



Helpful Hints

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Grants Resource Center (GRC)

The Office of Research and Sponsored Programs (ORSP) now has a subscription to the Grants Resource Center (GRC). GRC is a not -for-profit service of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities (<u>http://www.aascu.org/GRCinfo/</u>). They offer access to information on funding opportunities from public and private sources.

WEEKLY FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

ORSP will compile GRC's funding information into a weekly notice for the campus. Information from Grants.gov, the Federal Register, and Federal Business Opportunities has been broken into four categories:

- 1. Arts, Humanities, and International
- 2. Education and Economic and Community Development
- 3. Health and Mental Health
- 4. Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics.

For assistance in obtaining additional information on any of the notices contained here, contact the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs.

DEADLINES FROM THE GRANTS RESOURCE CENTER

Deadlines is a monthly funding opportunity alert that provides 90 days' notice of federal and private application deadlines, along with all the information necessary to screen solicitations and contact program officers.

GRANT SEARCH

GRC's proprietary search engine, GrantSearch, includes 2,000 private and federal funding opportunities screened for recurrence and for higher education eligibility. GrantSearch is customized for use by faculty, administrators, staff, students, and partners of four-year institutions.

RESOURCES

The members-only website serves as a clearinghouse for higher education grant seeking tools and resources. It provides access to GRC publications, funding guides, sample research administration policies, and a library of funded proposals.

UNO TRAINING

ORSP is in the process of developing workshops and online tutorials for GrantSearch. These GrantSearch tutorials will be part of our usual workshops schedule, and since this is a new system we will schedule departmental or college specific workshops if requested.

The first weekly funding opportunity was distributed to campus on July 30, 2012. These weekly funding opportunity notices will be archived on the ORSP website under <u>funding opportunities</u>.

We encourage everyone to fully utilize this opportunity. If you have any questions or suggestions for improving how the GRC information is distributed to campus please contact Carol Lunn at clunn1@uno.edu or ext. 7155.

University of New Orleans Office of Research and Sponsored Programs Weekly Funding Opportunities