Funding Opportunities Weekly Digest – April 1, 2020

We are working hard to keep you updated on new deadlines as they arise. For information and updates on how the Office of Sponsored Programs is responding to COVID-19, visit our website.

UT continues to pursue research and other sponsored activity where work can be done remotely and/or laboratory-based work is done both with existing safety protocols and practicing of social distancing. Work such as analyzing data, writing and reviewing manuscripts, preparing presentations, developing new grant proposals, convening online discussions with students and lab staff, and online compliance training is strongly advised.

Submission of new research proposals is encouraged, and the UTIA Office of Sponsored Programs (OSP) is able to assist while conducting work remotely. Should issues arise, please contact Jane Burns at janeburns@utk.edu.

Thank you for continuing to pursue your research, outreach, and scholarly programs with colleagues and students in your research group during these extraordinary times.
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)

- Foundational and Applied Science
  [View Grant Opportunity] [View RFA] [See New Deadlines]
- Education and Workforce Development
  [View Grant Opportunity] [View RFA] [See New Deadlines]

Special Research Grants Program Aquaculture Research
Application deadline: 4/22/20 | [View Grant Opportunity] [View RFA]

Emergency Citrus Disease Research and Extension Program
The goals of this program are to combat Huanglongbing (HLB) and its disease complex in order to continue to be able to farm citrus in a financially sustainable way through collaborative approaches and knowledge; transition from component-focused research to deploying research outcomes and conclusions on farms; and encourage research teams to bring knowledge together to find grower solutions to combat and prevent HLB infection.
Application Deadline: 5/4/20 | [View Opportunity] [View RFA]

The Gus Schumacher Nutrition Incentive Program
Application Deadline: 5/18/20 | [View Opportunity] [View RFA]

Community Facilities Technical Assistance and Training Grant.
Application Deadline: 4/30/20 | [View Opportunity]

Local Food Promotion Program

View Additional NIFA Funding Opportunities
Application Deadline: 5/11/20  View Opportunity  |  View RFA

Regional Food Systems Partnerships
Application Deadline: 5/11/20  |  View Opportunity  |  View RFA

Federal-State Marketing Improvement Program
Application Deadline: 5/11/20  |  View Opportunity

Farmers Market Promotion Program
Application Deadline: 5/11/20  |  View Opportunity  |  View RFA

National Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Regional Conservation Partnership Program
Application Deadline: 5/18/20  |  View Opportunity

Animal Well-Being 2020

Euthanasia and Depopulation Task Force is requesting proposals on issues impacting the euthanasia of large breeding pigs.

Euthanasia and Depopulation Task Force is requesting proposals on issues impacting the depopulation of swine in the event of Electrocuton Ø Ventilation Shut Down Plus (VSD+) Ø Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Application Deadline: 4/16/20  |  View Opportunity

Golden Field Office
FY20 Bioenergy Technologies Multi-Topic FOA
Application Deadline: 4/30/20  |  New Deadline: 5/14/20  |  DE-FOA-0002203
Workforce Development in Emerging Fields  
Application Deadline: 4/13/20 | [DE-FOA-0002283](#)

Bioenergy and Advanced Manufacturing FOA Bottle  
Application Deadline: 6/18/20 | [View Opportunity](#)

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Covid-19 Guidance for Implementing Partners  
The Health, Ecosystems and Agriculture for Resilient, Thriving Societies (HEARTH)  
Agency for International Development  
Application Deadline: 6/15/20 | [View Opportunity](#)

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
National Center of Excellence for the Prevention of Childhood Agricultural Injury  
Application Deadline: 4/24/20 | [RFA-OH-20-007](#)

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Tick-Borne Disease, Idea Development Award  
This program intends to support research that could lead to impactful discoveries or significant advancements that will accelerate progress toward improving Lyme disease and/or other tick-borne diseases research, patient care, and/or quality of life for military service members, veterans, and their
beneficiaries, as well as the American public.
Application Deadline: 8/27/20 | View Opportunity

FY 20-21 Source Reduction Assistance Grant Program
Application Deadline: 5/15/20 | View Opportunity

Innovations in Nutrition Programs and Services – Demonstration
The purpose of this funding opportunity is to support systematic testing and documentation of innovative and promising practices that enhance the quality, effectiveness, and other proven outcomes of nutrition services programs (NSP) within the aging services network. It is critical that ACL work with the aging services network [i.e., State Units on Aging, Area Agencies on Aging (AAA), and local partners] to modernize these services to ensure that the NSP is achieving its intended outcomes and that every dollar is spent effectively to ensure the sustainability of these services.
Application Deadline: 5/26/20 | View Opportunity 323946
Science and Technology Projects Related to Coal Mining and Reclamation
Requesting Applied Science proposals for projects that develop and demonstrate improved science and technologies related to the mining of coal and the reclamation of the land after mining.
Application Deadline: 5/25/20 | View Opportunity

National Antimicrobial Resistance Monitoring System (NARMS)
Cooperative Agreement Program to Enhance and Strengthen Antibiotic Resistance Surveillance in Retail Food Specimens
Application Deadline: 5/1/20 | PAR-16-099

Conduct Studies to Establish More Targeted Durations of Use for Certain Approved Antimicrobial New Animal Drugs in Food Animals
LOI Due: 4/1/20 | Application Deadline: 5/1/20 | RFA-FD-20-025

Cooperative Agreement for Data Collection on Antimicrobial Use in Dogs and Cats
LOI Due: 4/1/20 | Application Deadline: 5/1/20 | RFA-FD20-026

Development and Maintenance of the Animal Feed Regulatory-Program Standards with Optional Coordinated Preventative Control Regulatory Activities and Capacity Building
LOI Due 4/2/20 | Application Deadline: 5/13/20 | PAR-20-132

National Antimicrobial Resistance Monitoring System (NARMS)
Cooperative Agreement to Strengthen Antibiotic Resistance Surveillance in Retail Food Specimens

Vet-LIRN Network Capacity-Building Projects
Application Deadline: 9/20/23 | PAR-18-604
Land and Water Conservation Fund State and Local Assistance
Application Deadline: 4/30/20 | P20AS00033

Division of Integrative Organismal Systems Core Programs
Application Deadline: Accepted Anytime | View Grant Opportunity | NSF-20-536

Computer Science for All
Proposal Deadline 4/27/20 | View Grant Opportunity | NSF 20-539

Signals in the Soil
Application Deadline: 5/20/20 | NSF 20-548

Faculty Early Career Development Program (CAREER)
Proposal Deadline: 7/27/20 | View Grant Opportunity | NSF 50-525

Advancing Digitization of Biodiversity Collections
Application Deadline: 10/9/20 | View Grant Opportunity | NSF 15-576

Plant Synthetic Biology
Full Proposals Accepted Anytime | NSF 20-045

Future Manufacturing
LOI Due: 4/10/20 | Application Deadline: 6/5/20 | NSF 20-552

ADVANCE: Organizational Change for Gender Equity in STEM Academic Professions
Goal of a more diverse and capable science and engineering workforce. To broaden the implementation of evidence-based systemic change strategies that promote equity for STEM faculty in academic workplaces and the academic profession.
LOI Deadline: 8/3/20 | Application Deadline: 8/7/20 | NSF 20-554

Research Initiation in Engineering Formation
Application Deadline: 11/10/20 | NSF 20-558

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19): Information for NIH Applicants and Recipients

Opportunity for Individuals
Supplementary Grants for Researchers with Family Commitments
Expiration Date: 3/6/23 | View Opportunity

Shared Instrumentation for Animal Research (SIFAR)
Application Deadline: 6/1/20 | PAR-20-112

Development of Wearable Smart Devices for Continuous Monitoring of Circulating Nutrients, Metabolites, and Hormones
Application Deadline: 6/8/2021 | PAR-20-134

NIH announces $1 million prize competition to target global disease diagnosis
View Opportunity

State Department of Agriculture

Agriculture Enterprise Fund
Application Deadline: 6/19/20 | View Grant Opportunity
Foundations and Nonprofit

COVID-19 Emergency Relief Request for Proposals
Funding may be requested for general operating expenses to mitigate crisis-related reductions in revenue (from programs, fundraising or other sources) or for program expenses to support new programs or modifications to existing programs to address the impact of COVID-19 on the organization and/or community.
Application process will open on 3/27/20 | View Opportunity | Guidelines

2021 Small Animal Theriogenology Residency Program
Application Deadline: 5/21/20 | View Grant Opportunity

Do Dog Breeds Differ in Pain Sensitivity?
Application Deadline: 02/28/22 | View Opportunity 02797

The Conservation, Food and Health Foundation
Concept notes due: 07/01/20 | Proposal Deadline: 9/3/20 | View Opportunity
Morris Animal Foundation works tirelessly to accelerate promising research focused on improving the lives of animals around the world. We fund the best researchers, conducting the best science, whether in a clinical trial, in the lab, or out in the field. We welcome applications from dedicated scientists who seek not only to discover but to turn discoveries into action for animals.

Apply for a Grant

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The Bee Grant
Powered by our partnership with the Whole Kids Foundation, our Bee Grant opportunities guide K-12 schools and nonprofits through the process to install and maintain their own educational hives and pollinator curriculum.

View Opportunity | The 2020-2021 Bee Grant Cycle will open early September 2020.

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Annie’s Sustainable Agriculture Scholarships
Application Deadline: 05/15/20 | View Opportunity
Internal Funding

Additional Opportunities:

Pivot Funding Opportunities (Create your account)
Office of Sponsored Programs (Funding Opportunities to Consider)

Hanover Higher Education Research Grant Alerts (Research Funding Opportunities)
This resource center link provides weekly updates. They have also set up a COVID-19 support email (covid19-support@hanoverresearch.com).

Please send suggestions and additional funding opportunities to aggrant@tennessee.edu.

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