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## Funding Opportunities Digest— September 20, 2024

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To notify the Office of Sponsored Programs (OSP) 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.

To request a change to an existing award, please complete the [Award Action Form](#) and submit it to [aggrant@utk.edu](mailto:aggrant@utk.edu). This will ensure that your request is properly documented and processed in a timely manner.

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### Newly Announced



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common primary bone tumor diagnosed in dogs. Of particular interest are studies that focus on new treatment approaches, but all proposals that seek to advance canine osteosarcoma research are encouraged.

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### **Community food Projects Competitive Grant Program**

This program is intended to bring together stakeholders from distinct parts of the food system and to foster understanding of national food security trends and how they might improve local food systems.

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### **Application Deadlines:**

- **Oct. 24:** [Predoctoral Fellowship](#)
- **Nov. 7:** [Community Food Projects Competitive Grants Program](#)
- **Nov. 8:** [Specialty Crop Research Initiative](#)
- **Nov. 12:** [Veterinary Shortage Situation Nominations Deadline](#)
- **Dec. 5:** [AFRI Education and Workforce Development](#)
- **Dec. 31:** [AFRI Foundational and Applied Science Program](#)
- **Dec. 31:** [Tribal Colleges Research Grants Program](#)

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### Specialty Crop Research Initiative

The purpose of the Specialty Crop Research Initiative program is to address the critical needs of the specialty crop industry by awarding grants to support research and extension that address key challenges of national, regional, and multi-state importance in sustaining all components of food and agriculture, including conventional and organic food production systems.

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### Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Foundational and Applied Science Program

The Foundational and Applied Science Program supports grants in six priority areas to advance knowledge in both fundamental and applied sciences important to agriculture. The six priority areas are: plant health and production and plant products; animal health and production and animal products; food safety, nutrition, and health; bioenergy, natural resources, and environment; agriculture systems and technology; and agriculture economics and rural communities. Research-only, extension-only, and integrated research, education and/or extension projects are solicited in this request for applications.

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### Equine Research Grants

The Equine Research Committee will consider all proposals meeting the overarching goal of improving the health, welfare, and utility of the American Quarter Horse with special attention to the following areas of interest: equine welfare, genomics, infectious diseases, microbiome of the horse, and nutrition.

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encourage collaborative, science-based restoration of priority forest landscapes, leverage public and private resources, and support priorities identified in state forest action plans.

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As a reminder, UT AgResearch and UT 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 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: Early Career Research](#)

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