Fund Times

STOCKTON OFFICE OF RESEARCH

December 2018

Call for Proposals

Provost Faculty Opportunities Fund (PFOF) – (Spring)

- Support for travel to conferences, student assistant, professional services or supplies related to scholarship in 2020 initiatives
- Awards capped at \$2000 per awardee.
- Apply Online no later than 5pm, December 4, 2018.

Adjunct Faculty Opportunity Fund (AFOF) - (Spring)

- Support for travel to conferences, student assistant, professional services or supplies related to scholarship in 2020 initiatives
- Awards capped at \$1000 per awardee.
- Apply Online no later than 5pm, January 8, 2019.

R&PD - Course Release - (Fall 2019 Semester)

- Support projects in research, planning, proposal writing, professional development and creative work.
- 1 course release per awardee.
- Call to go out December 14th with applications due no later than 5pm, January 31, 2019.



OceanFirst Foundation Major Grants



Deadline:

March 1, 2019 - Letter of Intent (required)
Organizations may request 1 major grant per year.

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$5,001 or more for program or project support.

Abstract:

Since its founding in 1902, OceanFirst Bank has built a solid reputation and legacy as a good neighbor and responsible corporate citizen. The Bank's strong commitment to helping families, organizations, schools and communities throughout central and southern New Jersey meet their financial needs has spanned several generations reaching new heights in 1996 with the creation of OceanFirst Foundation.

Requests for Major Grants – \$5,001 or more for program or project support must address one of the Foundation's priorities and applicants must demonstrate a significant impact within the OceanFirst footprint. In addition, Major Grant applicants must have tax-exempt 501(c)(3) status with the IRS and be compliant with the State of New Jersey's charitable registration requirements. Organizations may request one major grant per year.

If seeking a program or project support grant of \$5,000 or less, check out the <u>Good Neighbor Grant</u> program. *Organizations may not submit both a Good Neighbor Grant and Major Grant request for the same program so please choose carefully where your request fits best.*

<u>Priorities</u>:

- Health and Wellness
- Improving Quality of Life
- Housing
- Youth Development and Education

Welcome New Members to the ORSP Team



Marina LeVine comes to us with a Masters in Business Administration from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University where she was a member of their Cross Country Team and had the honor of competing at the NCAA D2 Nationals for the 1st time in that University's history. Embracing her first cold

winter as a new found New Jersey resident, Marina is also in the process of planning her October 2019 wedding.

Marina joins us as a Grant Assistant, assisting in proposal development and submissions to external sponsors. We look forward to her growing with our team in her new role.

Hasheley Chery joins the ORSP as a Student Worker on Mondays and Fridays. Hasheley is currently a Junior majoring in the Health Sciences with a minor in Business. In the short time she has been with us, Hasheley has been enthusiastic and an asset to our increasingly busy office.



Seasons of Change: NSF Reissues Proposal and Award Policies and Procedures Guide for 2019

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Fall is a time of change: leaves turning, days shortening, and of course, modifications to the <u>Proposal and Award Policies and Procedures Guide (PAPPG)</u>. The National Science Foundation (NSF) made the 2019 version of its overarching grant management policy public at the beginning of November.

However, it is not binding yet, and becomes effective for all proposals submitted, or due, on or after January 28, 2019.

The most newsworthy changes from last year are the official implementation of NSF's policy on sexual harassment and other forms of harassment, or sexual assault. Under this new rule, awardee organizations are required to notify NSF of any findings/determinations of harassment regarding an NSF funded principal investigator (PI) or co-PI. Awardee institutions must also notify NSF of any action taken by the school, including being placed on administrative leave. Reports must be followed within 10 business days from the date of the finding/determination, or the date of the placement of a PI or co-PI by the awardee on administrative leave or the imposition of an administrative action, whichever is sooner. After receiving the notification, NSF has the authority to substitute the PI, reduce the award to the institution, or terminate the award, depending on circumstances.

Other changes include the following:

- Revision of eligibility standards for unaffiliated individuals;
- Specification that conference proposals over \$50,000 and all equipment proposals must include the Collaborators and Other Affiliations information in the proposal submission;
- Revision of resubmission guidelines for NSF programs that accept proposals at any time;
- Emphasis on the importance of training faculty in the responsible and ethical conduct of research; and
- Incorporation of existing patent policy into the PAPPG.

For more details on significant changes from the previous year, click here.