
OPD WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

November 21, 2025

Dear Chairs and Center/Institute Directors:

Please note, the newsletter will not be sent out next Friday due to the holiday.

For updates and guidance related to Federal Executive Orders and other federal actions affecting federally funded research, please visit the [2025 Federal Transition and University Guidance webpage](#).

Please share these funding opportunities and related research news with your faculty.

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Research News

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Climate Justice Fellowship Plus Program

Sponsor: NYSERDA

Discipline: Climate Justice

Description: In this solicitation, NYSERDA is seeking applications to fund professional development training and mentoring for 15-month, full-time fellowships, to work within entities that advance climate justice and/or clean energy priorities in the New York City boroughs of the Bronx and Queens. It is expected that Fellows will assist with community engagement activities (e.g., plan, policy, or project), support clean energy/climate justice project development, and implementation, facilitate or build upon partnerships, or engage in other projects related to advancing climate justice and/or clean energy priorities in the Bronx and Queens.

PI Eligibility: Fellows must be: (1) A resident of the 14th Congressional District, which spans parts of the Bronx and Queens; and (2) A member of a [priority population](#).

Institutional Limit: None

Award: Fellows receive a minimum annual salary of \$58,500 (\$30/hour), and up to \$73,125, over the

15-month fellowship.

Sponsor Deadline: December 12, 2025

[Learn more about the Climate Justice Fellowship Plus Program](#)

If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact [Mónica Bugallo](#)

NSF seeks input on the TIP workforce development roadmap

The U.S. National Science Foundation Directorate for Technology, Innovation and Partnerships (NSF TIP) recently published a [Roadmap for Workforce Development: Building Pathways and Innovations for the Critical and Emerging Technology Workforce](#) (Workforce Development Roadmap) that aims to offer an actionable agenda to invigorate and empower the ambition of all Americans to join the workforce in critical and emerging technology sectors, including artificial intelligence, biotechnology and quantum technology, or related jobs. NSF TIP is seeking community input on the Workforce Development Roadmap.

Deadline: Responses will be accepted until Jan. 15, 2026, in the [Workforce Development Roadmap form](#), by emailing TIPWorkforce@nsf.gov, or by mailing your response to the attention of Mary Crowe, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314, USA.

McAllister & Quinn Weekly Opportunity & Strategic Intelligence Overview

Every week, [McAllister & Quinn](#)'s Research Universities Practice sends out a weekly opportunity overview. These comprehensive lists encompass research and development opportunities relevant to R1 and R2 institutions across the Federal government. Visit [OPD's Grant Proposal Resource Repository](#) for the [latest overview](#) and an archive of previous overviews and other resources.

[Federal Priorities Overview: Critical Minerals](#)

Upcoming Workshops

Below are upcoming internal and external workshops.
[The most updated list of events can be found on our website.](#)

Internal Workshops

The Research and Innovation Town Hall Series: Federal Updates, Evaluation Services

Hosted by: The Office for Research & Innovation

When: December 1, 2025 at 12 to 1 pm

Where: Virtual

[Learn more about the R&I Town Hall](#)

Winter 2025 NIH R-Series Academy

Hosted by: The Office of Proposal Development

When:

Workshop 1: NIH R-Series Kickoff - December 3, 2025 | 11 am to 12 pm (Zoom)

Workshop 2: Master the NIH R-Series - Led by Bouvier Grant Group - December 9, 2025 | 7:30 am to 4 pm (Charles B. Wang Center – Lecture Hall 2)*

Workshop 3: Developing Non-Technical Components - January 20, 2026 | 10 to 11 am (Zoom)

Workshop 4: Meet and Greet with NIH R-Awardees - February 5, 2026 | 1 to 2 pm (Zoom)

**Must register by December 1, 2025*

[Learn more and register for the NIH R-Series Academy \(SBU Faculty Only\)](#)

SUNY AI Symposium

Hosted by: The Office for Research and Innovation and the Artificial Intelligence Innovation Institute (AI3)

When: April 14 to 15, 2026

Where: Stony Brook University

[Learn more about the SUNY AI Symposium](#)

External Workshops

BTO Innovation Opportunity (BIO) Fair

Hosted by: DARPA

When: Postponed

Where: Virtual and In-Person (Arlington, VA)

[Learn more about the BIO Fair](#)

Microelectronics Commons Annual Meeting

Hosted by: National Security Technology Accelerator (NSTXL) (DoD)

When: February 18 to 20, 2026

Where: Washington, D.C.

[Learn more and register for the Microelectronics Commons Annual Meeting](#)

High-Risk, High-Reward Research Symposium

Hosted by: NIH

When: March 4 to 6, 2026

Where: Bethesda, MD

[Learn more about the HRHR Research Symposium](#)

2026 ARPA-E Energy Innovation Summit

Hosted by: ARPA-E

When: April 7 to 9, 2026

Where: San Diego, CA

[Learn more and register for the 2026 ARPA-E Energy Innovation Summit](#)

SUNY Undergraduate Research Conference

Hosted by: SUNY Fredonia and SUNY Upstate Medical University

When: April 21 and 24, 2026

Where: Fredonia, NY and Syracuse, NY

[Learn more about the SURC](#)

Active Limited Competitions and Canvasses

All limited competitions are completed in [InfoReady](#). You can sign into InfoReady using your

Net-ID and your stonybrook.edu email address. Please allow sufficient time to familiarize yourself with the portal prior to submitting. *Submitting by proxy? If you would like someone to submit an application on your behalf in InfoReady, please [follow these instructions to designate them as your proxy](#). Please note: Issues may arise and could negatively impact the review of an application if a proxy is not officially designated in this manner.*

Recent Federal Executive Orders and other federal actions affecting federally funded research have resulted in changes to some federal funding opportunities. Consequently, we may need to update our posted limited competitions to remain aligned with these ongoing adjustments. We encourage you to check [our website](#) regularly for the latest updates, in addition to canvass and internal competition details and instructions.

Program: [Rediscovering Our Revolutionary Tradition](#)

Sponsor: NEH

Competition Code: LC202560 via the [Rediscovering Our Revolutionary Tradition Portal](#) in InfoReady

Type: Canvass

Internal Deadline: November 21, 2025 at 11:59 pm

External Deadline: January 15, 2026

Institutional Limit: 1

Award: Individual institution: Up to \$350K for up to 2 years; Consortium: Up to \$750K for up to 3 years

Program: [2026 Higher Learning Program](#)

Sponsor: Mellon Foundation

Competition Code: [LC202558](#) via the [2026 Higher Learning Program Portal](#) in InfoReady

Type: Internal Competition

Internal Deadline: November 24, 2025 at 9 am (deadline has been extended)

External Deadline: Registration forms (required) due December 1, 2025; Applications due February 17, 2026

Institutional Limit: 3

Award: \$250K to \$500K for up to 4 years

Program: [Invasive Species Grant Program Round 4 2025](#)

Sponsor: NYS DEC

Competition Code: [LC202561](#) via the [Invasive Species Grant Program Portal](#) in InfoReady

Type: Internal Competition

Internal Deadline: November 24, 2025 at 9 am

External Deadline: December 17, 2025

Institutional Limit: 2

Award: \$11K to \$250K for 3 years. This opportunity has a required institutional cost share. Please email OPD_OVPR@stonybrook.edu to discuss ASAP.

Program: [NSF Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Program \(S-STEM\)](#)

Sponsor: NSF

Competition Code: [LC202562](#) via the [S-STEM Portal](#) in InfoReady

Type: Internal Competition

Internal Deadline: December 1, 2025 at 9 am

External Deadline: March 3, 2026

Institutional Limit: 2

Award: Track 2 (Implementation Projects): Up to \$2M for up to 6 years; Track 3 (Inter-institutional Consortia): Up to \$5M for up to 6 years

Noteworthy Funding Opportunities

The Office of Proposal Development actively curates a list of recently released funding opportunities in priority research areas.

[The most updated list of noteworthy funding opportunities can be found on our website.](#)

[Broad Agency Announcement for Extramural Medical Research](#)

Sponsor: Defense Health Agency - Department of Defense

Discipline(s): Medicine, Engineering, Environmental Exposure

Description: The BAA has been updated - The purpose of this revision is to update the full announcement document: focus areas - Appendix 1 (RESEARCH AREAS OF INTEREST):

The scope of this effort and the priorities attached to specific projects are influenced by changes in military and civilian medical science and technology (S&T), operational requirements, military threat assessments, and national defense strategies. Projects funded under this BAA must be for basic and applied research to support scientific study and experimentation directed toward advancing the state-of-the-art or increasing knowledge or understanding rather than focusing on development of a specific system or hardware solution. Research and development funded through this BAA are intended and expected to benefit and inform both military and civilian medical practice and knowledge. *Research Areas of Interest include: Military Infectious Diseases, Combat Casualty Care, Traumatic Brain Injury, Psychological Health, Sensory Systems, Musculoskeletal Injury, Environmental Exposures, Directed Energy/Radiation Health, and DOD Working Dogs. This BAA may be used to support applied research, preclinical research, clinical research, and clinical trials/testing (or equivalent).*

Institutional Limit: None

PI Eligibility: No Restrictions

Award: Not Listed

Deadline(s): Continuously open through September 30, 2027

[Department of Homeland Security \(DHS\) Directorate of Science and Technology \(S&T\) Long Range Broad Agency Announcement \(LRBAA\)](#)

Sponsor: United States Department of Homeland Security

Discipline(s): Cyberinfrastructure, Cybersecurity, Artificial Intelligence, Data Computation, Aviation, Analytics

Description: This LRBAA has been updated. The purpose of the update is to remove 14 topics. The United States Department of Homeland Security's (DHS), Science and Technology Directorate (S&T) announces a modernized Long Range Broad Agency Announcement (LRBAA) featuring improved communications, transparent needs, submission options, and a faster response to your submissions. The LRBAA's purpose is to fund scientific and technical projects across a spectrum of science and engineering disciplines that significantly improve or increase a capability to the Department's operational environment and the Homeland Security Enterprise (HSE). The current six key mission areas are:

1. Counter Terrorism and Homeland Security Threats (CTHOM);
2. Secure U.S. Borders and Approaches (BORAP);

3. Secure Cyberspace and Critical Infrastructure (CYBCI);
4. Preserve and Uphold the Nation's Prosperity and Economic Security (PROES);
5. Strengthen Preparedness and Resilience (PRRES); and
6. Champion the DHS Workforce and Strengthen the Department (WORDT)

Institutional Limit: None

PI Eligibility: No Restrictions

Award: Not Listed

Deadline(s): The DHS S&T LRBA 24-01 is a five (5) year announcement and will remain open until May 31, 2029

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