

HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS
For May 2006-----

PROGRAM: AFAR Award Programs

AGENCY: American Federation for Aging Research

NEXT DEADLINE: May 01, 2006

ITEM: Supports the following programs designed to encourage aging research and to advance the careers of professionals engaged in research on aging: Paul Beeson Career Development Awards (ddl 11/23/05); Julie Martin Mid-Career Award (ddln 12/15/05); Glenn/AFAR Breakthroughs in Gerontology Awards (ddln 5/1/06); Ellison Medical Foundation/AFAR Senior Postdoctoral Fellows Research Program (ddln 12/15/05); and The Cart Fund, Inc. (required LOIs due 12/15/05). See www.afar.org/grants.html for details.

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PROGRAM: Nursing Research Grants: Strengthening Practice Through Research

AGENCY: American Nurses Foundation

NEXT DEADLINE: May 01, 2006

ITEM: Supports research that contributes to nursing science and the enhancement of patient care. Awards are given in all areas of nursing, including patient outcomes, health care policy development, critical care, gerontology, women's health, community and family intervention, and other topics. PI must be a licensed registered nurse who has obtained at least one degree, either a baccalaureate degree or higher, in nursing. Applicants must designate themselves as "beginning" or "experienced" according to definitions. See www.nursingworld.org/anf/nrggrant.htm

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PROGRAM: NIH Pathway to Independence Award

AGENCY: National Institutes of Health

NEXT DEADLINE: April 07, 2006

ITEM: All NIH institutes provide up to five years of support in two phases. Initial mentored phase supports salary and research expenses for up to two years for new investigators (no more than five years of postdoctoral research training); and then applicant may request up to three years of support to transition to independent scientist. Will use a new combination K99/R00 funding mechanism. Direct costs limited to salary

(up to \$50,000) and up to \$20,000 for research support costs. One hundred fifty to 200 awards anticipated in this initial year. Expires 3/2/09.

See www.nimh.nih.gov/grants/pamenu.cfm for PA-06-133 and a list of other contacts.

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EDUCATION, COMMUNITY AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS

For May 2006

PROGRAM: Grants Program (Youth, Prenatal - 21)

AGENCY: American Honda Foundation

NEXT DEADLINE: May 01, 2006

ITEM: Provides \$10,000 to \$100,000 for projects that meet the needs of youth, especially minority students. Projects have included job training and math, science, technology, and environmental education improvement, including curriculum development. Emphasis is on broad, innovative, and forward- thinking projects with national scope. Call for prerecorded details. Guidelines may also be viewed online, but applications cannot be submitted electronically. Deadlines are 2/1, 5/1, 8/1, and 11/1, annually. See <http://corporate.honda.com/america/philanthropy.aspx?id=ahf>

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PROGRAM: E-Team Grants Program

AGENCY: National Collegiate Inventors and Innovators Alliance (NCIIA)

NEXT DEADLINE: May 12, 2006

ITEM: Awards multidisciplinary grants to faculty and students of NCIIA member institutions for collaborative E-Team programs to promote invention, innovation, and entrepreneurship. Schools pay \$300 to \$500 in annual dues. Course and Program Development Grants of \$2,000 to \$50,000 may be used for equipment, supplies, travel, technical services, stipends and direct expenses. Advanced E- Team Grants of \$1,000 to \$20,000 may be used for further development or commercialization. See www.nciia.org/grants.html for details.

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PROGRAM: Unsolicited Educational Research Applications

AGENCY: U.S. Department of Education

NEXT DEADLINE: May 01, 2006

ITEM: Supports unsolicited proposals for research, evaluation, statistics, and dissemination projects to provide reliable information about the condition of education, education practices that improve academic achievement, and the effectiveness of education programs. Any project that addresses these issues and is not covered under any other IES grant competition is eligible. Awards typically range from \$75,000 to \$200,000 per year for 1-3 years. Applicants may e-mail prospectus to IESprospectus@ed.gov at any time. See <http://www.ed.gov/programs/unsolicited/index.html> for details.

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PROGRAM: Early Childhood Educator Professional Development Program

AGENCY: U.S. Department of Education

NEXT DEADLINE: April 07, 2006

ITEM: Supports replicable, high-quality, research-based professional development programs to improve the knowledge and skills of early childhood educators who work in early childhood programs located in high-poverty communities. Goal is to improve verbal skills, phonological awareness, letter knowledge, pre-reading skills, and early language development of disadvantaged children ages 3-5. Partnerships may include IHEs. In FY 06, about \$14 million available for up to six awards. See

www.ed.gov/programs/eceducator/index.html

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PROGRAM: Alcohol and Other Drug Prevention Models on College Campuses

AGENCY: U.S. Department of Education

NEXT DEADLINE: March 22, 2006

ITEM: Supports projects to identify, enhance, evaluate, and disseminate information about models of alcohol and other drug prevention at IHEs. Proposals must focus on a campus program that has been implemented for at least two years, provide evidence regarding effectiveness of that program, provide a plan to enhance and evaluate the program, and provide a plan to disseminate information to assist other IHEs in implementing similar programs. In FY 06, \$750,000 may be available for five awards.

See www.ed.gov/programs/dvpcollege/index.html for details.

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RTS, HUMANITIES AND INTERNATIONAL REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS For MAY 2006

PROGRAM: German Studies Research Grant

AGENCY: DAAD: German Academic Exchange Service

NEXT DEADLINE: May 01, 2006

ITEM: Provides grants to promote the study of cultural, political, historical, economic and social aspects of modern and contemporary German affairs from an inter- and multi-disciplinary perspective. Candidates must be nominated by department and/or program chairs. Masters and Ph.D. candidates are eligible. Grants are restricted to citizens of the United States who are enrolled full-time at the university that nominates them. Awards will range from \$1,500 to \$2,500 . Other grants and scholarships also available. Ddlns vary. See www.daad.org/?p=50129 for details.

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PROGRAM: Fellowships (Humanities Research, M.A.s and Ph.D.s)

AGENCY: National Endowment for the Humanities

NEXT DEADLINE: May 01, 2006

ITEM: Fellowships support individuals pursuing advanced research in the humanities that contributes to scholarly knowledge or to the general public's understanding of the humanities. Fellowships provide support for projects that can be completed during the tenure of the award, as well as for work that is part of a long-term endeavor. Recipients usually produce scholarly articles, monographs on specialized subjects, books on broad topics, archaeological site reports, translations, editions, or other scholarly tools. Provides up to \$40,000 over twelve months. See www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/fellowships.html

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PROGRAM: Fellowship Program

AGENCY: Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study

NEXT DEADLINE: May 01, 2006

ITEM: Supports prominent Ph.D. researchers and senior scholars in the humanities and social sciences. Fellowships are residential and last for a full academic year from September 1 to June 30. Fellows receive financial stipends on an individual basis. Support includes travel reimbursement, free or subsidized housing, and a monthly stipend, calculated at a rate of 50 percent of gross annual salary for a Netherlands university professor of the same rank and seniority as the applicant. See www.nias.knaw.nl/en/fellowships/ for details.

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