

Programs for Junior Faculty

Grant Programs for New Investigators/Junior Faculty

Federal

Dept. of Agriculture (USDA)

National Research Initiative (NRI) Competitive Grants Program: Standard Strengthening Research Project Awards

[New Investigator Awards](#) (click "application guide" and search for "new investigator")

Dept. of Defense (DOD)

Air Force Office of Scientific Research

[Presidential Early Career Awards for Scientists and Engineers](#)

Army Research Laboratory

[Young Investigator Program](#)

Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs

[Neurofibromatosis Research Program - Young Investigator Award](#)

[Prostate Cancer Research Program - Young Investigator](#)

Office of Naval Research

[Young Investigator Program](#)

Dept. of Energy (DOE)

Science, technology, mathematics and engineering related to energy

[Office of Nuclear Physics Outstanding Junior Investigator Program](#)

[Early Career Principal Investigator Program in Applied Mathematics, Computer Science, and High-Performance Networks](#)

[High Energy Physics Outstanding Junior Investigator Program](#)

[Plasma Physics Junior Faculty Development Program](#)

Dept. of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)

Urban development and housing topics, including homeownership, housing market conditions, equal opportunity and access to housing, homelessness, faith-based and community-based partnerships, assisted housing programs

[Urban Scholars Postdoctoral Fellowship Program](#)

Dept. of Justice, National Institute of Justice (DOJ, NIJ)

Knowledge of the confluence of crime, justice, and culture in various societal contexts

[W.E.B. DuBois Fellowship Program](#)

Library of Congress

Humanistic and social science research

[Kluge Center Fellowships](#)

National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

[Presidential Early Career Awards for Scientists and Engineers New Investigator Program in Earth Science](#)

National Institutes of Health (NIH)

[NIH Pathways to Independence \(PI\) Award \(K99/R00\)](#)

[Mentored Research Scientist Development Award \(K01\)](#)

- Independent Scientist Award (K02)
- Academic Career Award (K07)
- Career Transition Award (K22)
- Mentored Quantitative Research Career Development Award (K27)

[NIAMS Small Grant Program for New Investigators \(R03\)](#)

Small grant (R03) to stimulate and facilitate the entry of promising new investigators into research on arthritis and musculoskeletal and skin diseases and injuries

[Small Grants \(R03\) Academic Research Enhancement Award \(AREA\) \(R15\)](#)

National Research Council (NRC)

Collaborative research in human and social dynamics or the science of learning that links individual U.S. scientists with their counterparts in one or more countries of Central/Eastern Europe (CEE) and the Newly Independent States (NIS).

[New Investigators Twinning Program](#)

National Science Foundation (NSF)

[Faculty Early Career Development Program](#)

[Broadening Participation Research Initiation Grants in Engineering \(BRIGE\)](#)

[Research Initiation Grants to Broaden Participation in Biology \(RIG BP\)](#)

National Security Agency (NSA)

Mathematics, statistics and cryptology

[Mathematical Sciences Program Grants for Research in mathematics and Cryptology](#)

US Embassy, US - Egypt Joint Science & Technology Fund
Science and technology
[Junior Scientist Development Visit Grants](#)

Other

Alliance for Cancer Gene Therapy
Basic and clinical research re: the development of gene therapy approaches to cancer
[Young Investigators Award](#)

Alcoholic Beverage Medical Research Foundation
Biological and behavioral aspects of alcohol consumption and its effects
[ABMRF Grants](#)

American Academy in Rome
One of the leading American overseas centers for independent study and advanced research in the fine arts and the humanities.
[Rome Prize](#)

American Academy of Arts and Sciences
Stimulate and support research conducted by scholars and practitioners who show promise of becoming leaders in their field, especially those who work on multidisciplinary topics.
[Visiting Scholars Program](#)

American Association for Cancer Research
Basic, translational, clinical, and prevention research
[Career Development Awards](#)
[AACR-Gertrude B. Elion Cancer Research Award](#)

American Association of University Women
Promotes education and equity for all women and girls, lifelong education, and positive societal change
[American Fellowships](#)
[Career Development Grants](#)
[Community Action Grants](#)
[International Fellowships](#)
[Selected Professions Fellowships](#)
[University Scholar-in-Residence](#)

American Cancer Society
Basic, preclinical, clinical, and epidemiological projects
Novel ideas or targeted to urgent problems with immediate human benefit
[Research Scholar Grants in Basic, Preclinical, Clinical and Epidemiology Research](#)
[Research Opportunity Grants for Beginning and Senior Investigators](#)

American Chemical Society, Petroleum Research Fund

Fundamental research in the petroleum field

[ACS PRF Type G Grants](#)

American Council of Learned Societies

All disciplines of the humanities and social sciences, using the foreign language collection of the Library of Congress

[Library of Congress Fellowships in International Studies](#)

American Diabetes Foundation

Basic and clinical research to, prevent, treat and cure diabetes

[ADA-ASP Young Investigator Innovation Award in Geriatric Endocrinology](#)

[Career Development Awards](#)

Junior Faculty Awards

American Federation for Aging Research

[Basic mechanisms of aging, incl. age-related diseases and common geriatric functional disorders](#)

[Inter-relationships between aging and immunity](#)

- AFAR Research Grants
- AFAR/Pfizer Research Grants

American Health Assistance Foundation

Basic research related to these diseases related to aging: macular degeneration, glaucoma and Alzheimer's disease

[Macular Degeneration Research](#)

[National Glaucoma Research](#)

[Alzheimer's Disease Research - Pilot Project Awards](#)

American Heart Association

Reduce disability and death from cardiovascular diseases and stroke

[Elizabeth Barrett-Connor Research Award in Epidemiology](#)

[Sandra Daugherty Award for Excellence in Cardiovascular Disease and Hypertension](#)

[Epidemiology](#)

[The Jeremiah and Rose Stamler Research Award for New Investigators](#)

[The Trudy Bush Fellowships for Cardiovascular Research in Women's Health](#)

[Scientific Sessions 2005 Early Career Development Program](#)

American Historical Association

American, European, African or Asian History

[J. Franklin Jameson Fellowship in American History](#)

[Bernadotte E. Schmitt Grants Program](#)

American Institute of Indian Studies

Assist scholars in their study of all aspects of Indian history, culture and contemporary life

[Fellowship Programs](#)

American Library Association

To promote the highest quality library and information services and public access to information
[The W.Y. Boyd Literary Award](#)

American Lung Association

[Health services research, behavioral research, epidemiology, pharmacology and medical ethics](#)
[Pathogenic mechanisms, lung biology, Lung disease, Interstitial lung disease](#)

- Clinical Research Grant
- Research Grant
- Career Investigator Award
- Dalsemar Research Grant

American Mathematical Society

Mathematics

[Centennial Research Fellowships](#)

American Museum of Natural History

Ornithology (neontological and paleontological); marine zoology; wildlife conservation or natural history related to the activities of the American Museum; study any of the scientific collections at the American Museum

[Grants](#)

American Philosophical Society

All areas of knowledge

[Franklin Research Grants](#)

American Physiological Society

[Animal and human physiology](#)

- Research Career Enhancement Awards
- Arthur C. Guyton Awards for Excellence in Integrative Physiology
- APS Teaching Career Enhancement Awards
- Shih-Chun Wang Young Investigator Award
- Lazaro J. Mandel Young Investigator Award

American Psychological Foundation

Psychophysiological and behavioral research to explicate the concept of the human mind

[Frank Joseph McGuigan Young Investigator Prize](#)

American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers

Research and teaching plan in ASHRAE's areas of interest

[ASHRAE New Investigator Award](#)

American Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation

[Communication sciences and disorders](#)

- New Investigator Research Grants
- Research Grant in Speech Science

American Youth Policy Forum

Significant issues in youth policy, practice, research or program evaluation focusing particularly on disadvantaged youth

[Harold Howe II Youth Policy Fellowship](#)

Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Association

Cause, means of prevention and possible cure of ALS; clinical management, incl. speech/communication, mobility/daily living, and mental health/psychosocial issues

[Scientific Research Grant Program - Starter Grants](#)

Arthritis Foundation

[Research in arthritis-related fields](#)

- Training Awards
- Career Development Awards

Association for the Sociology of Religion

Women and religion, gender issues, and feminist perspectives on religion

[Fichter Research Grant Competition](#)

Beckman (Arnold and Mabel) Foundation

Chemistry and the life sciences

[Beckman Young Investigator Program](#)

Center for Afroamerican and African Studies

Studies people of African descent using the methods of history, sociology, psychology, economics, political science, and the arts

[Fellowships and Grants](#)

Christopher Reeve Paralysis Foundation

Spinal cord regeneration and recovery

[Research Grants](#)

Council of American Overseas Research Centers

Foster international scholarly exchange primarily through sponsorship of fellowship programs which allow pre-doctoral and senior scholars to pursue independent research important to the increase of knowledge and to our understanding of foreign cultures

[Fellowships](#)

Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America

Etiology, pathogenesis, therapy and prevention of inflammatory bowel diseases

[Career Development Awards](#)

Cure Autism Now

[Basic to clinical studies to increase knowledge in critical areas of autism](#)

- Young Investigator Awards
- Pilot Research Awards

Dreyfus (Camille & Henry) Foundation

Chemistry, chemical engineering, biochemistry

[New Faculty Awards Program](#)

Epilepsy Foundation

Basic mechanisms, new therapeutic approaches, behavioral and psychosocial aspects of epilepsy

[Research Grants Program](#)

Foundation for Child Development

Fundamental and policy-relevant research re: the development of immigrant children from birth to age ten

[Young Scholars Program - Changing Faces of America's Children](#)

Foundation for the Advancement of Mesoamerican Studies

Scholarly works with the potential for significant contributions to understanding of ancient Mesoamerican cultures and continuities among indigenous cultures in modern Mesoamerica

[Foundation Grants](#)

Foundation for the Scientific Study of Sexuality

Scientific sexuality research in areas not likely to receive support from other sources

[Grants-in-Aid](#)

Fred J. Hansen Institute for World Peace

Promote peaceful relations among adversary nations through cooperation on programs of mutual benefit and interest

[Grant Program](#)

French (John Douglas) Alzheimer's Foundation

Research to significantly delay the onset or find a cure for Alzheimer's disease

[French Foundation Fellowship](#)

Greenwall Foundation

Bioethics

[Interdisciplinary Program in Bioethics](#)

Honda of America

Novel concepts in science and technology related to personal mobility and transportation

[Honda Initiation Grant](#)

Human Frontier Science Program

Basic research focused on complex mechanisms of living organisms using tools from biology, physics, mathematics, chemistry, computer science, and engineering

[Young Investigators' Grants](#)

Infectious Diseases Society of America

Support needed research in infectious diseases by promising young researchers who may not otherwise find funding as federal and other institutional research support becomes more difficult to obtain.

[Young Investigator Awards](#)

Jurassic Foundation

Dinosaur biology: anatomy, biogeography, ecology, evolution, taxonomy, etc.

[Research Grants](#)

Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation

Type 1 diabetes and its complications

[Career Development Award](#)

Keats-Shelley Association of America

Research in the field of British Romanticism

[Carl H. Pforzheimer, Jr. Research Grants](#)

Lance Armstrong Foundation

Basic and clinical science of testicular cancer

[Young Investigator Research Awards](#)

March of Dimes

Basic biological processes governing development, genetics, clinical studies, reproductive health, environmental toxicology, social and behavioral studies

[Basil O'Connor Starter Scholar Research Award](#)

Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole, MA

Marine biology, biomedical and life sciences, environmental science, microscopy

[Summer Research Fellowships](#)

Microsoft Research

Security, interdisciplinary research, scientific computing, bioinformatics, computational biology, software engineering, and other areas in which computing transforms the discipline and advances the state of the art

[Microsoft New Faculty Fellowship Program](#) (nomination by provost required)

Mineralogical Society of America

Crystallography

[MSA Grant for Research in Crystallography](#)

Morris Animal Foundation

Companion animal and wildlife research

[First Award Grant Program](#)

National Academy of Education

Improvement of education in all its forms

[Spencer Postdoctoral Fellowships](#)

National Alliance for Research on Schizophrenia and Depression

Brain and behavior disorders

[Young Investigator Award](#)

National Hemophilia Foundation

Gene therapy and other experimental strategies to understand and cure the hemophiliac

[Career Development Awards](#)

National Humanities Center

The National Humanities Center offers 40 residential fellowships for advanced study in the humanities during the academic year, September 2006 through May 2007

[Fellowships](#)

National Multiple Sclerosis Society

Neurosciences related to MS

[Harry Weaver Neuroscience Scholarships](#)

The New York Public Library

Open to people whose work will benefit directly from access to the collections at the Humanities and Social Sciences Library - including academics, independent scholars, journalists, novelists, other creative writers, and scientists and lawyers engaged with the humanities.

[Fellowships](#)

NIH Office of Extramural Research

Compilation of funding opportunities

[Funding Opportunities for Junior Faculty](#)

Phi Beta Kappa Society

Alternate years: Greek language, literature, history, or archaeology OR French language or literature

[Mary Isabel Sibley Fellowship](#)

PhRMA Foundation

Health outcomes; informatics

[Health Outcomes Research Starter Grants](#)

[Informatics Research Starter Grants](#)

Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study-Harvard University

Create an academic community where individuals can pursue advanced work in any of the academic disciplines, professions, or creative arts

[Fellowship Program](#)

Russell Sage Foundation

Behavioral economics

[Small Grants Program in Behavioral Economics](#)

Science Careers

Career advice and funding links for new faculty

[Funding Links for New Faculty](#)

Scleroderma Foundation

New research and new ideas to find the cause and cure of scleroderma

[New Investigators Grants](#)

Sidney Kimmel Foundation for Cancer Research

Improve the basic understanding of cancer biology and develop new methods for the prevention and treatment of cancer

[Kimmel Scholars Program](#)

Sloan (Alfred P.) Foundation

Chemistry, physics, mathematics, computer science, economics, neuroscience, related interdisciplinary fields

[Sloan Research Fellowships](#)

Smith Richardson Foundation

Policy issues re: school reform, child and youth development, income support, non-governmental approaches to social policy, public finance, criminal justice and urban policy, regulatory policy, and the political process

[Domestic Public Policy Research Fellowship Program](#)

[International Security and Foreign Policy Program's Junior Faculty Research Grant Program](#)

Society for the Humanities at Cornell University

To support research and encourage imaginative teaching in the humanities

[Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowships](#)

Society of Nuclear Medicine Education and Research Foundation

Basic and clinical research in nuclear medicine

[Pilot Research Grants](#)

Sontag Foundation

Causes or cure for brain tumors; improved rates of survival and/or improved functional recovery of individuals with brain tumors

[Distinguished Scientist Awards](#)

Spencer Foundation

Education

[Small Grants](#)

University of California, Berkley

Comprehensive listing of funding opportunities for junior faculty compiled by UC Berkeley, sorted by funding agency

[Funding Opportunities for Junior Faculty](#)

UCSD Department of Literature

Compilation of funding opportunities for junior faculty (and others) in the humanities.

[Funding Opportunities for Junior Faculty](#)

Welch Foundation

Supports fundamental chemical research at universities, colleges or other educational institutions within the state of Texas

[Research Grants](#)

William T. Grant Foundation

The William T. Grant Scholars Program supports promising early career researchers from diverse disciplines.

[William T. Grant Scholars Program for Early Career Researchers in Various Disciplines](#)