Researchers must follow their unit’s new electronic grant submission process.

All proposals applied for must be accompanied by a Funding Application Approval Form (FAAF) and must follow the deadlines (unless otherwise posted):

As a reminder, below are the ORS deadlines for submitting research proposals and FAAFs.

For large, complex grant applications (e.g., tri-agency major programs, those that require matching funds and/or additional institutional support, etc.)

- 10 working days in advance of agency deadline

For other regular and/or ‘rolling’ and one-time grants:

- 5 working days in advance of agency deadline

- If the funding opportunity is not posted in our ORS Funding Opportunities Database the default requirement is 3 working days in advance of the agency deadline.

Also as a reminder, researchers should work with the University’s Research Facilitators early in the proposal development stage.

TRI- AGENCIES:

CANADIAN INSTITUTES OF HEALTH RESEARCH (CIHR):

To get more CIHR news, please follow our CIHR University Delegate, Dr. Yvonne Myal. To subscribe to her CIHR University Delegate email list-serve, please send an email to Yvonne.Myal@umanitoba.ca.

SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES RESEARCH COUNCIL OF CANADA (SSHRC)

- SSHRC will be holding a webinar for applicants and research administrators to provide information and answer questions about Connection Grants.

    The webinar will be held via Adobe Connect at the following times:
Please note that you do not need to register in advance and a question and answer period will follow the presentation.

With Adobe Connect, questions must be submitted in writing.

To join via Adobe Connect:
- Click on the Adobe Connect webinar link on the date and time specified.
- Enter your name, and press “Enter Room”.
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For any questions, please email: connection@sshrc-crsh.gc.ca or telephone: 613-943-1007.

**ORS Contact:** Barbara Hewitt, Research Grants Officer (SSHRC & Misc)  
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**OTHER:**

- **Call for preliminary proposals: Innovation for Women’s Economic Empowerment in Ghana**
  Global Affairs Canada has launched a call for preliminary proposals to enhance economic empowerment, well-being and inclusive economic growth for women in Ghana.
  Eligibility: Canadian and Ghanaian organizations
  Geographic scope: Ghana
  Estimated size of projects sought: $5 million to $10 million

  **National deadline:** The deadline for submitting a preliminary proposal is 12 p.m. (noon) Eastern Daylight Time on June 6, 2018.
  **ORS Deadline:** May 25, 2018
  **ORS Contact:** Michelle Olivson, Contracts Coordinator (michelle.olivson@umanitoba.ca)

For more information on ORS procedures and who to contact, please visit the ORS website at [http://www.umanitoba.ca/research/ors](http://www.umanitoba.ca/research/ors)