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## Funding Opportunities Weekly Digest–August 10, 2021

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### Federal



#### **Specialty Crop Multi-State Program**

Requesting applications to award funds to enhance the competitiveness of specialty crops through collaborative, multi-state projects that address the following regional or national level specialty crop issues: food safety, plant pests and disease, research, crop-specific projects addressing common issues, and marketing and promotion.

Application Deadline: Applications from multi-state partners must be submitted to participating states by 11/4/21 | Applications from participating states must be received by Agricultural Marketing Service 12/6/21 | [View Opportunity](#)

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



### Tortoise and Freshwater Turtle Fund

The primary purpose of this new conservation fund is to provide financial support for projects that conserve populations and habitats of freshwater turtles and tortoises and address threats to their survival.

Application Deadline: 10/04/21 | [View Opportunity](#)



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### 2021 SeedMoney Challenge!

SeedMoney is offering grants to food garden projects through a thirty-day crowdfunding challenge running November 15 thru December 15. Grants are open to any type of public food garden project (youth gardens, community gardens, food bank gardens, etc.) regardless of its location.

Application Deadline: 11/12/21 | [View Opportunity](#)

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## Additional Opportunities:

UT Knoxville Office of Research, Innovation, and Economic Development

[COVID-19 Funding Opportunities](#)

[Pivot Funding Opportunities](#) (Create your account)

[Office of Sponsored Programs](#) (Funding Opportunities to Consider)

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

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

For COVID-19 support email ([covid19-support@hanoverresearch.com](mailto:covid19-support@hanoverresearch.com)).

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### [Grants Calendar: Student Success](#)

As a reminder, AgResearch and College of Veterinary Medicine 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](#).

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[Open to the public to sign up. To learn more visit \[manover.research.com\]\(http://manover.research.com\).](#)

We hope this calendar is a useful planning tool for your institution. Please access the document using the link below.

### [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**

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