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## Events & Deadlines

**October 1, 2018**

### Limited Submission Opportunities

Programs that allow only one or two submissions per institution are listed here. ORDA will conduct an internal competition to determine which proposal should be submitted on behalf EMU. Interested PIs should visit the CompetitionSpace page to apply:

<http://www.emich.edu/research/grant-life-cycle/regulations/submission-proposals.php>

National Science Foundation, Major Research Instrumentation Program

The Major Research Instrumentation Program (MRI) catalyzes new knowledge and discoveries by empowering the Nation's scientists and engineers with state-of-the-art research instrumentation. The MRI Program enables research-intensive learning environments that promote the development of a diverse workforce and next generation instrumentation, as well as facilitates academic/private sector partnerships.

Internal Application Deadline: October 15, 2018

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External Sponsor Application Deadline: January 22, 2019

## **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.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/>

## **Internal Awards**

Internal research funding supports faculty research, creative, and scholarly endeavors. Several internal funding programs have deadlines this fall:

James H Brickley Endowment for Faculty Professional Development and Innovation

Deadline: October 2, 2018

Women in Philanthropy Grants

Deadline: October 8, 2018

Culture of Research Excellence Faculty Fellowship

Deadline: October 8, 2018

Summer Research/Creative Activity

Deadline: October 31, 2018

Undergraduate Research Stimulus Program

Deadline: November 2, 2018

More information can be found on ORDA's website:

<http://www.emich.edu/research/development/funding/index.php>

## **Workshops**

## Science of Motivation Applied to Writing

Thursday, October 4

200 Boone Hall; 12:30-1:30pm

Writing is an integral part of academic life, but it is common to procrastinate, resulting in looming deadlines and guilt over incomplete projects. Learn how to apply the science of motivation to your writing, increase productivity and reduce stress!

## Tips for Successful Undergraduate Research Stimulus Program Applications

Learn what makes for a successful URSP application in these workshops for faculty or faculty-student teams.

Monday, October 8 ; 200 Boone Hall; 4:00-5:00pm

Monday, October 15 , 541 Science Complex; 4:00-5:00pm

Thursday, October 18 ; 200 Boone Hall; 2:00-3:00pm

## **NSF Releases Video with Tips for Peer Review**

A great way to learn how to write high quality proposals is by serving as a peer reviewer. NSF reviewers are being asked to view this video, and it is very informative for grant writers too.

When you click the link below, you will need to submit your name and a valid email address to access the video.

<https://tipsforreviewers.nsf.gov/>

## **Deadlines**

National Institutes of Health, Development and Optimization of Tasks and Measures for Functional Domains of Behavior (R01, Clinical Trial Not Allowed)

The purpose of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to support the development and optimization of tasks and/or measures for constructs pertaining to functional aspects of behavior or cognitive/affective processes, for use in laboratory or population-based studies, clinical trials outcomes, or related research. This FOA encourages research that will result in the availability of tasks and measures that demonstrate: (1) good validity as a measure of a specific construct; (2) robust measurement properties; and (3) suitability for use across diverse participants.

<https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-18-930.html>

Next Deadline: February 5, 2018

Air Force Research Laboratory, Materials and Manufacturing Directorate, Structural Materials Division Open BAA

Air Force Research Laboratory, Materials & Manufacturing Directorate, Structural Materials Division, AFRL/RXC, is soliciting white papers and potentially technical and cost proposals under this announcement that support the needs of its Structural Materials and Applications mission. Structural Materials technologies that range from materials and scientific discovery through technology development and transition are of interest. Descriptors of Materials and Manufacturing Directorate technology interests are presented in two contexts in the Statement of Objectives (BAA Attachment 1); that of structural materials science and engineering academic “competencies,” and that of Air Force application area needs.

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=309120>

Next Deadline: Proposals accepted through September 20, 2023

National Science Foundation, Long Term Research in Environmental Biology

Notice seeking proposals to support the generation of extended time series of data to address important questions in evolutionary biology, ecology, and ecosystem science. Research areas include, but are not limited to, the effects of natural selection or other evolutionary processes on populations, communities, or ecosystems; the effects of interspecific interactions that vary over time and space; population or community dynamics for organisms that have extended life spans and long turnover times; feedbacks between ecological and evolutionary processes; pools of materials such as nutrients in soils that turn over at intermediate to longer time scales; and external forcing functions such as climatic cycles that operate over long return intervals.

[https://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm\\_summ.jsp?pims\\_id=13544](https://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=13544)

Next Deadline: Proposals accepted at any time

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