

Upcoming Opportunities - April 2022

Please contact Gayle Foley (fz8071@wayne.edu or 7-8847) or Vanessa Miller (Vanessa.Miller@wayne.edu or 7-1162) to discuss applications.

Corporate and Foundation Relations staff will help prepare all applications. Those opportunities noted in red must be coordinated with Corporate or Foundation Relations.

Funder	Topic	Program Name	Deadline	Award Minimum	Award Maximum	Notes	Purpose	Submission Method	Website
United Way for Southeastern Michigan	Various	Detroit Financial Well-Being Innovation Challenge	4/4/2022	\$20,000	\$1,000,000	First round only; Must submit an Express of Interest form prior to application submission; Video pitches are due 4/4/22, and full print applications for the first stage are due 5/9/22	The Detroit Financial Well-Being Innovation Challenge aims to improve the financial lives of Detroit residents. The United Way of Southeastern Michigan is looking to advance big ideas that will drive big changes that help Detroiters thrive financially. Over the next five years, this initiative will provide seed funding and technical assistance to push this mission forward. The challenge will support applicant organizations and collaborative teams through the process of developing ideas from concept all the way to fully-operational programs or initiatives. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://unitedwaysem.org/wp-content/uploads/2022-FWB-Innovation-Challenge-2-Page-Overview.pdf">https://unitedwaysem.org/wp-content/uploads/2022-FWB-Innovation-Challenge-2-Page-Overview.pdf</a>
CTIA Wireless Foundation	Various	Catalyst Award	4/7/2022	\$10,000	\$100,000	Frist Round only; invitations to the 2nd round on April 29	Catalyst is a competitive grants program for ambitious social entrepreneurs using the power of 5G and leading edge wireless technologies to enhance our lives and address pressing challenges in American communities. Applicants must be using 5G and leading edge wireless technologies, including Virtual Reality (VR)/Augmented Reality (AR)/Extended Reality (ER), Artificial Intelligence (AI)/Machine Learning (ML), IoT and sensor technologies and big data analysis. Wireless should be integral to the solution.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.wirelessfoundation.org/catalyst#apply-now">https://www.wirelessfoundation.org/catalyst#apply-now</a>
WorkRise	Various	Projects to Advance Economic Mobility	4/8/2022		\$500,000	Up to 2-year grant period; LOI only with full application invited in June; awards announced in fall 2022	WorkRise funds scholars and practitioners on the frontiers of understanding and improving economic mobility in the US labor force, particularly mobility for workers in low-wage jobs, people of color, women, early-career workers, workers with disabilities, unemployed and underemployed people, and other historically disadvantaged segments of the labor force. For this RFP, WorkRise seeks proposals for rigorously designed pilot studies. Projects that engage a diverse set of researchers, including scholars from less-resourced and traditionally underrepresented organizations and institutions, are strongly encouraged.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.workrisenet.org/sites/default/files/2022-02/workrise-2022-rfp-pilot-projects.pdf">https://www.workrisenet.org/sites/default/files/2022-02/workrise-2022-rfp-pilot-projects.pdf</a>
Simons Foundation	Science	SCPAB Transition to Independence Award	4/11/2022		\$495,000	3-year grant period; must be in a tenure track position	The Simons Collaboration on Plasticity and the Aging Brain (SCPAB) Transition to Independence Award aims to facilitate the transition of the next generation of outstanding scientists from historically underrepresented groups to research independence in the field of cognitive aging. Through this effort, we seek to support the transition of scientists doing work consistent with SCPAB's scientific mission. SCPAB is launching this program with the recognition that diversity improves scientific innovation and collaboration. The program application is open to individuals who are from gender, racial, ethnic, and other groups underrepresented in cognitive aging, including individuals with disabilities and individuals from disadvantaged backgrounds. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.simonsfoundation.org/grant/scpab-transition-to-independence-award/">https://www.simonsfoundation.org/grant/scpab-transition-to-independence-award/</a>
Spencer Foundation	Education	Small Research Grants	4/12/2022		\$50,000	1 to 5-year grant period	This program is "field-initiated" in that proposal submissions are not in response to a specific request for a particular research topic, discipline, design, method, or location. Our goal for this program is to support rigorous, intellectually ambitious and technically sound research that is relevant to the most pressing questions and compelling opportunities in education. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.spencer.org/grant_types/small-research-grant">https://www.spencer.org/grant_types/small-research-grant</a>

Upcoming Opportunities - April 2022

Please contact Gayle Foley (fz8071@wayne.edu or 7-8847) or Vanessa Miller (Vanessa.Miller@wayne.edu or 7-1162) to discuss applications. Corporate and Foundation Relations staff will help prepare all applications. Those opportunities noted in red must be coordinated with Corporate or Foundation Relations.

Funder	Topic	Program Name	Deadline	Award Minimum	Award Maximum	Notes	Purpose	Submission Method	Website
American Federation for Aging Research	Health	Clin-STAR Transdisciplinary Aging Research Pilot/Planning Grants	4/12/2022		\$50,000	Letter of Intent only with full proposals upon invitation only;	The Clinician-Scientists Transdisciplinary Aging Research (Clin-STAR) Coordinating Center is seeking to fund pilot or planning grants that aim to stimulate new collaborations focused on the development of clinical aging research projects. A major goal of this effort is to bridge junior and senior researchers from different disciplines and institutions in order to stimulate new areas of age-related clinically relevant research that is focused on generating or analyzing data from human subjects. This might include epidemiological, clinical, health services, or biological measurement research. Funding may be used by investigators who are collecting preliminary data in emerging areas and/or understudied areas of clinical aging research, for collaborative projects to support transdisciplinary collaborations, or for smaller planning grants. The funding also provides opportunities to build mentee/mentor relationships at different institutions and content expertise in different disciplines for the junior investigator.	Online Application	<a href="https://clin-star.org/pilot-grants">https://clin-star.org/pilot-grants</a>
Searle Freedom Trust	Various	Research on Public Policy	4/15/2022	\$100,000	\$300,000		Recognizing that good policymaking relies on the availability of high-quality research, the foundation invests primarily in scholarship that results in the publication of books, journal articles, and policy papers. Funding is typically provided in the form of research grants, fellowships, and other types of targeted project support. With the foundation's assistance scholars investigate a wide range of issues, including tax and budget policy, cost-benefit analysis of regulatory practices and proposals, the workings of the legal system, environmental policy, social welfare reform, and K-12 and higher education policy.	Online Application	<a href="https://searlefreedomtrust.org/application-guidelines/">https://searlefreedomtrust.org/application-guidelines/</a>
Alternatives Research & Development Foundation	Science	Alternatives Research Grant Program (Non-Animal Methods in Biomedical Research)	4/15/2022		\$40,000		ARDF's Annual Open grant program was established to fund research projects that develop alternative methods to advance science and replace or reduce animal use.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.ardf-online.org/ardf-grants.html">https://www.ardf-online.org/ardf-grants.html</a>
Samuel Waxman Cancer Research Foundation	Health	Partnership for Cancer and Aging Research	4/18/2022		\$200,000	LOI only with full application invite only; 1 to 2-year grant period	The Samuel Waxman Cancer Research Foundation (SWCRF), in collaboration with the Intramural Programs of the National Cancer Institute (NCI) and National Institute of Aging (NIA), is pleased to issue a Request for Applications (RFA) for collaborative projects to focus on Aging and Cancer. Projects must include collaborations between an extramural investigator and an intramural investigator from the NIA or NCI. Proposals must justify the partnership through synergistic scientific aims.	Online Application	<a href="https://researchfunding.duke.edu/nciniasamuel-waxman-cancer-research-foundation-swcrf-partnership-cancer-and-aging-research">https://researchfunding.duke.edu/nciniasamuel-waxman-cancer-research-foundation-swcrf-partnership-cancer-and-aging-research</a>
Meta (Facebook)	Computer Science	Privacy Enhancing Technologies RFP	4/20/2022		\$100,000		The Meta's primary goal is to help design and deploy new privacy enhancing solutions that minimize the data we collect, process, and externally share, while supporting business and delighting consumers across the Meta family of products. To foster further innovation in this area, and to deepen their collaboration with academia, Meta is pleased to invite faculty to respond to this call for research proposals pertaining to: privacy preserving analytics; private record linkage and aggregation; privacy preserving machine learning; privacy of messaging; anonymous credentials; privacy preserving techniques in Data for Good; or privacy in Metaverse. <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://research.facebook.com/research-awards/2022-privacy-enhancing-technologies-request-for-proposals/#timeline-and-dates">https://research.facebook.com/research-awards/2022-privacy-enhancing-technologies-request-for-proposals/#timeline-and-dates</a>

Upcoming Opportunities - April 2022

Please contact Gayle Foley (fz8071@wayne.edu or 7-8847) or Vanessa Miller (Vanessa.Miller@wayne.edu or 7-1162) to discuss applications.

Corporate and Foundation Relations staff will help prepare all applications. Those opportunities noted in red must be coordinated with Corporate or Foundation Relations.

Funder	Topic	Program Name	Deadline	Award Minimum	Award Maximum	Notes	Purpose	Submission Method	Website
Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation	Science	EPIQS Flexible Funding	4/22/2022	\$300,000	\$1,500,000		Through EPIQS, the foundation strives to accelerate progress in the field of quantum materials — solids and engineered structures characterized by novel quantum phases of matter and exotic cooperative behaviors of electrons. Flexible funding grants are a key funding approach within EPIQS, which enables the foundation to respond in a timely manner to emerging opportunities in this field of research.	Online Application	<a href="https://epiqs-investigators-2019.smapply.io/prog/epiqs_flexible_funding_call_for_ideas_2022/">https://epiqs-investigators-2019.smapply.io/prog/epiqs_flexible_funding_call_for_ideas_2022/</a>
Simons Foundation	Mental Health	Human Cognitive and Behavioral Science Program	4/25/2022	\$500,000	\$900,000	Up to 3-year grant period	Supports research that produces foundational knowledge about the neurobehavioral differences associated with ASD to directly inform the development or refinement of tools needed for translational efforts, such as biomarkers and outcome measures. Particular emphasis will be placed on objective, quantitative measures that may be used in conjunction with standardized clinical measures and genomic information to better triangulate phenotypic and neurobiological variability within and across individuals with ASD.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.sfari.org/grant/human-cognitive-and-behavioral-science-request-for-applications/">https://www.sfari.org/grant/human-cognitive-and-behavioral-science-request-for-applications/</a>
Pfizer	Health	COVID-19 Patient Awareness	4/27/2022		\$75,000		Supports patient education programs designed to increase the understanding and familiarity with risk factors associated with severe COVID-19, COVID-19 vaccination, the importance of timely testing among the general population, and information on available treatment options. Of particular interest are educational programs that focus on reaching the medically underserved and other under-immunized populations including those in both rural and urban settings. <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://cdn.pfizer.com/pfizercom/2022-03/GMG-2022-HOS-G_COVID-19PatientAwareness.pdf?yRTH8ee8IBED9H0m4wj31KApsLkZPba0">https://cdn.pfizer.com/pfizercom/2022-03/GMG-2022-HOS-G_COVID-19PatientAwareness.pdf?yRTH8ee8IBED9H0m4wj31KApsLkZPba0</a>
Pfizer	Health	Applying Patient-Reported Outcomes in Oncology Patient Care Using Quality Improvement and Implementation Science Strategies	4/28/2022		\$150,000	2-year grant period	Supports the application of quality improvement and/or implementation science strategies targeting the use of patient-reported outcomes (PROs) in oncology clinical practice, goals aligned with the objectives of the PROTEUS Consortium and the Pfizer Global Medical Grants program. This grant opportunity focuses specifically on the use of individual cancer patient PROMs to inform their monitoring and management. Use of aggregated PROM data for quality evaluations or pay-for-performance are outside the scope of this opportunity. <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://cdn.pfizer.com/pfizercom/2022-03/GMG_2022-Onc-US_PROMsPractice.pdf">https://cdn.pfizer.com/pfizercom/2022-03/GMG_2022-Onc-US_PROMsPractice.pdf</a>
Elsa U. Pardee Foundation	Health	Cancer Research Grants	4/30/2022		\$200,000		The Elsa U. Pardee Foundation funds research to investigators in United States non-profit institutions proposing research directed toward identifying new treatments or cures for cancer. The Foundation particularly encourages grant applications for a one year period which will allow establishment of capabilities of new cancer researchers, or new cancer approaches by established cancer researchers. It is anticipated that this early stage funding by the Foundation may lead to subsequent and expanded support using government agency funding. Project relevance to cancer detection, treatment, or cure should be clearly identified.	Online Application	<a href="https://pardeefoundation.org/how-to-apply/">https://pardeefoundation.org/how-to-apply/</a>

Upcoming Opportunities - April 2022

Please contact Gayle Foley (fz8071@wayne.edu or 7-8847) or Vanessa Miller (Vanessa.Miller@wayne.edu or 7-1162) to discuss applications. Corporate and Foundation Relations staff will help prepare all applications. Those opportunities noted in red must be coordinated with Corporate or Foundation Relations.

Funder	Topic	Program Name	Deadline	Award Minimum	Award Maximum	Notes	Purpose	Submission Method	Website
Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	Various	Creating Equitable Pathways to STEM Graduate Education	5/1/2022	\$75,000	\$500,000	LOI only with full proposal upon invitation only; 1 to 3-year grant period	The Higher Education Program at the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation is seeking to invest in Minority Serving Institutions (MSIs)[1] and in the establishment of partnerships between MSIs and graduate programs at other colleges and universities. The Foundation's Creating Equitable Pathways to STEM Graduate Education grants will support institutional pathways from MSIs to master's and doctoral degree programs in astronomy, biology, chemistry, computer science, data science, Earth sciences, economics, engineering, marine science, mathematics, physics, and statistics.[2] Our intent is to facilitate the creation and strengthening of diverse, inclusive, and equitable pathways to and through STEM graduate education with the recognition that student pathways are too often disrupted by systemic racism, discrimination, and bias through prevailing institutional and departmental policy and practice. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://sloan.org/program/s/higher-education/diversity-equity-inclusion/equitable-pathways-loi">https://sloan.org/program/s/higher-education/diversity-equity-inclusion/equitable-pathways-loi</a>
Gilead Sciences	Health	Gilead Research Scholars - Liver Disease Program	5/1/2022	\$65,000	\$1,000,000	2-year grant period	The program is designed to support innovative basic, translational and clinical scientific research related to Liver Disease. This may include, but is not limited to, research focused on Chronic viral hepatitis (B, C, D); Hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC), End-stage liver disease and its complications; Non-viral chronic liver diseases; Basic, clinical, and translational research related to liver disease; and Health economics outcomes research relating to liver disease.	Online Application	<a href="https://researchscholars.gilead.com/en/liver_disease_portal/application-information/research-proposal-guidelines">https://researchscholars.gilead.com/en/liver_disease_portal/application-information/research-proposal-guidelines</a>
United Engineering Foundation	Science	Yearly Grants	5/2/2022		\$100,000	Concept paper only with full proposal due 8/1/2022	The United Engineering Foundation advances the engineering arts and sciences for the welfare of humanity. It supports engineering and education by, among other means, making grants. Grants should be consistent with advancing engineering.	Email Application	<a href="https://www.uefoundation.org/uef-grants-program/">https://www.uefoundation.org/uef-grants-program/</a>
Spencer Foundation	Education	Large Research Grants	5/4/2022	\$125,000	\$500,000	LOI only with full proposal due 6/15/2022; 1 to 5-year grant period	The Large Research Grants on Education Program supports education research projects that will contribute to the improvement of education, broadly conceived. This program is "field-initiated," meaning that proposal submissions are not in response to a specific request for a particular research topic, discipline, design, or method. Our goal for this program is to support rigorous, intellectually ambitious and technically sound research that is relevant to the most pressing questions and compelling opportunities in education. Spencer seeks to support scholarship that develops new foundational knowledge that may have a lasting impact on educational discourse. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.spencer.org/grant_types/large-research-grant.pdf">https://www.spencer.org/grant_types/large-research-grant.pdf</a>
Russell Sage Foundation	Social Sciences	Social, Political and Economic Inequality	5/4/2022	\$35,000	\$175,000	LOI only; full proposal upon invitation only; up to 2-year grant period	The Russell Sage Foundation's (RSF) program on Social, Political, and Economic Inequality supports innovative research on the factors that contribute to social, political, and economic inequalities in the U.S., and the extent to which those inequalities affect social, political, psychological, and economic outcomes such as educational and labor market access and opportunities, social and economic mobility within and across generations, and civic participation and representation. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.russellsage.org/research/funding/social-inequality">https://www.russellsage.org/research/funding/social-inequality</a>

Upcoming Opportunities - April 2022

Please contact Gayle Foley (fz8071@wayne.edu or 7-8847) or Vanessa Miller (Vanessa.Miller@wayne.edu or 7-1162) to discuss applications. Corporate and Foundation Relations staff will help prepare all applications. Those opportunities noted in red must be coordinated with Corporate or Foundation Relations.

Funder	Topic	Program Name	Deadline	Award Minimum	Award Maximum	Notes	Purpose	Submission Method	Website
Russell Sage Foundation	Social Sciences	Future of Work	5/4/2022	\$35,000	\$175,000	LOI only; full proposal upon invitation only; up to 2-year grant period	The Russell Sage Foundation's program on the Future of Work supports innovative research on the causes and consequences of changes in the quality of jobs for low- and moderately paid workers and their families in the U.S. We seek investigator-initiated research proposals that will broaden our understanding of the role of changes in employer practices, the nature of the labor market and public policies on employment, earnings, and job quality. We are especially interested in proposals that address questions about the interplay of market and non-market forces in shaping the wellbeing of workers. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.russellsage.org/research/funding/future-work">https://www.russellsage.org/research/funding/future-work</a>
Russell Sage Foundation	Social Sciences	Immigration and Immigrant Integration	5/4/2022	\$35,000	\$175,000	LOI only; full proposal upon invitation only; up to 2-year grant period	The Russell Sage Foundation/Carnegie Corporation Initiative on Immigration and Immigrant Integration seeks to support innovative research on the effects of race, citizenship, legal status and politics, political culture and public policy on outcomes for immigrants and for the native-born of different racial and ethnic groups and generations. This initiative falls under RSF's Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration Program and represents a special area of interest within the core program, which continues to encourage proposals on a broader set of issues. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.russellsage.org/funding/immigration-and-immigrant-integration">https://www.russellsage.org/funding/immigration-and-immigrant-integration</a>
Russell Sage Foundation	Social Sciences	Behavioral Science and Decision Making in Context	5/4/2022	\$35,000	\$175,000	LOI only; full proposal upon invitation only; up to 2-year grant period	The Russell Sage Foundation's (RSF) core program on Behavioral Science and Decision Making in Context merges its long-standing program on Behavioral Economics and its special initiative on Decision Making and Human Behavior in Context. This program encourages perspectives from multiple disciplines, including economics, psychology, political science, sociology, law, public policy, and other social sciences, to further our understanding of economic, social, political, and psychological decision-making processes, attitudes, behaviors, and institutional practices in public and private contexts such as policing/criminal legal systems, employment, housing, politics, racial/ethnic relations, and immigration. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.russellsage.org/research/funding/behavioral-science-decision-making">https://www.russellsage.org/research/funding/behavioral-science-decision-making</a>
Russell Sage Foundation	Social Sciences	Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration	5/4/2022	\$35,000	\$175,000	LOI only; full proposal upon invitation only; up to 2-year grant period	The Russell Sage Foundation's program on Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration supports innovative investigator-initiated research that examines the roles of race, ethnicity, nativity, legal status—and their interactions with each other and other social categories—in the social, economic, and political outcomes for immigrants, U.S.-born racial and ethnic minorities, and native-born whites. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.russellsage.org/research/funding/race-ethnicity-immigration">https://www.russellsage.org/research/funding/race-ethnicity-immigration</a>
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	Health	Interdisciplinary Research Leaders	5/4/2022		\$350,000	3-year fellowship	Interdisciplinary Research Leaders is a leadership development opportunity for teams of researchers and community partners, including community organizers and advocates. These teams use the power of applied research—informing and supporting critical work being done in communities—to accelerate that work and advance health and equity. Their innovation helps build a Culture of Health, one that enables everyone in America to live longer, healthier lives. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://interdisciplinaryresearch-leaders.org/">https://interdisciplinaryresearch-leaders.org/</a>

Upcoming Opportunities - April 2022

Please contact Gayle Foley (fz8071@wayne.edu or 7-8847) or Vanessa Miller (Vanessa.Miller@wayne.edu or 7-1162) to discuss applications. Corporate and Foundation Relations staff will help prepare all applications. Those opportunities noted in red must be coordinated with Corporate or Foundation Relations.

Funder	Topic	Program Name	Deadline	Award Minimum	Award Maximum	Notes	Purpose	Submission Method	Website
William T. Grant Foundation	Science	Improving Use of Research Evidence	5/4/2022	\$25,000	\$1,000,000	LOI only; invite only for the full proposal; 1 to 4-year grant period	This program supports research on strategies to improve the use of research evidence in ways that benefit young people ages 5-25 in the United States. The Foundation welcomes descriptive studies that reveal the strategies, mechanisms, or conditions for improving research use, as well as evaluations of deliberate efforts to increase routine and beneficial uses of research in decision-making. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="http://wtgrantfoundation.org/library/uploads/2021/11/2022-Application-Guide-Research-Grants-on-URE.pdf">http://wtgrantfoundation.org/library/uploads/2021/11/2022-Application-Guide-Research-Grants-on-URE.pdf</a>
Pandemic Antiviral Discovery (Gates Foundation and Open Philanthropy Initiative)	Health	PAD – HENIPAVIRUS RFP 2022	5/5/2022	\$1,000,000	\$10,000,000	1 to 3-year grant period;	The RFP will support projects that seek to elucidate the molecular determinants of henipavirus replication, pathogenesis and transmission for the purpose of developing therapeutic discovery programs targeting virus and/or host-specific targets important for virus replication. Projects can be of both novel and exploratory nature and of later-stage validation/developmental nature. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://padinitiative.com/wp-content/uploads/PAD-Henipavirus-Request-for-proposals-2022.pdf">https://padinitiative.com/wp-content/uploads/PAD-Henipavirus-Request-for-proposals-2022.pdf</a>
DMC Foundation	Health	Health Education and Community Benefit	5/15/2022	\$10,000	\$100,000		The DMC Foundation is interested in supporting projects that promote health, wellness or community vitality by supporting health education, community benefit; facilitate the provision of medical, health care and disease-prevention services; improve health in the Metro Detroit community; and leverage public and private resources. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://cfsem.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/DMC-Grant-Guidelines-and-Checklist-April-2021.pdf">https://cfsem.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/DMC-Grant-Guidelines-and-Checklist-April-2021.pdf</a>
DMC Foundation	Health	Medical Research	5/15/2022	\$10,000	\$100,000		Support for medical research will focus on activities that augment currently funded research that has been vetted through a competitive public, national or appropriate scientific juried process. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://cfsem.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/DMC-Medical-Research-Grant-Guidelines-and-Checklist-April-2021.pdf">https://cfsem.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/DMC-Medical-Research-Grant-Guidelines-and-Checklist-April-2021.pdf</a>
Lego	Various	Build a World of Play	5/17/2022		\$1,000,000		Lego is looking for bold, transformational ideas that focus on young children's wellbeing and holistic development, while addressing global social issues. Ideas need to be impactful, feasible, community-centered, and sustainable.	Online Application	<a href="https://learningthroughplay.com/build-a-world-of-play/the-challenge">https://learningthroughplay.com/build-a-world-of-play/the-challenge</a>

Upcoming Opportunities - April 2022

Please contact Gayle Foley (fz8071@wayne.edu or 7-8847) or Vanessa Miller (Vanessa.Miller@wayne.edu or 7-1162) to discuss applications.

Corporate and Foundation Relations staff will help prepare all applications. Those opportunities noted in red must be coordinated with Corporate or Foundation Relations.

Funder	Topic	Program Name	Deadline	Award Minimum	Award Maximum	Notes	Purpose	Submission Method	Website
Chan Zuckerberg Initiative	Science	Science Diversity Leadership Award	5/19/2022		\$1,115,000	5-year grant period	Science Diversity Leadership awards from the Chan Zuckerberg Initiative (CZI) will recognize the leadership and scientific accomplishments of outstanding early- to mid-career researchers at U.S. universities, medical schools, or nonprofit research institutes who — through their outreach, mentoring, teaching, and leadership — have a record of promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion in their scientific fields. They will have made significant research contributions to the biomedical sciences, show promise for continuing scientific achievement, and demonstrate leadership in efforts to diversify the sciences. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://czi-scienceleadership.nas.edu/?utm_campaign=Science&amp;utm_medium=email&amp;_hsmi=202011041&amp;_hsenc=p2ANqtz-IXZutMX6plWpuPBuCTG2fpYQPvWV3Hmjtlcf1Ns0e!O6KE8MVDoKrenljSGdeK5Q1viQ3CukqVfn9_kwXLMh-M3ygQ&amp;utm_content=202011041&amp;utm_source=hs">https://czi-scienceleadership.nas.edu/?utm_campaign=Science&amp;utm_medium=email&amp;_hsmi=202011041&amp;_hsenc=p2ANqtz-IXZutMX6plWpuPBuCTG2fpYQPvWV3Hmjtlcf1Ns0e!O6KE8MVDoKrenljSGdeK5Q1viQ3CukqVfn9_kwXLMh-M3ygQ&amp;utm_content=202011041&amp;utm_source=hs</a>
The Jewish Fund	Health	Health of the Metropolitan Detroit Community	6/2/2022	\$10,000	\$100,000	LOI only; full proposal upon invitation only; 1-year grant period with the potential for renewal	Supports programs in metropolitan Detroit that improve health outcomes for vulnerable populations as a result of increased access to quality health care. Also supports programs that improve health outcomes in vulnerable children as a result of participation in early childhood health intervention programs. Such programs may include pre-natal services and/or those targeting children up to kindergarten age. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://thejewishfund.org/apply/">https://thejewishfund.org/apply/</a>
Simons Foundation	Science	Targeted Grants in Mathematics and Physical Sciences	Rolling	\$25,000	\$300,000	LOI only, with full applications invited upon review; up to 5-year grant period	The foundation invites applications for its Targeted Grants in Mathematics and Physical Sciences program, which is intended to support high-risk theoretical mathematics, physics, and computer science projects of exceptional promise and scientific importance on a case-by-case basis. It provides flexible funding for up to five years. The foundation strongly encourages applications from scientists from underrepresented groups. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.simonsfoundation.org/grant/targeted-grants-in-maths/?tab=awardees">https://www.simonsfoundation.org/grant/targeted-grants-in-maths/?tab=awardees</a>
Transformational Partnership Fund	Higher Ed	Higher Ed Partnership and Collaboration Grants	Rolling		\$100,000		Catalytic grants (up to \$100,000 per exploration) will be available to help schools engage technical assistance providers knowledgeable in law, finance, governance, fundraising, human resources, and/or other related fields. TPF also will provide free access to relevant resources collected from its advisors, its network, and other third-parties.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.higheredpartnerships.org/challenge-opportunity/">https://www.higheredpartnerships.org/challenge-opportunity/</a>
Internet Society Foundation	Various	Future and Sustainability of the Internet	Rolling		\$200,000	2-year grant period	Supports research on the internet's environmental footprint or past or present ecosystems which yield insights into the future of the Internet and its dependent market(s).	Online Application	<a href="https://www.isocfoundation.org/grant-programme/research-grant-programme/">https://www.isocfoundation.org/grant-programme/research-grant-programme/</a>
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	Health	Exploring the Future to Build a Culture of Health	Rolling		\$300,000	The average Pioneer grant in 2019 was \$315,031. Proposals will be accepted throughout the year on a rolling admission.	Pioneering Ideas: Exploring the Future to Build a Culture of Health seeks proposals that are primed to influence health equity in the future. We are interested in ideas that address any of these four areas of focus: Future of Evidence; Future of Social Interaction; Future of Food; Future of Work. Additionally, we welcome ideas that might fall outside of these four focus areas, but which offer unique approaches to advancing health equity and our progress toward a Culture of Health. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.rwjf.org/en/library/funding-opportunities/2020/pioneering-ideas-2020-exploring-the-future-to-build-a-culture-of-health.html?rid=00325000027IF4VQAW&amp;et_cid=2046258">https://www.rwjf.org/en/library/funding-opportunities/2020/pioneering-ideas-2020-exploring-the-future-to-build-a-culture-of-health.html?rid=00325000027IF4VQAW&amp;et_cid=2046258</a>

Upcoming Opportunities - April 2022

Please contact Gayle Foley (fz8071@wayne.edu or 7-8847) or Vanessa Miller (Vanessa.Miller@wayne.edu or 7-1162) to discuss applications.

Corporate and Foundation Relations staff will help prepare all applications. Those opportunities noted in red must be coordinated with Corporate or Foundation Relations.

Funder	Topic	Program Name	Deadline	Award Minimum	Award Maximum	Notes	Purpose	Submission Method	Website
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	Health	Evidence for Action: Investigator-Initiated Research to Build a Culture of Health	Rolling	\$185,000	\$440,000	Grant period is up to 36 months.	Supports rigorous, high-impact, creative research projects to build and disseminate information for evidence-based approaches to building a Culture of Health. The program will also support efforts to assess outcomes and set priorities for action by encouraging and supporting creative, rigorous research on the impact of innovative programs, policies and partnerships on health and well-being, and on novel approaches to measuring health determinants and outcomes. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://anr.rwjf.org/viewCfp.do?cfpld=1224&amp;cfpOverviewId=">https://anr.rwjf.org/viewCfp.do?cfpld=1224&amp;cfpOverviewId=</a>
Thrasher Research Foundation	Health	E.W. Al Thrasher Award	Rolling	\$100,000	\$500,000	Awards grants two times per year, with no fixed number of awards given in each funding cycle or in each year.	Funds to improve children's health through medical research, with an emphasis on projects that have the potential to translate into clinically meaningful results within a few years. Open to applications that address a variety of significant pediatric problems. Both incidence and severity are considered when determining the significance of the proposed topic.	Email LOI	<a href="https://www.thrasherresearch.org/SitePages/al-thrasher-award.aspx">https://www.thrasherresearch.org/SitePages/al-thrasher-award.aspx</a>
Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research	Health	Rapid Response Innovation Awards	Rolling		\$75,000		Supports innovative, high-risk, high-reward projects tackling critical scientific and therapeutic roadblocks that, if successful, open new avenues for PD therapy development. The program is well suited to projects with little-to-no existing preliminary data, but where hypothetical rationale is highly compelling and study results can make the case for continuing (or discontinuing) a line of research. Applicants may submit on any PD-relevant area of basic, preclinical and/or clinical research with a clear, achievable one-year goal.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.michaeljfox.org/research/grant-detail.php?id=3">https://www.michaeljfox.org/research/grant-detail.php?id=3</a>
Wish You Well Foundation	Education	Grant Program	Rolling	\$200	\$10,000		Supporting family literacy in the United States by fostering and promoting the development and expansion of new and existing literacy and educational programs.	Online or Mail Application	<a href="http://www.wishyouwellfoundation.org/apply-for-funding/">http://www.wishyouwellfoundation.org/apply-for-funding/</a>
The Nathan Cummings Foundation	Science	Climate Program	Rolling	\$3,000	\$950,000		Supports promising work that addresses climate change by increasing access to modern energy for the world's poor; stabilizing greenhouse gas concentrations in the atmosphere at a low level; and improving resilience for those most vulnerable to the negative consequences of climate variability and change.	Online Application	<a href="http://ncf.org/what-we-fund/our-focus/climate">http://ncf.org/what-we-fund/our-focus/climate</a>
The Commonwealth Fund	Health	Grant Program	Rolling		\$200,000	Strictly LOI submission. Proposals are invitation only. Award amount based on previous grants.	To promote a high performing healthcare system that achieves better access, improved quality, and greater efficiency, particularly for society's most vulnerable, including low-income people, the uninsured, minority Americans, young children, and elderly adults. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="http://www.commonwealthfund.org/grants-and-fellowships/applicant-resources">http://www.commonwealthfund.org/grants-and-fellowships/applicant-resources</a>
Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	Arts	Monuments Project	Rolling for five years				The Monuments Project is a five-year, \$250 million commitment to reimagine and rebuild commemorative spaces and transform the way history is told in the United States. The project is one of Mellon's signature initiatives under its President, Elizabeth Alexander. Grants made under the Monuments Project will fall under the following areas of activity: fund new monuments, memorials, or historic storytelling spaces; contextualize existing monuments or memorials through installations, research, and education; and relocate existing monuments or memorials. This is a five-year program, but Foundation Relations encourages early submissions. Additionally, this is a centrally-coordinated foundation and interested parties need to work with Foundation Relations on submissions. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online application	<a href="https://mellon.org/topics/monuments/">https://mellon.org/topics/monuments/</a>