Homecoming Week seems so long ago, so warm! Many people I met at that time said that last winter was mild and maybe this one would be, too. With this being my first North Dakota winter, perhaps foolishly, I said I wanted it to get really, really cold. That long winter will then be a symbol of resilience and maybe even a bragging point in the years to come. Little did I know we’d be on track to break the blizzard record this year so that’s proof to be careful about what you wish for.

Luckily, I have no regrets for some other wishes I made back then – such as for NDSU research to reach new heights of excellence. And even during the short span of this winter, all of you involved in NDSU research have already made some really noteworthy accomplishments!

- In December we got the exciting news about NDSU being named a Carnegie Classification R1, “Doctoral University: Very High Research Activity” institution. R1 metrics are calculated from several weighted factors: research expenditures, personnel count (both faculty and non-faculty research staff) and earned doctorates. Importantly, the categories draw from both STEM and non-STEM data, so a balanced portfolio is vital. Moving ahead, I am committed to being forward-looking to try to forecast the trends and our team will be scrutinizing other institutions’ data sets to see if there are lessons to learn from them. Provost Fitzgerald has asked me, along with our new Graduate Dean, Dr. Susan Sell, to hold a Campus Conversation about Carnegie classification metrics. Watch for more information about that soon.
In January we got exciting news that Dr. Mukund Sibi and I were named Fellows of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (https://www.ndsu.edu/news/view/detail/67175/). Muk came by to welcome me to NDSU my first full week on the job. I immediately learned how special he is. His devotion to the institution, his scholarly accomplishments, and his mentoring are all world-class and we are so lucky to have him at NDSU. Besides a long record of research accomplishments, Muk has truly earned his reputation as a mentor, including for his work with high school and undergraduate students just starting their research careers. Congratulations, Muk! I’m honored to be in your company as a AAAS Fellow, along with College of Engineering Dean Michael Kessler.

We have had two successful campus visits of former program officers (POs), Dr. Mark Hurwitz, who served at the National Science Foundation (NSF), and Dr. Jesse Johnston, who served at the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH). Inspired by the generosity of Muk and so many other amazing campus researchers who support NDSU, I’ve decided to also try to help in building institutional capacity. I’m piloting a weekly session called Brown Bag: Pick the PO’s Brain, Fridays at lunchtime, starting on March 4 and continuing up to May 14. Part of why I went to NSF to serve (and I use "serve" intentionally) is because of how much value I get out of seeing others succeed and using the knowledge at my disposal to help make that happen. Our researchers have a lot of questions about NSF. So I’ll kick off this brown bag series and probably do a number of them, but we expect to have some visitors, possibly including our NDSU hometown POs. Dr. Joel Caton has been serving as a rotator at USDA-NIFA since last year and in January, Dr. Sylvio May joined NSF as a rotator. The goal of the series is to increase your success rate and our campus expenditures for federal grants.

Thank you for your commitment to excellence and to the long-term success of North Dakota State University. Together, we can fulfill that wish of taking NDSU research activity to new heights. I look forward to continuing to hear your ideas about how we can do just that!

Go Bison!

Colleen
When proposals are submitted through one of the federal systems, there is an opportunity to preview the application before it is submitted. Sponsored Programs Administration (SPA) encourages use of this function prior to submission to ensure that the proposal is complete and contains all the sponsor-required elements. The location of the preview feature in four of the common federal systems is described below. Questions about the federal systems should be directed to ndsu.research@ndsu.edu.

**Grants.gov**

Grants.gov is used for sponsors including USDA-NIFA, DOT, EPA, and DOI. To preview an application in Grants.gov, choose the "VIEW APPLICATION" tab and select "Request View."

**Research.gov**

Research.gov is used for submissions to the National Science Foundation (NSF). To preview an application in Research.gov, select "Print Proposal" under "Proposal Actions" in the left side panel.
Fastlane

Fastlane is used for submissions to the National Science Foundation (NSF). To preview an application in Fastlane, select "Print Entire Proposal" in the left column.

ASSIST

ASSIST is used for submissions to the National Institutes of Health (NIH). To preview an application in ASSIST, select "Preview Application" under "Actions" in the left side panel.

Applications Open:
NDSU Summer Undergraduate Biomedical Research Program

NDSU is offering a summer undergraduate research program featuring the opportunity to study biomedical research within a variety of science and engineering fields. This program is open to undergraduate students who are currently enrolled in a degree program at a North Dakota college or university (including NDSU) and who will not graduate before December 2022.

The program will run for 10 weeks from May 31 to August 5. Student researchers selected
for a project are expected to work 40 hours per week and will be paid $15/hour.

Learn more >>

Help for understanding foreign influence and research transparency reporting

As a land-grant university, our core values include the belief that we derive strength and vitality from the diverse communities we serve and that we are welcoming and respectful of differences in people and ideas.

Given the increased national security focus related to working with foreign entities, many federal agencies have recently provided guidance about their specific disclosure requirements for the resources and financial support researchers may receive from foreign entities. While foreign influence is a broad topic, the federal funding agencies are focusing on two key elements: transparency and the adherence to the fundamental principles of scientific integrity.

While this is an evolving and rapidly changing area of concern, RCA is your partner in all areas covering foreign influence.

To provide you with the latest information, the Foreign Influence and Federal Grants area of the RCA website has recently been updated with links to funding agency guidelines and the actions you can take to ensure you are prepared for your next grant submission.

If you have any questions or concerns, you can contact the Industry Engagement and Intellectual Property team at NDSU.BusinessDev@ndsu.edu.
February Issue: Research Development & Grant Writing News

The February issue of *Research Development and Grant Writing News* is now available to view. Use your NDSU login information to access this resource. Various topics are covered, including:

- The New Research Agenda for the National Endowment for the Arts, 2022-2026
- Let NIH/NIAID Write Your Winning Proposal for You
- Overview of the New Quantum Workforce Development Plan
- Confusion Over the Meaning of the Research Narrative Is Usually the Author’s Fault
- Don’t Forget the Key Part of Your Proposal’s Management Plan Is Managing the Research

Award Negotiation Process

Once an award is received by NDSU, the status is updated in *Novelution* by Sponsored Programs Administration (SPA) and a negotiator is assigned. The negotiator will be someone in SPA or *Business Development*, depending on the sponsor funding source. The negotiator will review the agreement, work with the sponsor on modifications, and sign when the agreement terms are acceptable.

Federal regulations change frequently and each agreement can have unique terms. While all terms and conditions are reviewed, below are a few of the terms that most frequently require negotiation with sponsors:

- Publication Rights;
- Intellectual Property Ownership;
- Indemnification;
- Governing Law / Jurisdiction;
- Confidentiality;
- Insurance;
• Payment / Invoicing Terms; and  
• Citizenship Restrictions.

After the award is negotiated and signed, Grant and Contract Accounting (GCA) comes in to do the financial award set-up. Actual time between award receipt and forwarding to GCA can vary greatly based on the complexity of the negotiations and sponsor response times on questions.

The negotiation step is crucial to minimizing risk for the university and our faculty, staff and students. Each agreement needs to balance compliance with federal regulations, sponsor policies, state laws, and NDSU policies.

Over the next several weeks, we will continue to look at the several steps between award receipt and set up. If you have any questions, call 701-231-8045 or email ndsu.research@ndsu.edu and we would be happy to help.

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**Upcoming Events and Deadlines**

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  Begins February 2022 / [Learn more >>]

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- **AI-CoRN Summit & DaCCoTA Symposium**  
  August 4-5, 2022 / [Learn more >>]
FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

- Caplan: Early Childhood
- DOE: Chemical / Materials Sciences for Clean Energy Tech and Low-Carbon Manufacturing – LIMITED
- DOI-BLM: Montana / Dakota Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Management
- EREF: Sustainable Waste Management
- Gerber Foundation: Research Grants
- NASA: Research Opportunities in Space and Earth Sciences
- NEH: Research and Development
- NIH: Research Education Grant Programs
- NSF: Civic Innovation Challenge
- NSF: Training-based Workforce Development for Advanced Cyberinfrastructure – LIMITED

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.

- **NSF: I-Corps Hubs**
  *Notification Deadline: 02/23/2022*
- **VentureWell: Course & Program Grants**
  *Notification Deadline: 02/24/2022*
- **NIH: Research Experience in Genomic Research for Data Scientists**
  *Notification Deadline: 02/24/2022*
- **NIH: Asthma and Allergic Diseases Cooperative Research Centers**
  *Notification Deadline: 03/03/2022*
• **NSF: Training-based Workforce Development for Advanced Cyberinfrastructure**
  *Notification Deadline: 03/11/2022*

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.

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**Looking for more 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.

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**Caplan Foundation for Early Childhood: Grants**

The [Caplan Foundation for Early Childhood](#) is an incubator of promising research and development projects that appear likely to improve the welfare of young children, from infancy through seven years, in the United States. Welfare is broadly defined to include physical and mental health, safety, nutrition, education, play, familial support, acculturation, societal integration and childcare.

The Foundation provides funding in the following areas:

- Early Childhood Welfare
- Early Childhood Education and Play
- Parenting Education
Letter of intent deadline: May 31, 2022

DOE: Chemical and Materials Sciences to Advance Clean Energy Technology and Low-Carbon Manufacturing - Limited Submission Program

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.

DOE: The agency pre-application deadline for this program is March 16, 2022. Notify RCA if you are interested in submitting to this program; approval to submit will be given to the first to notify.

The Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Science (SC) program in Basic Energy Sciences (BES) announces its interest in receiving new applications from single principal investigators (PIs) and from small teams to advance basic and fundamental chemical and materials sciences that underpin clean energy technologies and low-carbon manufacturing. The goal is creation of foundational knowledge to support the development of approaches that will minimize climate impacts of energy technologies and manufacturing. For this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) [DE-FOA-0002676], clean energy technologies include approaches to capture, produce, convert, store, and use energy that reduce or eliminate unwanted emissions such as greenhouse gases (e.g., carbon dioxide, methane, etc.). These technologies also include approaches such as direct air capture (DAC) and carbon storage / sequestration to decrease emissions that have been released into the environment from energy production and use. Low-carbon manufacturing refers to manufacturing processes that minimize carbon emissions and energy consumption.

LIMITED SUBMISSION:
Applicant institutions are limited to a total of no more than three pre-applications or applications.

**DOI-BLM: Montana / Dakota Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Management**

The Bureau of Land Management’s (BLM) Montana/Dakotas Aquatic Habitat Management Program’s priority work includes:

- decision support;
- conservation;
- restoration;
- sustainability; and
- collaboration.

The BLM Montana / Dakotas Aquatic Habitat Management Program has an opportunity to work with partner organizations to assist with:

- contributing to the above-described Program core functions;
- combating climate change and habitat loss impacts to aquatic resources;
- restoring and connecting degraded aquatic resources;
- increasing ecosystem resistance, resilience, and adaptability to drought, wildfires, and floods;
- determining acceptable levels of hydrologic and ecological change given BLM management objectives;
- advancing inventory, assessment, and monitoring activities and tools;
- preventing the establishment and spread of invasive species; and
- increasing public knowledge of aquatic habitats on BLM managed lands, including with a targeted focus on communities of color, low-income families, and rural and indigenous communities.

Project must assist BLM in meeting one or more of the [Department of Interior priorities](https://www.doi.gov/priorities), as well as one of the following priorities of the Biden-Harris Administration:

- [Executive Order 14008](https://www.whitehouse.gov/presidential-actions/executive-order-14008-tackling-climate-crisis-at-home-and-abroad/): Tackling the Climate Crisis at Home and Abroad
• Executive Order 13985: Advancing Racial Equity and Support for Underserved Communities Through the Federal Government
• Executive Order 14002: Economic Relief Related to the COVID-19 pandemic
• Executive Order 14005: Ensuring the Future is Made in All of America by All of America’s Workers

Deadline: April 18, 2022

Environmental Research and Education Fund: Sustainable Waste Management

The Environmental Research and Education Fund (EREF) is accepting pre-proposals related to sustainable solid waste management practices and pertaining to the following topic areas:

1. Waste minimization;
2. Recycling;
3. Waste conversion to energy, biofuels, chemicals or other useful products. This includes, but is not limited to, the following technologies:
   o Waste-to-energy;
   o Anaerobic digestion;
   o Composting;
   o Other thermal or biological conversion technologies;
4. Strategies to promote diversion to higher and better uses (e.g. organics diversion, market analysis, optimized material management, logistics, etc.); and
5. Landfilling.

Desirable aspects of the above topics, in addition to or as part of hypothesis driven applied research, also include: economic or cost / benefit analyses, feasibility studies for untested technologies or management strategies, life cycle analysis or inventory, and analyses of policies that relate to the above.

Note that EREF defines solid waste to include:

• municipal solid waste (e.g. residential, commercial, institutional);
• construction and demolition debris;
• certain industrial wastes (e.g. exploration & production waste, coal ash); and
other wastes typically managed by the solid waste industry or generated by the public not included in the above items (e.g. electronic waste, disaster debris, etc).

Agricultural wastes (that aren’t handled by the waste industry), nuclear waste, and land applied wastewater treatment sludge are generally not included in this definition.

*Pre-proposal deadlines: May 1, 2022 and December 1, 2022*

**Gerber Foundation: Research Grants**

The mission of The Gerber Foundation is to enhance the quality of life of infants and young children in nutrition, care, and development. Accordingly, priority is given to projects whose primary beneficiaries are young children from birth to three years of age. The primary focus of the Foundation’s grantmaking is applied research focused on health and nutritional issues affecting infants and young children. Research projects aimed at finding solutions to common every-day issues and problems regarding children’s health and nutrition are sought. Of particular interest are those offering a substantial promise of meaningful advances in prevention and treatment of diseases and those with broad applicability to the general population.

*Concept paper deadline: May 15, 2022*

**NASA: Research Opportunities in Space and Earth Sciences**

The NASA Science Mission Directorate (SMD) has released its annual omnibus research announcement, Research Opportunities in Space and Earth Sciences (ROSES) 2022 [NNH22ZDA001N]. Topics include:

- Biological and Physical Sciences
- Earth Surface and Interior
- Development and Advancement of Lunar Instrumentation
- Land Cover / Land Use Change
- Terrestrial Hydrology
- Interdisciplinary Research in Earth Science
NEH: Research and Development
The Research and Development program supports projects that address major challenges in preserving or providing access to humanities collections and resources. These challenges include the need to find better ways to preserve materials of critical importance to the nation’s cultural heritage—from fragile artifacts and manuscripts to analog recordings and digital assets subject to technological obsolescence—and to develop advanced modes of organizing, searching, discovering, and using such materials.

This program supports projects at all stages of development, from early planning and stand-alone studies to advanced implementation. Projects may produce any combination of laboratory datasets, guidelines for standards, open access software tools, workflow and equipment specifications, widely used metadata schema, or other products.

Research and Development projects are encouraged to address one or more of the following areas of special interest:

- preserving our audiovisual and digital heritage;
- conserving our material past;
- protecting our cultural heritage;
- serving under-represented communities;
- responding to climate change.

Optional draft deadline: April 12, 2022
Application deadline: May 17, 2022

NIH: Research and Education Grant Programs (R25)
The National Institutes of Health has a number of open Research Education (R25) grant programs on a variety of topics.
- **PAR-20-289**: Research Education Program  
  National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID)  
  *Deadline: May 25, 2022*

- **PAR-20-317**: Advancing Diversity in Aging Research through Undergraduate Education  
  National Institute on Aging (NIA)  
  *Deadline: May 25, 2022*

- **PAR-21-279**: Cancer Research Experiences  
  National Cancer Institute (NCI)  
  *Deadline: May 25, 2022*

- **PAR-21-278**: Cancer Research Courses for Skills Development  
  National Cancer Institute (NCI)  
  *Deadline: May 25, 2022*

- **PAR-20-223**: Enhancing Science, Technology, EnginEering, and Math Educational Diversity (ESTEEMED)  
  National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering (NIBIB)  
  *Deadline: June 24, 2022*

*See the full list of open R25 opportunities >*

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**NSF: Civic Innovation Challenge**

The Civic Innovation Challenge (CIVIC) [NSF 22-565] is a research and action competition that accelerates the transition to practice of foundational research and emerging technologies into communities through civic-engaged research. CIVIC funds projects that pilot state-of-the-art solutions over 12 months, following a six-month planning phase, and have the potential for lasting impact in the partnering community as well as the potential to be scaled and implemented in other communities.

Building on other stakeholder-engaged research programs such as NSF’s Smart & Connected Communities program, CIVIC is uniquely designed to enable transition to practice of innovations into communities, as follows:

1. CIVIC flips the community-university dynamic, asking *communities* to identify civic priorities ripe for innovation and then to partner with researchers to address those priorities;
2. CIVIC focuses on research-centered solutions that are ready for piloting in and with communities on a short timescale, where real-world outcomes can be evaluated within 12 months;
3. CIVIC requires a coalition of civic partners and stakeholders and a multidisciplinary set of researchers to co-create and execute pilot projects; and
4. CIVIC organizes and fosters nationwide “communities of practice” around high-need problem areas that allow for meaningful knowledge sharing and cross-site collaboration during both the pre-development and piloting stages.

CIVIC is organized as a two-stage competition with two tracks centered around the following topic areas:
- Track A. Living in a changing climate: pre-disaster action around adaptation, resilience, and mitigation; and
- Track B. Bridging the gap between essential resources and services & community needs.

A virtual webinar and Q&A session will be hosted by NSF. Learn more >>

Deadline: May 5, 2022

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**NSF: Training-based Workforce Development for Advanced Cyberinfrastructure – Limited Submission**

*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.

**NSF CyberTraining**: Notify RCA by March 11, 5:00 p.m., if you are interested in submitting to this program.

This program seeks to prepare, nurture, and grow the national scientific *research workforce for creating, utilizing, and supporting advanced*
cyberinfrastructure (CI) to enable and potentially transform fundamental science and engineering (S&E) research and education and contribute to the Nation’s overall economic competitiveness and security. The goals of this solicitation \[\text{NSF 22-574}\] are to

1. ensure \emph{broad adoption} of CI tools, methods, and resources by the research community in order to catalyze major research advances and to enhance researchers’ abilities to lead the development of new CI;
2. integrate core literacy and discipline-appropriate advanced skills in advanced CI as well as computational and data-driven methods for advancing fundamental research, into the Nation’s undergraduate and graduate educational \emph{curriculum / instructional materials}; and
3. build communities of research CI professional staff to deploy, manage, and collaboratively support the effective use of research CI, as well as establish career paths for those staff within and across institutions and science and engineering (S&E) disciplines.

There are three project classes as defined below:

- \emph{Pilot Projects}: up to $300,000 total budget with durations up to two years;
- \emph{Implementation Projects: Small} (with total budgets of up to $500,000) or \emph{Medium} (with total budgets of up to $1,000,000) for durations of up to four years; and
- \emph{CI Professional (CIP) Projects [LIMITED]}: up to two full-time equivalents (FTEs) per institution and four FTEs total with durations up to five years.

Proposals responding to the \emph{Pilot} and \emph{Implementation} project classes defined in this solicitation may target one or both of the first two solicitation goals, while proposals responding to the \emph{CIP} project class must address the third goal.

\textbf{LIMITED SUBMISSION:}

There are no restrictions or limits on Pilot or Implementation proposals. Institutions are limited to one CIP proposal per CyberTraining program competition.
NSF SBE: Virtual Informational Sessions on Upcoming Funding Opportunities

February-March 2022

The National Science Foundation (NSF) Directorate for Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences is hosting a series of virtual informational sessions on upcoming funding opportunities.

- February 24: [Human Networks and Data Science Program Office Hour](#)
- February 25: [Civic Innovation Challenge Webinar](#)
- March 10 and 22: [Civic Innovation Challenge Q&A Session](#)
- March 16: [Smart and Connected Communities Program Webinar](#)

University-Industry Partnerships Webinar Series

February-April 2022

This ten-part webinar series, *Robust Collaborations: Insights for Researchers*, shares foundational training for researchers in university and industry settings for success in university-industry collaboration. These webinars are free to access if you use your ndsu.edu email address to register.

- February 24: Managing Expectations and Creating Long Term Relationships
- March 3: Basic Budgeting Strategies for Industry Agreements
- March 10: Opportunities and Challenges of Engaging Students in Industry Sponsored Research
- March 17: Contracting and Compliance
- March 24: Managing Intellectual Property Issues
- April 7: Government Increased Interest in U-I Collaborations
- April 14: Ask Me Anything Session

Student Research Day: Registration Open

Registration deadline: March 22, 2022
NDSU Student Research Day is a collaboration among NDSU EXPLORE, Gamma Sigma Delta, and the Graduate Student Council. This one-day event on April 19, 2022, will provide NDSU graduate and undergraduate students with an opportunity to present their research in a showcase of both oral and poster presentations. All student researchers are welcome to participate, and registration is now open.

Learn more and register >>

Agriculture Utilization Research Institute: New Uses Forum
March 23-24, 2022 | Minneapolis, MN
The Agriculture Utilization Research Institute (AURI) and its partners, Compeer Financial and Georgetown University’s Rural Opportunity Initiative, invite you to save the date for the 4th New Uses Forum. The event will be held in Minneapolis on March 23rd - 24th, 2022.

The 2-day forum will feature talented speakers with in-depth knowledge and real-world experience in areas related to entrepreneurship, innovation, development and investment in the food and agriculture sector.

The New Uses Forum will be a hybrid event with in-person and virtual options. Please watch for more information as it becomes available.

Application Deadline
Summer Institute in Computational Social Science
March 25, 2022
The Summer Institutes, available at no cost to participants, bring together graduate students, postdoctoral researchers, and beginning faculty interested in computational social science for one to two weeks of intensive study and collaborative research that challenges disciplinary boundaries. NDSU is a partner institution for the 2022 institutes,
and the NDSU Summer Institute in Computational Social Science will take place June 19-30, 2022.

Learn more and apply >>

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**Workshop: University-Industry Partnerships in the Social Sciences**

*April 20-21, 2022 | College Park, MD*

The University of Maryland, College Park, in partnership with UIDP and with support from the National Science Foundation, as well as MITRE, Optimal Solutions Group, SAGE Publishing, the Consortium of Social Science Associations, and the Federation of Associations in Behavioral & Brain Sciences, is hosting this workshop April 20-21, 2022, at The Hotel at the University of Maryland. Join experts and leaders from academia, industry, and government to consider how academic-corporate partnerships can advance social, behavioral, and organizational science research to positively impact science and society. This event will complement the virtual workshop held on October 14, 2021 [see recording and materials].

Learn more and register >>

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**Save the Date: 2022 Annual AICoRN Summit & DaCCoTA Symposium**

*August 4-5, 2022 | Sioux Falls, SD*

The American Indian Collaborative Research Network (AICoRN) Summit & Dakota Cancer Collaborative on Translational Activity (DaCCoTA) Symposium events will include:

- Educational Opportunities
- Poster Sessions
- DaCCoTA Awardee Presentations
- Networking Opportunities

For additional information about the symposium please visit: med.UND.edu/daccota/symposium.html.
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 listserv or sub-list. The official listserv 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.