New Funding Opportunities - Weekly Update  
(June 26, 2020)

Please search for all CURRENT funding opportunities at:  
http://pasweb.cc.umanitoba.ca/extapp/ors/pubapp/umfo.php

TRI-AGENCIES

CANADIAN INSTITUTES OF HEALTH RESEARCH (CIHR):

- New Frontiers in Research Fund - Exploration
  This program is open to researchers from all areas of research to propose high-risk, high-reward interdisciplinary projects. Grants awarded are up to $125,000/yr over two years (including indirect costs). Find more details in the full call.

  Notice of Intent Deadline: August 18, 2020
  ORS Notice of Intent Deadline (no FAAF required): August 13, 2020 at 4:30 p.m.
  Application Deadline: October 20, 2020
  ORS Contact: Jackie Cooney-Birch, Research Grants Officer (CIHR), Jackie.Cooney-Birch@umanitoba.ca

- Webinars: New Frontiers in Research Fund – Exploration NOI Webinars
  Webinars will be recorded for those unable to attend.

  July 7th – 2020 Exploration NOI – French
  9:00-11:00 AM Central Time
  Meeting link – Event password: kpQPBsTv728

  July 7th – 2020 Exploration NOI – English
  12:00-2:00 PM Central Time
  Meeting link – Event password: SWrPUuX93C8

INTERNATIONAL GRANT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- DAAD – The German Academic Exchange Service
  IVAC – International Virtual Academic Collaboration (2020-2021)
  The program promotes greater flexibility in degree programs offered at German Higher Education Institutions and their foreign partner universities and contributes to equal opportunity by expanding access to international higher education. The funding application must be submitted via the DAAD online portal https://www.mydaad.de/en/). See pdf here for a full description. Questions - Email: ivac@daad.de

  Agency Deadline: July 16, 2020
  ORS Deadline: July 9, 2020 – 4:30 p.m.
  ORS Contact: Barbara Hewitt, Research Grants officer (SSHRC and miscellaneous (non-health) grants, Networks of Centres of Excellence, Genome Canada)
  Barbara.Hewitt@umanitoba.ca

WORKSHOPS/EVENTS/MEETINGS:

- CIHR 2020 Project Grant Competition – Ask me anything sessions
  - CIHR is offering three additional Ask Me Anything sessions to answer any questions you may have regarding the 2020 Project Grant Competition. You are invited to send your questions in advance using the “Ask questions” link below.

    When:
    - Monday, June 22: 2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. ET
    - Language: Presentation, questions and answers in English and French
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, NIH, US Department of Defense and 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

Also as a reminder, researchers should work with the University’s Research Facilitators early in the proposal development stage, for assistance in strategic research planning and proposal review.

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