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FUNDER	PROGRAM	DESCRIPTION	DEADLINES
USDA	Women and Minorities in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Fields Program (WAMS)	Supports women and underrepresented minorities from rural areas in STEM and food/agricultural science programming and research.	Apr. 19, 2023
NSF	ADVANCE: Organizational Change for Gender Equity in STEM Academic Professions	Seeks to support equity and inclusion and to mitigate the systemic factors that create inequities in the academic STEM profession and workplaces.	Apr. 27, 2023 (Pre); Aug. 7, 2023 (LOI); Aug. 7, Oct. 5, & Nov. 1, 2023 (Full, Varies by Track)
NSF	Geoscience Opportunities for Leadership in Diversity (GOLD)	Supports the mission of achieving greater and more systemic diversity by creating a network of champions who can generate greater implementation of evidence-based best practices and resources to promote belonging, accessibility, justice, equity, diversity and inclusion (BAJEDI) throughout the geoscience education, research enterprise and workforce.	Apr. 28, 2023; Oct. 27, 2023
NASA	MUREP Curriculum Awards	Seeks to to strengthen the research capacity of MSIs, and enable students' capacity for research in areas of priority to NASA Mission Directorates, while engaging diverse students in authentic learning experiences through curriculum improvement and development and culturally relevant and responsive teaching, learning and support.	May 1, 2023
FDN	William T. Grant Foundation Research Grants on Reducing Inequality	Research Grants on Reducing Inequality program supports research to build, test, or increase understanding of programs, policies, or practices to reduce inequality in the academic, social, behavioral, or economic outcomes of young people ages 5-25 in the United States.	May 3, 2023
NIH	NIDA, NIMH, and NINDS Research Opportunities for New and "At-Risk" Investigators to Promote Workforce Diversity (R01 Clinical Trial Optional)	Supports independent research projects for New Investigators and At-Risk Investigators from diverse backgrounds, including those from groups underrepresented in the health-related sciences.	May 5, 2023; Sep. 6, 2023; Jan. 9, 2024
NEH	Humanities Initiatives at HSIs / HBCUs / TCUs	Separate grant programs aim to help strengthen the teaching and study of the humanities at Hispanic-Serving Institutions, Historically Black Colleges and Universities, and Tribal Colleges and Universities.	May 9, 2023
USDA	Higher Education Multicultural Scholars Program	Provides undergraduate scholarships designed to increase the multicultural diversity of the food and agricultural scientific professional workforce. (Last Posted: Dec. 23, 2020)	May 15, 2023
ED	Strengthening Institutions Program (SIP) - Title III Part A	Helps eligible institutions become self-sufficient and expand their capacity to serve low-income students by providing funds to improve and strengthen the academic quality, institutional management, and fiscal stability of eligible institutions.	May 22, 2023
NIH	NIGMS Medical Scientist Training Program (MSTP) (T32)	Seeks to develop a diverse pool of highly trained physician-scientist leaders available to meet the Nation's biomedical research needs.	May 25; Sep. 25; Jan. 25
NIH	Support for Research Excellence (SuRE) Award (R16 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)	Supports research capacity building at institutions that enroll significant numbers of students from backgrounds nationally underrepresented in biomedical research, award baccalaureate and/or graduate degrees in biomedical sciences, and receive limited NIH Research Project Grant funding.	May 26, 2023



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NIH	Enhancing NIDCD's Extramural Workforce Diversity through Research Experiences (R25 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)	Supports educational activities that encourage individuals from diverse backgrounds, including those from groups underrepresented in the biomedical and behavioral sciences, to pursue further studies or careers in research.	May 26, 2023; Sep. 26, 2023; Jan. 29, 2024
NIH	Maximizing Access to Research Careers (T34)	Aims to develop a diverse pool of undergraduates who complete their baccalaureate degree, and transition into and complete biomedical, research-focused higher degree programs.	May 27, 2023
NSF	Centers of Research Excellence in Science and Technology & HBCU Research Infrastructure for Science and Engineering	Provides support to enhance the research capabilities of minority-serving institutions (MSI) through the establishment of centers that effectively integrate education and research.	May 30 & Dec. 1, 2023
ED	Asian American and Native American Pacific Islander-Serving Institutions Program (AANAPISI)	Grants to enable eligible institutions to improve and expand their capacity to serve Asian Americans and Native American Pacific Islanders and low-income individuals.	May 30, 2023
ED	Minority Science and Engineering Improvement Program (MSEIP)	Supports projects seeking to improve science and engineering education at predominantly minority institutions of higher education and to increase the participation of underrepresented ethnic minorities, particularly minority women, in scientific and technological careers.	May 30, 2023
NIH	Research With Activities Related to Diversity (ReWARD) (R01 Clinical Trial Optional)	Provides support for the health-related research of scientists who are making a significant contribution to Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Accessibility (DEIA) and who have no current NIH research project grant funding.	Jun. 5, 2023; Oct. 5, 2023; Feb. 5, 2024 (New)
NIH	HEAL Initiative Advanced Postdoctoral-to-Independent Career Transition Award in PAIN and SUD Research to Promote Diversity (K99/R00)	Seeks to support a cohort of new and well-trained, independent investigators from diverse backgrounds conducting Pain and/or SUD research, in order to promote a diverse pool of available independent investigators working in research areas supported by the NIH HEAL Initiative®.	Jun. 9, 2023; Oct. 11, 2023; Feb. 11, 2024 (New)
ED	Native American-Serving Nontribal Institutions (NASNTI) Program	Provides grants to eligible institutions of higher education (IHEs) to enable them to improve and expand their capacity to serve Native Americans and low-income individuals.	Jun. 12, 2023
NIH	Maximizing Opportunities for Scientific and Academic Independent Careers (MOSAIC) Postdoctoral Career Transition Award to Promote Diversity (K99/R00 and UE5)	Seeks to enhance diversity within the academic biomedical research workforce, and to facilitate the transition of promising postdoctoral researchers from diverse backgrounds into independent, tenure track or equivalent research-intensive faculty positions. The program has two components: an institutionally-focused research education cooperative agreement (UE5) and an individual postdoctoral career transition award (K99/R00) to enhance diversity.	Jun. 12; Oct. 12, Feb. 12 (New)
NIH	NCI Awards to Promote Diversity (K01/K08/K22)	Supports researchers from backgrounds nationally underrepresented in biomedical, behavioral, clinical, and/or social sciences.	Jun. 12; Oct. 12, Feb. 12 (New)
NIH	NIA Advanced Postdoctoral Career Transition Awards to Promote Diversity in Translational Research for AD/ADRD (K99/R00 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)	Seeks to promote diversity in the translational research workforce for Alzheimer's disease and Alzheimer's disease-related dementias (AD/ADRD).	Jun. 12; Oct. 12, Feb. 12 (New)



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NIH	NINDS Alzheimers Disease and Alzheimers Disease-Related Dementias (AD/ADRD) Advanced Postdoctoral Career Transition Award to Promote Diversity (K99/R00 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed)	Seeks to enhance the diversity of independent investigators conducting research on Alzheimers Disease and Alzheimers Disease-Related Dementias (AD/ADRD).	Jun. 12; Oct. 12, Feb. 12 (New)
NIH	NINDS Awards to Promote Diversity in Neuroscience Research (K01)	Provides intensive, supervised career development experiences in neuroscience research, with a focus on individuals from backgrounds underrepresented in biomedical research.	Jun. 12; Oct. 12, Feb. 12 (New)
ED	Developing Hispanic-Serving Institutions (DHSIs) - Title V Part A	Assists HSIs to expand educational opportunities for, and improve the academic attainment of, Hispanic students.	Jun. 13, 2023
NIH	Exploratory Grant Award to Promote Workforce Diversity in Basic Cancer Research (R21 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)	Support for New Investigators and Early Stage Investigators (ESIs) from diverse backgrounds, including those from nationally underrepresented groups, who have entered the research pipeline and are interested in developing innovative studies in cancer biology.	Jun. 14, 2023; Nov. 17, 2023
NIH	NCI Exploratory Grant Award to Promote Workforce Diversity in Basic Cancer Research (R21 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)	Seeks to enhance the diversity of the cancer research workforce by supporting eligible junior/Early Stage Investigators from groups nationally underrepresented in the biomedical, behavioral, clinical and social sciences.	Jun. 14, 2023; Nov. 17, 2023
NIH	BRAIN Initiative Advanced Postdoctoral Career Transition Award to Promote Diversity (K99/R00)	Aims to enhance diversity in the neuroscience workforce and maintain a strong cohort of new and talented, NIH-supported, independent investigators from diverse backgrounds, including those from underrepresented groups in the biomedical and behavioral sciences, in BRAIN Initiative research areas.	Jun. 14, 2023; Oct. 13, 2023; Feb. 13, 2024 (New)
NIH	Small Grants for New Investigators to Promote Diversity in Health-Related Research (R21 Clinical Trial Optional)	Supports new investigators from diverse backgrounds, including from groups nationally underrepresented in biomedical and behavioral research to conduct small research projects in the scientific mission areas of the NIDDK and NHGRI.	Jun. 16; Oct. 16; Feb. 16
NIH	Diversity Centers for Genome Research (UG3/UH3 Clinical Trials Optional)	Aims to establish Genomic Research Centers at Minority Serving Institutions (MSIs) for the creation of multi-investigator, interdisciplinary team to develop administrative, genomic workforce development and community engagement cores and 2-3 interrelated, innovative genomic research projects that address one or more critical issues in genomics.	Jun. 23, 2023
NIH	Genome Research Experiences to Attract Talented Undergraduates into Genomic Fields to Enhance Diversity (R25 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)	Will support collaborative institutional partnerships that provide research education programs for undergraduates enrolled at minority-serving institutions (MSIs) or Institutional Development Award (IDeA)-eligible institutions.	Jul. 1, 2023
NSF	Leading Culture Change Through Professional Societies of Biology	Aims to advance diversity, equity, and inclusion in the biological sciences broadly by leveraging the leadership, broad reach, and unique ability of professional societies to create culture change in the life sciences.	Jul. 3, 2023



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NSF	Historically Black Colleges and Universities - Undergraduate Program (HBCU-UP)	Awards to strengthen STEM undergraduate education and research at HBCUs. Project tracks include: Targeted Infusion Projects (TIP), Broadening Participation Research (BPR) in STEM Education projects, Research Initiation Awards (RIA), Implementation Projects (IMP), and Broadening Participation Research Centers (BPRC).	Jul. 25 & Sep. 12, 2023 (LOI); Oct. 3 & Nov. 9, 2023 (Full);
NSF	Historically Black Colleges and Universities - Excellence in Research (EIR)	Aims to strengthen research capacity at Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs), supporting capacity building by funding research projects aligned with NSF's research programs.	Jul. 27, 2023 (Intent); Oct. 3, 2023 (Full)
NIH	Short-Term Research Education Program to Enhance Diversity in Health-Related Research (R25)	Supports educational activities that enhance the diversity of the biomedical, behavioral and clinical research workforce by providing research experiences and related opportunities that can enrich the pool of individuals from diverse backgrounds.	Aug. 9, 2023
NIH	Providing Research Education Experiences to Enhance Diversity in the Next Generation of Substance Use and Addiction Scientists (R25 Clinical Trials Not Allowed)	Supports educational activities that encourage individuals from diverse backgrounds to pursue further studies or careers in research, with a primary focus on: Research Experiences and Courses for Skills Development.	Aug. 10, 2023, Nov. 15, 2023
NSF	Alliances for Graduate Education and the Professoriate (AGEP)	Seeks to advance knowledge about models to improve pathways to the professoriate and success for historically underrepresented minority doctoral students, postdoctoral fellows and faculty (doctoral program required).	Aug. 15-25, 2023; Mar. 26, 2024
NSF	Improving Undergraduate STEM Education: Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSI Program)	Seeks to enhance the quality of undergraduate STEM education at HSIs and to increase retention and graduation rates of undergraduate students pursuing degrees in STEM at HSIs.	Aug. 30, 2023
CMS	Minority Research Grant Program	Seeks to improve access and services for minority and under-served Medicare and Medicaid beneficiaries, enhancing the capacity of individual investigators to participate in CMS' R&D programs, and enhancing the institutional capacity of minority serving institutions to serve as effective partners in CMS' programs.	*Mid 2023 (Last: Aug. 3, 2022)
NIH	Training Program for Institutions That Promote Diversity (T32 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)	Seeks to enhance the diversity of the biomedical, behavioral and clinical research workforce by encouraging institutions to diversify their student and faculty populations to enhance the participation of individuals from diverse backgrounds, including undergraduate and health professional students from groups that are underrepresented in the biomedical, clinical, behavioral and social sciences.	Sep. 13, 2023; Feb. 28, 2024
NSF	Broadening Participation in Engineering	Funds projects that support the development of a diverse and well-prepared engineering workforce.	Sep. 20, 2023 (LOI); Nov. 15, 2023 (Full)
NIH	NCI Youth Enjoy Science Research Education Program (R25 Clinical Trial Not Allowed)	Seeks to facilitate the education of students from diverse backgrounds underrepresented in biomedical research who will become knowledgeable about cancer, and available to focus on cancer later in their careers; Aims to enhance the pool of individuals from underrepresented backgrounds interested in pursuing a career in biomedical research via early intervention strategies.	Sep. 28, 2023



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NSF	Racial Equity in STEM Education (EHR Racial Equity)	Aims to (1) substantively contribute to institutionalizing effective research-based practices, policies, and outcomes in STEM environments for those who experience inequities caused by systemic racism and the broader community; (2) advance scholarship and promote racial equity in STEM in ways that expand the array of epistemologies, perspectives, ideas, theoretical and methodological approaches that NSF funds; and (3) further diversify project leadership (PIs and co-PIs) and institutions funded by NSF.	Oct. 10, 2023
NIH	Mentored Career Development Award to Promote Faculty Diversity in Biomedical Research (K01 Independent Clinical Trial Required)	Seeks to enhance the pool of highly trained investigators from diverse backgrounds, including those from groups underrepresented in research areas of interest to NHLBI.	Oct. 13, 2023; Feb. 13, 2024
NSF	Tribal Colleges and Universities Program (TCUP)	Provides awards to federally recognized Tribal Colleges and Universities, Alaska Native-serving institutions, and Native Hawaiian-serving institutions to promote high quality science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM), STEM education, research, and outreach.	Oct. 14, 2024
NSF	Inclusion across the Nation of Communities of Learners of Underrepresented Discoverers in Engineering & Science (INCLUDES)	Seeks to improve collaborative efforts aimed at enhancing the preparation, increasing the participation, and ensuring the contributions of individuals from groups that have been historically underrepresented and underserved in the STEM enterprise.	Oct. 30, 2023
NSF	Louis Stokes Alliances for Minority Participation	Supports university alliances and post-baccalaureate fellowship programs focused on increasing the number of STEM bachelor's and graduate degrees awarded to populations historically underrepresented in STEM fields.	Nov. 3 & Nov. 17, 2023 (Varies by Track)
DOD	Department of the Navy (DoN) Historically Black Colleges and Universities/Minority Institutions (HBCU/MI) Program	Aims to increase the quantity and quality of minority professionals in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) in the defense community.	*Dec. 2023 (Last: Dec. 14, 2022)
NIH	Leading Equity and Diversity in the Medical Scientist Training Program (LEAD MSTP)(T32)	Aims to develop a diverse pool of highly trained clinician-scientist leaders available to meet the Nation's biomedical research needs by providing support for dual-degree clinician scientist training at institutions that have historically not been well represented among NIGMS-funded Medical Scientist Training Programs (MSTPs).	Jan. 25, 2024
NIH	New Investigators to Promote Workforce Diversity in Genomics, Bioinformatics, or Bioengineering and Biomedical Imaging Research (R01 Clinical Trial Optional)	Aims to support independent research projects that are within the scientific mission areas of the National Human Genome Research Institute (NHGRI), for Early Stage Investigators and New Investigators from diverse backgrounds, including those from groups underrepresented in the health-related sciences.	Feb. 22, 2024
NSF	Pathways into the Earth, Ocean, Polar and Atmospheric & Geospace Sciences	Invites proposals that address the current needs and opportunities related to education, learning, training and professional development within the geosciences community through the formation of STEM Learning Ecosystems that engage students in the study of the Earth, its oceans, polar regions and atmosphere; Projects are strongly encouraged to involve students who are members of the following communities that have been underrepresented in STEM.	Feb. 23, 2024



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DOE	Minority Serving Institutions Partnership Program (MSIPP) and Tribal Education Partnership Program (TEPP)	Aims to create and foster a sustainable STEM-pipeline that prepares a diverse workforce of world class talent through strategic partnerships between Minority Serving Institutions, TCUs and the DOE/NNSA Enterprise.	*Early 2024 (Last: Feb. 17, 2023)
USDA	Hispanic-Serving Institutions Education Grants Program	Aims to promote and strengthen the ability of Hispanic-Serving Institutions to carry out higher education programs in the food and agricultural sciences.	*Mar. 2024 (Last: Mar. 31, 2023)
DOD	Research and Education Program for HBCUs and MSIs (HBCU/MSI)	Supports research and education programs that will: a. Enhance research and engineering capabilities in areas important to national defense; b. Increase the number of graduates in STEM disciplines; and c. Encourage research and education collaborations with other institutions of higher education and with defense organizations.	Rolling through Apr. 30, 2024
NEH	Awards for Faculty at HSIs / HBCUs / TCUs	Separate programs support individual faculty or staff members at HBCUs, HSIs, and TCUs pursuing research of value to humanities scholars, students, or general audiences.	*Apr. 2024 (Last: Apr. 12, 2023)
NSF	Growing Research Access for Nationally Transformative Equity and Diversity (GRANTED)	Supports ambitious ideas and innovative strategies to address challenges and inequalities within the research enterprise, with a focus on: Enhancing practices and processes within the research enterprise Developing and strengthening human capital within the research enterprise; and Translating effective practices related to the research enterprise into diverse institutional and organizational contexts through partnerships with professional societies and organizations.	Rolling
FDN	Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	Diversity, Equity & Inclusion in STEM Higher Education focuses on: investing in widening pathways to STEM graduate education; empowering universities to transform graduate education; supporting innovative efforts to increase the number of women and Black, Indigenous, and Latina/o individuals in the STEM professoriate; and pursuing systemic change.	Rolling (LOI)
FDN	Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	Higher Learning program makes grants that broaden our understanding of American history and culture; develop the interpretive tools and methods researchers use to create meaning; support faculty and students whose work exemplifies a drive toward greater equity in their fields and institutions; and promote pathways for those seeking to exercise transformative academic leadership.	Rolling (LOI)
DOD	Future Scholars for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Workforce Development Programs	Supports STEM Workforce Development programs or projects that align with the Federal STEM Strategy and the DoD STEM Mission; encourages programs or projects that improve the capacity of education systems and communities to create impactful STEM educational experiences for students and teachers, and prepare the 21st century STEM workforce.	Rolling through Jun. 17, 2025
ED	Hispanic-Serving Institutions STEM and Articulation Program (HSI-STEM)	Seeks (1) to increase the number of Hispanic and other low-income students attaining degrees in the STEM fields; and (2) to develop model transfer and articulation agreements between two-year and four-year institutions in such fields.	*Mid-2026 (Last: June 14, 2021)



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