Nodes Program (I-Corps Nodes) (link)

TEES/Engineering/Division of Research – See Research News below
Strategic Areas Interdisciplinary Research Seed Grants (link)

Notice of Intent and Request for Information

NASA
Research Opportunities in Space and Earth Sciences (ROSES) – 2016 (link)

Upcoming Events
See also http://teesresearch.tamu.edu/events/ for a complete listing and links to handouts/presentations

TEES Research Development

Hot Topic

Register Now
NSF CAREER and Other Young Investigator Programs Workshop
February 18, 2016
7:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. (7:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. – Registration and Breakfast)
Rudder Tower, Room 401
Registration required

Other Opportunities

Engaging the Data: Are We ADVANCE-ing?
February 18, 2016
11 a.m. - 2 p.m.
MSC Bethancourt Ballroom A (come and go, lunch provided)
Agenda
Registration

Virtual NSF Day February
February 22-25, 2016
For Registration and Information
ARPA-E Energy Innovation Summit  
February 29 - March 2, 2016  
Washington, DC  
For Registration and Information

Writing Successful Proposals  
March 10, 2016  
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Henderson Hall, Room 103  
Registration required

NSF CAREER Proposal Writer’s Group Inaugural Meeting  
March 15, 2016  
2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.  
Henderson Hall, Room 103  
Registration required

NSF Broader Impacts Workshop  
March 24, 2016  
2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.  
Henderson Hall, Room 103  
Registration required

Spring 2016 NIH Regional Seminar  
May 11-13, 2016  
Baltimore, MD  
Renaissance Baltimore Harborplace Hotel  
Registration and Information

Science of Team Science (SciTS) 2016 Conference  
May 16-19, 2016  
Phoenix, Arizona (Hyatt Regency Hotel)  
Information – Call for Abstracts

Fall 2016 NIH Regional Seminar  
October 26-28, 2016  
Chicago, IL  
Palmer House Hilton Hotel  
Registration and Information

Research News

Strategic Areas Interdisciplinary Research Seed Grants RFP Released
The Texas A&M Engineering Experiment Station and the Dwight Look College of Engineering (TEES/COE), in partnership with the Texas A&M University Division of Research have allocated funds to support collaborative interdisciplinary research in strategic areas, including advanced materials, manufacturing, cyber-physical systems, biological systems and information systems and sensors. This seed grant program will provide funds to facilitate the formation of interdisciplinary research teams to conduct early-stage research. These teams will produce preliminary research results that should lead to publications in peer-reviewed research outlets and, most importantly, to the development of highly competitive research proposals to federal funding agencies and to commercial and industrial partners.

Proposals are due no later than 5:00 p.m. on May 1, 2016. Please submit a single combined document in PDF format by email to Dr. Laurie Garton at lsgarton@tamu.edu.

For more information and to view the RFP, please visit the website.

Registration Now Open for the Spring & Fall 2016 NIH Regional Seminars on Program Funding & Grants Administration

Purpose
The NIH is pleased to announce that registration is now open for two NIH Regional Seminars on Program Funding and Grants Administration in 2016. Make plans today to join over 50 NIH and HHS program, review, grants, and policy experts, senior NIH leadership, as well as approximately 600 of your peers from around the globe for this unique opportunity.

Baltimore, Maryland: (Additional Registration, Agenda, and Hotel information available)
- Wednesday, May 11, Optional Pre-Seminar Workshops
- Thursday-Friday, May 12-13: 2-Day Seminar
- Venue: Renaissance Baltimore Harborplace Hotel

Chicago, Illinois: (Additional Registration, Agenda, and Hotel information available)
- Wednesday, October 26: Optional Pre-Seminar Workshops
- Thursday-Friday, October 27-28: 2-Day Seminar
- Venue: Palmer House Hilton Hotel

What does the 2-day seminar offer?
The NIH Regional Seminar offers a comprehensive program for the NIH extramural community about the NIH grants process and related policies, including such topics as Fundamentals of the NIH, compliance, peer review, grant writing for success, pre-award and post-award issues for administrators and investigators, animal and human subject research, and how to interact electronically with NIH. Three tracks of sessions for administrators, new investigators, and all interests provide an array of topic choices. Special interest sessions are also provided on topics such as research integrity, intellectual property and data sharing, foreign collaborations, R&D Contracts, and ClinicalTrials.gov. Meet and hear from the NIH Deputy Director of Extramural Research, Dr. Michael Lauer, on the latest funding trends, NIH program initiatives, and so much more.
Optional Pre-Seminar Workshops offered
Expanded options for pre-seminar workshops are offered year! Check out these 1/2 day and full day opportunities:

- OHRP & NIH Workshop on Human Research Protections: Getting Through Human Research Review with Skill
- Administrator’s Boot Camp: Getting Started with NIH
- eRA Workshop: Grant Application Preparation & Submission
- eRA Workshop: eRA Commons Account Administration & Post-Submission Processing
- Intellectual Property: Understanding Requirements & Recipient Responsibilities
- Intellectual Property: A Hands-On Demonstration of iEdison

Who will be there from NIH and HHS?
Attendees will have the opportunity to meet and attend sessions provided by over 50 NIH and HHS experts. These program, review, grants, and policy experts are not only presenting during the 2-Day Seminar, but attendees will have the opportunity to meet them in 15 minute 1:1 chat sessions to get more specific questions answered. For those attending the Baltimore seminar, there is an opportunity to schedule 1:1s with an additional 50 NIH institute and center. (The proximity of Baltimore to the NIH offices allow for this special opportunity.) Attendees are encouraged to meet with as many NIH & HHS experts as their schedule allows.

Who should attend?
The NIH Regional Seminar is intended for those new to the grants process, including sponsored project officers and departmental administrators, investigators, faculty, graduate students, and others involved in the NIH grants process. Over the course of two days, it also provides an opportunity to those with more experience to obtain updates on grants policies and procedures. Several new policy sessions added this year will also offer additional opportunities for more advanced content and discussions.

What’s the goal of the Seminar?
The goal of the NIH Regional Seminar on Program Funding and Grants Administration is to offer participants an unparalleled opportunity to gain a better perspective of NIH policies and programs and gather helpful NIH contacts, so that they may return to their offices and/or labs with useful information, resources, and tools to assist in obtaining and managing NIH awards.

Why Register Now?
All of the optional pre-seminar workshops have limited seating to promote more interactivity between participants and the presenters. With all of the optional pre-seminar workshop space filling quickly and the 2-Day Seminar often reaching capacity before the event dates, you don't want to wait too long. Don’t forget to make your hotel reservations as well while conference room rates are still available.

Inquiries
Please direct all inquiries to:

For Listserv information and future seminar details, please visit the NIH Office of Extramural Research Regional Seminar Web site at: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/seminars.htm.