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Events and Deadlines

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Student Employees Information, from the Advising and Career Development Center

Important update regarding hiring student employees during University Work Share program

While the University is participating in the State of Michigan's Work Share program there are restrictions on tasks that newly hired student employees are able to perform. Any student hired on or after June 1st for the duration of our Work Share participation cannot perform work that would otherwise be completed by employees if they were working at 100% capacity.

Moving forward, in order for a new student hire to be processed you will need to submit a description of the job they will be performing to kdamian@emich.edu at the time their epaf is entered. Although grant-funded positions are not affected by the Work Share program, we are asking that job descriptions are submitted for all student employee positions moving forward (including Fall 2020 hires). Supervisors of new hires will be contacted to review the guidelines while we are participating with the Work Share program.

Thank you for your understanding. If you have any questions please contact me.

Thank you,

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Resources

National Science Foundation Prospective New Awardee Guide

National Institutes of Health, Walk-Through Video of the PHS Human Subjects & Clinical Trials Information Form

Deadlines

National Science Foundation Dear Colleague Letter: Encouraging Mid-Scale Research Infrastructure in Computer and Information Science and Engineering

With this Dear Colleague Letter (DCL), the National Science Foundation's (NSF) Directorate for Computer and Information Science and Engineering (CISE) encourages the community to contemplate and pursue critical needs for unique mid-scale research infrastructure (RI) that can serve one or more research communities at a national level, and have the potential to significantly advance NSF-supported research disciplines.

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, Office-Wide Broad Agency Announcements

DARPA publicizes funding opportunities primarily by posting Broad Agency Announcements (BAAs) that formally solicit proposals tied to program-specific areas of research and development. In addition to those opportunities, each DARPA technical office maintains an "office-wide" BAA that offers a

mechanism for researchers to reach DARPA with an idea that may fall outside of DARPA's current priorities, but that the proposer feels could be valuable to national security. Please visit the website to find links to current BAAs in biological technologies, information innovation, microsystems technology, and strategic technology.

Next Deadline: Proposals accepted anytime until the specific BAA closes

National Science Foundation Dear Colleague Letter, Engineering Research to Advance Solutions for Environmental PFAS (ERASE-PFAS)

The Environmental Engineering program in the Division of Chemical, Bioengineering, Environmental, and Transport Systems (CBET) in the Directorate for Engineering (ENG) announces a special funding focus on new science and technologies for the treatment and remediation of per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) to improve and protect public and environmental health. We are excited by the opportunities in this research area and encourage researchers to contribute to our sustainable future by participating in this important funding investment area. The objective of the Environmental Engineering program at NSF is to support research on the prevention, minimization, mitigation, and/or remediation of environmental pollution to protect human and ecological health. To achieve this objective, the program has long funded research projects on the environmental fate, transport, mitigation, and remediation of contaminants of emerging national interest by researchers across the United States.

Next Deadline: Proposals accepted at anytime

National Science Foundation, Dynamics of Integrated Socio-Environmental Systems

The CNH2 Program supports research projects that advance basic scientific understanding of integrated socio-environmental systems and the complex interactions (dynamics, processes, and feedbacks) within and among the environmental (biological, physical and chemical) and human ("socio") (economic, social, political, or behavioral) components of such a system. The program seeks proposals that emphasize the truly integrated nature of a socio-environmental system versus two discrete systems (a natural one and a human one) that are coupled. CNH2 projects must explore a connected and integrated socio-environmental system that includes explicit analysis of the processes and dynamics between the environmental and human components of the system.

Next Deadline: Required Letter of Intent, September 17, 2020; Full Proposal, November 15 2020

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