



**Weekly Research Report: Grants Office, County of San Bernardino
July 22, 2011**

ARTS AND CULTURE

Documenting Endangered Languages

Documenting Endangered Languages (DEL) is a joint funding program of the National Science Foundation and the National Endowment for the Humanities to develop and advance scientific and scholarly knowledge concerning endangered human languages. Made urgent by the imminent death of roughly half of the approximately 7000 currently used human languages, DEL seeks not only to acquire scientific data that will soon be unobtainable, but to integrate, systematize, and make the resulting linguistic findings widely available by exploiting advances in information technology. Principal Investigators (PIs) may propose projects involving one or more of the following three emphasis areas: 1) Language description; 2) Infrastructure; and 3) Computational methods.

Deadline: September 20, 2011

Grant Link: <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11554/nsf11554.pdf>

Grammy Foundation Grant: Archiving and Preservation Projects

Planning Grants are available to help individuals and small to mid-sized organizations enhance their ability to preserve their collections that embody the recorded sound heritage of the Americas. The foundation will award archiving and preservation project grants to organizations and individuals working to advance the archiving and preservation of the music and recorded sound heritage of the Americas. The goal of a planning grant is to fund the assessment and preparation of recorded sound collections to be archived and preserved. The archiving and preservation area has two funding categories — preservation implementation (grants of up to \$20,000) and planning, assessment, and/or consultation (grants of up to \$5,000).

Deadline: October 3, 2011 (LOI)

Grant Link: <http://www.grammy.org/grammy-foundation/grants>

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

The WHO Foundation: Women Helping Others

The WHO Foundation: Women Helping Others® nationally supports grass-roots charities serving the overlooked needs of women and children. Grants are provided to organizations serving women and/or children in the United States and Puerto Rico. Specific projects and programs addressing health and social service needs are our priority. The Foundation recognizes the value of new programs created to respond to changing needs and will consider funding projects of an original or pioneering nature within an existing organization.

Deadline: September 6, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$40,000

Grant Link: http://www.whofoundation.org/Funding/Who_funding.asp

COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Office of Direct Service and Contracting Tribes

The Indian Health Service announces the Office of Direct Service and Contracting Tribes limited competition Cooperative Agreement. The purpose of these awards is to further IHS and CMS missions and goals related to providing quality health care to the AI/AN community through outreach and education efforts with the sole outcome of improving Indian health care. The following health services components will be awarded: HIS cooperative agreement components: 1) Tribal Shares, for outreach, education and support to Tribes; 2) Health Care Policy Analysis and Review, to provide HIS with research and analysis of the impact of CMS programs on AI/AN beneficiaries and the health care delivery system that serves these beneficiaries; 3) Tribal Leaders Diabetes Committee logistical and administrative support. CMS cooperative agreement component: 1) CMS – research into various program components.

Deadline: August 2, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$650,000

Grant Link: <http://www.ihs.gov/NonMedicalPrograms/gogp/documents/HHS-2011-IHS-NIHOE-0001.pdf>

Job Opportunity for Low Income Individuals Projects

The Office of Community Services' (OCS) will award up to \$1.16 million through the Job Opportunity for Low-Income Individuals (JOLI) program to support business development and expansion opportunities, including micro-enterprise and self-employment opportunities, in an effort to help Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) recipients and other low-income individuals achieve economic self-sufficiency. JOLI grantees create jobs through provision of

technical and financial assistance to private employers in the community in order to create sustainable employment and business opportunities. Financial assistance to low-income individuals may be provided through the use of revolving loan funds or the provision of direct cash assistance to a micro-enterprise or self-employed business owner. Funded projects should focus on one of the following three program strategies: (1) new business ventures, (2) business expansion, and (3) self-employment/micro-enterprise projects. Grantees must ensure that TANF or RCA recipients and other low-income individuals are recruited to participate in business development and expansion activities and to fill positions created under the program. The program must help TANF recipients and other low-income individuals overcome personal or community barriers, and ensure that the businesses and jobs remain viable for at least one year after the end of the grant.

Deadline: August 3, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$290,000

Grant Link: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2011-ACF-OCS-EO-0163>

Self-Help Homeownership Opportunity Program

SHOP funds are awarded to national and regional non-profit organizations and consortia to facilitate and encourage innovative homeownership opportunities on a national, geographically diverse basis through the provision of self-help homeownership housing programs. Grant funds may be used for land acquisition, the installation and improvement of infrastructure, and for reasonable and necessary planning, administration and management costs. The average SHOP expenditure for the combined costs of land and infrastructure must not exceed \$15,000 per dwelling unit. SHOP homeowners must contribute a significant amount of sweat equity towards the construction or rehabilitation of their units. Donated volunteer labor is also required. Assisted units must be decent, safe, and sanitary non-luxury dwellings that comply with local building and safety codes and standards. These units must be sold to eligible low-income homebuyers at prices below the prevailing market price. The homebuyer's sweat equity contribution must not be mortgaged or otherwise restricted upon future sale of the SHOP unit. SHOP grantees may award SHOP funds to affiliates to carry out the grantee's SHOP program.

Deadline: September 6, 2011

Grant Link: http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/administration/grants/nofa11/shop

Union Bank Foundation Grants

The Union Bank Foundation, a nonprofit public benefit corporation, serves as an agent for charitable contributions made by Union Bank. Established in 1953, the Foundation has, throughout its history, supported the bank's commitment to help meet the needs of the communities it serves. We strive to build a charitable contributions program that positions the Union Bank Foundation as an innovator of partnerships and a grant-maker intent on helping to create and sustain healthy communities. We proactively invest in the communities in which the Bank and its businesses operate, targeting resources to benefit low- to moderate-income populations. We believe that the Union Bank Foundation can achieve the greatest impact on the health of communities by targeting the following strategic funding categories: 1) Affordable housing; 2) Community economic development; 3) Education; 4) Environment.

Deadline: Open

Grant Link: <https://www.unionbank.com/global/about/corporate-social-responsibility/foundation/foundation-grants.jsp>

EDUCATION

Family Literacy – Community College Partnership Initiative

The National Center for Family Literacy (NCFL) is pleased to announce this request for applications for 10 grants of up to \$25,000. Made possible with funding from MetLife Foundation, the grants will expand the reach of the Family Literacy – Community College Partnership Initiative to communities and programs across the country. These grants will broaden the availability and targeted use of a recently developed comprehensive set of tools by community programs, schools and community colleges. The financial support is intended to heighten awareness and address the challenges facing nontraditional Latino college students and their families who are working to attain the dream of a college education.

Deadline: August 22, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$25,000

Grant Link: <http://www.familit.org/award-grant-opportunities/ncfl-awards/ncflgrants/>

Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Talent Expansion Program (STEP)

The Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Talent Expansion Program (STEP) seeks to increase the number of students (U.S. citizens or permanent residents) receiving associate or baccalaureate degrees in established or emerging fields within science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM). Type 1 proposals

are solicited that provide for full implementation efforts at academic institutions. Type 2 proposals are solicited that support educational research projects on associate or baccalaureate degree attainment in STEM.

Deadline: September 27, 2011

Grant Link: <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11550/nsf11550.pdf>

The P. Buckley Moss Foundation for Children's Education Grant

The P. Buckley Moss Foundation for Children's Education has grants available up to \$1,000 to be awarded in 2011 to educators who need assistance to further their program goals. Applications may be made for a grant up to \$1,000 to support a new or evolving program that integrates the arts into educational programming. The purpose is to aid and support teachers who wish to establish an effective learning tool using the arts in teaching children who learn differently.

Deadline: September 30, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$1,000

Grant Link: <http://www.mossfoundation.org/national-educators-awards-and-grants>

Advanced Technological Education (ATE) Program

With an emphasis on two-year colleges, the Advanced Technological Education (ATE) program focuses on the education of technicians for the high-technology fields that drive our nation's economy. The program involves partnerships between academic institutions and employers to promote improvement in the education of science and engineering technicians at the undergraduate and secondary school levels. The ATE program supports curriculum development; professional development of college faculty and secondary school teachers; career pathways to two-year colleges from secondary schools and from two-year colleges to four-year institutions; and other activities. Another goal is articulation between two-year and four-year programs for K-12 prospective teachers that focus on technological education. The program also invites proposals focusing on research to advance the knowledge base related to technician education.

Deadline: October 20, 2011

Grant Link: <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11692/nsf11692.pdf>

Partnership for Research and Education in Materials

The objective of the Partnership for Research and Education in Materials (PREM) is to enhance diversity in materials research and education by stimulating the development of formal, long-term, collaborative research and education relationships between minority-serving colleges and universities and DMR-supported centers, institutes and facilities. PREM awards are expected to achieve significant increases in the number and quality of interactions between faculty and students at minority serving colleges/universities and participants from the DMR-supported centers, institutes and facilities, and should result in increasing graduate materials-related degrees for underrepresented minorities and in networking and dissemination of new knowledge.

Deadline: October 25, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$700,000

Grant Link: <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11562/nsf11562.pdf>

ENVIRONMENT

California Wildlands Grassroots Fund

The California Wildlands Grassroots Fund, a fund of the Tides Foundation, was established to support the heroic efforts of activists working to preserve California's wildlands. The CWGF supports conservationists advocating for the permanent protection of intact wildlands on both public and private lands in order to help preserve California's wilderness and native biological diversity. CWGF defines "wildlands" as natural habitats, privately or publicly owned, that are (or have the potential to be) permanently preserved through legislation or deed restrictions. The CWGF provides a broad range of support to promote the ability of activists and organizations to protect wildernesses across the state. Specifically, the fund focuses on small nonprofit organizations and individual activists working with an eligible sponsoring organization that show a demonstrated ability and commitment to conserve California's natural landscapes, ecosystems, plants, and wildlife; and geographic areas and advocacy efforts that have not received significant foundation support.

Deadline: September 23, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$5,000

Grant Link: <http://www.calwildlandsfund.org/index.cfm>

FAITH – BASED

The Louisville Institute: Sabbatical Grant for Pastoral Leaders

The Louisville Institute is accepting applications for its Sabbatical Grants for Pastoral Leaders Program, an annual funding program designed to provide U.S. and Canadian Christian pastoral leaders with sustained periods of time for

rest, renewal, and reflective engagement with their life and work and issues related to contemporary religious leadership.

Deadline: September 1, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$15,000

Grant Link: <http://www.louisville-institute.org/Grants/programs/sqpldetail.aspx>

HEALTH – RELATED

Biomedical/Behavioral Research Administration Development (BRAD) Award

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) issued by The Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD), the Fogarty International Center (FIC), and the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID), encourages applications from eligible domestic and foreign institutions that propose to build capacity in their research administration infrastructures. The Biomedical Biobehavioral Research Administration Capacity Development (BRAD) Program (G11) promotes the establishment of rigorous and externally supported biomedical and biobehavioral research and/or research-related training programs by providing support for strengthening institutional research administration infrastructures.

Deadline: July 31, 2011

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-11-270.html>

MTV Staying Alive Foundation Grant

A Staying Alive Foundation Grant comes with a financial grant, Staying Alive materials (including MTV Staying Alive programming and teaching kits), a small fund to buy technical media equipment, a local mentor, a personal grant manager as well as training and development. The SAF supports youth-led organizations (led by young people between the ages of 15 and 27) that work in the field of HIV prevention. If you apply as an informal group (not registered as an NGO), you should have the support of an associate organization as they will not deposit funds into an individual's account. If you apply as an organization, the project that you seek to get funds for should be managed by a young person who is not older than 27 years old and the organization has to be youth-led in general.

Deadline: August 15, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$12,000

Grant Link: http://foundation.staying-alive.org/en/grants/apply/application_form

Quality by Design for Orally Inhaled Drugs: Chemistry, Manufacturing, and Controls

The project highlights the following important areas in chemistry, manufacturing and controls of dry powder inhaler (DPI) drug products: -Controlling the manufacturing of API crystals in order to obtain micronized API materials with low variability and consistency; -Defining the critical quality attributes of the API crystals that must be measured and controlled to ensure quality in the final drug product; -Emphasizing the relationship between the properties of the API crystals and the quality of micronized API materials to be included in the final drug product; -Exploring the effects of post-micronization relaxation of micronized API on product performance, with an aim to understand the requirements for laagering and quarantining of micronized API materials.

Deadline: August 15, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$160,000

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-FD-11-029.html>

AVON Breast Health Outreach Program

The Avon Breast Health Outreach Program (BHOP) provides grants to non-profit organizations to conduct outreach, provide education on breast health and breast cancer screening, link medically underserved women to health care providers and clinical screening services, and work to ensure that they obtain any necessary follow-up care. Small community-based organizations are encouraged to apply.

Deadline: August 26, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$60,000

Grant Link: <http://avonbhop.org/fundinginfo.htm>

Mechanistic Studies of Pain and Alcohol Dependence Exploratory/Development Grant (R21)

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), issued by the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) encourages Exploratory/Developmental Grant (R21) applications that propose to conduct mechanistic studies on the relationship between alcohol drinking, alcohol dependence and pain. The objective of this FOA is to understand genetic, pharmacological and learning mechanisms underlying the association between the propensity to drink alcohol and pain responses. Using the NIH Exploratory/Developmental Grant (R21) funding mechanism, this FOA focuses on discrete, specified, circumscribed projects based upon strong preliminary data.

Deadline: September 7, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$200,000

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-268.html>

Mechanistic Studies of Pain and Alcohol Dependence Research Project Grant (R01)

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), issued by the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) encourages Research Project Grant (R01) applications that propose to conduct mechanistic studies on the relationship between alcohol drinking, alcohol dependence and pain. The objective of this FOA is to understand genetic, pharmacological and learning mechanisms underlying the association between the propensity to drink alcohol and pain responses. Using the NIH Research Project Grant (R01) funding mechanism, this FOA focuses on discrete, specified, circumscribed projects based upon strong preliminary data.

Deadline: September 7, 2011

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-267.html>

Gene-Environment Interplay in Substance Use Disorders Exploratory/Developmental Grant (R21)

The National Institute on Drug Abuse and the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism seek to stimulate and expand research on the interplay of genetic and environmental factors in the genesis, course, and outcomes of substance and alcohol use disorders (SUDs). Previous work in genetic epidemiology and molecular genetics has established that SUDs are highly heritable, developmental disorders with important genetic substrates. Building on these findings, new studies using genetically informative approaches are needed to elucidate the complex interplay of genetic and environmental factors in developmental trajectories of SUDs and comorbid conditions, deepen and refine phenotypic definitions of SUDs, and meet the methodologic challenges of the field. Such studies hold great potential to promote understanding of the true contributions of both genetic and environmental factors to initiation, progression, comorbidity, adverse outcomes, and desistance of SUDs; to elucidate mechanisms of risk; and to enhance opportunities for translation to treatment, prevention, gene-finding and molecular studies.

Deadline: September 7, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$200,000

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-236.html>

Pregnancy in Women with Disabilities Exploratory/Developmental Grant (R21)

This FOA issued by the Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, the National Institute of Nursing Research, and the Office of Research on Women's Health encourages exploratory/developmental research grant (R21) applications to investigate the incidence, course, and outcomes of pregnancy among women with disabilities. Areas of interest also include studies to inform preconceptional and antenatal counseling and strategies for addressing barriers to prenatal care, and management of pregnancy, the puerperium, and the transition to parenthood in order to optimize outcomes for women with physical, intellectual and developmental, and/or sensory disabilities and their families. Applicants are encouraged to include women with disabilities and members of the community in the design and conduct of their research.

Deadline: September 7, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$275,000

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-11-259.html>

Pregnancy in Women with Disabilities Research Project Grant (R01)

This FOA issued by the Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) and the National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR) encourages research project grants (R01) investigating the incidence, course, and outcomes of pregnancy among women with disabilities. Areas of interest also include studies to inform preconceptional and antenatal counseling and strategies for addressing barriers to prenatal care, and management of pregnancy, the puerperium, and the transition to parenthood in order to optimize outcomes for women with physical, intellectual and developmental, and/or sensory disabilities and their families. Applicants are encouraged to include women with disabilities and members of the community in the design and conduct of their research.

Deadline: September 7, 2011

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-11-258.html>

Ethical, Legal, and Social Implications (ELSI) of Genomic Research Exploratory/Developmental Research Grant Award

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) encourages Exploratory/Developmental Research Program Grant (R21) applications from institutions/organizations that propose to study the ethical, legal and social implications (ELSI) of human genome research. These applications should propose exploratory or novel studies that break new ground or extend previous discoveries toward new directions or applications. Of particular interest are studies that explore the implications of new or emerging genomic technologies or novel uses of genomic information.

Deadline: September 7, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$200,000

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-251.html>

Sleep and Social Environment: Basic Biopsychosocial Processes

This funding opportunity announcement (FOA) issued by the Basic Behavioral and Social Sciences Research Opportunity Network (OppNet), National Institutes of Health (NIH), solicits Research Project Grant (R21) applications from institutions/organizations that propose to investigate the reciprocal interactions of the processes of sleep and circadian regulation and function with behavioral and social environment processes. Sleep is a complex biological phenomenon that is essential to normal behavioral and social functioning, as well as optimal health. In spite of its vital nature, the mechanisms by which social environment factors affect sleep behavior patterns have not been studied systematically, especially within the context of individual vulnerabilities and resilience. There is a need for greater understanding of the dynamic relationships between behavioral and social environment factors on the one hand and the basic mechanisms of sleep-wake and circadian regulation and function on the other. This FOA is not intended to support research on or development of treatments or interventions for disorders of sleep or circadian rhythms.

Deadline: September 30, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$200,000

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HD-12-204.html>

DentaQuest Foundation: Venture Fund for Oral Health

The DentaQuest Foundation strives to leverage its philanthropic resources to produce measurable improvements in the systems that impact oral health. With a goal of promoting optimal oral health for all, the Foundation envisions oral health systems that are effective and efficient in preventing oral diseases and in providing equitable access to high-quality care to diverse populations. One of the key barriers to achieving systems-level improvements that promote optimal oral health is the lack of funding to support bringing effective solutions to scale. To address this, the DentaQuest Foundation has created the Venture Fund for Oral Health, a new funding opportunity for oral health programs that have demonstrated positive outcomes and that have potential for expansion. In addition to grant support, Venture Fund grantees will receive technical assistance to build organizational and technical capacity to ensure success in expanding their efforts.

Deadline: November 1, 2011

Grant Link: <http://www.dentaquestfoundation.org/ourwork/venturefund.php>

Leveraging Existing Data or Longitudinal Studies to Evaluate Safety and Effectiveness of Pharmacological Management of Chronic Pain in Older Adults

This FOA solicits Small Research Grant (R03) projects that aim to leverage existing data or longitudinal studies in order to evaluate the safety and/or effectiveness of pharmacological management for chronic pain in older adults. Applicants are invited to submit innovative proposals using administrative databases, health care records, clinical trial datasets, patient registries, cohort studies, or other resources to further our understanding of treatment outcomes from pharmacologic or combination pharmacologic/non-pharmacologic interventions, particularly involving non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs) or opioids, in older individuals with chronic pain. Proposed studies may include, but are not limited to 1) identification of patient-, medication-, provider-, or system-level predictors of treatment outcomes in older individuals; 2) comparative safety and/or effectiveness studies of different treatment approaches for chronic pain in older adults; 3) development of methodologies linking datasets to address pain-related questions; or 4) evaluation of the utility of pain-related measures or indices in guiding treatment initiation, titration, or discontinuation in specific populations of older adults (e.g., individuals with dementia).

Deadline: November 3, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$50,000

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-AG-12-006.html>

Research Project Grant (Parent R01)

The Research Project Grant (R01) is an award to support a discrete, specified, circumscribed project to be performed by named Project Directors/Principal Investigators (PDs/PIs) in areas representing the investigators' specific interests and competencies, based on the mission of the NIH. The R01 research plan proposed by the applicant institution/organization must be related to the stated program interests of one or more of the NIH Institutes and Centers (ICs) based on descriptions of their programs. The R01 is the original and historically the oldest grant mechanism used by the NIH to support health-related research and development.

Deadline: September 7, 2014

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-260.html>

Exploratory/Developmental Research Grant Program (Parent R21)

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) Exploratory/Developmental Grant (R21) funding opportunity supports the development of new research activities in categorical program areas. The R21 mechanism is intended to encourage exploratory and developmental research projects by providing support for the early and conceptual stages of these projects. These studies may involve considerable risk but may lead to a breakthrough in a particular area, or to the

development of novel techniques, agents, methodologies, models, or applications that could have a major impact on a field of biomedical, behavioral, or clinical research.

Deadline: September 7, 2014

Maximum Grant: \$200,000

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-261.html>

Small Research Grant Program (Parent R03)

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) Investigator-Initiated Small Research Grant (R03) funding opportunity supports small research projects that can be carried out in a short period of time with limited resources. The R03 grant mechanism supports different types of projects including pilot and feasibility studies; secondary analysis of existing data; small, self-contained research projects; development of research methodology; and development of new research technology.

Deadline: September 7, 2014

Maximum Grant: \$50,000

Grant Link: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-262.html>

MULTI-DISCIPLINARY

Clarence E. Heller Charitable Foundation

The Clarence E. Heller Foundation was to support nonprofit initiatives consistent with the broad philanthropic purposes he pursued during his lifetime. Grants categories include: Environment and Health, Music, Education, Special Projects. The mission of the foundation is to protect and improve the quality of life through support of programs in the environment, human health, education and the arts. The foundation gives priority to proposals from California organizations.

Deadline: August 1, 2011 (LOI)

Maximum Grant: \$600,000

Grant Link: <http://cehcf.org/index.html>

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Small Business Technology Transfer Program Phase I

The National Science Foundation (NSF), an independent agency of the Federal Government, invites eligible small business concerns to submit Phase I proposals for its FY 2012 Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) program. NSF will support high quality projects on important scientific, engineering, or science and engineering education problems and opportunities that could lead to significant commercial and public benefit if the research is successful. The primary objective of the STTR Program is to increase the incentive and opportunity for small firms to undertake cutting-edge, high-risk, high-quality scientific, engineering, or science and engineering education research that would have a high-potential economic payoff if the research is successful. The STTR program expands the public and private partnership to include collaborative opportunities for small businesses and non-profit research institutions. A team approach is required in an STTR project where at least one research investigator is employed by the small business concern and at least one investigator is employed by a collaborating research institution.

Deadline: November 17, 2011

Maximum Grant: \$150,000

Grant Link: <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2011/nsf11561/nsf11561.pdf>

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