Are you working in or performing research in the climate change field and need funding?

If so, please view this curated listing of upcoming funding opportunities.

Towson University’s Division of Innovation and Applied Research (DIAR) staff would like to collaborate with faculty in both developing proposals and performing grant activities related to these opportunities. DIAR staff have experience evaluating and analyzing the economic and fiscal impacts of climate change legislation in Maryland, as well as working with GIS mapping and spatial analysis projects. Our team could bring not only breadth but depth to these grant applications.

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We’re in for a wet and chilly winter—stay warm out there!

Please click on the following links below to review some information and updates!

- **2015 NIH Regional Seminar**: May 6-8

Mark your calendar for the 2015 NIH Regional Seminar on Program Funding and Grants Administration in Baltimore, Maryland – May 6-8, 2015.

- **Update**: New Bio-Sketch format required for NIH grant applications for due dates on or after May 25, 2015

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**Kudos Corner**

Congratulations to Dr. Kati Stein, who received $69,000 from the Maryland State Department of Education for her project titled “Enhancing Post-Secondary Educational Outcomes for Diverse Students.”

Congratulations to Dr. Laila Richman, who received over $145,000 from the Maryland Higher Education Commission for her project titled “Leading from the Classroom: Teachers Integrating the Next Generation Science Standards”.

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TOWSON UNIVERSITY
Sponsor: Department of Health and Human Services  
Deadline(s): 3/27/2015

Description: The Population Dynamics Centers Research Infrastructure FY15 grant will open for applications in February. The goal of this funding opportunity announcement (FOA) is to advance the field of population dynamics research by increasing research productivity, develop junior scientists, and maximize the efficiency of research support. A letter of intent is due February 27th. Approximately $300,000 funding available per award. Only one application per institution is allowed, so please contact OSPR ASAP if interested.

Click here to view the RFP!

Sponsor: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality  
Deadline(s): 4/8/2015

Supports postdoctoral research training (F32) in the social, medical, management or health sciences related to the delivery, financing or quality of health care services. Training should include making better decisions about health care in such areas as disease prevention, appropriate use of medical technologies, improving diagnosis and treatment utilizing comparative effectiveness research, and reducing racial and ethnic disparities.

Click here to view the RFP!

Sponsor: National Institutes of Health  
Deadline(s): 6/16/2015

Description: This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) encourages R21 grant applications for research that will employ rigorous scientific methods to test theoretically derived hypotheses to increase understanding of the science of drug use prevention within diverse populations and settings and across the lifespan.

Click here to view the RFP!
Questions, or comments regarding Access Granted should be directed to the editor Jai-Lyn Grant, Grants & Contracts Specialist, jailyngrant@towson.edu

Specific OSPR Services Include:

- Assist with the proposal budget preparation and development
- Research and disseminate funding opportunities
- Facilitate institutional routing/approvals of proposals
- Submit proposals and other required documents to sponsors
- Assist with electronic proposal development and submission
- Provide institutional certification and/or assurances when required
- Serve as liaison between the University and sponsor to resolve sponsored award related concerns/issues
- Initiate sponsored award account set-up
- Facilitate sponsored award close-out functions
- Host regular events to educate faculty/staff with the administration of sponsored awards
- Ensure compliance with applicable federal, state, local and University policies and regulations

FDRC Suspended due to Budget

Towson University’s Faculty Development and Research Committee awards have been temporarily suspended because of the University System of Maryland’s budget deficit.

Applications will no longer be accepted, beginning spring of 2015.

Currently made FDRC awards will continue to be funded until the end of their scheduled project period.

OSPR Website

The OSPR site is being redesigned and revamped!

It will be under construction during winter break, with no expected interruption in service.

If you have any questions, let our webmaster, Will Jackson know, at: wcjackson@towson.edu