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ARTS

National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH)

Landmarks of American History & Culture: Community College Teachers (CFDA Number: 45.163)

Program:

These funds support a series of one-week residence-based workshops for a national audience of community college educators. NEH Landmarks of American History and Culture Workshops use historic sites to address central themes and issues in American history, government, literature, art, music, and other related subjects in the humanities.

The goals of the workshops are to: (1) increase knowledge and appreciation of subjects, ideas, and places significant to American history and culture through humanities readings and site study; (2) build a community of inquiry and provide models of civility, excellent scholarship and teaching; (3) provide community college faculty with expertise in using and interpreting historical and cultural sites, material and archival resources; and (4) encourage historical and cultural sites to develop greater capacity and scale for professional development programs.

Funds: 30 awards of up to \$160,000 each

Deadline: March 1, 2011

Eligible: Governments, colleges, universities and nonprofits

Information: Landmarks of American History and Culture: Workshops for Community College Faculty Division of Education Programs, National Endowment for the Humanities Room 302, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20506, Telephone: (202) 606-8463, E-mail: landmarks@neh.gov, Link:

**National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH),
Summer Seminars & Institutes (CFDA Number: 45.163)**

Program: These grants support faculty development programs in the humanities for K-12 school teachers and for college and university teachers. NEH Summer Seminars and Institutes may be as short as two weeks or as long as five weeks. The duration of a program should allow for a rigorous treatment of its topic.

NEH Summer Seminars and Institutes: (1) extend and deepen knowledge and understanding of the humanities by focusing on significant topics, texts and issues; (2) contribute to the intellectual vitality and professional development of participants; (3) build a community of inquiry and provide models of civility and excellent scholarship and teaching; and (4) promote effective links between teaching and research in the humanities.

Funds: 100 awards of up to \$200,000 each

Deadline: March 1, 2011

Eligible: Governments, colleges and universities and nonprofits

Information: Division of Education Programs, National Endowment for the Humanities
Room 302, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW , Washington, DC 20506, Telephone:
(202)606-8471, E-mail: sem-inst@neh.gov, Link:
<http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/seminars.html>

EDUCATION

**National Science Foundation (NSF)
Cyberinfrastructure Training, Education, Advancement, and Mentoring for Our 21st Century
Workforce (CI-TEAM)**

Program: The CI-TEAM program supports projects that integrate science and engineering research and education activities that range from local activities to global-scale efforts, as appropriate, to promote, leverage and utilize cyberinfrastructure systems, tools and services.

Collectively, the CI-TEAM awards will:

Increase the numbers of scientists, engineers, educators, and/or students prepared to design, develop, adopt and deploy cyber-based tools and environments for computational science and engineering research and learning, both formal and informal. This is to include individuals who are otherwise well prepared in the STEM disciplines.

Produce curricular and pedagogical materials, learning technologies, and institutional models for preparing the cyberinfrastructure workforce that are

broadly adaptable and/or adoptable, and publish related outcomes that inform others of promising educational approaches.

Increase and broaden the participation of diverse groups of people and organizations as both creators and users of cyberinfrastructure for research and education. Currently underrepresented groups include women, those in underserved rural regions of the country, those who would be the first in their family to graduate from college, and minorities including those associated with Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) and other Minority Serving Institutions (MSIs) and communities.

- Funds:** \$5 million for 12 awards ranging from \$250,000 to \$1 million each
- Deadline:** March 16, 2011
- Eligible:** Unrestricted
- Information:** Joan Peckham, OD/OCI, Telephone: (703) 292-7344, E-mail: jpeckham@nsf.gov , Mimi McClure, OD/OCI, Telephone: (703) 292-5197, E-mail: mmcclure@nsf.gov William Badecker, SBE/BCS, Telephone: (703) 292-5069, E-mail: wbadecke@nsf.gov Reed S. Beaman, BIO/DBI, Telephone: (703) 292-8470, E-mail: rbeaman@nsf.gov Kellina Craig-Henderson, SBE/BCS, Telephone: (703) 292-7023, email: khenders@nsf.gov , Link: <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11515/nsf11515.htm>

**Transportation Department (Federal Highway Administration)
Garrett A. Morgan Technology & Transportation Education (GAMTTEP) Program (CFDA
Number: 20.215)**

- Program:** GAMTTEP funding improves the preparation of students, particularly women and minorities, in science, technology, engineering and mathematics through curriculum development and other activities related to transportation
- Funds:** \$1.1 million for 11 awards ranging from \$5,000 to \$100,000 each
- Deadline:** February 21, 2011
- Eligible:** School districts and state educational agencies
- Information:** Mr. Henry C. Murdaugh, Program Manager, Universities and Grants Programs (U&GP) Technology Partnership Programs Federal Highway Administration, 1310 North Courthouse Road, Suite 300, Arlington, VA 22201, Telephone: (703) 235-0538 Fax: (703) 235-0593, Email: transportationedu@fhwa.dot.gov, Link: http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/tpp/gamttep_brochure.pdf

Target Foundation

Local Store Grants: Arts; Early Childhood Reading; and Field Trips

- Program:** The Target Local Store Grants, a giving effort of the retail chain, provides grants in three categories: (1) Arts; (2) Early Childhood Reading; (3) Field Trips.

Arts grants fund school arts programs that enhance students' classroom curriculum by bringing the arts and cultural experiences to schools, such as in-school performances, artist in residency programs and workshops in schools.

Early childhood reading funds go to programs that foster a love of reading and encourage young children (pre-K-3) to read together with their families. Reading grants support programs such as library story times and family reading nights.

Field trip funds allow students and teachers to learn in all kinds of settings. Target funds field trips that connect students' classroom curriculum to out-of-school experiences.

Funds: \$2, 000

Deadline: Applications are accepted between March 1 and April 30 for Arts and Early Childhood Reading proposals and Aug. 1 to Sept. 30 for Field Trips applications

Eligible: 501 (c)(3) nonprofits, schools, libraries and public agencies

Information: Link: http://www.tjx.com/corporate_community_foundation_apply.asp

The Nora Roberts Foundation

Supports Literacy

Program: The Nora Roberts Foundation, a giving effort of the mystery novelist, primarily supports literacy, but will consider programs focused on children and arts. Local organizations receive priority in funding.

Funds: Varies

Deadline: None

Eligible: 501 (c)(3) nonprofits

Information: Link: <http://norarobertsfoundation.org/>.

HEALTH

Health & Human Services Department (Health Resources & Services Administration HRSA) Long Term Maternal & Child Health (MCH): Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Other Related Disabilities (LEND) Program (CFDA Number: 93.110)

Program: The MCH LEND program seeks to improve the health of infants, children and adolescents who have or at risk of having neurodevelopmental disabilities by preparing trainees from a wide variety of professional disciplines to assume leadership roles and to ensure high levels of interdisciplinary clinical competence. Neurodevelopmental disabilities include Autism and Attention Deficit & Hyperactivity Disorder.

LEND program objectives include the following:

1. Advancing the knowledge and skills of the full range of child health professionals to improve health care delivery systems for children with developmental disabilities.

2. Providing high-quality interdisciplinary education to health professionals emphasizing the integration of services supported by state, local agencies, organizations, private providers and communities.
3. Providing a wide range of health professionals with the skills needed to foster a community-based partnership of health resources and community leadership.
4. Promoting innovative practice models that enhance cultural competency, partnerships among disciplines, and family-centered approaches to care

Funds: \$30.5 million for 45 awards

Deadline: February 14, 2011

Eligible: Public and nonprofit private agencies, including colleges and universities

Information: Robyn Schulhof and Denise Sofka, Division of Research, Training, and Education Maternal and Child Health Bureau (MCHB), E-mail Addresses: rschulhof@hrsa.gov; dsofka@hrsa.gov Telephone: (301) 443-0258, (301) 443-0344 Fax: (301) 443-4842, Link: <http://tinyurl.com/2egnyzt>.

Health & Human Services Department (Substance Abuse & Mental Health Administration SAMHSA) Cooperative Agreements for State-Sponsored Youth Suicide Prevention and Early Intervention

Program: The program supports states and tribes in developing and implementing statewide and tribal youth suicide prevention and early intervention strategies.

Efforts must involve public and private collaboration among youth-serving institutions and agencies. These collaborations should include schools, educational institutions, juvenile justice systems, foster care systems and substance abuse and mental health programs.

Funds: \$15.3 million for 32 awards of up to \$480,000 each

Deadline: February 16, 2011

Eligible: States, tribes and nonprofits

Information: Michelle Carnes, Ph.D., Center for Mental Health Services; Division of Prevention, Traumatic Stress and Special Programs – Suicide Prevention Branch, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, 1 Choke Cherry Road, Room 6-1096 Rockville, Maryland 20857, Telephone: (240) 276-1096, E-mail: michelle.carnes@samhsa.hhs.gov Link: http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2011/sm_11_001.aspx.

American Psychological Foundation (APF) Pre-College Grant Program

- Program:** The program provides grants to improve the quality of education in psychological science and its application in secondary schools.
- Programs must:
- Reinforce the discipline of psychology as a science in secondary school curricula.
 - Expand the profile of psychology as a science to attract talented high school students to pursue the discipline.
 - Convey to high school students that psychological science is a tool to improve society.
 - Teach students about career options that apply psychology outside of an academic setting (e.g. NASA, organizational development).
 - Must focus on supporting the education of talented high school students
- Funds:** \$20,000 for multiple awards
- Deadline:** May 1, 2011
- Eligible:** Schools, 501 (c)(3) nonprofits and individuals
- Information:** 750 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20002-4242, Telephone: (800)374-2721 or (202)336-5500, Link: <http://www.apa.org/apf/funding/pre-college.aspx>

JUSTICE

Justice Department (National Institute of Justice, NIJ) Research & Evaluation in Justice Systems (CFDA Number: 16.560)

- Program:** Grantees will examine topics relevant to state and local criminal and juvenile justice systems policy and practice.
- Specific focus areas include: a multi-state study on the impact of incarceration on families of adults confined to penal institutions; a national study on state budget shortfalls and prison closings; and multi-state research on automated reporting systems and kiosk supervision. Application titles should clearly denote the specific focus area selected.
- Funds:** Multiple awards
- Deadline:** March 17, 2011
- Eligible:** States, units of local government, nonprofits and for-profits and colleges and universities.
- Information:** Marilyn C. Moses, Social Science Analyst, for the impact of incarceration on families and for prison closings, Telephone (202) 514-6205, E-mail: Marilyn.Moses@usdoj.gov
Laurie Bright, Senior Social Science Analyst, for research on automated reporting systems, Telephone: (202)616-3624, E-mail to Laurie.Bright@usdoj.gov Link:

<http://ncjrs.gov/pdffiles1/nij/s1000967.pdf>.

**Justice Department (National Institute of Justice, NIJ)
Research & Evaluation in Crime Control & Prevention (CFDA Number: 16.560)**

- Program:** Grantees will examine topics relevant to state, local and tribal criminal and juvenile justice policy and practice.
Specific focus areas include: research on police investigations; research on police integrity; the impact of technology on policing; research on policing strategies for smaller police agencies; and research on desistance from gangs and gang-related crime.
- Funds:** Multiple awards
- Deadline:** March 17, 2011
- Eligible:** States, units of local government, nonprofits and for-profits and colleges and universities
- Information:** Brett Chapman (Questions on police integrity, impact of technology on policing, and policing strategies for smaller police agencies research), Telephone: (202)514-2187, E-mail, Brett.Chapman@usdoj.gov;
Katharine Browning (Questions on police investigations research), Telephone: (202) 616-4786, E-mail, Katharine.Browning@usdoj.gov;
Louis Tuthill (Questions on gangs research), Telephone: (202)307-1015, E-mail: Louis.Tuthill@usdoj.gov, Link: <http://ncjrs.gov/pdffiles1/nij/s1000963.pdf>.

**Justice Department (Office of Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention, OJJDP)
Evaluation of Girls' Delinquency Programs (CFDA Number: 16.540)**

- Program:** Over the past two decades, the number of girls entering the juvenile justice system has grown dramatically. This increase has raised a number of questions for the field and OJJDP, including whether programs and strategies exist to prevent and reduce the delinquency and involvement of girls in the juvenile justice system.
These funds go to document and measure the effectiveness of delinquency prevention, intervention and treatment programs in preventing and reducing girls' risk behavior and offending.
- Funds:** Multiple awards from \$200,000 to \$400,000 each
- Deadline:** February 28, 2011
- Eligible:** Governments, colleges and universities, public housing authorities, nonprofits and for-profits
Barbara Tatem Kelley, Telephone: (202) 616-9517, E-mail, barbara.kelley@usdoj.gov;
Angela Parker, Telephone: (202) 353-9252, E-mail. angela.parker@usdoj.gov; Link: <http://tinyurl.com/2vsfag9>.

Justice Department (National Institute of Justice, NIJ)

Forensic Science Technology Center of Excellence (FTCOE) (CFDA Number: 16.560)

Program: The grantee will establish and operate a FTCOE to support the NIJ research, development, testing and evaluation (RDT&E) process in all areas of forensic science.

The FTCOE will support the NIJ RDT&E process by:

Providing scientific and technical support to NIJ's research and development efforts.

Supporting the demonstration, transfer and adoption of appropriate technology into practice by crime laboratories, forensic service providers and law enforcement.

Assisting in the development and dissemination of technology guidelines and standards.

Providing technology assistance, information and support to law enforcement.

Providing access to resources for research, education and outreach in the forensic science and criminal justice community.

Funds: A \$6.2 million award

Deadline: April 4, 2011

Eligible: Governments, nonprofits and colleges and universities

Information: Charles Heurich, Telephone: (202) 616-9264, E-mail, Charles.Heurich@usdoj.gov; Link: <http://www.ncjrs.gov/pdffiles1/nij/sl000950.pdf>.

Justice Department (National Institute of Justice, NIJ)

National Missing & Unidentified Persons System (NamUs) (CFDA Number: 16.560)

Program: The applicant will run NamUs, which was created to respond to an overwhelming need for a central reporting system for unidentified human remains cases.

The system assists state and local law enforcement, medical examiners and coroners, allied professionals and the general public with resolving missing and unidentified person's cases.

Funds: A \$2.5 million award

Deadline: March 4, 2011

Eligible: Governments, nonprofits and colleges and universities

Information: Charles Heurich, Telephone: (202) 616-9264, E-mail, Charles.Heurich@usdoj.gov. Link: <http://www.ncjrs.gov/pdffiles1/nij/sl000951.pdf>.

Justice Department (Office of Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention, OJJDP)

National Gang Center (NGC) (CFDA Number: 16.544)

Program: The grantee will continue and expand the services offered by the NGC. The center provides training and technical assistance to OJJDP-funded programs and communities.

NGC tracks current research and trends on gangs and maintains a database of comprehensive information on the development and implementation of effective gang prevention, intervention and suppression strategies.

- Funds:** A \$2 million award
- Deadline:** February 28, 2011
- Eligible:** Governments, colleges and universities, public housing authorities, nonprofits and for-profits
- Information:** James Chavis, Telephone: (202) 307-0688, E-mail, James.Chavis@usdoj.gov, Dennis Mondoro, Telephone: (202) 514-3913, E-mail, Dennis.Mondoro@usdoj.gov; Stephanie Rapp, Telephone: (202) 514-9123, E-mail, Stephanie.Rapp@usdoj.gov.

NON-PROFITS

The TJX Foundation

Program: The TJX Foundation, the giving effort of the TJX Companies that include TJ Maxx, Marshalls and Home Goods, focuses its charitable giving on programs that provide basic-need services to disadvantaged women, children and families in communities in areas of operation.

The foundation seeks to support charities which conform to the following guidelines:

Civic/Community: These funds go to programs that teach disadvantaged persons independent living skills, and improve race and cultural relations.

Domestic Violence Prevention: These grants support immediate emergency services and shelter accommodations for victims and family members affected by abusive situations as well as programming that works to break the cycle of violence.

Education: The foundation supports programs that provide academic and vocational opportunities for the disadvantaged, including early-intervention, mentoring, tutoring, GED, English as a Second Language and college coursework.

Health: The foundation supports programs that provide early and comprehensive prenatal services and healthy baby education. Consideration for funding is also given to medical research that furthers the treatment of or eliminates the impact of, congenital or chronic diseases.

Social Services: Disadvantaged children and families will be the chief beneficiaries of these contributions. Funds go to programs that strengthen the family unit, along with the parent-child relationship, offer food and clothing assistance, provide counseling, youth development or adoption services. The foundation will consider programs that directly help those with mental or physical impairments, too.

Funds: Not stated
Deadline: Submission Deadline Anticipated Meeting Dates*
February 24, 2011 Week of May 23, 2011
June 23, 2011 Week of September 19, 2011
October 20, 2011 Week of January 16, 2012

Eligible: A Eligibility questionnaire must be taken on-line:
http://www.tjx.com/corporate_community_foundation_eligibility.asp

Information: If applicants need further guidance, they may contact the foundation by telephone: (508) 390-3199, Link: http://www.tjx.com/corporate_community_foundation.asp.

PUBLIC SAFETY

Homeland Security Department (Federal Emergency Management Agency, FEMA) Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program: Fire Prevention & Safety (FP&S) Grants (CFDA Number: 97.044)

Program: The purpose of the AFG is to enhance the safety of the public and firefighters with respect to fire and fire-related hazards. The Grant Programs Directorate administers the Fire Prevention and Safety (FP&S) grants as part of the AFG Program. FP&S offers grants to support activities in two categories:

(1) Activities designed to reach high-risk target groups and mitigate incidences of death and injuries caused by fire and fire-related hazards “*Fire Prevention and Safety Activity*”; and

(2) Research and development activities aimed at improving firefighter safety “*Firefighter Safety Research and Development Activity*”. This program guidance document provides potential applicants with the details of requirements, processing, and evaluation of an application for financial assistance for both of these activity areas.

Funds: \$35 million for 200 awards of up to \$1 million each

Deadline: February 4, 2010

Eligible: Governments, institutions of higher education, nonprofits, fire departments and community organizations

Information: AFG Help Desk , Telephone: (866) 274-0960 , E-mail: firegrants@dhs.gov Link: <http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=61474>

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

Environmental Workforce Development & Job Training (Funding Opportunity Number: EPA-OSWER-OBLR-11-01)

Program:

The grantees will deliver environmental workforce development and job training programs focused on hazardous and solid waste management, assessment and cleanup-associated activities.

While Environmental Workforce Development and Job Training Grants focus on hazardous and solid waste remediation and health and safety, applicants may design their own curriculums by choosing what types of supplemental environmental training they want to provide.

This supplemental training must include the following three additional training courses: (1) innovative and alternative treatment technologies; (2) leaking underground storage tank prevention; and (3) training related to solid waste management, assessment, and/or cleanup.

Funds:

\$4 million for 13 awards

Deadline:

March 18, 2011

Eligible:

Governments and nonprofits

Information:

Environmental Management Support, Inc. Attn: Mr. Keith Arnold 8601 Georgia Avenue, Suite 500 Silver Spring, MD 20910, Telephone: (301) 589-5318 Link: <http://www.epa.gov/oswer/docs/grants/epa-oswer-oblr-11-01.pdf>