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Events & Deadlines

November 28, 2016

ORDA “On The Road”

ORDA staff will be holding office hours at various locations across campus to make it easier for faculty to connect with the pre- and post-award officers who serve them.

310A Porter Building from 8:30am-noon:

Thursday, December 1

Monday, December 5

217 Pray Harrold, from 11am-1pm:

Friday, December 2

Workshops

How to Build a Budget Brownbag. This brownbag is for faculty who are considering a funding opportunity and are not sure what can be done with the budget allowed by that opportunity. Join ORDA Pre-Award Officers Christine Kropelnycky and Susan Campbell for an informal and informative session where basic budget items and considerations will be discussed. Bring your lunch and your questions!

Monday, November 28 (12:30-1:30pm); 224 Rackham

Deadlines

Spencer Foundation, Field Initiated Grants

Program relies on researchers to determine the most important issues to pursue. Supports Lyle Spencer Research Awards up to \$1 million for intellectually ambitious research, oriented ultimately to improving the practice of education, and independent of any particular reform agendas or methodological strictures (LOIs TBD). Also supports Small Research Grants up to \$50,000 covering any topic that falls within Spencer’s mission.

<http://www.spencer.org/field-initiated-0>

Next Deadline: February 1, 2017

National Endowment for the Humanities, Creating Humanities Communities

The Creating Humanities Communities program provides matching grants to help stimulate and proliferate meaningful humanities activities in states and U.S. territories underserved by NEH's grantmaking divisions and offices. Grantees will use the funds to establish and undertake new humanities programs. The goal of these grants is to make connections between organizations that will foster community cohesion on a local or regional level. Applicants may define community in a variety of ways (by focusing, for example, on a place such as a village or town, or on a common interest or a common theme), and the programs that the cooperating institutions carry out together must aim to enhance the importance of the humanities in people's lives.

<https://www.neh.gov/grants/challenge/creating-humanities-communities>

Next Deadline: February 15, 2016

National Institute of Justice, Research and Development in Forensic Science for Criminal Justice Purposes

With this solicitation, NIJ seeks proposals for basic or applied research and development projects that will: (1) increase the body of knowledge to guide and inform forensic science policy and practice or (2) lead to the production of useful materials, devices, systems, or methods that have the potential for forensic application. The intent of this program is to direct the findings of basic scientific research, research and development in broader scientific fields applicable to forensic science, and ongoing forensic science research toward the development of highly discriminating, accurate, reliable, cost-effective, and rapid methods for the identification, analysis, and interpretation of physical evidence for criminal justice purposes.

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=290187>

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