KU Office of Research Pre-Award Services provides this select compilation of funding opportunities as a resource for University of Kansas Researchers. We encourage you to utilize the campus subscription to PIVOT to find funding opportunities specifically tailored to your research area based on keywords you provide. PIVOT is easy to use and offers other valuable services that are helpful to researchers. Access is available at this site: https://pivot.cos.com

If you have questions regarding PIVOT, please contact Megan Todd (megantodd@ku.edu, 4-7782).

**Upcoming Funding Events/News**

**KU Innovation & Collaboration Technology Tuesday**  
**September 27, 2016, 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm**  
**Bioscience and Technology Business Center, Chamber Room, #109, 2029 Becker Drive**  
KUIC invites you to attend a networking event for researchers, investors, entrepreneurs, companies and economic development professionals. KU inventors will pitch partnering opportunities on 4 different technologies, including “New uses for LED lights” by Dr. Hongyi Cai and “Method and apparatus for removing blood microvessels” by Dr. Xinmai Yang.

For more information and to register, [http://kuic.ku.edu/upcoming-events/technology-tuesday-september-27](http://kuic.ku.edu/upcoming-events/technology-tuesday-september-27)

In order to ensure adequate staffing for upcoming deadlines, Pre-Award Services is asking for a Notice of Intent (NOI) for the following funding opportunities:

**National Science Foundation**
- [Information and Intelligent Systems (IIS): Core Programs](https://www.nsf.gov)  
- [Computer and Network Systems (CNS): Core Programs](https://www.nsf.gov)  
- [Computing and Communication Foundations (CCF): Core Programs](https://www.nsf.gov)  
- [Secure and Trustworthy Cyberspace (SaTC)](https://www.nsf.gov)

Large and Medium Projects are due October 12 – October 19, 2016

**Please submit your NOI by September 21, 2016**

Small Projects are due November 2 – November 16, 2016.

**Please submit your NOI by October 12, 2016.**

Your email response to kucrpremgmt@lists.ku.edu should contain the following information:
- Your name
- Program Name, project size and deadline
- Administrative unit for the project (Research center if applicable, or Department)
- NSF directorate (CISE, ENG, EHR, MPS, SBE) to which you are submitting
National Institutes of Health
Communicating with Program Officers before submission
A recent issue of NIAID Funding News published by the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases provides useful advice about the importance of pre-submission communication with program staff. While aimed at NIAID applicants, the principles discussed could easily be applied to other programs and sponsors. To view the full article, go to https://www.niaid.nih.gov/researchfunding/newsletter/2016/Pages/0720.aspx#advice01

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| Concise description of your proposed project. Do not send us your entire application. | • Whether your research would be a good fit for NIAID, and if not, which other NIH institute or center might be more appropriate  
• Whether it sounds responsive to the announcement  
• If there’s a better funding opportunity for your idea than the one you had in mind  
• Other concerns worth addressing before you apply |
| Whether your plans touch on special policy areas, such as human subjects, clinical, or animal research. | • Whether your analysis of the NIH definitions or exceptions seems to match  
• Whether your human subjects research might also be classified as a clinical trial  
• If there are special rules restricting your choice of animal species or animal-related plans  
• Other possible limits that could affect your planned avenue of research |

Current Top Searches on PIVOT

Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI)
Improving Healthcare Systems
Deadlines: Letter of Intent, September 14, 2016; Application, December 19, 2016
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/138484
National Council for Science and Technology (CONACYT)
Sectorial Funds for Scientific Technological and Innovational Research
**Deadline: September 26, 2016**

National Park Service (NPS)
African American Civil Rights Grant Program
**Deadline: October 14, 2016**
[http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/169101](http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/169101)

National Science Foundation (NSF)
Environmental Sustainability
**Deadline: October 20, 2016**

Fannie and John Hertz Foundation
Graduate Fellowship Program
**Deadline: October 28, 2016**

American Association of University Women (AAUW)
Dissertation Fellowships
**Deadline: November 15, 2016**

US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)
Youth Homelessness Demonstration Program
**Deadline: November 30, 2016**
Highlighted Funding Opportunities

Mid-America Arts Alliance
Regional Touring Program
**Deadline: Continuous**

National Science Foundation (NSF)
SBE Postdoctoral Research Fellowships
**Deadline: November 14, 2016**

National Science Foundation (NSF)
Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases (EEID)
**Deadline: November 16, 2016**

National Institutes of Health (NIH)
NCI Outstanding Investigator Award (R35)
**Deadline: November 22, 2016**

US Department of Defense (DoD)
National Defense Science and Engineering Graduate Fellowship Program (NDSEG)
**Deadline: December 18, 2016**

National Library of Medicine (NLM)
Grants for Scholarly Works in Biomedicine and Health (G13)
**Deadline: February 24, 2017**

Pre-Award Services: Email: kucrpremgmt@lists.ku.edu or nbiles@ku.edu; Phone: 864-7434
Research Development: Email: researchdevelop@ku.edu; Phone: 864-3289
New Faculty/New Investigator

American Association for Cancer Research (AACR)
NextGen Grants for Transformative Cancer Research
**Deadlines:** Letter of Intent, September 12, 2016; Application, November 23, 2016

National Institutes of Health (NIH)
NIDCR Small Grant Program for New Investigators (R03)
**Deadlines:** October 16, 2016; February 16, 2017
[http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/126334](http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/126334)

American Psychological Association (APA)
Scholarship of Teaching and Learning (SoTL) Research Grant
**Deadline:** October 31, 2016

National Institutes of Health (NIH)
Maximizing Investigators’ Research Award for New and Early State Investigators (R35)
**Deadline:** November 4, 2016

United States – Israel Binational Science Foundation (BSF)
Start-Up Research Grant
**Deadline:** November 15, 2016

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Research Development: Email: researchdevelop@ku.edu; Phone: 864-3289
Limited Submissions

National Science Foundation (NSF)
Louis Stokes Alliances for Minority Participation (LSAMP)

Internal NOI Deadline: September 9, 2016
Sponsor Deadlines: Bridge to the Doctorate, Pre-Alliance Planning Grants, October 14, 2016; LSAMP Alliance Proposals, November 4, 2016
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/33135

Additional Limited Submissions

The internal deadline has passed for the following opportunities.
If interested in submitting, please contact kureslimitedsubs@ku.edu as soon as possible.
http://policy.ku.edu/research/institutional-endorsement

National Institutes of Health (NIH)
Cancer Target Discovery and Development Network (CTD²)

Sponsor Deadline: October 3, 2016
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/168357

National Science Foundation (NSF)
Advancing Digitization of Biodiversity Collections (ADBC)

Sponsor Deadline: October 14, 2016
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/126248
Simons Foundation
Simons Investigators Programs

Mathematics, Physics, Computer Science and Math + X Programs are still open
Astrophysics and Mathematical Modeling of Living Systems (MMLS) are CLOSED

Sponsor Deadline: October 31, 2016
https://www.simonsfoundation.org/mathematics-and-physical-science/simons-investigators/

National Science Foundation (NSF)
Platforms for Advanced Wireless Research (PAWR): Establishing the PAWR Project Office (PPO)

Sponsor Deadline: November 23, 2016
http://pivot.cos.com/funding_opps/168299