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## **ORDA Weekly Update, 2020.04.06**

Office of Research Development and Administration

COVID-19 Update: The latest news and guidance for students, faculty and staff.

## **Office of Research Development and Administration**

### **Events & Deadlines**

**April 6, 2020**

#### **COVID-19 Updates**

##### **ORDA COVID-19 Guidance to Lead PIs/PDs:**

Please see the ORDA website for guidance that has been distributed to Lead Principal Investigators and Lead Project Directors about managing sponsored projects during EMU's response to COVID-19.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact the ORDA staff.

##### **National Science Foundation, Special Reports, Coronavirus Information**

Please see the NSF Special Report page for information with links to guidance for researchers whose research is impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic and links to research opportunities specific to Coronavirus and COVID-19.

Also see an NSF Letter to Community Regarding COVID-19

##### **National Institutes of Health, Extramural Response to Natural Disasters**

Please see the NIH page on COVID-19 with links to guidance for researchers and links to research opportunities

##### **National Endowment for the Humanities**

The National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) will receive \$75 million in supplemental funding to assist cultural institutions affected by the coronavirus as part of the \$2.2 trillion CARES Act economic stabilization plan appropriated by the U.S. Congress and signed into law today by President Donald J. Trump.

### **Deadlines**

##### **National Science Foundation, Dear Colleague Letter, United States-Ireland-Northern Ireland R&D Partnership**

The United States (U.S.), Northern Ireland (NI), and the Republic of Ireland (RoI) have come together to form a unique partnership as a way of increasing the level of collaborative R&D among researchers across the three jurisdictions that will generate innovation and lead to improvements in society. The objective of U.S.-Ireland R&D Partnership is to encourage trilateral, collaborative research projects that address significant research challenges, particularly in the areas of nanoscale science and engineering, sensors and sensor networks, telecommunications, energy and sustainability, and cybersecurity. These thematic areas have been identified as representing a unique opportunity for collaborative research and are internationally recognized as potentially pivotal fields in the 21st century.

Next Deadline: Varies, depending on NSF Directorate and Program

##### **National Science Foundation, Dear Colleague Letter, Developing Long-Term Strategies for Transforming Manufacturing**

The National Science Foundation (NSF) wishes to notify the community of its intention to support workshops for future manufacturing (FM) science and technology. The conferences should identify areas and thrusts for fundamental research that will enable future manufacturing: manufacturing that

is either entirely new or that can be done today but not at a sufficient scale to make it viable. Conferences should explore new, potentially transformative, manufacturing capabilities rather than aiming to improve current manufacturing or make incremental improvements over existing Advanced Manufacturing technologies.

Next Deadline: Proposals accepted at anytime

### **National Institutes of Health, Science Education Partnership Award**

The NIH Research Education Program (R25) supports research education activities in the mission areas of the NIH. The overarching goal of this R25 program is to support educational activities that complement and/or enhance the training of a workforce to meet the nation's biomedical, behavioral and clinical research needs. To accomplish the stated over-arching goal, this FOA will support creative educational activities with a primary focus on:

- Courses for Skills Development
- Research Experiences
- Mentoring Activities
- Curriculum or Methods Development
- Outreach

Next Deadline: July 14, 2020

### **Statistical Consultation**

ORDA welcomes back Dr. Grigoris Argeros (Sociology Anthropology Criminology) as Faculty Associate for research statistics. Consultation is available for faculty, as well as graduate students working with faculty on independent research projects and theses with the goal of publication of results.

Contact [Orda\\_stats@emich.edu](mailto:Orda_stats@emich.edu) for more information or to schedule an appointment.

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