Upcoming RCA Events and Programs

NSF and CAREER Proposal Development Program

Deadline to Apply: January 20, 2022

This program is designed to assist faculty in writing proposals to the National Science Foundation. All sessions will be held during spring semester 2022. There are two tracks:

**Track A: First NSF Proposal or Proposal Re-submissions**
This series of sessions are primarily for faculty who have not written an NSF proposal or have not had a successful NSF proposal submission. This track would also be useful for faculty applying to the NSF CAREER program in Summer 2023 or 2024.

**Track B: NSF CAREER 2022**
This series of sessions is for faculty that will be submitting an NSF CAREER proposal in Summer 2022.

Learn more, see the full schedule, and apply to participate >>

Participants are requested to wear masks at this event.
NSF and the Social Sciences / Convergence Research

January 27-28, 2022

The Office of Research and Creative Activity is hosting Mark S. Hurwitz, PhD, professor of political science at Western Michigan University (WMU) and prior program officer at the National Science Foundation (NSF) to lead several opportunities:

- **Workshop: NSF and the Social Sciences – Writing Proposals for the SBE Directorate:** Thursday, January 27 / 9am-12pm
- **One-on-One Consultations:** Thursday, January 27 / 2-5pm; Friday, January 28 / 8-11am
- **Lunch Session: Convergence Research at NSF:** Friday, January 28 / 12-2pm

Learn more and register >>

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Save the Date: NEH Session

February 9-10, 2022

The Office of Research and Creative Activity will be hosting a grant writing workshop and consultations by Jesse Johnston. Johnston is a librarian and archivist, educator, administrator, and scholar with extensive experience in the public sector, academic research, and teaching. He served as a Senior Program Officer for preservation and access and Acting Records Officer at the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH).

Watch for more information coming soon.

STUDENT RESEARCH DAY

Save the Date APRIL 19, 2022

April 19, 2022
NDSU Student Research Day is a new event involving a collaboration between NDSU EXPLORE, Gamma Sigma Delta, and the Graduate Student Council. We are excited to bring together what once was three separate events into one day of celebrating undergraduate and graduate student research and creative projects.

Please plan to join us on April 19, 2022 in the Memorial Union. Watch for more information on registration and event details in early 2022.

NIH R15 Program

RCA is developing a workshop to assist faculty in writing competitive proposals to the NIH Academic Research Enhancement Award (AREA) Program. Information on the NIH R15 program can be found on the NIH website. Please note that NDSU is not currently eligible for the NIH REAP program.

Faculty interested in applying or resubmitting to this program in 2022 should complete this form – the brief survey will allow us to ensure that the workshop covers the topics that will be most useful for attendees.

Programmatic Requests

Deadline: January 28, 2022

Each year congressional delegations have the opportunity to submit programmatic funding requests for federal research programs. Programmatic requests are designed to add additional funding to federal agencies’ budgets with the intent that a competitive funding opportunity will be released in connection with the funding increase.

NDSU’s process for submitting requests for consideration is on the RCA website. The deadline for FY2023 submissions to RCA is January 28, 2022.
If anyone has questions about the process or would like to discuss a potential idea, please contact ndsu.researchdev@ndsu.edu.

Looking for funding opportunities?

RCA subscribes to SPIN by InfoEd Global, a database of more than 40,000 funding opportunities. Through this subscription, SPIN is free for current NDSU faculty, staff, and students.

For more information and to access this database, visit the SPIN page on the RCA website. If you have questions, please contact ndsu.researchdev@ndsu.edu.

Upcoming Limited Submission Program Deadlines

Limited submission grant programs are those that indicate a limit on the number of proposals that may be submitted by an institution for a particular deadline. A selection process becomes necessary if more applicants express interest in applying than NDSU is allowed to submit to the grant program. Email notifications of interest to ndsu.researchdev@ndsu.edu.

If you identify a limited submission opportunity that is not on the list below, please notify ndsu.researchdev@ndsu.edu.

- **DOE: Energy Frontier Research Centers**  
  First to Notify
- **Graham Foundation: Architecture and the Designed Environment**  
  First to Notify
- **NSF EPSCoR RII Track 4: EPSCoR Research Fellows**  
  Notification Deadline: 01/18/2022
- **HRSA: Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs Research Network**  
  Notification Deadline: 01/19/2022
- **USDA-NIFA: Women and Minorities in STEM**  
  Notification Deadline: 01/19/2022
• **NIH: Collaborative Program Grant for Multidisciplinary Teams**
  *Notification Deadline: 02/02/2022*

• **NEA: Challenge America**
  *Notification Deadline: 02/10/2022*

• **Breast Cancer Alliance: Exceptional Project Grants**
  *Notification Deadline: 02/15/2022*

There are a number of limited submission grant programs with upcoming agency deadlines for which we did not receive any notifications of interest. A full list of those programs is available on the [Limited Submissions page](#). For these programs, marked "First to Notify," approval to move forward with a full proposal submission to the funder will be given on a first come, first served basis. Email notifications of interest to [ndsu.researchdev@ndsu.edu](mailto:ndsu.researchdev@ndsu.edu).

Have questions, ideas, or suggestions for the RCA Update?

[Contact Us](#)
The Office of Research and Creative Activity (RCA) sends weekly emails to NDSU faculty and staff to provide current information on various topics including funding opportunities, grant program changes, research resources, deadlines, notices, and training.

You are receiving this notification through the NDSU official employee listerv or sub-list. The official listerv refreshes after each pay period.

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We collectively acknowledge that we gather at NDSU, a land grant institution, on the traditional lands of the Oceti Sakowin (Dakota, Lakota, Nakoda) and Anishinaabe Peoples in addition to many diverse Indigenous Peoples still connected to these lands. We honor with gratitude Mother Earth and the Indigenous Peoples who have walked with her throughout generations. We will continue to learn how to live in unity with Mother Earth and build strong, mutually beneficial, trusting relationships with Indigenous Peoples of our region.