

Faculty Newsnotes

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Office of the Provost

Commencement

Attached to these *Newsnotes* is a list of this year's Commencement activities.

Varia

Christopher Adler, Department of Fine Arts, released *Pleistocene*, a compact disc of duo free jazz improvisations with saxophonist Alan Lechusza, on May 1.

Sister Dale Brown, Associate Director of Financial Aid Services, was honored with the Distinguished Service Award at the annual conference of The Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (WASFAA) held April 16-18 in Anchorage, Alaska. The award was given in recognition of her significant contributions to the financial aid profession in the area of training at the state, regional, and national levels.

Anne Hendershott, Department of Sociology, has published a new book entitled, *The Reluctant Caregivers: Learning to Care for a Loved One with Alzheimer's* (Bergin and Garvey Press, Westport, CT). The book introduces baby boomers as the new generation of caregivers and explores the challenges of home-based caregiving to those with this disease.

Mitch Malachowski, Department of Chemistry, was the plenary speaker at the University of South Dakota's *IdeaFest 2000* on April 13. *Ideafest* is the other USD's celebration of student research and includes workshops and presentations revolving around undergraduate and graduate research. Dr. Malachowski's talk was entitled, "Supporting and Encouraging Undergraduate Research Across the Curriculum." He also ran a workshop on "Student-Oriented Research: the Good, the Bad, and the Ugly."

Student Affairs

The Associated Students experienced an exciting and productive year. Adopting the theme of "Impact," the Executive Board, Senators, and Directors provided their fellow students and the campus community with a variety of programs and services that increased in quality and content throughout the 1999-2000 academic year.

A.S. officers had the opportunity to co-sponsor various programs with academic departments and faculty members. These included the annual College Bowl tournament moderated by Dr. Evelyn Kirkley and Merrick Marino in November and the campus-wide Social Issues Conference held in April, featuring a memorable keynote address by Arun Gandhi.

Additional highlights of the year also featured appearances by activists Betty DeGeneres and the Spitfire Tour, documentary filmmaker Rory Kennedy, comedians Mark Curry and Jimmy Fallon, and musical artists Save Ferris and Ozomatli.

Questions regarding A.S. sponsored programs may be directed to Susan Payment, Associate Director of Student Activities, at ext. 4590 or Lisa Chapparone, Vice President of Programming for 2000-2001, at ext. 4715.

Funding Opportunities

Office of Sponsored Programs

June, 2000

This publication includes a sampling of funding opportunities and deadlines for USD faculty, staff, and students; deadline dates range primarily from August, 2000 through February, 2001. It is advisable to contact the Office of Sponsored Programs to obtain all available information, guidelines (and/or application materials), or to seek proposal and/or budgetary development assistance.

Our staff is here to help you!

Linda W. Patton, Director
Oscar Caso, Executive Assistant

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Funding Opportunities

The Funding Opportunities List is organized by College/School and contains several important pieces of information, inclusive of the funding source and a reference number which is our internal code to access additional information if you wish to learn more about a particular entry. Additionally, a program/proposal title is provided along with a brief description of the funding opportunity and range of funds, if available. You will find that a few entries do not have a telephone number listed. Generally, in this case, the funding agency has asked not to receive telephone calls and would prefer that you e-mail or write to them directly. For additional information about the sponsor we have included Web site addresses whenever available.

We welcome your comments and hope this provides the information you need about upcoming academic funding opportunities.

Please order funding application materials by using the attached *Researcher Response Sheet*.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact the Office of Sponsored Programs at ext. 6825 or e-mail pattonl@is.acusd.edu.

A Special Note for Budget Preparation

The fringe benefit rate for full-time, benefit-based employees is 27.7% (26.7% for federal agency applications) and 6.7% (6.2% for federal agency applications) for part-time, non-benefit-based employees and students. USD's standard facilities and administrative (indirect) costs rate is 51.7% of salaries and wages.

Note: Future issues of Funding Opportunities will be available on OSP's Web page at www.acusd.edu/sponsored-programs. Please visit us...often!

College of Arts and Sciences Funding Opportunities

1. 42193

Dirksen Congressional Center

Robert H. Michel Civic Education Grants

Deadline: OPEN

Phone: (309) 347-7113

The Dirksen Congressional Center created the Michel Civic Education Grants to fund practical classroom strategies to improve the quality of teaching and learning about civics, with a particular emphasis on the role of Congress in the federal government. The goal of education in civics is informed, responsible participation in political life by competent citizens.

fmackaman@pekin.net

<http://www.pekin.net/dirksen/micheledgrants.html>

2. 8773

United States Department of Education

Fulbright Research Abroad Program

Deadline: October 25, 2000

Phone: (202) 401-9772

The Faculty Research Abroad Program offers opportunities to faculty members of higher education for research and study in modern foreign languages and area studies. Only research projects that focus on one or more of the following areas will be funded: Africa, East Asia, Southeast Asia and the Pacific, South Asia, the Near East, East Central Europe and Eurasia, and the Western Hemisphere (Central and South America and the Caribbean).

Applications that propose projects focused on Australia, Canada, and Western Europe will not be funded.

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<http://fundingopps2.cos.com/cgi-bin/getRec?id=8773>

3. 20538

National Endowment for the Humanities

Curricular Development and

Demonstration Grants

Deadline: October 15, 2000

Phone: (202) 606-8400

The Education Development and Demonstration Program provides grants to schools and colleges to improve humanities education in the United States. The program supports teachers and educational institutions in exemplary efforts to engage students in sustained, thoughtful study of the humanities.

info@neh.gov

<http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines.html>

4. 41502

National Science Foundation

Research in Undergraduate Institutions

Deadline: OPEN

Phone: (703) 306-1400

The Research in Undergraduate Institutions (RUI) activity is part of the National Science Foundation's effort to help assure a broad base for science and engineering research, and thereby enhance the scientific and technical training of students in undergraduate institutions. The specific objectives of the RUI program are to: (1) support high quality research by faculty with active involvement of undergraduate students; (2) strengthen the research environment in academic departments that are oriented primarily toward undergraduate instruction; and (3) promote the integration of research and education at predominantly undergraduate institutions.

<http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/stis1994/nsf9479/nsf9479.txt>

5. 45329

National Science Foundation

Information Technology Research

Deadline: November 15, 2000

Phone: (703) 306-1517

The purpose of this program is to augment the knowledge base and the workforce needed to enhance the value of information technology for everyone. Information technology will be essential for solving critical national problems in areas such as fundamental science and engineering, the environment, health care, and government operations; but new fundamental understanding is required to make optimal progress. Thus, proposals must approach research activities in innovative ways rather than suggesting routine applications of existing technology.

againes@nsf.gov

<http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/1999/nsf99167/nsf99167.htm>

6. 2572

American Chemical Society
Scientific Education Grants

Deadline: OPEN
Phone: (202) 872-4481

The Petroleum Research Fund (PRF), administered by the American Chemical Society seeks to advance scientific education and fundamental research in the petroleum field. Research is supported in chemistry, the earth sciences, chemical engineering and related fields such as polymers and materials science. Scientific Education Grants are designed to enhance advanced scientific education and fundamental research in the petroleum field. Most awards provide partial funding for foreign speakers at major symposia in the United States.

prfinfo@acs.org

<http://www.acs.org:80/prf/prfgrant.html#prf>

7. 3649

Surdna Foundation, Inc.
Environment Program

Deadline: OPEN
Phone: (212) 557-0010

The goal of the program is to prevent reversible damage to the environment and to promote more efficient, economically sound, environmentally beneficial, and equitable use of land and natural resources. The foundation has four concentration areas:

1. Biological diversity and the human communities that depend on it, with primary focus on forest, marine, and freshwater ecosystems and habitat;
2. Human systems, with primary focus on informing and connecting people to better understand environmental problems and opportunities and urging them to participate in solutions;
3. Transportation and urban/suburban land use, with primary focus on reducing vehicle miles traveled and maximizing accessibility over mobility; and
4. Energy, with primary focus on electrical energy efficiency.

request@surdna.org

<http://www.surdna.org/surdna/envgl.html#envguide>

8. 7949

United States Department of Agriculture
Soils and Soil Biology

Deadline: November 15, 2000
Phone: (202) 401-4082

Soils provide physical support, water, and nutrients to terrestrial plants and are recipients of plant and animal (including human) materials. As such, soils serve as the location of key interactions between the abiotic and biotic components of terrestrial ecosystems. It is here that many essentials for the production of biomass are obtained and that nutrients from dead biomass are recycled into usable forms. Researchers must further understanding of the basic mechanisms contributing to the immense diversity in soil chemical, physical, and biological characteristics and processes if we are to succeed in both sustaining agricultural production and maintaining or improving soil and environmental quality in crop, forest, and range land systems.

moneill@reeusda.gov

<http://www.reeusda.gov/crgam/nri/programs/progdesc/soils.htm>

9. 00004

American Philosophical Society
Sabbatical Fellowships for Research in
The Humanities and Social Sciences

Deadline: November 01, 2000
Phone: (215) 440-3429

The American Philosophical Society is accepting applications for fellowships in the humanities and social sciences. The fellowships are to financially assist faculty members on sabbatical or research leave. Faculty members granted sabbatical or research leave from American universities where financial support from the institution is available for only part of the year are eligible.

<http://www.amphilsoc.org/grants/sabbat.htm>

10. 40795

National Science Foundation
Curriculum and Educational Materials

Deadline: October 19, 2000
Phone: (703) 306-1668

Curriculum and Educational Materials Development supported activities should affect the learning environment, course content, and the experience of instruction. Projects often result in textbooks, laboratory experiments and manuals, software, CD-ROMs, videos, and other courseware. Such products are expected to be widely disseminated through publishers, conferences, workshops, electronic networks, journal articles, and other means. A project's focus may range from the substantial revision of existing materials to the creation of entirely new ones; from a few modules at a single educational level to a comprehensive curriculum for multiple years; and from a single subject to the integration of several disciplines.
<mailto:ejteles@nsf.gov>

11. 40799

National Science Foundation
Laboratory Development

Deadline: October 19, 2000
Phone: (703) 306-1668

Laboratory Development or field experiences using suitable modern equipment are crucial elements in Advanced Technological Education (ATE). ATE supports the development of innovative methods for using laboratory and field exercises to improve students' understanding of basic principles and for using modern instrumentation, new technologies, or applications of instruments that extend their instructional capability. ATE also encourages the establishment of equipment-sharing arrangements through consortia with two-year colleges.
<mailto:ejteles@nsf.gov>

12. 11337

Social Science Research Council
Abe Fellowship Program

Deadline: September 01, 2000
Phone: (212) 377-2700

The Abe Fellowship Program supports postdoctoral research on contemporary policy-relevant issues. Funds are provided by the Japan Foundation's Center for Global Partnership. The fellowship is designed to encourage international multidisciplinary research on topics of pressing global concern. The program seeks to foster the development of a new generation of researchers interested in policy-relevant topics of long-range importance who are willing and able to become key members of a bilateral and global research network built around such topics. It strives especially to promote a new level of intellectual cooperation between the Japanese and American academic and professional communities committed to and trained for advancing global understanding and problem solving.
ranis@ssrc.org
<http://www.ssrc.org/abefell.htm>

Multidisciplinary Funding Opportunities

13. 26645

Oak Ridge Institute for Science and
Education

Deadline: OPEN
Phone: (423) 576-8158

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Faculty Research Participation

Offered on a continual basis, this program provides qualified researchers in the physical sciences, life sciences, and engineering with opportunities to participate in research and development relating to science, mathematics, and engineering. Research will be conducted at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) headquarters and field centers. The program takes place in the summer, and lasts for ten weeks.

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<http://www.ora.gov/orise/edu/faculty/facnoaa.htm>

14. 3083

Parsons Foundation, Ralph M.
Ralph M. Parsons Foundation Grants

Deadline: OPEN
Phone: (213) 482-3185

The foundation's areas of interest include:

1. Higher education areas where there is a strong emphasis on the fields of engineering, technology, and the sciences.
2. Social impact areas where the focus is on assistance to socially or economically disadvantaged individuals and families through support of programs which are preventive in nature, which improve unfavorable conditions, or which enhance existing services. Populations of special concern include women and children, families, youth, the disabled, and the elderly.
3. Civic and cultural areas where preference is given to programs that provide opportunities for access to cultural experiences where few or none have existed.
4. Health areas where the grants focus on services to disadvantaged elderly, families, and youth, as well as capital improvements.
5. Special projects where foundation initiated grants are projects that fall outside of the established areas of interests.

<http://fundingopps2.cos.com/cgi-bin/getRec?id=3083>

15. 19799

United States Institute of Peace
Unsolicited Grants

Deadline: October 01, 2000
Phone: (202) 429-3842

Unsolicited grants are offered across a broad range of relevant disciplines, skills, and approaches. Topic areas of interest to the institute include, but are not restricted to: international conflict resolution; diplomacy; negotiation theory; functionalism and "track two" diplomacy; methods of third-party dispute settlement; international law; international organizations and collective security; deterrence and balance of power; arms control; psychological theories about international conflict; the role of nonviolence and nonviolent sanctions; moral and ethical thought about conflict and conflict resolution; and theories about relationships among political institutions, human rights, and conflict. The institute sets no disciplinary restrictions. It welcomes proposals of an interdisciplinary or multidisciplinary nature.

grant_program@usip.org

http://www.usip.org/grants/Unsolicited_Grants.html

16. 36116

National Science Foundation
Faculty in Industry - GOALI

Deadline: OPEN
Phone: N/A

The Grant Opportunities for Academic Liaison with Industry (GOALI) initiative aims to synergize university-industry partnerships by making funds available to support an eclectic mix of industry-university linkages.

sortega@nsf.gov

<http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/1998/nsf98142/nsf98142.htm>

17. 6540

National Science Foundation
Minority Research Planning Grants

Deadline: OPEN
Phone: (703) 306-1603

Minority Research Planning Grants are one-time awards that may be used for preliminary work to determine the feasibility of a proposed line of inquiry, and/or for other activities that will facilitate proposal development (including proposals for international cooperative activities). These grants are made to support preliminary studies and other activities related to the development of competitive research projects and proposals by minority scientists and engineers who have not previously had independent Federal research funding, thereby helping to increase the number of new minority investigators participating in the National Science Foundation's research programs.

<http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/stis1994/nsf94147/nsf94147.txt>

18.

National Research Council
Science and Democratization

Deadline: December 8, 2000

Phone: (202) 334-2658

The National Research Council (NRC) will support scholars to travel to Central Europe and the Former Soviet Union for periods of two to six weeks to conduct research related to "Governance in Post-Communist Societies."

The three sub-themes are:

1.Science and Democratization

2.Organized Crime, Terrorism, and Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction

3.Technology and Industrial Economics

<http://www4.nas.edu/oia/oiahome.ns>

19. 26645

Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Research

Deadline: OPEN

Phone: (423) 576-8158

Offered on a continual basis, this program provides qualified researchers in the physical sciences, life sciences, and engineering with opportunities to participate in research and development relating to science, mathematics, and engineering. Research will be conducted at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) headquarters and field centers. The program takes place in the summer, and lasts for ten weeks.

<http://www.ora.gov/orise/edu/faculty/facnoaa.htm>

20. 39580

Poverty & Race Research Action Council
Small Grants Program

Deadline: OPEN

Phone: (202) 387-9887

The council's mission is to generate, gather, and disseminate information and resources regarding the intersections of race and poverty in the United States, and to promote the development and implementation of policies and practices that alleviate conditions caused by the interaction of race and poverty. Proposals must target research on the intersection of race and poverty and must be designed to be used in the service of concrete, specified advocacy agendas (litigation, community organizing, public education, legislation, etc.).

<http://fundingopps2.cos.com/cgi-bin/getRec?id=39580>

21.

Fulbright Foundation
International Exchange of Scholars

Deadline: August 1, 2000

Phone: (202) 686-7877

The Fulbright Scholar Program's annual competition is now open for lecturing and research grants in some 130 countries. Fulbright awards vary from two months to an academic year or longer. While foreign language skills are needed in some countries, most lecturing assignments are in English. The eligibility requirements for a Fulbright senior scholar award are U.S. citizenship and the Ph.D. or comparable professional qualifications. For lecturing awards, university or college teaching experience is expected.

22. 8206

Merck Fund, John
International Human Rights Program

Deadline: OPEN

Phone: (617) 723-2932

The John Merck Fund supports selective efforts by U.S.-based organizations to investigate, document, and expose systematic abuses of human rights, to encourage similar efforts throughout the world by emerging indigenous groups, and to expand opportunities for training developing country professionals and activists who are interested in careers involving human rights advocacy.

nstockford@jmfund.org

<http://fundingopps2.cos.com/cgi-bin/getRec?id=8206>

23. 43502

Stuart Foundation

Deadline: OPEN

Grantmaking for Children and Youth

Phone: (415) 393-1551

The Stuart Foundation's overarching purpose is to help the children and youth in the states of California and Washington become responsible citizens. The foundation organizes its grants into three programs: strengthening the public school system so that all children and youth can achieve at high levels; strengthening the child welfare system to ensure that children and youth faced with abuse or neglect grow up in a safe and loving home and make a successful transition to adulthood; and strengthening communities to support families so that families can bring up children and youth in an environment that promotes their development.

24. 43360

Alfred P. Sloan Foundation

Deadline: OPEN

Role of the Corporation

Phone: (212) 649-1649

The goal of this program is to contribute to understanding the nature and purpose of the corporation in a changing world. The foundation has sought to stimulate the examination of the corporation as a central and characteristic institution of American society, and to place it in a historical and global context. Studies of different systems of corporate ownership, structure, control, and decision-making, and how they effect a company's ability to generate wealth, its economic efficiency, the division of economic surplus, job creation, or corporate survival have been carried out mainly by researchers in three fields: law, economics, and business. <http://www.sloan.org/economics/corporation.html>

25. 27288

American Educational Research Association

Deadline: September 1, 2000

Research Grants Program

Phone: (805) 893-8568

AERA invites educational policy-related research proposals using NCES, NSF, and other national databases. Successful principal investigators will consult with NCES or NSF staff regarding their proposed research projects and the handling of NCES, NSF, and other federal agency data sets pertinent to their projects. <http://aera.ucsb.edu/subweb/RGFLy.html>

26. 172

Greenwall Foundation

Deadline: February 1, 2001

Interdisciplinary Program in Bioethics

Phone: (212) 679-7266

Through its Interdisciplinary Program in Bioethics, the foundation provides funding for lawyers, philosophers, economists, theologians, and other professionals to address micro and macro issues in bioethics, providing guidance for those engaged in decision making at the bedside as well as those responsible for shaping institutional and public policy.

The foundation seeks:

- to stimulate applied research;
- to support development of education programs for health professionals as well as for lay people; - to encourage collaboration - intra- and inter- institutional, regional, national, and international;
- to foster public discussion of issues and development of policy options to assure that information is used for the benefit of the individual and the benefit of society; and
- to assist in the development, evaluation, and utilization of standards of behavior and policy guidelines.

The foundation is especially interested in supporting pilot projects and the work of junior investigators, and it is prepared to address issues regarded by some as sensitive or potentially controversial.

27. 36515

American Statistical Association

Deadline: October 15, 2000

Small Grants for Analysis of Data

Phone: (615) 322-6814

The American Statistical Association (ASA) Committee on Law and Justice Statistics announces a small grant program for the analysis of Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) data. This program is designed to encourage the creative and appropriate use of these data to inform substantive and methodological issues. <http://www.amstat.org/awards/BJS.html>

28. 1564

Spencer Foundation
Major Research Grants

Deadline: OPEN
Phone: (312) 337-7000

The foundation supports research that promises to contribute new knowledge to the improvement of education, broadly conceived, in the United States and abroad. A variety of disciplinary and interdisciplinary approaches are favored; though emphasis is given by charter to the behavioral sciences. The foundation is interested as well in the related research areas of cultural knowledge, socialization, and the production and distribution of knowledge.
<http://www.spencer.org/proginfo.htm>

School of Law Funding Opportunities

29. 12382

State Justice Institute (SJI)
Project Grants

Deadline: November 24, 2000
Phone: (703) 684-6100

The State Justice Institute (SJI) was established in 1984 by an Act of Congress for the purpose of providing financial support to projects designed to improve the administration of justice in the state courts. To accomplish this objective, the SJI is authorized to provide funds through grants, cooperative agreements, and contracts to state courts, academic institutes, and other organizations that can assist in improving judicial administration in the state courts.

Project grants are awarded to support innovative education, research, demonstration, and technical assistance projects that can improve the administration of justice in state courts nationwide.

30. 43788

Manhattan Institute for Policy Research
Fellowship

Deadline: OPEN
Phone: (212) 599-7000

The Manhattan Institute for Policy Research, a market-oriented think tank, is offering grants to rising academics or promising graduate students for original research in an array of policy areas, including welfare, education, crime, tax policy, regulation, tort reform, affirmative action, privatization, and environment.

31. 17778

Brand Names Education Foundation
Ladas Memorial Award

Deadline: November 12, 2000
Phone: (212) 768-9885

The mission of the Brand Names Education Foundation (BNEF) is to advance worldwide knowledge of the nature, purpose, and value of brand names and the responsibilities associated with their use. This award is given to the paper judged best on the subject of trademark law or a matter that directly relates to or affects trademarks. There are both student and professional author categories. The purpose of the award is to provide an incentive to further develop interest in the field of trademarks and to enhance the general understanding of this discipline.
<mailto:tvilardi@inta.org>

32. 45409

Roscoe Pound Foundation
Award for Teaching Trial Advocacy

Deadline: October 22, 2000
Phone: (202) 965-3500 ext. 385

The candidate shall be an adjunct or part-time teacher of the principles and techniques of trial advocacy at an accredited American law school. Candidates for the Award for Excellence in Teaching Trial Advocacy as an Adjunct Professor should have served in such capacity with demonstrated excellence in the opinion of his or her Dean or faculty for a minimum of three years. The candidate's course, which should be in a classroom or clinic setting, must form part of the school's published curriculum and entitle the students to course credits applicable to degree requirements. The candidate must be available to accept the award in person at the annual Pound Fellows Reception.
<http://www.atlanet.org/foundations/pound/2000adj.ht>

School of Business Administration Funding Opportunities

33. 8712

U.S. Department of Education
Business and International Education

Deadline: November 01, 2000
Phone: (202) 260-3383

The purpose of the program is to provide grants both to enhance international business education programs and expand the capacity of the business community to engage in international economic activities.

CFDA 84.153A

<http://fr.cos.com/cgi-bin/getRec?id=19990820a63>

34. 31378

Freedom Foundation at Valley Forge
Leavey Award for Excellence

Deadline: October 1, 2000
Phone: (610) 933-8825

These awards honor outstanding educators who excite a commitment in their students to the free enterprise system. The program honors instructors who unleash the entrepreneurial skills of their students at the college level. The applicant must conceive and implement an innovative course, program, or project, which develops, among students, a deeper understanding and appreciation of the American private enterprise system

<http://www.ffvf.org/awards/leavey.htm>

35. 8712

U.S. Department of Education
Business and International Education

Deadline: November 1, 2000
Phone: (202) 260-3383

The purpose of the program is to provide grants both to enhance international business education programs and expand the capacity of the business community to engage in international economic activities.

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Student Funding Opportunities

36. 12896

Soros Foundation
Soros Justice Postgraduate Fellowships

Deadline: October 1, 2000
Phone: (212) 548-0146

Fellowships will be awarded for 12 months and may be renewed for an additional 12 months. Limited relief for graduate school debt payments may be provided on a case-by-case basis. Sponsoring organizations will be requested to provide medical benefits and to cover overhead costs necessary to support the fellow's project. Applicants must be in their final year of graduate school or have graduated within the last six years from a graduate program in one of the following areas of study: arts, business, communications, economics, education, law, ministry, and management.

*Applicants currently employed by their proposed sponsoring organization are not eligible.

<http://www.soros.org/crime/pg-application.html>

37. 39125

Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, John F.
Education Department

Deadlines:
June 25, 2000 (for Fall Internship)
November 1, 2000 (for Spring Internship)
March 01, 2001 (for Summer Internship)

Internships at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts are designed to offer meaningful learning experiences for people interested in careers in performing arts management or arts education. Internship assignments are full-time (40 hours per week). They are available for the fall, winter/spring, and summer terms and last between three and four months. Responsibilities include assisting with the administrative, presentational, promotional, and technical aspects of the center.

alperry@kennedy-center.org

<http://www.kennedy-center.org/internships/>

School of Education Funding Opportunities

38. 20356

Alfred P. Sloan Foundation
Learning Outside the Classroom

Deadline: OPEN
Phone: (212) 649-1649

The goal of this program is to make available quality higher education and training anytime and anywhere for anyone who is motivated to seek it. Grants have gone to institutions of higher education to encourage their use of Asynchronous Learning Networks (ALNs), which make possible electronic access at any time to remote learning resources such as instructors, fellow students, text, and software.

http://www.sloan.org/programs/edu_careers.htm

39. 33414

Intel Foundation
National Grants

Deadline: OPEN
Phone: N/A

The Intel Foundation's specific objectives are to:

- advance math, computer science, and engineering education;
- promote the entrance of women and underrepresented minorities into careers in computer science and engineering; and
- promote public understanding of technology and its impact on contemporary life.

<http://www.intel.com/intel/community/grants.htm>

Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science Funding Opportunities

40. 27221

Department of Health and Human Services
Management of Symptoms at the End of Life

Deadline: October 1, 2000
Phone: (301) 594-6908

The NINR seeks research grant applications concerning the clinical management of symptoms and syndromes that are associated with life-limiting illness, such as pain, dyspnea, delirium, cachexia, nausea, fatigue, and depression. The purpose of this initiative is to stimulate research that will lead to improved quality of life for those at the end of life and decreased distress for their caregivers.

<http://www.grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-98-019.html>

41. 2741

Sigma Theta Tau
Small Research Grants

Deadline: December 1, 2000
Phone: (317) 634-8171

Sigma Theta Tau International, the Honor Society of Nursing, is committed to improving the health of people worldwide by promoting the development, dissemination, and utilization of nursing knowledge. A significant aspect of the society's long range plan is the advancement of nursing through research. Ten to fifteen small grants are awarded annually for pilot or developmental research in nursing. No specific focus is established for this program; however, multidisciplinary and international research is encouraged. Preference will be given to Sigma Theta Tau members, other qualifications being equal.

http://www.nursingsociety.org/research/sm_grants.html

42. 50256

Department of Health and Human Services
Research on Alcohol and Sleep

Deadline: September 14, 2000
Phone: (301) 443-6545

The National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism is seeking grant applications to conduct research on alcohol's effects on sleep. It is well documented that acute and chronic alcohol consumption causes sleep disturbances. In those who suffer from alcoholism, sleep patterns may never return to normal, and continuing sleep problems may be a core factor in alcohol relapse. Despite the adverse effects of alcohol on sleep and the serious implications for alcoholism treatment, the topic of alcohol and sleep is currently an understudied area. The purpose of this Request for Applications (RFA) is to stimulate research on alcohol and sleep in areas that are of particular interest because of the potential contribution to the understanding of the etiology and treatment of alcoholism.

ewitt@willco.niaaa.nih.gov

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-AA-00-005.html>

Researcher Response Sheet
June, 2000

1. Please order application materials for the following program(s). (Please circle all that apply.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
37	38	39	40	41	42						

Please send the requested application or informational materials to:

Name _____

Campus Address _____

Campus Phone _____

E-Mail Address _____

2. I would like to order a customized funding search on the following keywords:

3. How can OSP better serve your needs? (Your feedback is important to us.)

Please return your request to the attention of:
Linda W. Patton, Director, Office of Sponsored Programs.
Maher Hall 210 or via Fax ext. 2225

Note: Future issues of Funding Opportunities will be available on OSP's Web page at
www.acusd.edu/sponsored-programs. Please visit us...often!