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Funding Opportunities Weekly Digest–April 13, 2021

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Federal



Capacity Development for Weather, Water, and Climate Forecasting and Disaster Risk Reduction (CDDRR)

The CDDRR program's goal is to improve the performance of all operational meteorological hydrological, and disaster/emergency management services

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hydrologists/meteorologists, scientists, and other staff with expertise across a wide range of environmental, economic, and social and behavioral sciences. These activities engage operational hydrologists, meteorologists, and researchers in development and implementation of innovative programs which are pivotal to the improvement of weather and climate early warning services in developing countries.

Application Deadline: 6/7/21 | [View Opportunity](#)



Food and Agriculture Service Learning Program

The purpose of the Food and Agriculture Service Learning Program is to increase the knowledge of agricultural science and improve the nutritional health of children. The program's goal is to increase the capacity for food, garden, and nutrition education within host organizations or entities, such as school cafeterias and classrooms, while fostering higher levels of community engagement between farms and school systems by bringing together stakeholders from distinct parts of the food system. The initiative is part of a broader effort to not only increase access to school meals for low-income children, but also to dramatically improve their quality.

Application Deadline; 5/3/21 | [View Opportunity](#) | [View RFA](#)

TN FY 2021 Collaborative Outreach for Natural Resources Conservation

The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), an agency under the US Department of Agriculture (USDA), is announcing the availability of funding for

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groups.

Application Deadline 6/7/21 | [View Opportunity](#)

Tennessee Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Urban Conservation Project

The Tennessee NRCS Urban Conservation Project is an effort to challenge local conservation districts, nonprofit organizations, non-government organizations, institutions of higher learning, and other community partners to establish pollinator, urban, and community gardens across Tennessee. The simple act of planting a garden or creating a pollinator habitat can help unite neighbors in a common effort and inspire locally led solutions to some of the challenges facing local communities within the state. Addressing hunger and health, while inspiring beautification projects, with an urban garden can positively unite communities.

Application Deadline: 6/7/21 | [View Opportunity](#)



United States Department of Agriculture
National Institute of Food and Agriculture

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Please see [NIFA Upcoming RFA Calendar](#) and email aggrant@tennessee.edu to apply.

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REMEDY (Reducing Emissions of Methane Every Day of the Year)

The goal is to reverse the rate of accumulation of methane in the atmosphere, decrease atmospheric methane concentration, and thus ameliorate climate change.

Application deadline: 5/21/21 | [DE-FOA-0002505](#)



Racial Equity in STEM Education

Proposals should advance racial equity in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) education and workforce development through research (both fundamental and applied) and practice. Core to this funding opportunity is that proposals are led by, or developed and led in authentic partnership with, individuals and communities most impacted by the inequities caused by systemic racism. The voices, knowledge, and experiences of those who have been impacted by enduring racial inequities should be at the center of these proposals.

Application Deadline: 7/13/21 | [View Opportunity](#)

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Foundations



American Diabetes Association Health Disparities and Diabetes Research Awards

For this funding opportunity, attention must focus on, and hypotheses should reflect, the impact of race/ethnicity, socioeconomic status, health care access, and/or other direct factors that underlie diabetes health disparities, and applications should describe how results of the proposed research will transform assessment and treatment of underserved groups and their potential to significantly improve outcomes in diabetes or its complications. The ADA encourages formative research, intervention development, and pilot-testing of interventions. For the purposes of this funding initiative, interventions may include behavioral, social, or structural approaches, as well as combination biomedical and behavioral approaches that prevent and/or improve clinical outcomes for people living with diabetes.

Application Deadlines: 5/3/21 for Postdoctoral Fellowship



Improving Antibiotic Stewardship in Pigs and Beef Cattle

The [International Consortium for Antimicrobial Stewardship in Agriculture](#) (ICASA), one of the largest public-private partnerships focused on antibiotic stewardship in animal agriculture, is issuing two separate calls for research concepts, one to improve detection, treatment, and prevention of infectious lameness in pigs and the other to develop new diagnostic methods and technologies that facilitate antibiotic traceability across the beef and pork supply chains.

LOI Due: 5/12/21 | Application Deadline: 7/28/21 | [Call for Letters of Intent](#)



John T. and Jane A. Wiederhold Foundation Veterinary Science, Education and Research Grant

The John T. & Jane A. Wiederhold Foundation provides support for veterinary education & research to chosen organizations. Grant Applications will be evaluated based on their fit with the Wiederhold Foundation Mission Statement with an emphasis on research, efficiency, and best practice in Shelter Medicine and Animal Welfare.

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International



Farmer-to-Farmer Small Grants Competition

Partners of the Americas, with funding from the United States Agency for International Development (USAID), is accepting applications for parties interested in the Farmer-to-Farmer Agricultural Volunteer Opportunity Project (AVOP) Small Grants Competition. AVOP provides small grant funding available for international development programs focused on expert volunteer technical assistance.

Concept Note Submission Due: 6/8/21 | [View RFA](#)

Limited Submission Opportunity | Three Awards Available

[Submit Concept Note online.](#)

Additional Opportunities:

UT Knoxville Office of Research and Engagement

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[Hanover Higher Education Research Grant Alerts \(Funding Opportunities\)](#)

This [resource center](#) link provides weekly updates.

For COVID-19 support email (covid19-support@hanoverresearch.com).



Upcoming Event

[2021 Hanover Research Grantsmanship Workshop](#)

This two-day event will be held **virtually** on **Thursday, June 10, and Friday, June 11**, from 9:00-11:15 a.m. (EST).

Please [register online](#) for this event before **May 14**. **Zoom information will be sent to individuals that RSVP.**

As a reminder, AgResearch and CVM faculty can work directly with Hanover grant consultants for assistance on grant proposal preparation. If you're interested in consultation services for a specific proposal, please visit our [website](#) and fill out a [project request submission form](#).

Hanover Grants Calendar: COVID-19 Funding

[open to the public to sign up](#). To learn more visit [Hanover Research.com](https://hanoverresearch.com)

COVID-19 Funding Calendar

If you have any questions or you would like to learn more about our work with these programs, please [contact senior grants advisor Clinton Doggett](#) for a brief conversation.

[Grants Calendar: Early Career Research](#)

For additional COVID-19 information, [visit the UTIA OSP Coronavirus webpage](#).

Grants Calendar: Stem Research

[Grants Calendar: STEM Research](#)

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