Greetings!

Below is a listing of external grant opportunities announced by funding source for the week of September 30-October 4, 2013.

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**CHHS Funding Opportunity Announcements**

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**Rubin (Samuel) Foundation**

**Grants Program**

Deadlines: January 3, 2014; May 2, 2014; September 5, 2014

Foundation provides funding for the pursuit of peace and justice and the search for an equitable reallocation of the world’s resources. Most grants are in the $5,000 to $10,000 range.

[http://www.samuelrubinfoundation.org/guidelines.html](http://www.samuelrubinfoundation.org/guidelines.html)

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**Foundation for the Scientific Study of Sexuality**

**Grants-in-Aid**

Deadlines: Ongoing year-round

The Foundation provides up to $1,000 (per grant) to support scientific sexuality research in areas not likely to receive support from other sources. The money may be used for either a small project that could be completed with the help of the grant or as part of a larger study that might ultimately be funded from other sources. Priorities: uniquely timely research opportunities; new investigators; volunteer research teams; and actual, not pilot projects. Open to all professionals conducting research on human sexuality. Not normally made to students for class projects, thesis or dissertation research. Funds not provided for travel to conventions, stipends for principal investigators, or manuscript preparation.

[http://fsssonline.org/grant-instructions/](http://fsssonline.org/grant-instructions/)

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**American Academy of Nursing**

**Patricia G. Archbold Pre-doctoral Scholar Award**

Deadline: January 13, 2014

The sponsor provides a two-year pre-doctoral program to support the training of geriatric nurses. $50,000/yr/2yrs.

American Heart Association (Mid-Atlantic Affiliate - Virginia, SC, NC, Maryland, DC)

Beginning Grant-in-Aid

Deadline: January 16, 2014

The Beginning Grant-in-Aid provides support to promote the independent status of promising beginning scientists conducting research broadly related to cardiovascular function and disease and stroke, or to related clinical, basic science, bioengineering or biotechnology, and public health problems, including multidisciplinary efforts. Proposals are encouraged from all basic disciplines as well as epidemiological, behavioral, community and clinical investigations that bear on cardiovascular and stroke problems. Applicant must: hold a faculty/staff rank up to and including assistant professor (or equivalent), but may not have more than seven years of experience at the assistant professor level (or equivalent). $77,000/yr/2yrs.

http://my.americanheart.org/professional/Research/FundingOpportunities/SupportingInformation/Winter-2014---Beginning-Grant-in-Aid_UCM_443303_Article.jsp

American Cancer Society, Inc.

Graduate Scholarships in Cancer Nursing Practice

Deadline: February 3, 2014

ACS provides support for graduate students pursuing master’s degrees in cancer nursing or doctorate of nursing practice (DNP). Awards are made for up to two years, with a stipend of $10,000 per year/2yrs.


Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education

Research Participation Program for the U.S. Air Force Research Laboratory, Wright Patterson Air Force

Deadline: Applications are accepted on a year-round basis.

The sponsor provides opportunities to participate in research in such areas as environmental health engineering, occupational and environmental health, industrial hygiene and worksite hazards, psychology, and laboratory services, advanced manufacturing technology programs, new materials processes for use in aerospace applications, aerospace medicine, science and technology, and human systems integration. Appointments are at Wright Patterson Air Force Base, OH; and other approved locations. Participants receive a negotiable stipend based upon regular salary, limited travel and relocation reimbursement.

http://see.orau.org/ProgramDescription.aspx?Program=10065
Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education

Research Participation at the CDC/Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry

Deadline: Applications are accepted on a year-round basis.

The Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education provides opportunities for undergraduates, graduate students, and faculty to conduct research in infectious diseases, environmental health, epidemiology, occupational safety and health, exposure and disease registries, health investigations, toxicology, emergency response, public health assessment, and health education at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (Atlanta, GA and other CDC locations); and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (Atlanta, GA). Stipends are based on research area(s) and educational level; faculty stipend is generally based on regular academic salary. Project duration varies from one month to one year with renewal options; up to four years maximum; full-time or part-time appointments. Faculty appointments are generally for three months with some sabbatical appointments up to one year.

http://see.orau.org/ProgramDescription.aspx?Program=10110

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Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education

Research Participation Program at the U.S. Army Center for Health Promotion and Preventive Medicine

Deadline: Applications are accepted on a year-round basis.

The sponsor provides opportunities to participate in applied clinical research in areas such as occupational and environmental health engineering, entomology, ionizing and nonionizing radiation, health promotion, industrial hygiene and worksite hazards, ergonomics, environmental sanitation and hygiene, laboratory science, chemistry, biology, toxicology, health physics, environmental health risk assessment and risk communication, behavioral health, traumatic brain injury and related projects. Eligible applicants: undergraduate/graduate students; graduates who have completed their degree in the last five years; university faculty; K-12 educators; and other scientists. Must be US citizens. Appointments for up to one year, full-time or part-time and renewable up to a total of four years full-time and up to five years full-time participation for post doctorates. Stipend based on regular salary. Limited travel reimbursement.

http://see.orau.org/ProgramDescription.aspx?Program=10081

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Kresge Foundation

Deadline: Requires LOI and then invitation to submit full proposal

The Kresge Foundation seeks to improve community health by encouraging cross-sector collaboration and the integration of community health strategies into health care, especially the primary-care safety net. The Foundation emphasizes that improving the nation’s health, especially for vulnerable populations, requires more than increased health care. It requires a focus on the social determinants of health – things like air quality and access to healthy food. Kresge is interested in supporting promising
new practices that serve vulnerable populations by advancing prevention, improving access and integrating primary community and clinical care. Their support should foster connections between the clinical health care and community health, integrating patient care with activity to recognize and "treat" the social and environmental factors that contribute to poor health. The Foundation has a two-step application process that begins at any time with an inquiry, submitted via an online application system. It contains a data-entry component and several attachments, including a narrative. If the proposed activity fits within their priorities and budget, they request a full proposal. Multi-year grants require matching support after the first year. Total available: not given.

http://kresge.org/programs/health/community-health-partnerships#innovative%20approaches

Bohnett (David) Foundation

Grants Program

Deadlines: December 31, 2013 and June 30, 2014

The David Bohnett Foundation is committed to improving society through social activism. The Foundation provides funding, state-of-the-art technology, and technical support to innovative organizations and institutions that share its vision. Planned giving areas include: LGBT Cyber Centers - Educational, research, and recreational opportunities for the local LGBT community via access to the Internet.

http://www.bohnettfoundation.org/applications

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Amgen Foundation

Grants for Science Education and Quality of Care and Access

Deadline: Requires LOI and then invitation to submit full proposal

The Amgen Foundation seeks to advance science education, improve quality of care and access for patients, and support resources that create sound communities where Amgen staff members live and work. Grants range from $10,000 to multi-millions. Ideas are welcomed. A primary purpose is to raise the value of science literacy especially through teacher quality and 'Pivotal hands-on science experiences. The Foundation funds programs dedicated to providing patients, caregivers and health care practitioners with information, education and access. Two priority areas in quality of care: Patient Empowerment and Health Care Disparities/Health Inequalities. Types of interventions to be funded are those that aim to address root causes and programs that develop a framework with potential to be effective across various diseases and populations.

http://wwwext.amgen.com/citizenship/overview.html
Pharmaceutical Research & Manufacturers of America (PhRMA) Foundation

Research Starter Grants in Health Outcomes

Deadline: February 1, 2014

Provides research grants of $100,000 for one year to support individuals beginning their independent research careers at the faculty level. Includes: burden of disease; compliance/adherence; cost consequences analysis; cost-benefit analysis; cost-effectiveness analysis; cost utility analysis; health outcomes research; health related quality of life; patient satisfaction; patient preferences; pharmacoeconomics; patient reported outcomes; psychometric evaluation of questionnaires (e.g. reliability, validity etc.); research methods; symptom measures; and tolerability. Funds are unrestricted and may not be used for salary support of the grantee, but may be used to support technical assistance. Eligibility includes faculty in nursing and public health.


Foundation for Digestive Health and Nutrition

Elsevier Gut Microbiome Pilot Research Award

Deadline: January 17, 2014

This research initiative grant for $25,000 for one year is offered to early stage and established investigators to support pilot research projects pertaining to the gut microbiome. The intent of the award is to stimulate research into the relationship of the gut microbiota to digestive health and disease by providing time for investigators to obtain new data that can ultimately lead to subsequent grant applications for more substantial funding and duration.


Doris Duke Charitable Foundation and Chapin Hall at the University of Chicago

Fellowships for the Promotion of Child Well-Being

Deadline: December 15, 2013

The Foundation invites outstanding doctoral students to apply for these fellowships in order to conduct research on innovations in child abuse and neglect prevention. Fellows are guided by an academic mentor whom they select; fellows also identify a policy or practice mentor to assist them in better understanding how to frame their research questions with an eye toward maximizing policy and practice relevance. Fellows can be based at any academic institution in the U.S. and must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents in the U.S. to be eligible. Up to 15 fellows are selected annually from a range of academic disciplines. Fellowships begin in summer, 2014. Each fellow receives an annual stipend of $25,000 for up to two years.

http://www.chapinhall.org/fellowships/doris-duke-fellowships