Limited Submission Funding Opportunity

Nuclear Regulatory Commission: Scholarship and Fellowship Education Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275021

FOA#: NRC-HQ-84-15-FOA-0001

Please note the very short timeline.

This program provides funding to colleges and universities to support nuclear science, engineering, and related disciplines to develop a workforce capable of supporting the design, construction, operation, and regulation of nuclear facilities and the safe handling of nuclear materials. This announcement is for scholarships and fellowships.

1. **Scholarship Recipients**: The Scholarship Program provides funding to award scholarships to individuals pursuing nuclear science, engineering, and other disciplines. Scholarship recipients must be enrolled in an undergraduate degree program and meet eligibility criteria (see full solicitation).

2. **Fellowship Recipients**: The Fellowship Program provides funding to award fellowships to individuals pursuing nuclear science, engineering and other disciplines. NRC is awarding fellowships in the fields of Nuclear Engineering, Health Physics, Radiochemistry and related disciplines. Recipients need to be enrolled in a graduate degree program and meet eligibility criteria (see full solicitation).

Cost sharing is not required. However, institutions are encouraged to leverage NRC funding (non-Federal funds) to enhance the benefits of the NRC grant.

**AWARD**

Scholarship awards under this FOA are up to $200,000 total costs per institution for a two (2) year project period may be requested. No student may receive more than $10,000 per year or exceed $20,000.00 over a 2-year period.

Fellowship awards under this FOA are up to $100,000 per year for four (4) years, or $400,000.00 total costs for the project period and are not renewable. No student may receive funding in excess of $50,000 per year.

**LIMIT ON NUMBER OF PROPOSALS PER ORGANIZATION**

One application of each type of award per institution is allowed.

**KEY DATES**

Internal Letter of Intent Due: **March 20, 2015 by 9 am**
Sponsor Proposal Due: **April 17, 2015**
SUBMITTING A MANDATORY LETTER OF INTENT

Faculty members interested in this funding opportunity are required to submit a letter of intent (LOI). An LOI is required but not binding.

1. Click here to access the LOI form.
2. Name the LOI as follows: “LastName-FirstInitial-LOI-NRC-Fellowship”, replacing “LastName” with your last name and “First Initial” with your first initial.
3. Click on the Vault ticket: https://vault2.northwestern.edu/xythoswfs/webui/_xy-e6485378_1-t_SgUZIpoW
4. Click the Upload button.
5. Click the Browse button and navigate to your file on your hard drive or network.
6. Click the OK button.

Note: You will get a tiny confirmation message upon upload. If you do not see it, you may contact Karen Cielo k-cielo@northwestern.edu for a confirmation.

COLLABORATION OPPORTUNITIES

The Office of Research Development offers assistance in identifying and facilitating collaborations, putting together interdisciplinary teams, programmatic and administrative development of large, cross-school proposals, and leveraging institutional resources for outreach and education. Contact Fruma Yehiely (yehiely@northwestern.edu), Director of ORD, for more information.

CONTACT AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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