ART WORKS: RESEARCH • NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS
Supports research projects about the impact and value of the American arts sector. Research should focus on how and why Americans participate in the arts and what factors contribute to that participation. Impact research should quantify the cognitive, emotional, social, civic, or economic effects of the arts on individuals or communities. Applications from diverse research fields (sociology, economics, and anthropology) and diverse areas of expertise (health, education, and urban and regional planning) are encouraged. Will fund up to 25 awards of $10,000-30,000 in FY 14. See http://nea.gov/grants/apply/Research/index.html for details.
Application Deadline: November 5, 2013

LONG-TERM AND SHORT-TERM FELLOWSHIPS • NEWBERRY LIBRARY
Long-Term awards (due 12/1) provide postdoctoral scholars $4,200/month for four to twelve months to use library history, music, linguistics, literature, printing, and cartography collections. Supports individual research and promotes intellectual exchange through participation in library scholarly activities, including biweekly fellows' seminar. Short-Term awards (due 1/15) provide $2,000/month to postdoctoral scholars or Ph.D. candidates with specific need for Newberry collections. Other special awards and fellowships offered. See http://www.newberry.org/research/fellowship/fellowshiphome.html for details.
Application Deadline: December 1, 2013

RESIDENT FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM • VIRGINIA FOUNDATION FOR THE HUMANITIES
Offers residential fellowships to scholars and writers in the humanities. Foundation seeks applications that are intellectually stimulating, imaginative, and accessible to the public. There are no restrictions on topic, and applications are invited from across the broad spectrum of the humanities. Applicants do not need to have an advanced degree. Stipends provide up to $15,000 per semester. Other programs available. See http://www.virginiafoundation.org/research/fellowships/index.html for details.
Application Deadline: December 1, 2013

EAST EUROPEAN STUDIES (EES) • WOODROW WILSON INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR SCHOLARS
Supports scholarships for Ph.D. and post-doctoral research in the fields of social sciences and humanities with a regional focus on Central and Eastern Europe, including the Baltic states. Research Grants provide support for new researchers or for scholars whose careers have been interrupted or delayed (due 12/1). Summer Research Scholarships (due 3/1) and Short-term Research Scholarship (due 3/1; 6/1; 9/1; 12/1) also available. See http://www.wilsoncenter.org/collection/grant-opportunities for details.
Application Deadline: December 1, 2013

COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH GRANTS • NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES
Supports original research undertaken by a team of two or more scholars, or individual research that requires additional staff and resources. Eligible projects include research that significantly adds to knowledge and understanding in the humanities, archaeology research, translations, and research conferences. Funds can be used for personnel, travel, field work, information technology applications, and technical support. Awards range from $25,000 to $100,000 per year for one to three years. See http://www.neh.gov/grants/grants.html for details.
Application Deadline: December 5, 2013

LONG-TERM AND SHORT-TERM RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS • JOHN CARTER BROWN LIBRARY
Provides residential fellowships for advanced research to scholars whose work involves the colonial history of the Americas, North and South, including all aspects of the European, African, and Native-American involvement. The 2013 date is confirmed, new application will be posted at the end of September. Short-Term Fellowships are available for pre- and postdoctoral or independent research for two to four months with $2,100/month stipend. Long-Term Fellowships are available for five to ten months with $4,200/month stipend. Graduate students are not eligible for Long-Term Fellowships. See http://tinyurl.com/9zwspk23 for details.
Application Deadline: December 15, 2013

HAVE A RESEARCH OR PROGRAM IDEA?
Our office can set up a meeting to discuss your interests and ideas, then conduct a grant search using your interests and keywords.
IMPLICATIONS OF THE ECONOMIC DOWNTURN FOR HEALTH, WEALTH, AND WORK AT OLDER AGES (ROI)
NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH
This Funding Opportunity Announcement invites research on the implications of exogenous shocks, such as those produced by the recent economic downturn, for health, economic circumstances, and planning throughout the life-cycle. The recent financial crisis emphasizes that there is much to learn, and scientific research is needed to address many of the questions, concerns, and implications that have arisen. Research is encouraged that explores the ways in which individuals have been affected by the recent financial crisis or comparable elements of past economic downturns. Beyond individual effects, the financial crisis has resulted in changes in living arrangements and household composition that may have long-term implications. See http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-12-009.html for details.
Application Deadline: February 5, 2014

RESEARCH GRANT PROGRAM • AMERICAN TAX POLICY INSTITUTE (ATPI)
ATPI makes grants and provides other support for roundtable discussions and conferences to further its mission and bring attention to important and timely tax policy issues. ATPI is seeking proposals for significant projects on specific topics that will offer scholars, experts, practitioners, opinion leaders, and policymakers in-depth and ground-breaking thinking about critical tax policy issues. The organization particularly wishes to cultivate projects that allow experts from different disciplines to interact. ATPI is seeking proposals for it to sponsor one- or two-day conferences on topics that will offer scholars, experts, practitioners, opinion leaders, and policymakers an in-depth and ground-breaking analysis of critical tax policy issues. Such conferences should normally involve new papers that are prepared and discussed by experts from the economics, accounting and legal fields, and should give experts in the different fields the opportunity to interact. ATPI offers grant seekers funds to pay travel, administrative and other expenses, and possibly honoraria, for such projects. In the past, ATPI has provided grants, generally of $10,000 to $25,000, to individual authors of papers on tax policy. The ATPI Board of Trustees considers grant requests and makes awards on a semi-annual basis. See http://www.americantaxpolicyinstitute.org/ for details.
Application Deadline: Submitted anytime

SMALL GRANTS PROGRAM IN BEHAVIORAL ECONOMICS • SAGE (RUSSELL) FOUNDATION
The Russell Sage Behavioral Economics Roundtable supports a small grants research program to support high-quality research in behavioral economics and to encourage young investigators to enter this developing field. There are no limitations on the disciplinary background of the principal investigator, and the proposed research may address any economic topic. Interdisciplinary efforts are welcome. The maximum budget is $7,500. Representative categories of expenditures include acquisition of data, the purchase of data sets, research assistance (but not including payment to any researchers who will be co-authors on the project), payment to subjects in experiments, miscellaneous expenses (such as xeroxing, telephone, postage). No funds will be granted for researchers' time. No more than $500 can be allocated to miscellaneous expenses. No funds can be spent on computer hardware or software. See http://www.russellsage.org/ for details.
Application Deadline: Ongoing

OPEN TO UNDERGRADUATE AND MBA STUDENTS
FINANCE SCHOLARSHIPS • INTEL CORPORATION
Intel has exciting Operations Finance internship opportunities for undergraduate and MBA candidates and accounting internship opportunities for undergraduate candidates. As a member of the Finance intern team, you'll analyze business issues, recommend solutions, demonstrate your analytical and problem-solving abilities, and work with peers and business partners to influence decisions that maximize shareholder value. The Finance Summer Intern Program is a 12-week assignment within an Intel Finance group where interns undertake a challenging project designed to blend strategic and operational work. Your manager will provide you with a detailed project plan, meet with you regularly to provide support as needed, and help you network within the company to ensure an incredible internship experience. Students are assigned a controller-level mentor and peer level buddy, and you will attend frequent educational and fun events. The internship will culminate with a high visibility presentation to senior management and the Intel Finance community, as well as to the operations group you support. See http://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/jobs/locations/united-states/students/internships/finance-internships.html for details.
Application Deadline: See website
EDUCATION

MICHIGAN SPACE GRANT CONSORTIUM
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MSGC Undergraduate and Graduate Fellowship Program
Fellowship awards for undergraduate and graduate students are $2,500 and $5,000, respectively. Preference is given to students pursuing projects directly related to NASA strategic interests, including aerospace, space science, earth system science, and other related science, engineering or mathematics fields. Students working on educational research topics in mathematics, science, or technology are also eligible to apply. See http://www.mi.spacegrant.org/ for details.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: November 15, 2013

FORD FOUNDATION DIVERSITY FELLOWSHIPS • NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL
Fellowships seek to increase diversity of the nation’s IHE faculties by increasing their ethnic and racial diversity, to maximize the educational benefits of diversity and to increase the number of professors who can use diversity as a resource for enriching the education of all students. Makes 60 Predoctoral Awards (due 11/20) at $20,000 per year for up to three years; 35 Dissertation Awards (due 11/15) at $21,000 for one year; and 24 Postdoctoral Awards (due 11/15) at $40,000 for one year. Supplemental materials due 1/9/14. See http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/index.htm for details.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: November 15, 2013

DISCOVERY RESEARCH K-12 (DRK-12) • NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
The Discovery Research K-12 program (DRK-12) seeks to significantly enhance the learning and teaching of science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) by pre K-12 students and teachers, through research and development of innovative resources, models and tools (RMTs). Projects in the DRK-12 program build on fundamental research in STEM learning and education by fostering efforts to explore all aspects of education research from foundational knowledge to improvements in STEM learning and learning contexts, both formal and informal, from childhood through adulthood, for all groups, and from the earliest developmental stages of life through participation in the workforce, resulting in increased public understanding of science and engineering. The REAL program will fund research on, human learning in STEM; learning in STEM learning environments, and broadening participation research.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: December 6, 2013

RESEARCH ON EDUCATION AND LEARNING (REAL) • NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
The REAL program represents the substantive foci of three previous EHR programs: Research and Evaluation on Education in Science and Engineering (REESE), Research in Disabilities Education (RDE), and Research on Gender in Science and Engineering (GSE). The program supports advances in research on STEM learning and education by fostering efforts to explore all aspects of education research from foundational knowledge to improvements in STEM learning and learning contexts, both formal and informal, from childhood through adulthood, for all groups, and from the earliest developmental stages of life through participation in the workforce, resulting in increased public understanding of science and engineering. The REAL program will fund research on, human learning in STEM; learning in STEM learning environments, and broadening participation research.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: November 15, 2013

COMPUTING EDUCATION FOR THE 21ST CENTURY (CE21) • NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
The Computing Education for the 21st Century (CE21) program aims to build a robust computing research community, a computationally competent 21st century workforce, and a computationally empowered citizenry. In this undertaking, there are three interrelated challenges: the significant underproduction of degrees needed for the computing and computing-related workforce, the longstanding underrepresentation of many segments of our population, and the lack of a presence of computing in K-12. Computing Education Research (CER) proposals will aim to develop a research base for computing education. Projects may conduct basic research on the teaching and learning of computational competencies in face-to-face or online settings; they may design, develop, test, validate, and refine materials, measurement tools, and methods for teaching in specific contexts; and/or they may implement promising small-scale interventions in order to study their efficacy with particular groups.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: March 13, 2014
HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

SMALL RESEARCH GRANTS PROGRAM • SIGMA THETA TAU INTERNATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY OF NURSING
Supports research contributing to the advancement of nursing. Applicants must be registered nurses who hold a master's or doctoral degree or are enrolled in a doctoral program. There is a preference for applications from novice researchers who have received no other national research funds as well as for Sigma Theta Tau members. Approximately 10-15 Small Grants of up to $5,000 each are given annually. See http://www.nursingsociety.org/Research/Grants/Pages/small_grants.aspx for details.
Application Deadline: December 1, 2013

RESEARCH GRANTS • GERBER FOUNDATION
Supports specific nutrition-related interventions to improve infant health and development from first year before birth to age three. Projects should have a specific nutrition focus with defined outcome parameters. Of particular interest are projects offering a substantial promise of meaningful advances in prevention and treatment of diseases and those with broad applicability to the general population. Up to $300,000 available per award. Novice Researcher Award also available and offers up to $20,000 per project. Deadlines refer to required concept papers; full proposals by invitation only. See http://www.gerberfoundation.org/ for details.
Application Deadline: December 1, 2013

AWARDS FOR NEUROSCIENTISTS • MCKNIGHT ENDOWMENT FUND FOR NEUROSCIENCE
Supports research on the prevention, treatment and cure of neurological diseases. Memory and Cognitive Disorders Awards provide 3 years support to translate lab discoveries into diagnoses and therapies (apps due: 4/1/13). Scholar Award provides 3 years of support for young tenure-track scientists (1/6/14). Technological Innovations in Neuroscience Awards provide 2 years support for new technology to monitor, analyze or model brain function (required LOI: 12/2/13). See www.neuroscience.mcknight.org/ for details.
Application Deadline: December 2, 2013

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT GRANTS • MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY ASSOCIATION
Supports one to three year research projects on muscular dystrophies and related neuromuscular diseases. Research Grants offer unlimited support to senior researchers and Development Grants offer up to $60,000/year to researchers working as part of a team under a senior investigator. All applicants must hold a Ph.D. or equivalent (+18 months of postdoc training for Development Grant applicants). Multiple applications accepted from same campus, but PI must differ on each submission. Deadlines refer to required LOIs. See http://www.mdausa.org/research/guidelines.html for details.
Application Deadline: December 15, 2013

CANCER PREVENTION RESEARCH SMALL GRANT PROGRAM • NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH
Supports small and time-limited projects (R03) pertinent to the development of cancer chemoprevention agents, biomarkers for early cancer detection, cancer-related nutrition science, and/or clinical prevention studies that focus on specific target organs. New, as well as established, investigators in relevant fields and disciplines (e.g., chemoprevention, nutritional science, genetics, infectious agents, and early detection, including biomarker development and validation) are encouraged to apply. See http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-11-079.html for details.
Application Deadline: December 16, 2013

GRANTS PROGRAM IN NUTRITION (EDUCATION, TRAINING, AND RESEARCH) • ALLEN FOUNDATION, INC.
Supports education, training, and research projects in the area of human nutrition. The connections between diet and health remain a basic and primary priority. Other priorities include: nutritional education and training for new and expectant mothers, training for nutritional educators and trainers, and dissemination. PIs from academic institutions must be full-time tenured or tenure-track faculty members. Applications must be submitted online. See https://www.allenfoundation.org/commoninfo/aboutus.asp for details.
Application Deadline: December 31, 2013
**SCIENCE, ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY**

**CLIMATE PROGRAMS • U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**
Supports climate research, observations, and modeling. The four major programs supported in FY 14 are: Climate Observations and Monitoring (COM); Earth System Science (ESS); Modeling, Analysis, Predictions, and Projections (MAPP); and Climate and Societal Interactions (CSI). Nine competitions, all with the same deadline, will be held in FY 14. See [http://cpo.noaa.gov/GrantsandProjects.aspx](http://cpo.noaa.gov/GrantsandProjects.aspx) for details.

*Application Deadline: November 14, 2013*

**MICHIGAN SPACE GRANT CONSORTIUM**

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*Application Deadline: November 15, 2013*

**GEOPHYSICS PROGRAM • NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION**
Supports basic laboratory, field, theoretical, and computational research in the physics of solid earth to explore its composition, structure and processes. Topics include seismicity, seismic wave propagation and nature and occurrence of geophysical hazards; Earth's magnetic, gravity and electrical fields; Earth's thermal structure; and geodynamics. Also includes geophysical studies of active deformation, including geodesy, and theoretical and experimental studies of the properties and behavior of Earth materials. Annual deadlines: first Wed in June and December. See [http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=13682](http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=13682) for details.

*Application Deadline: December 17, 2013*

**HYDROLOGIC SCIENCES • NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION**
Supports research on the flow of water and transport processes within streams, soils, and aquifers. Particular attention is given to spatial and temporal heterogeneity of fluxes and storages of water and chemicals over a wide range of scales, to geolimnology, and to interfaces with the landscape, microbial communities, and coastal areas. See [http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=13684](http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=13684) for details.

*Application Deadline: December 5, 2013*

**COMPUTATIONAL MATHEMATICS • NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION**
Supports mathematical research in areas of science where computing plays an essential role, emphasizing algorithms, numerical and symbolic methods. Proposals ranging from single-investigator projects that develop and analyze innovative computational methods, to interdisciplinary team projects that not only create new mathematical and computational techniques but also use them to model, study, and solve important application problems are encouraged. See [http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=5390](http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=5390) for details.

*Application Deadline: December 15, 2013*

**CISE RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURE: MID-SCALE INFRASTRUCTURE - NSF CLOUD • NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION**
The CISE Research Infrastructure (CRI) program drives discovery and learning in the computing disciplines by supporting the creation and enhancement of world-class computing research infrastructure. This infrastructure will enable CISE researchers to advance the frontiers of CISE research. Further, through the CRI program, CISE seeks to ensure that individuals from a diverse range of academic institutions, including minority-serving and predominately undergraduate institutions, have access to such infrastructure. See [http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=504951&org=NSF&sel_org=NSF&from=fund](http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=504951&org=NSF&sel_org=NSF&from=fund) for details.

*Application Deadline: December 17, 2013*
UPCOMING WORKSHOPS

Call SP at extension 4295, or register, [http://www.svsu.edu/workshops](http://www.svsu.edu/workshops)

FINDING FUNDING: USING GRANTS.GOV, GRANT FORWARD, & FOUNDATION SEARCH
Discover how to search for grant funding using several databases which cover federal and private funding opportunities in all disciplines. Workshop held in Zahnow 235. This is a computer lab inside the Library, behind the Center for Academic Achievement.
Tuesday, October 8 from 8:45-9:45am
Wednesday, October 9 from 8:45-9:45am

DISSEMINATION NOTICES

Wes Moore at SVSU • FY 11
Vanessa Brooks-Herd, Associate Professor of Social Work, was awarded $1,000 from the Saginaw Community Foundation to bring author and activist Wes Moore to the campus of SVSU to discuss the struggles of ‘man versus environment.’ Moore spoke with over 200 people including students and faculty members of the Social Work program at SVSU, middle school students at the North Charter Academy, and others in the community. Moore’s discussions included social issues and provoking critical analysis of family dynamics and the effect of societal expectations on urban youth. Other supporters of this event included the SVSU Office of Diversity Program, SVSU Foundation, Department of Social Work, Independence Bank, and the NAACP.

Engage the Great Lakes Bay Region • FY 11
John Kaczynski, Assistant Professor of Political Science, received $970 from the Bay Area Community Foundation, $995 from the Midland Area Community Foundation, and $975 from the Saginaw Community Foundation for the Engage the Great Lakes Bay Region project. This project was created by SVSU undergraduate students to teach students about the value of civic engagement, how to register to vote, and the values of a postsecondary education. This program affected over 3,000 students at 20 high schools throughout the Great Lakes Bay Region. Of these 3,000 students, 90 percent indicated through survey that they were affected in a positive way because of this program.

Student Research Fellowship and Seminar/Colloquia • FY 11
Lee Trepanier, Associate Professor of Political Science, was awarded $4,940 from the Charles G. Koch Charitable Foundation for a Student Research Fellowship and Seminar/Colloquia. The purpose of this grant was to fund a seminar/colloquia for 6 students, meeting 7 times in the 2011 winter semester, and fund one student research fellowship. The themes explored during the seminars included foundations of a free market economy, the role of a free market economy in a democratic state, and the relationship between free market economics and the political philosophy of liberalism. One student was selected for the research fellowship focusing on the beneficial role that contract plays as the social and economic basis of society in selected novels of Jane Austin.

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UPCOMING FUNDING

SVSU FOUNDATION RESOURCE GRANT PROGRAM
Application Deadline: October 15, 2013
Submit your application through the SVSU Enterprise Workflow System, http://kew.svsu.edu. The funds are generated by distributions from the SVSU Foundation Resource Fund Endowment. The program was created to encourage innovation and enrichment of opportunities for students. The program supports domestic conference/event travel experiences, seminars, entertainment, cultural experiences, one-time start up funds for new programs, and other projects and activities. The SVSU Foundation Resource Grant Program accepts requests for domestic and study abroad travel. Requests for study abroad funding is limited to a maximum of 10% of the total program cost per student (i.e., if the student cost is $3,500 for the trip, the Resource Grant request should not exceed $350 per student). Please note this limitation does not apply to domestic travel. The Resource Grant Evaluation Committee may, at their discretion, make partial grants due to limited funds, so 10% is the maximum possible grant, not a guarantee of the grant amount.

All faculty and staff are eligible to apply for grant for projects enriching the educational experience of students. Notifications are usually made 30 days after submission deadline. For more information please visit: https://foundation.svsu.edu/resource-grant-program.

COMPETITION SPACE—INFOREADY
The SVSU Faculty Research and Professional Development Grants due November 15th will be submitted using a new online system, Competition Space, supported by InfoReady. The system is in the final testing phase and will go live October 4th. In preparation, you can begin to create your proposal, following the guidelines found at http://www.svsu.edu/sponsoredprograms/internal-grants.html and clicking on application guidelines under the appropriate opportunity.

SVSU FACULTY RESEARCH GRANT—http://www.svsu.edu/sponsoredprograms/internal-grants.html
Application Deadline: November 15, 2013
SVSU Faculty Research, leading to publication or presentation, has funded an estimated 25 projects yearly; average release time is 3-4 hr/year; average award is $5,000. These grants are considered to be SEED MONEY designed to support research and stimulate the submission of proposals to agencies for external funding. Any faculty member who has received research support in the last three out of five years will not receive an additional award unless a research grant proposal is submitted to at least one outside agency (i.e., the National Science Foundation, National Endowment for the Humanities, Ford Foundation, and others).

SVSU PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT GRANT—http://www.svsu.edu/sponsoredprograms/internal-grants.html
Application Deadline: November 15, 2013
Professional Development encourages scholarly activities such as pursuit of advanced course work or a degree in the faculty member’s own or new disciplines; retraining to develop a new specialty, such as computer programming; to learn a new skill, such as oral history techniques; or to develop a new pedagogical skill, such as competency-based instruction.

SAGINAW BAY ESI RESEARCH GRANTS —http://www.svsu.edu/sponsoredprograms/internal-grants.html
Application Deadline: Currently being accepted, no due date
Facilitates seed projects involving scientific research focused on the Saginaw Bay Watershed (e.g. water quality, pollution, land use, wildlife health/habitat, environmental/public health, geospatial characterization). Awards are limited to $4,000 each. SVSU faculty and staff may apply – preference will be given to those who are actively involved in the Saginaw Bay ESI. One application per year is allowed per project or evaluator. Please submit your proposal electronically in pdf format to Janet Rentsch (jrentsch@svsu.edu), Director of Sponsored Programs. Applicants are encouraged to discuss their projects with the institute director (David Karpovich) or any SVSU member of the steering committee (Tami Sivy, Martin Arford, and Arthur Martin). Review will begin as soon as possible after proposal receipt.

GRANT FORWARD RESEARCH PROFILE
Grant Forward is a service provider paid for by the University to assist faculty in locating funding opportunities which match their research interest. A newly added feature allows researchers to create a profile on Grant Forward consisting of a person’s research interests and personal information such as title and department.

Research interests are inferred by Grant Forward from multiple sources such as publication page, CV and Bibliography. Research Interests can also be individually added to the profile manually.

When a researcher’s profile is created, the funding opportunities that match his/her research interests are automatically identified and displayed in the Recommendations section. These opportunities can be filtered using the search options available in Grant Forward. The system will display individuals at SVSU which have created a profile and have a keyword that matches a funding opportunity listed in the Recommendation section.

You can showcase your research interests by embedding the tag cloud on your website as well. Visit https://www.grantforward.com or call Sponsored Programs at ext. 4295 for further information.