Open RFPs
April 13, 2012

Note: This is not a comprehensive list. The information below represents a sample of requests for proposals or applications (RFP/RFA) from governmental and non-governmental agencies with upcoming deadlines. Review previous postings and search directly through various listed search engines for more complete results.

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National Science Foundation

For complete list of opportunities visit: http://www.nsf.gov/funding/

Computational and Data-Enabled Science and Engineering (CDS&E) in Engineering (CDS&E-ENG)
Synopsis of Program:
Computational and Data-Enabled Science and Engineering (CDS&E) is a NSF-wide cross-disciplinary activity that coordinates relevant disciplinary and interdisciplinary programs at the intersection of mathematics and statistics, computer and computational science, and the core science and engineering disciplines. It is dedicated to the development and use of advanced computational methods, information processing, data mining and analysis, and advanced cyberinfrastructure to enable and execute transformative scientific discovery and engineering innovation, and to the education of experts and non-experts in computation, including workforce development and training.

The CDS&E in engineering (CDS&E-ENG) program recognizes the importance of engineering in CDS&E and vice-versa. Many natural and built engineering processes, devices and/or systems require high fidelity simulations over disparate scales that can be interrogated, analysed, modeled, optimized or controlled, and even integrated with experiments or physical facilities. This program accepts proposals that confront and embrace the host of research challenges presented to the science and engineering communities by the ever-expanding role of computational modeling and simulation on the one hand, and experimental and/or observational data on the other. The goal of the program is to promote the creation, development, and utilization of the next generation of theories, algorithms, methods, tools, and cyberinfrastructure in science and engineering applications.

The CDS&E-ENG program will support fundamental research that will address the aforementioned computational and data-related challenges in science and engineering. Proposals are expected to be relevant to engineering and to have cross-cutting and integrative themes.
Submission Window Date(s): June 03, 2012 - July 03, 2012
http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2012/nsf12549/nsf12549.htm?WT.mc_id=USNSF_25&WT.mc_ev=click

International Research Experiences for Students (IRES)
http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=12831&org=NSF&sel_org=NSF&from=fund
Due: Aug 21, 2012
The International Research Experiences for Students (IRES) program supports development of globally-engaged U.S. science and engineering students capable of performing in an international research environment at the forefront of science and engineering. The IRES program supports active research participation by students enrolled as undergraduates or graduate students in any of the areas of research funded by the National Science Foundation. IRES projects involve students in meaningful ways in ongoing research programs or in research projects specifically designed for the IRES program.

National Institutes of Health

See http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/index.html for complete listing.

National Aeronautics and Space Administration

See open RFP listings at http://science.nasa.gov/researchers/sara/grant-solicitations/

Department of Defense Agencies

DARPA listings – see also http://www.darpa.mil/Opportunities/Solicitations/DSO_Solicitations.aspx
ONR Notices: http://www.onr.navy.mil/Contracts-Grants/Funding-Opportunities.aspx
http://www.onr.navy.mil/Science-Technology/Departments/Code-34/All-Programs.aspx

Research and Development Broad Area Announcement for New and Innovative Ideas – Army
Solicitation: W9113M-09-0001-2012
The U.S. Army Space and Missile Defense Command/Army Forces Strategic Command (USASMDC/ARSTRAT, hereafter referred to as SMDC) Technical Center announces interest in receiving research, development, and technology maturation proposals with technical, management, and cost presentations.

Proposals submitted should include new ideas for advanced and innovative concepts as well as prototype hardware and software for current and emerging air, space and missile defense science and technology. The Technical Center (TC) conducts space, directed energy, missile defense, cruise missile defense and related technology research and development for the Army, the Missile Defense Agency (MDA), the Joint Improvised Explosive Device Defeat Organization (JIEDDO), the Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD) High Energy Laser Joint Technology Office, and other defense-related government agencies. Furthermore, the TC plans and executes missile defense test and evaluation programs and related analysis. The TC is interested in pursuing numerous opportunities for technical cooperation and partnerships with academia, industry, and international organizations.
Combine Synopsis/Solicitation

BROAD AGENCY ANNOUNCEMENT FOR BASIC AND APPLIED RESEARCH AT THE U.S. ARMY NATICK SOLDIER RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT AND ENGINEERING CENTER, NATICK, MA- Army
SOL: W911QY-BAA-11-13

DUE: 022813
The U.S. Army Natick Soldier Research, Development and Engineering Center Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) identifies scientific and technical areas of interest for research and/or exploratory development. This BAA is conducted using full and open competition. In an effort to minimize proposal preparation cost, this BAA utilizes a two-step process. The first step will be the submission of a concept paper. Offerors that submit concept papers that are consistent with the intent of the BAA, and are of interest to the government will be invited to submit a proposal (step two). Such an invitation does not assure that the submitting organization will be awarded a contract. Instructions for the submission of concept papers and proposals are contained in the BAA. The submission of a concept paper is required prior to the submission of a proposal.
Modification

Sensor Innovative Research – Air Force
SOL: BAA-12-02-PKS
DUE: 040517
The Electromagnetics Technology Division (RYH), Sensors Directorate (RY), Air Force Research Laboratory (AFRL), is looking to conduct research in the following areas: Antenna Technology, Opto-Electronic Technology, Electromagnetic Scattering, Infrared Sensor Technology.

Diverse Accessible Heterogeneous Integration (DAHI) Foundry Technology – DARPA
Solicitation: BAA 12-16
Due: Abstract – May 9, 2012; Proposal July 9, 2012
The goal of the Diverse Accessible Heterogeneous Integration (DAHI) Foundry Technology BAA is to develop advanced heterogeneous integration processes, allowing diverse material systems and device technologies to be tightly integrated on a common silicon substrate. The DAHI program thrust aims to establish a manufacturable foundry technology to provide accessibility to a broad community of designers for innovative circuit or microsystem designs. The DAHI process modules developed under this BAA will primarily focus on the integration of compound and alloy semiconductor-based electronic devices, high performance passive components, and/or MEMS structures/sensors, with silicon CMOS/SiGe BiCMOS transistors or circuits.
http://www.darpa.mil/Opportunities/Solicitations/MTO_Solicitations.aspx

Department of Energy

https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/

2012 Mathematical Multifaceted Integrated Capability Centers (MMICCs) – DOE
Solicitation: DE-FOA-0000698
Due: June 1, 2012
This FOA will holistically address mathematics for increasingly complex DOE-relevant systems for scientific discovery, design, optimization and risk assessment. This FOA is seeking applications for Mathematical Multifaceted Integrated Capability Centers addressing the long-term mathematical challenges for one or more DOE grand challenges of increasing complexity. These science and engineering challenges must be abstracted into an interrelated set of mathematical research challenges that require new integrated, iterative processes across multiple mathematical disciplines. Applications focused on solution of a specific application problem will be considered outside the scope of this FOA.

These MMICCs will enable applied mathematics researchers to work together in large, collaborative teams to more effectively address DOE grand challenge problems from a mathematical perspective much earlier in the problem solving process. The MMICCs allow researchers to take a broader view of the problem as a whole, and devise solution strategies that attack the problem in its entirety by building fundamental, multidisciplinary mathematical capabilities and tools. The MMICCs will have the flexibility and technical expertise to simultaneously consider all aspects of the problem-solving process ranging from the mathematical formulation to the development, analysis,

and integration of appropriate models and methods to the demonstration of results and capabilities. The goal is to determine the most effective combination of the various mathematical components, as such, an iterative process will be necessary.

These centers will help serve as entry points for applied mathematicians and other researchers to more readily understand the mathematical challenges of DOE-relevant problems.
http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?mode=VIEW&oppId=161553

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FOA Number	FOA Title
DE-FOA-0000674	Energy Storage SBIR/STTR Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA)
DE-FOA-0000675	Advanced Management and Protection of Energy-storage Devices (AMPED)
DE-FOA-0000000	Announcement of Teaming Partner List for Advanced Management and Protection of Energy-storage Devices (AMPED)
DE-FOA-0000672	Methane Opportunities For Vehicular Energy (MOVE)
DE-FOA-0000671	Request for Information (RFI) on Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) DE-FOA-0000671 for Chemo/electro-autotrophic Synthesis of Liquid Fuels at Scale
DE-FOA-0000670	Open Funding Opportunity Announcement (OPEN FOA)

Department of Agriculture

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Request for Applications (RFA)
AFRI will solicit its core program through seven separate RFAs. Applicants are encouraged to review each RFA to explore all the opportunities available to them. Additional AFRI information is available on the AFRI More Information Page.

FY 2012:
FY 2012 Foundation Program
Release TBA
FY 2012 Childhood Obesity Prevention
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FY 2012 Agricultural and Natural Resources Science for Climate Variability and Change
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FY 2012 Food Security
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National Endowment for the Humanities

For a complete list of opportunities go to www.neh.gov and click on apply for grants.

National Endowment for the Arts

www.nea.gov

Department of Education

http://www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/apply/grantapps/index.html

Department of State

http://exchanges.state.gov/grants/open2.html

CT Clean Energy Finance and Investment Authority

On-site Anaerobic Digestion Pilot Program
The Clean Energy Finance and Investment Authority (CEFIA) released a Request for Proposals (RFP) for its new On-site Anaerobic Digestion Pilot Program (Program). Pursuant to Section 103 of Public Act 11-80, CEFIA is charged with administering a three-year $6M Pilot Program. The total funding allocated for all selected Projects under this competitive solicitation is $2M. The purpose of the On-site Anaerobic Digestion (OAD) RFP is to solicit applications from eligible entities working with experienced renewable energy developers (Applicants). There will be a strong emphasis on evaluating the financial feasibility of each proposed installation (Project) as well as the Applicant's ability to complete construction of the Project in a timely manner.

CEFIA's OAD Pilot Program RFP is the only vehicle through which CEFIA will identify and qualify OAD Projects for financial support. This solicitation is designed to offer a number of financial support options in a reverse auction format. Financial support may include a loan, grant, or alternative financing mechanisms – with higher weighting given to Projects that request financing as opposed to grants. Additional Project considerations include feasibility and viability of the proposed project, probability of project development in a timely manner, and other unique ratepayer benefits.

CEFIA will offer financial support for OAD energy generating projects in the developmental stages that have not yet commenced the construction phase. The level of support for individual awards is not a fixed amount based on size or cost; it will vary based on the specific technology, efficiency, and economics of the installation. The intent of the financial support is to enable Project owners to achieve a reasonable "payback" during the life of the Project, with a fair and reasonable return on investment compared with purchasing the equivalent amount of power from the utility.

Prospective Applicants should review the On-site Anaerobic Digestion RFP which contains detailed information regarding the application and evaluation processes, solicitation eligibility, eligible energy projects, and potential areas of financial innovation.

The RFP and application materials are posted at www.ctcleanenergy.com/OAD. Applications under this round of the RFP must be submitted no later than 5:00 p.m. EST, on July 13, 2012. Programmatic questions regarding eligibility will be accepted via email from the release date through July 13, 2012. Questions regarding application processes or timetables may be directed to Dale Hedman, CEFIA Director of Clean Energy Deployment at info@ctcleanenergy.com.

Foundations and Private Organizations for Institutional Awards

Philanthropy News Digest (http://foundationcenter.org/pnd/rfp/) can offer suggestions from private foundations.

Carnegie Corporation of New York and the International Development Research Centre Announce Joint Research Initiative on Peacebuilding in Sub-Saharan Africa

Carnegie Corporation of New York and the International Development Research Centre have announced the Eliciting and Applying Local Research Knowledge for Peacebuilding and Statebuilding initiative, a jointly funded research program designed to increase the level of recognition and utilization of local peace-building and state-building expertise and capacity in post-conflict contexts where challenges are most acute, with a specific emphasis on sub-Saharan Africa.

The joint venture will focus on answering questions that generate new or heretofore undervalued insights about how sustainable and inclusive peace- and state-building processes can best be attained. It also will seek to bring these insights to the attention of relevant scholarly, policy, and practitioner communities.
Both organizations are committed to promoting local scholarly expertise to inform policies and debates on peacebuilding and statebuilding. The goal for both organizations is to provide a more comprehensive account of peacebuilding and statebuilding successes from African perspectives.

Successful applicants will be awarded two-year research grants. It is up to the proposing institution to determine the amount of funds they require to complete the research and to present research objectives and methodologies that are feasible within this timeframe.
For complete program information, research questions, and application procedures, visit the CCNY Web site.
Link to Complete RFP

Fellowships & Other Individual Awards

Moore Foundation's Marine Microbiology Initiative Announces Investigator Awards Competition

The Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation has announced a new research competition designed to provide vital support to some of the world's most innovative scientists in marine microbial ecology and related fields.
The foundation's Marine Microbiology Initiative has supported research in marine microbial ecology since 2004, stimulating ideas and discoveries that are enabling a comprehensive understanding of marine microbial communities, including their genetic diversity, composition, and function; their ecological role in the oceans; and their contribution to ocean health and productivity.

The new MMI Investigator awards program will run from 2013-18 and is designed to support the research of an influential group of individual researchers who will be selected based on the significance of their past research, the

quality of their current research, the potential for continued groundbreaking science in the future, and the probability that their future work will contribute to the success of the Marine Microbiology Initiative.
The program will select ten to fifteen current and emerging leaders from around the world, at varying stages of their careers, who represent a variety of scientific backgrounds — from microbial ecology to biogeochemistry, evolutionary biology, bioinformatics, and beyond.

To be eligible for the competition, applicants must hold a tenured or tenure-track position (or equivalent) for a minimum of four years on the date of application, with the first appointment as an independent researcher no later than June 1, 2008; and have served as principal investigator on one or more active, major, peer-reviewed research grants. The foundation anticipates that the awards will range from approximately $200,000 to $500,000 per year in direct costs, for an aggregate amount of approximately $25 million over five years.
For complete program guidelines, an FAQ, and the online competition portal, visit the Moore Foundation Web site.
Deadline: June 4
Link to Complete RFP

Announcements, Conferences, Calls for Papers

DOJ & Related Solicitations

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Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
Evaluation of the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention FY 2010 Second Chance Act Juvenile Offender Reentry Demonstration Projects Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=162573

1. Deadline – May 31, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 1
3. Eligible applicants – Unrestricted
4. Description – NIJ seeks applications for a comprehensive evaluation of up to five juvenile offender demonstration projects funded under the Second Chance Act of 2007. This solicitation seeks to award a grant to measure the processes, outcomes, costs, and impacts of the juvenile offender reentry programs that received funding in FY 2010 from the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP), and to assess the effectiveness of the Second Chance Act in reducing recidivism among juvenile offenders.

Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
Evaluation of the Implementation of the Sex Offender Treatment Intervention and Progress Scale (SOTIPS) Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=162273

1. Deadline – May 31, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 1
3. Eligible applicants – Unrestricted
4. Description – As part of a collaborative effort with the Office of Sex Offender Sentencing, Monitoring, Apprehending, Registering, and Tracking (SMART), NIJ seeks competitive proposals for a single award that will support an evaluation of the implementation of the Sex Offender Treatment Intervention and Progress Scale (SOTIPS). Developed by the state of Vermont, SOTIPS combines static and dynamic risk measures into an overall assessment tool to predict sexual recidivism. It was hypothesized that SOTIPS, used in conjunction with the Static-99R, would better predict sexual recidivism than either type of

measure (static or dynamic) alone. Results from a recent NIJ-funded evaluation found the combined static (Static-99R) and dynamic risk measure (SOTIPS) consistently predicted recidivism and outperformed either instrument when used alone. Based on these positive findings, SMART will fund the implementation of SOTIPS in up to three sites. The proposed evaluation should include an implementation and process evaluation, as well as an assessment of relevant outcome measures, including but not limited to treatment efficacy and recidivism.

Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance
BJA FY 12 Answering Gideon's Call: Improving Indigent Defense Delivery Systems Modification 1
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=161633

1. Deadline – May 24, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – n/a
3. Eligible applicants – State governments, county governments, city or township governments, others
4. Description – In the criminal justice system, indigent defense providers are often underfunded and understaffed, severely affecting the delivery of effective, efficient, and quality legal representation for indigent criminal defendants. The purpose of this initiative is to contribute to indigent defense knowledge and practice by testing approaches to providing quality indigent defense services using the Ten Principles of a Public Defense Delivery System promulgated by the American Bar Association (ABA) in 2002 ("ABA Ten Principles"). BJA is seeking applicants who are interested in developing innovative, data-driven approaches to indigent defense delivery systems. This program is funded under the Edward Byrne Memorial Competitive Grant Program (Byrne Competitive Program), which in part, authorizes use of funding to assist communities improve the capacity of state and local criminal justice systems.

Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
Research and Evaluation on Metropolitan Crime Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=161753

1. Deadline – May 31, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 1
3. Eligible applicants – Unrestricted
4. Description – NIJ seeks proposals to conduct criminal justice research that leverages municipal operation datasets both within and across jurisdictions. NIJ is interested in the feasibility of combining multiple datasets from various agencies to conduct research on criminal justice issues in urban and suburban environments. This research is critical in enhancing public safety by giving law enforcement the tools to understand the changing nature of crime in metropolitan areas. Authorizing Legislation: Title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (sections 201 and 202); Department of Justice Appropriations Act, 2012 (Public Law 112-55).

Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
Using DNA Technology to Identify the Missing Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=160494

1. Deadline – May 29, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 4
3. Eligible applicants – Unrestricted
4. Description – The goal of the "Using DNA Technology to Identify the Missing" solicitation is threefold: (1) to assist eligible entities in performing DNA analysis on unidentified human remains and/or reference samples to support the efforts of States and units of local government to identify missing persons, (2) to enter the resulting DNA profiles into the FBI's National DNA Index System using the Combined DNA Index System (CODIS) version 7.0, and (3) to enter any relevant case information related to unidentified remains into the National Missing and Unidentified Persons System (NamUs), as deemed appropriate by the

submitting agency (if a case is not entered a justification will be required). Authorizing Legislation: Department of Justice Appropriations Act, 2012 (Public Law 112-55).

Office of Justice Programs
National Institute of Justice
Evaluation of the Office for Victims of Crime Wraparound Victim Legal Assistance Network Demonstration Project Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=160593

1. Deadline – May 29, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 1
3. Eligible applicants – Unrestricted
4. Description – NIJ seeks proposals to evaluate the first phase of the Office for Victims of Crime (OVC) Wraparound Victim Legal Assistance Network Demonstration Project (see www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc/grants/pdftxt/FY2012_WraparoundVictimLegalAssistance.pdf). The OVC Wraparound Victim Legal Assistance Network Project will fund up to six demonstration sites to develop holistic models for wraparound pro bono legal assistance networks that offer the wide range of legal assistance that victims need in the wake of their victimization. Authorizing Legislation: Title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (sections 201 and 202) 42 U.S.C. §10603(c)(1)(A).

Office of Justice Programs
Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention
OJJDP FY 2012 Court-Appointed Special Advocates Training and Technical Assistance Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=160074

1. Deadline – May 16, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 1
3. Eligible applicants – Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, for profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses
4. Description – The Victims of Child Abuse Act of 1990, as amended (Public Law 101-647), contemplates that all abused and neglected children involved in dependency proceedings receive timely, sensitive, and effective advocacy. The Act directs that a court-appointed special advocate shall be available to every victim of child abuse or neglect in the United States that needs such an advocate. The Court-Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) Program ensures that abused and neglected children receive high quality representation in dependency court hearings. The successful applicant will provide information, technical assistance, and training to volunteer advocates who represent abused and neglected children in dependency hearings and to other child welfare system stakeholders at the local, state, regional, and national levels. This program is authorized by the Victims of Child Abuse Act, 42 U.S.C. § 13013.

Office of Justice Programs
Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention
OJJDP FY 2012 Juvenile Drug Courts/Reclaiming Futures
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=160113

1. Deadline – May 16, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 3
3. Eligible applicants – State governments, country governments, city or township governments, others (see test field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
4. Description – OJJDP and the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation are collaborating to enhance the capacity of states, state and local courts, units of local government, and Indian tribal governments to develop and establish juvenile drug courts conjointly with the Reclaiming Futures program model to serve substance abusing juvenile offenders. This solicitation invites communities to propose the implementation of a juvenile drug court program, using best practices in substance abuse treatment, along with the Reclaiming Futures program model. This program is authorized by 42 U.S.C. Section 3797u.

Office of Justice Programs

Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention
OJJDP FY 2012 Multi-State Mentoring Initiative Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=160193

1. Deadline – May 16, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 7
3. Eligible applicants – Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, for profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses, others (see test field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
4. Description – This solicitation invites eligible applicants to propose the enhancement or expansion of initiatives that will help communities develop or improve mentoring programs for at-risk or high-risk populations that are underserved due to location, shortage of mentors, special physical or mental challenges of the targeted population, or other analogous situations that the community identifies. This program is authorized by the Department of Justice Appropriations Act, 2012; Pub. L. 112-55, 125 Stat. 552, 617.

Office of Justice Programs
Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention
OJJDP FY 2012 EUDL Discretionary Program: Initiative to Reduce Underage Drinking in the Military Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=160213

1. Deadline – May 16, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 3
3. Eligible applicants – Applicants are limited to the state agency that the state's governor has designated to administer the Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws Block Grants Program. A general list of the eligible state agencies is available at www.udetc.org. OJJDP may elect to make awards in future fiscal years for applications submitted under this solicitation, dependent on the merit of the applications and the availability of appropriations.
4. Description – This program seeks to reduce the availability of alcoholic beverages to and the consumption of alcoholic beverages by persons serving in the U.S. Air Force and/or the U.S. Marine Corps who are younger than 21 years old. The initiative will provide funds to local civilian communities to implement research-based and promising practices to enforce underage drinking laws and prevent underage service personnel from consuming alcohol in collaboration with active duty bases. This program is authorized by the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 5665-5667, and by the Department of Justice Appropriations Act, 2012, Public Law 112-55

Office of Justice Programs
Office for Victims of Crime
OVC FY 12 Victims of Human Trafficking Fellowship Program Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=159313

1. Deadline – May 10, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 1
3. Eligible applicants – Individuals, others (see test field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
4. Description – One fellowship of up to $135,000 will be awarded to an individual to work onsite in Washington, D.C., to develop or enhance training, technical assistance, public awareness, and capacity-building resources for trafficking victim service professionals, law enforcement, and allied professionals to support the expansion and effectiveness of services for victims of sex trafficking and labor trafficking within the United States (male and female; adult and minor; U.S. citizens, lawful permanent residents, and foreign nationals). The fellowship recipient must have prior experience working on initiatives related to human trafficking; and must agree to abstain from any outside employment, either compensated or uncompensated, for the duration of the fellowship, unless approved in writing by the Director of OVC. Those applying are strongly advised to begin the application process well in advance of the May 10, 2012, deadline.

Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance
BJA FY 12 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program: Local Solicitation Modification 1
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=159593

1. Deadline – May 14, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – n/a
3. Eligible applicants – Applicants are limited to units of local government appearing on the FY 2012 JAG Allocations List.
4. Description – The Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program (42 U.S.C. 3751(a)) is the primary provider of federal criminal justice funding to state and local jurisdictions. JAG funds support all components of the criminal justice system, from multijurisdictional drug and gang task forces to crime prevention and domestic violence programs, courts, corrections, treatment, and justice information sharing initiatives. JAG-funded projects may address crime through the provision of services directly to individuals and/or communities and by improving the effectiveness and efficiency of criminal justice systems, processes, and procedures.

Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance
BJA FY 12 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program: State Solicitation Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=159613

1. Deadline – May 14, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – n/a
3. Eligible applicants – state governments, others (see test field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
4. Description – The Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program (42 U.S.C. 3751(a)) is the primary provider of federal criminal justice funding to state and local jurisdictions. The JAG Program provides states and units of local governments with critical funding necessary to support a range of program areas including law enforcement, prosecution and court programs, prevention and education programs, corrections and community corrections, drug treatment and enforcement, crime victim and witness initiatives, and planning, evaluation, and technology improvement programs. T

Office of Justice Programs
Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention
OJJDP FY 2012 VOCA Training and Technical Assistance for Child Abuse Professionals Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=159813

1. Deadline – May 15, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – n/a
3. Eligible applicants – Public and State controlled institutions of higher education; Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; Private institutions of higher education; For profit organizations other than small businesses
4. Description – This program will provide funding for the development and implementation of model technical assistance and training for child abuse professionals and to improve the judicial system's handling of child abuse and neglect cases. The purpose of this program is to improve the coordinated multidisciplinary investigation and response to child abuse. This program is authorized under the Victims of Child Abuse (VOCA) Act 42 U.S.C. Section 13001 et. seq.

Office of Justice Programs
Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention
OJJDP FY 2012 VOCA Training and Technical Assistance for Child Abuse Prosecutors Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=159833

1. Deadline – May 15, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 1

3. Eligible applicants – Eligibility is limited to national organizations with broad membership among attorneys who prosecute criminal cases in state courts and has demonstrated experience in providing training and technical assistance for prosecutors.
4. Description – This program will fund a national training and technical assistance program to enhance the effectiveness of attorneys and others who investigate and prosecute child abuse cases. This program is authorized under the Victims of Child Abuse (VOCA) Act 42 U.S.C. Section 13003.

Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance
BJA FY 12 Ensuring Procedural Justice Throughout the Adjudication Process: Pretrial Reform, High Performance Prosecution, and Smarter Sentencing Practices Modification 1
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=162693

1. Deadline – May 24, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – n/a
3. Eligible applicants – Eligible applicants are limited to for-profit (commercial) organizations, nonprofit organizations, and institutions of higher learning that support national initiatives to improve the functioning of the criminal justice system.
4. Description – Through this FY 2012 grant announcement BJA will support national initiatives to improve the functioning of the criminal justice system, in particular to provide training and technical assistance (TTA) to jurisdictions engaged in pretrial reform efforts, High Performance Prosecution (HPP) Framework Implementation initiatives, and the use of research-based practices to inform sentencing decisions. This program is funded under the Edward Byrne Memorial Competitive Grant Program (Byrne Competitive Program) and the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program. Authorized by Pub. L. No.112-55, 125 Stat. 552, 615, the Byrne Competitive Program helps communities improve the functioning and capacity of state and local criminal justice systems and provides for national support efforts including training and technical assistance programs strategically targeted to address local needs. Funds may not be used for the acquisition of land, construction projects, or security enhancements or equipment to non-governmental entities not engaged in law enforcement, law enforcement support, criminal or juvenile justice, or delinquency prevention. The JAG Program (42 U.S.C. 3751(a), et seq.) is the primary provider of federal criminal justice funding to state and local jurisdictions, and JAG funds support all components of the criminal justice system. The JAG Program also authorizes a 3 percent set-aside for training and technical assistance.

Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance
BJA FY 12 Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation Program Modification 1
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=162754

1. Deadline – May 24, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – n/a
3. Eligible applicants – State governments; County governments; City or township governments; Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized); Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
4. Description – Healthy, vibrant communities1 are places that provide the opportunities, resources, and an environment that children, youth, and adults need to maximize their life outcomes, including high-quality schools and cradle-to-career educational programs; high-quality and affordable housing; thriving commercial establishments; access to quality health care and health services; art and cultural amenities; parks and other recreational spaces; and the safety to take advantage of these opportunities. Unfortunately, millions of Americans live in distressed neighborhoods2 where a combination of crime, poverty, unemployment, poor health, struggling schools, inadequate housing, and disinvestment keep many residents from reaching their full potential. The complexity of these issues has led to the emergence of comprehensive place-based and community-oriented initiatives that involve service providers from

multiple sectors and disciplines, as well as community representatives from all types of organizations, to work together to reduce and prevent crime and to revitalize communities.

Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance
BJA FY 12 Joint Adult Drug Court Solicitation to Enhance Services, Coordination, and Treatment Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=162793

1. Deadline – May 24, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – n/a
3. Eligible applicants – Applicants are limited to states or state courts applying on behalf of a single jurisdiction; local courts; counties; other units of local government; or federally recognized Indian tribal governments (as determined by the Secretary of the Interior).
4. Description – BJA and SAMHSA are accepting applications for FY 2012 grants to enhance the court services, coordination, and evidence-based substance abuse treatment and recovery support services of adult drug courts. The purpose of this joint initiative is to allow applicants to submit a comprehensive strategy for enhancing drug court services and capacity, permitting applicants to compete for both criminal justice and substance abuse treatment funds with one application. In order to fulfill all of the requirements for this grant program, applicants should comply with the requirements outlined in this grant announcement as well as those incorporated by reference in the Requirements Resource Guide. These grants are authorized under 42 USC 3797u et seq. and section 509 of the Public Health Service Act, as amended. This announcement addresses Healthy People 2020 Substance Abuse Topic Area HP 2020-SA. Drug courts funded through this grant solicitation may use federal funding and matched funding to serve only nonviolent offenders1 and must operate the adult drug court based on BJA's and the National Association of Drug Court Professionals' publication Defining Drug Courts: The Key Components, which addresses the statutory requirements. This opportunity provides drug court applicants the flexibility to identify the most appropriate evidence-based court (service/docket) model in which to base the drug court, in order to accommodate the needs and available resources of that jurisdiction, so long as the model conforms to the 10 key drug court components, which describe the basic elements that define drug courts. (See page 5 for a definition of "evidence-based.")

National Institute of Justice
Evaluation of the FY 2011 Bureau of Justice Assistance Second Chance Act Adult Offender Reentry Demonstration Projects Grant
http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=163793

1. Deadline – June 11, 2012
2. Expected number of awards – 2
3. Eligible applicants – Unrestricted
4. Description – NIJ seeks proposals to examine the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) Second Chance Act (SCA) adult offender reentry demonstration projects funded in Fiscal Year (FY) 2011. The specific focus areas under this solicitation include: (1) an evaluability assessment of eight adult offender reentry demonstration projects (anticipates one award of up to $400,000) and; (2) a comprehensive evaluation of eight adult offender reentry demonstration projects (anticipates one award of up to $3 million). Application titles should clearly indicate the focus area. Applicants may submit to either or both focus areas.