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Events & Deadlines

May 7, 2018

ORDA Request for Information

ORDA is interested in sharing news about your research, scholarly, and creative activity with the University community, and beyond.

- Are you serving as an editor of a scholarly journal? Let us know!
- Have your students won a poster presentation at a regional conference? Let us know!
- Have you recently created and produced an original performance, or had an exhibition of your work? Let us know!
- Did you recently publish a book or article? Let us know!
- Did you receive a Fulbright-Hays, or other fellowship? Please tell us about it!

The link below will take you to an e-form that provides an easy way to communicate this exciting news. This will help us identify activities that can be promoted both internally and externally.

ORDA Google Form

We're Moving (but just for one week)!

As part of the Loop 1 upgrade, Graduate Studies and Research will move operations to the Honors College for the week beginning May 21, 2018 . This includes the Graduate School, Office of Compliance, Office of Research Development and Administration, and Technology Transfer. We'll continue to share information about this move through the ORDA Weekly Update. Please let ORDA know as soon as possible if you have a proposal due between May 21-25 . If you do have a proposal due at this time, it might be helpful to submit a week early.

Summer Writing Peer-Support Groups

Planning on working on a grant proposal (or research manuscript) over the summer? ORDA is hosting peer support writing groups. Grant writing is hard work; a regular writing group can help you keep on track, get over writer's block, enjoy a little camaraderie, and gain valuable feedback while you write. Location and meeting time will be determined by the participants. If interested please contact Jennifer Glass at jglass5@emich.edu.

National Science Foundation, FastLane Phase-Out

The National Science Foundation is rolling out Research.gov as a proposal submission system. As of April 30, full research non-collaborative proposals can be submitted via Research.gov. Other proposal types will be added incrementally to the system. Eventually, Research.gov will replace FastLane, but for now, there are no changes to FastLane functions. Applicants may use either system. If you have questions about how this affects your proposal submission plans, please see your ORDA pre-award officer.

<https://www.emich.edu/research/grant-life-cycle/proposals/pre-award.php>

Deadlines

Department of Education, Office of Innovation and Improvement

Notice seeking applications supporting efforts by educational agencies to create, develop, implement, replicate, or take to scale entrepreneurial, evidence-based, field-initiated innovations to improve student achievement and attainment for high-need students; and rigorously evaluate such innovations. Early-phase grants provide funding to support the development, implementation, and feasibility testing of a program, which prior research suggests has promise, for the purpose of determining whether the program can successfully improve student achievement and attainment for high- need students. Absolute priorities include: Demonstrates a Rationale; Field-Initiated Innovations—General; and Field-Initiated Innovations—Promoting Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math (STEM) Education, With a Particular Focus on Computer Science. Invitational Priorities include: Personalized Learning; and Early Learning and Cognitive Development.

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=303818>

Next Deadline: Optional letters of intent May 9, 2018 ; Applications, June 5, 2018

National Endowment for the Arts, Our Town

Our Town is the National Endowment for the Arts' creative placemaking grants program. Through project-based funding, we support projects that integrate arts, culture, and design activities into efforts that strengthen communities by advancing local economic, physical, and/or social outcomes. Successful Our Town projects ultimately lay the groundwork for systemic changes that sustain the integration of arts, culture, and design into strategies for strengthening communities. These projects require a partnership between a local government

entity and nonprofit organization, one of which must be a cultural organization; and should engage in partnership with other sectors (such as agriculture and food, economic development, education and youth, environment and energy, health, housing, public safety, transportation, and workforce development).

<https://www.arts.gov/grants-organizations/our-town/place-based-projects-grant-program-description>

Next Deadline: August 9, 2018

Department of Energy, Buildings Energy Efficiency Frontiers & Innovation Technologies (BENEFIT)-2018

Notice seeking applications to research and develop innovative energy saving technologies, systems, tools, and models that could lead to significant reduction in building energy consumption.

<https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/-Foalda7088ab7-5d11-45de-a78a-1618b9af8e27>

Next Deadline: August 23, 2018

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