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Funding Opportunities Weekly Digest–December 7, 2021

To notify the Office of Sponsored Programs of your intent to apply for any of these or other grant opportunities, please submit a [Proposal Intake Questionnaire](#) to provide OSP with preliminary information.

Check out the [Office of Sponsored Programs website](#) to view more [funding opportunities](#) to consider.



PIQ Presentation for Faculty

What: Informational session on OSP's Proposal Intake Questionnaire

When: Wednesday, December 8, 10:00-10:30 a.m.

Where: Zoom – <https://tennessee.zoom.us/j/93108602737>

Federal

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Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management Headquarters Recreation and Visitor Services

The goals of this program are to improve community access to public lands; improve climate resiliency on public lands while enhancing outdoor recreational opportunities and activities; improve infrastructure; educate visitors; and encourage enjoyment of public lands.

Application Deadline: 5/30/2022 | [View Opportunity](#)



United States Department of Agriculture
National Institute of Food and Agriculture

National Institute of Food and Agriculture has announced the [AFRI 2022 deadlines](#) so you can start planning well in advance to take advantage of services provided by AgResearch (Hanover, Orange Team Review), OSP, and UT Knoxville Office of Research, Innovation, and Economic Development.

To notify OSP of an upcoming proposal, complete the new online [Proposal Intake Questionnaire](#) as soon as you start planning to provide preliminary information about your prospective proposal.

Please recall that there are broader global collaborative efforts available with [Ireland and Northern Ireland](#) for certain applications. Contact [Tom Gill](#) if you are planning or need assistance to develop partnerships.

All applicants who meet the eligibility requirement as a **New Investigator** will also be eligible to apply for a **seed grant**, as well as for a [New Investigator \(standard\) grant](#). | [Helpful Hints for New Investigators](#)

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Rural Microentrepreneur Assistance Program (RMAP)

The purpose of RMAP is to support the development and ongoing success of rural microentrepreneurs and microenterprises and to provide technical assistance and entrepreneurship training to rural individuals and businesses.

Application Deadline: 6/30/2022 | [View Opportunity](#)



Understanding the Rules of Life: Emergent Networks

This "Big Idea" is a cross-directorate program of NSF that aims to develop a predictive understanding of how key properties of living systems emerge from interactions of factors such as genomes, phenotypes, and environments and how emerging networks of organismal, natural, social, and/or human-engineered systems respond to or influence evolving environments. Ultimately, to contribute to understanding the rules of life through new theories and reliable predictions about the impact of specific environmental changes on behaviors of complex living systems, or engineerable interventions and technologies based on a rule of life to address associated outcomes for societal benefit.

Application Deadline: 3/1/2022 | [View Opportunity](#)

Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Education Postdoctoral Research

This program funds individual and institutional postdoctoral awards designed to enhance the research knowledge, skills, and practices of recent doctoral graduates in STEM, with a goal of advancing their preparation to engage in fundamental and applied research in STEM education that advances knowledge within the field. The STEM Ed PRF program offers two tracks: (I) Individual Postdoctoral Fellowships and (II) Institutional Cohort Postdoctoral Fellowships.

Application Deadline: 3/31/2022 | [View Opportunity](#)

Smart and Connected Communities

The goal of the NSF Smart and Connected Communities program solicitation is to accelerate the creation of the scientific and engineering foundations that will

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accessibility and inclusivity, and overall quality of life.

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International



US Mission Turkey Grants Program

Proposals are welcome that strengthen the open and dynamic digital economy and that highlight sectors with growth potential such as local tourism/hospitality, value-added agrobusiness, innovative agricultural technology/practices, and inclusive financial services. Proposals are welcome to increase cooperation between US and Turkish scientists and industry, particularly in the fields of agricultural technology innovation, green technology applications, combatting climate change, developing the blue economy, and efforts to address COVID-19.

Application Deadline: 2/4/2022 | [View Opportunity](#)

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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](#).

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: Research Centers](#)

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