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ARTS

President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities

Coming Up Taller Awards

Program: The Coming Up Taller Awards annually recognize and reward excellence in community arts and humanities programs for underserved children and youth. In its fifth year, the Coming Up Taller Awards support community programs that "are tangible examples of the power of the arts and the humanities to encourage young people's creativity and provide them learning opportunities, chances to contribute to their community, and ways to take responsibility for their own futures.

Funds: Number of awards: 10.
Average award size: \$10,000.

Deadline: April 26, 2002.

Eligible: Nonprofit, tax-exempt 501c(3) organizations, units of state or local government, or federally recognized tribal communities or tribes are eligible for the awards. Applicants must: have been operational for a minimum of five years, including 2002; operate as a program for children and youth outside the school curricula (preschool, afterschool, weekend and/or summer programs, however, may have a school-based component or use school space); provide participants regularly scheduled sessions on an ongoing basis; use one or more disciplines of the arts or the humanities as the core content of its program; involve children and youth as active participants in the arts or humanities experience; focus on child and youth development as an expressed goal; and focus on children and youth who live in family and community circumstances that limit their opportunities.

Info: President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities, Coming Up Taller Awards
1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 526, Washington, DC 20506,
Phone: (202) 682-5409, Link: <http://www.cominguptaller.org/awards.html>

The Business Committee for the Arts, Inc./Forbes Magazine

2002 Business in the Arts Awards/Request for Nominations

Program: Sponsored by the Business Committee for the Arts, Inc. and *Forbes* magazine, the Business in the Arts Awards have been presented annually for more than 30 years to honor businesses and business executives for their leadership, commitment and vision in developing exemplary alliances with the arts. Businesses of all sizes located throughout the world that have formed partnerships with the arts in the United States are eligible for the New Initiative, Innovation, and Commitment Awards. To be eligible for the Leadership Award, the nominee must be a current Chairman, Vice Chairman, President, Chief Executive Officer, Owner, Principal or Managing Partner of a U.S.-based business.

Funds: **New Initiative, Innovation and Commitment Awards:**

An award in each category will be given to-

- ✓ One small business (annual revenues of less than \$50 million).
- ✓ One midsize business (annual revenues of \$50 million to \$250 million).
- ✓ One large business (annual revenues greater than \$250 million).

Leadership Award:

One award will be given to a business executive from any size business.

Deadline: April 26, 2002.

Eligible: Tax-exempt not-for-profit organizations, and executives of these organizations, are not eligible. Only one nomination will be accepted for each business or business executive. Retired individuals are not eligible. If a business is an affiliate, division or subsidiary of another company, the headquarters or parent company must determine which entity will be nominated.

Info: Maria Perricone, Director of National Programs, Business Committee for the Arts, Inc., 29-27 Queens Plaza North, 4th Floor, Long Island City, New York 11101, Phone: (718) 482-9900, ext. 15, E-mail: mperricone@bcainc.org, Link: <http://www.bcainc.org>

COMMUNITY

Enterprise Foundation

Jim & Patty Rouse Award

Program: The award program is designed to recognize and publicize the important work being done by community-based and regional nonprofit organizations, and Tribes/Tribally Designated Housing Entities that develop and provide housing to low- and very low-income individuals and/or families. In addition, applying organizations must have restored the fabric of the community and created a new sense of place, with particular emphasis on human scale issues.

Funds: One award for \$5,000.

Deadline: April 26, 2002

Eligible: Applicants must be community-based or regional nonprofit organizations or Tribes/Tribally Designated Housing Entities that are members of the Enterprise Network. The applicant must have developed a minimum of 50 dwelling units of affordable housing, by no later than January 1, 2000, and must support residents who have incomes at or below 60 percent of the area's median income. The applying organization must also have developed housing and contributed to the community through its work in community safety, workforce development, childcare, and/or neighborhood organizing.

Info: Samia Malak, Program Director, Member Services. Enterprise Foundation
Jim & Patty Rouse Award, 10227 Wincopin Circle, Suite 500, Columbia, MD 21044-3400,
Phone: (410) 772-2436, Link: <http://www.enterprisefoundation.org/20ann/JPRouse/index.asp>

EDUCATION

The Fund for American Studies

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The Institute on Philanthropy and Voluntary Service

Program: The Institute on Philanthropy and Voluntary Service enrolls approximately 35 students each summer from campuses across the country. All students must be undergraduates who have completed at least two semesters of study at an accredited college or university by the start of the Institute. Preference will be given to those applicants that are in their sophomore or junior year of college, though seniors and graduate students will still be considered.

Funds: Scholarships range from \$1,000 to \$2,950.

Deadline: April 15, 2002.

Info: The Fund for American Studies 1706 New Hampshire Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20009
Phone: (800) 741-6964, Fax: 801-697-8329, E-mail: philanthropy@tfas.org, Link: <http://www.ipvs.org>

Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans Fellowship Program

Program: The purpose of The Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans is to provide opportunities for continuing generations of able and accomplished New Americans to achieve leadership in their chosen fields and to partake of the American dream. Fellows must have shown potential in the fields for which they seek further education; the capacity for creativity, persistence and work; and the commitment to the values of the United States Constitution and the Bill of Rights, which protect the American dream. The Program is established in recognition of the contributions New Americans have made to American life and in gratitude for the opportunities the United States has afforded the donors and their family.

Funds: Number of awards: 30 students each year with fellowships to support two years of graduate study in the United States (an annual maintenance grant of \$20,000 and a tuition grant of one-half the tuition cost of the U.S. graduate program attended by the Fellow).

Deadline: November 30, 2002.

Eligible: To be eligible, applicants must: be "Green Card" holders, naturalized citizens, or have two parents who are naturalized citizens as of the date of application; not be older than 30 as of November 30, 2002; be a senior in college or a holder of a bachelor's degree or at present enrolled in a graduate program (individuals who are in the third, or subsequent, year of study in the same graduate program are not, however, eligible). In addition to demonstrated capacity to undertake advanced academic work, a successful candidate will fulfill at least two of the following: creativity, originality, and initiative, demonstrated in any area of her/his life; a commitment to and capacity for accomplishment, activity that requires drive and sustained effort; and commitment to the values expressed in the U.S. Constitution and the Bill of Rights.

Info: Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans, 400 West 59th Street
New York, NY 10019, Phone: (212) 547-6926, Fax: (212) 548-4623,
E-mail: pdsoros_fellows@sorosny.org, Link: <http://www.pdsoros.org>

Department of Health and Human Services/Administration for Children and Families Discretionary Announcement for Nationwide Competition of Early Head Start

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- Program:** The purpose of the Early Head Start program is to enhance children's physical, social, emotional, and intellectual development; to support parents' efforts to fulfill their parental roles; and to help parents move toward self-sufficiency. The Administration on Children, Youth and Families announces approximately \$72 million in financial assistance to be competitively awarded to local public and private non-profit and for-profit entities--including Early Head Start and Head Start grantees--to provide child and family development services for low-income families with children under age three and pregnant women. Faith-based organizations are eligible to apply for these funds to become Early Head Start grantees. Applicants may apply for one or more of the following categories of expansion:
- ✓ Current Early Head Start grantees, proposing to expand in their currently approved EHS service area.
 - ✓ Applicants, including current Early Head Start grantees and, proposing to establish an Early Head Start program in areas currently unserved by Early Head Start.
 - ✓ Applicants proposing to serve children in an Early Head Start program whose families are receiving support from the Child Welfare Services.
- Funds:** See RFR.
- Deadline:** May 13, 2002.
- Eligible:** Applicants eligible to apply to become an Early Head Start program are local public and private non-profit and for-profit entities. Early Head Start and Head Start grantees are eligible to apply. Faith-based organizations are eligible to apply for funds.
- Info:** Early Head Start Nationwide Competition, 1901 N. Fort Myer Drive, Suite 301, Arlington, VA 22209, Phone: (800) 458-7699, E-mail: ehsnpal-tech.com, Link: http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-5948-filed
- FR:** 3/14 11487-11512

Massachusetts Commission for the Blind

Socialization/Recreation Program

- Program:** The Mass Commission for the Blind is seeking contractors to provide after-school social and recreational programs to legally blind children of the Commonwealth. Such programs occur after-school and/or on weekends and/or during school vacation weeks and/or during the summer months. Most provide programming using a combination of times, but scheduled regularly enough so that the children develop relationships and friendships and enhance their personal growth in social skills; all while experiencing a variety of activities and having fun.
- Deadline:** April 26, 2002.
- Funds:** Total Funds available: \$900,000.
- Eligible:** See RFR.
- Info:** Sandra Daly, Director of Children's Services, 88 Kingston Street, Boston, MA 02111-2227, Phone: (617) 626-7480, Fax: (617) 626-7685, E-mail: Sandra.Daly@state.ma.us, Link: <http://www.comm-pass.com/Comm->

HEALTH

American Dental Association

Children's Oral Health

Program: The program's overriding objective is to help children whose economic status places them at greatest risk. This oral health promotion grant program aspires to be a catalyst for increasing voluntary efforts by the dental health community. This program further aspires to create synergy for cooperative pooling of resources from the dental community, industry and public charities that, through education, will help to significantly reduce the incidence of children's oral disease and help to instill oral health promotion activities that contribute to the oral health of children most at risk.

Funds: Average grant size: Up to \$5,000 in cash.

Deadline: July 31, 2002.

Eligible: Eligibility is limited to community-based, not-for-profit, oral health promotion programs in the United States and its territories. Oral health promotion programs include:

- ✓ Dental health education conducted at schools, health fairs, social agencies, mobile dental clinics or outreach programs.
- ✓ Dental health education programs in conjunction with fluoride programs, dental sealant programs, and/or other prevention programs.
- ✓ Oral health and nutrition education materials prepared for children, their parents and/or dental professionals.
- ✓ Instruction in the proper use of oral care products.
- ✓ Development of public service announcements to create awareness and appreciation of proper oral care for children.

Info: Mr. Robert N. Czarnecki, ADA Health Foundation, 211 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, IL 60611-2616, Link: <http://www.adahf.org/childgrant.html>

University of Michigan School of Public Health

Community Health Scholars Program /Post-Doctoral Fellowships

Program: The Community Health Scholars Program (CHSP) is a post-doctoral fellowship program designed to meet the growing needs of schools of public health and other health professions for faculty with community competency. The CHSP post-doctoral program enables scholars to develop and enhance skills in working with communities and engaging in participatory community-based research at three institutions: Johns Hopkins University, University of Michigan, or University of North Carolina.

Funds: Average award size: 12 months fellowship award of \$40,000, including fringe benefits. Research fund: \$10,000 per scholar.

- ✓ Each Scholar based at one of three training sites.
- ✓ Women and other underrepresented groups are encouraged to apply.

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- ✓ Option of second year may be available.
- Deadline:** December 2, 2002.
- Eligible:**
- ✓ Applicant must be a United States Citizen.
 - ✓ Applicant must be located at one of the three training sites (Johns Hopkins, University of Michigan, or University of North Carolina) OR applicant must be willing to move to one of these training sites.
 - ✓ Applicant must have completed all formal requirements for professional and post-professional training (e.g. internships or residencies) at the doctoral level by the date of entry into the Program. Please note: The term "doctoral level" refers to the degree that is generally accepted as prerequisite to being considered for a faculty position at schools of public health (e.g. Ph.D., M.D., J.D., Dr.PH).
 - ✓ Applicant must be committed to a scholarly career as a faculty member in a health professional school, with emphasis on schools of public health.
 - ✓ Applicant must be highly regarded as a professional by those responsible for his/her education and training.
- Info:** University of Michigan School of Public Health, Community Health Scholars Program, 109 Observatory St., M4142 SPHII, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-2029, Phone: (734) 647-3065, Link: <http://www.sph.umich.edu/chsp>

The Robert Wood Foundation

Local Initiative Funding Partners

Program: Under LIFP, a local grant maker proposes a funding partnership with The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation on behalf of a local applicant for grant funds to support projects that are consistent with the Foundation's two main areas of interest: health and health care.

Projects designed to improve health may:

- ✓ Promote healthy communities and lifestyles.
- ✓ Address community and social factors that affect individual health such as social isolation.
- ✓ Work to increase the adoption of healthy behaviors such as physical activity and proper diet.
- ✓ Seek to decrease the use and adverse health and social consequences of tobacco, alcohol, and illegal drugs.

Funds: Total funds available: \$8,000,000.
Average grant size: \$100,000 to \$500,000. Grants must be matched dollar for dollar by local sources.

Deadline: On-line pre-registration begins July 1, 2002. (See link)

Deadline for application: August 1, 2002. (See link)

Eligible: Non-profits, projects must offer community-based services that are new and innovative for the community, or for the larger region. Significant program expansions for projects started within the

last year—such as an ambitious expansion into new regions or to new populations—also are acceptable.

Info: LIFP, c/o Health Research and Educational Trust of New Jersey, 760 Alexander Road, Princeton, NJ 08543-0001, Phone: (609) 275-4128, E-mail: thardgrove@lifp.org, Link: <http://www.lifp.org/html/local.initiatives.funding.partners.how.to.apply.html#purpose>

Massachusetts Victim and Witness Assistance Board VOCA Antiterrorism Supplemental Grant

Program: The purpose of this procurement is to seek qualified vendors interested in increasing staff capacity to provide crisis counseling and crisis intervention services to victims, surviving family members, and crisis responders in the wake of the events of September 11, 2001. The Department of Defense Appropriations Act for 2002 was passed on December 21, 2001. Through this Act, the Office for Victims of Crime (OVC) and by extension the Massachusetts Office for Victim Assistance (MOVA), received its direction for use of funds for the victims of the September 11 terrorist attacks. MOVA will make funding available to interested and eligible organizations to provide counseling services to the specified population.

Deadline: April 19, 2002.

Funds: Total funds available: \$2,000,000.

Eligible: See RFR.

Info: Brenda Noel, VOCA Program Manager, Massachusetts Office for Victim Assistance, One Ashburton Place, Room 1101, Boston, MA 02108, Phone: (617) 727-5200, Fax: (617) 727-6552, E-mail: Brenda.Noel@state.ma.us, Link: http://www.comm-pass.com/Comm-PASS/Scripts/xdoc_view.idc?doc_id=013098&dept_code=&cp_xx=

Massachusetts Department of Public Health

City Immunization Assistance Program

Program: The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (MDPH), Massachusetts Immunization Program (MIP), seeks responses from city health agencies (boards of health or health departments) serving populations greater than 100,000 who can aid the MIP with: Investigation and reporting of vaccine-preventable diseases, perinatal hepatitis B case management, vaccine management and vaccine provider enrollment, and vaccine provider assessments.

Deadline: April 23, 2002.

Funds: Average grant size: \$160,000.

Eligible: City health agencies serving populations greater than 100,000.

Info: Marcia Izzi, State Laboratory Institute, 305 South Street, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130, Phone: (617) 983-6663, Fax: (617) 983-6840, E-mail: marcia.izzi@state.ma.us, Link: http://www.commpass.com/CommPASS/Scripts/xdoc_view.idc?doc_id=013124&dept_code=&cp_xx

SUBSTANCE ABUSE

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**Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
Drug-Free Communities Support Program**

- Program:** The two major goals of the program are:
- ✓ To reduce substance abuse among youth and, over time, among adults by addressing the factors in the community that serve to increase the risk of substance abuse and the factors that serve to minimize that risk.
 - ✓ Establish and strengthen collaboration among communities; Federal, State, and tribal governments; and private nonprofit agencies to support the efforts of community coalitions to prevent and reduce substance abuse among youth.
- Funds:** Number of awards: 70.
Average grant size: Up to \$100,000 for the initial 12-month budget period.
- Deadline:** April 24, 2002.
- Eligible:** To be eligible, a community coalition must meet the following criteria: the coalition must have the reduction of substance abuse among youth as a principal mission; the coalition must demonstrate that it has been established, and that its members have worked together, for a period of not less than 6 months prior to application submission; and the coalition must represent the targeted community and include at least one representative of each of the following groups: youth; parents; business community; media; schools; youth-serving organizations; law enforcement agencies; religious or fraternal organizations; civic and volunteer groups; healthcare professionals; state, local, or tribal governmental agencies with an expertise in the field of substance abuse; and other organizations involved in reducing substance abuse.
- Info:** Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, c/o Juvenile Justice Resource Center, 2277 Research Boulevard, Mail Stop 2K, Rockville, MD 20850
Phone: (301) 519-5535, Link: <http://ojjdp.ncjrs.org/dfcs/drugfree2002/program.html>

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Department of Education

Projects With Industry

- Program:** The Projects With Industry (PWI) program creates and expands job and career opportunities for individuals with disabilities in the competitive labor market by engaging the talent and leadership of private industry as partners in the rehabilitation process. PWI projects identify competitive job and career opportunities and the skills needed to perform those jobs, create practical settings for job readiness and training programs, and provide job placements and career advancement

services.

Funds: Number of awards: 79.
Average award size: \$220,000.

Deadline: May 31, 2002.

Eligible: Employers, nonprofit agencies or organizations, designated State units, labor unions, community rehabilitation program providers, trade associations, Indian tribes, tribal organizations, and other agencies or organizations with the capacity to create and expand job and career opportunities for individuals with disabilities.

Info: Education Publications Center (ED Pubs), P.O. Box 1398, Jessup, MD 20794-1398, Phone: (877) 433- 7827, Fax: (301) 470-1244, Link: <http://www.ed.gov/pubs/edpubs.html>.
http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=2002_register&docid=02-6214-filed

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