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On the state level...

All not-for-profit applicants must now pre-qualify on the NYS Grants Reform Website at grantsreform.ny.gov/grantees to apply for certain New York State grant solicitations. Potential not-for-profit applicants are strongly encouraged to begin the process.

NYS Department of Health (DOH), Personal Responsibility Education Program (PREP)

The New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH), Bureau of Perinatal Reproductive and Sexual Health (BPRASH), announces the availability of up to \$2.1 million annually to support the provision of the Personal Responsibility Education Program (PREP) initiative throughout New York State (NYS) for the anticipated funding period of October 1, 2023, through September 30, 2028. This Request for Applications (RFA) represents the continued commitment of the NYSDOH to support comprehensive programming that fosters the prevention of adolescent pregnancy, sexually transmitted infections (STIs), and Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV).

The PREP initiative will support the implementation of programs that replicate effective evidence-based program (EBP) models that have been proven based on scientific research to change behavior, such as delaying sexual activity, increasing condom or contraceptive use for sexually active youth, or reducing pregnancy among youth; and activities to ensure access for youth to comprehensive reproductive health care and family planning services.

- **Eligibility:** Not-for-profit, governmental entities
- **Deadline:** February 23, 2023, 4:00PM ET
- **Anticipated Initial Contract Length:** 5 Years
- **Funding:** \$2.1 million



- **Contact:** Bianca Sanders
- **Contact Email:** preprfa@health.ny.gov

NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services, SFY 2022-23, Securing Communities Against Hate Crimes (SCAHC)

The New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) seeks proposals to fund safety and security projects at nonprofit organizations at risk of hate crimes or attacks because of their ideology, beliefs, or mission. Approximately \$50 million is expected to be available to fund approximately 1000 projects throughout New York State.

- **Eligibility:** Not-for-profit entities
- **Deadline:** February 28, 2023, 12:00PM ET
- **Anticipated Number of Award(s):** 1000 statewide
- **Anticipated Initial Contract Length:** 24 months
- **Funding:** \$50 million
- **Funding Ceiling:** Up to \$50,000 per project
- **Contact:** Jason Tillou
- **Contact Email:** funding@dcjs.ny.gov
- **Website:** <https://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/ofpa/index.htm>

On the federal level..

US Department of Health and Human Services, Music and Health: Understanding and Developing Music Medicine

Music has a unique and remarkable ability to ameliorate the symptoms of a broad range of disorders that occur throughout the lifespan, deliver palliative care during serious advanced illness, improve recovery from a variety of neurological disorders, and improve health throughout all our lives. Music can clearly act as an effective medicine, but its means of action are poorly understood. This funding is intended to: increase our understanding of how music affects the brain when it is used therapeutically and/or use that knowledge to better develop evidence-based music interventions to enhance health or treat specific diseases and disorders.

- **Eligibility:** Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, independent school districts, Native American tribal governments (federally recognized), for profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses, state governments, city or township governments Native American Tribal Organizations (other than federally recognized tribal governments), private institutions of higher education, nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS (other than institutions of higher education), nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS (other than institutions of higher education), public and state controlled institutions of higher education, county governments, special district governments, Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions, Asian American Native American Pacific Islander Serving

Institutions (AANAPISISs), eligible agencies of the Federal Government, faith-based or community-based organizations, Hispanic-serving institutions; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs), Indian/Native American Tribal Governments (other than federally recognized), non-domestic (non-U.S.) entities (foreign organizations), regional organizations, Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs), U.S. Territory or Possession. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, are allowed.

- **Deadline:** February 16, 2023, 5:00 PM local time of applicant organization
- **Award Ceiling:** \$200,000
- **Contact:** NIH OER Webmaster
- **Contact Email:** FBOWebmaster@OD.NIH.GOV
- **Website:** <https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-21-099.html>

Department of Health and Human Services, Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Part C Capacity Development Program

The purpose of this program is to strengthen organizational capacity to respond to the changing health care landscape and increase access to high-quality HIV primary health care services for low-income and underserved people with HIV.

- **Eligibility:** Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS (other than institutions of higher education), city or township governments, for profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses, state governments, independent school districts, county governments, special district governments, Native American Tribal Governments (federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than federally recognized Tribal Governments), private nonprofit entities, publicly funded organizations not acting in a governmental capacity, territorial organizations, Indian Tribal Governments, and tribal organizations in the United States or U.S. territories.
- **Deadline:** February 17, 2023
- **Expected Number of Award(s):** 50 awards
- **Funding:** \$4 million
- **Award Ceiling:** \$150,000
- **Contact:** Cypriana Fowell
- **Contact Phone:** (301) 443-1839
- **Contact Email:** AskPartCCapacity@hrsa.gov
- **Website:** <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=340389>

US Department of Justice, Legal Assistance for Victims

The Legal Assistance for Victims (LAV) Grant Program is intended to increase the availability of civil and criminal legal assistance needed to effectively aid adult and youth (ages 11 to 24) victims of domestic violence, dating violence, stalking, or sexual assault by providing funds

for comprehensive direct legal services to victims in legal matters relating to or arising out of that abuse or violence.

- **Eligibility:** Native American Tribal Governments (federally recognized), nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS (other than institutions of higher education), private institutions of higher education, private nonprofit entities, publicly funded organizations not acting in a governmental capacity, territorial organizations, Indian Tribal Governments, and tribal organizations in the United States or U.S. territories, public and state-controlled institutions of higher education, Native American Tribal Organizations (other than federally recognized tribal governments), nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS (other than institutions of higher education)
- **Deadline:** February 21, 2023
- **Expected Number of Awards:** 45
- **Funding:** \$31.8 million
- **Anticipated Number of Project(s):** 1000 statewide
- **Award Ceiling:** \$900,000
- **Award Floor:** \$400,000
- **Contact Email:** OVW.LAV@usdoj.gov
- **Website:** <https://www.justice.gov/ovw/open-solicitations>

On the private level...

American Council of Learned Societies (ACLS) invites applications for Luce/ACLS Program in Religion, Journalism & International Affairs Collaborative Programming Grants

ACLS invites proposals for Collaborative Programming Grants offered by the Luce/ACLS Program in Religion, Journalism & International Affairs. The program aims to deepen public understanding of religion by advancing innovative scholarship on religion in international contexts, equipping individual scholars and institutions of higher education with the capacities to connect their work to journalism and the media, and engaging audiences beyond the academy. ACLS seeks proposals for collaborative projects hosted at United States-based accredited institutions of higher education with research and curricular strengths in journalism and communication and in the humanistic and social science fields concerned with the study of global religions (including but not limited to anthropology, area studies, history, languages and literature, political science, religious studies, and sociology).

- **Eligibility:** Project's principal investigator must be a scholar in a field of the humanities or social sciences or journalism. Proposed grant activities must connect humanities and social science programs with journalism departments, schools, or initiatives on the same campus, or with the work of an external media organization. Projects must be hosted by a US-based accredited institution of higher education.

- **Deadline:** February 15, 2023
- **Award Amount:** Up to \$45,000
- **Award Amount:** 12-18 months, to be initiated between July 1 and August 31, 2023
- **Contact Email:** RJIA@acls.org
- **Website:** <https://www.acls.org/competitions/luce-acls-program-in-religion-journalism-international-affairs-collaborative-programming-grants/>

Human Animal Bond Research Institute (HABRI), Health Outcomes of Pet Ownership

HABRI works to establish the vital role of companion animals in the health and well-being of individuals, families, and communities. HABRI issued an RFP to investigate the health outcomes of pet ownership and/or animal-assisted activity or therapy, both for people and the animals involved. Proposals should have a strong theoretical framework and focus on innovative approaches to studying the health effects of companion animals on humans within the following broad categories: child health and development, healthy aging, and mental and physical health and wellness.

- **Deadline:** February 16, 2023, 11:59 PM ET
- **Anticipated Number of Award(s):** 5-6
- **Award Ceiling:** \$45,000
- **Contact:** Matt Cryer
- **Contact Email:** mcyrer@habri.org
- **Website:** <https://habri.org/grants/funding-opportunities/>

Graham Foundation for Advanced Studies in the Fine Arts

The Graham Foundation for Advanced Studies in the Fine Arts fosters the development and exchange of diverse and challenging ideas about architecture and its role in the arts, culture, and society. The foundation invites applications from organizations for production and presentation grants of up to \$30,000, which can be applied to the production-related expenses necessary to take a project from conceptualization to realization and public presentation. These projects include but are not limited to publications, exhibitions, installations, films, new media projects, conferences/lectures, and other public programs.

- **Eligibility:** Must be tax exempt as defined by section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code
- **Deadline:** Stage one/inquiry forms are due February 25, 2023, at 5:00 PM CT
- **Award Ceiling:** \$30,000
- **Contact Email:** info@grahamfoundation.org
- **Website:** http://www.grahamfoundation.org/grant_programs/?mode=organization





Lime Connect Fellowship for Students with Disabilities

The Lime Connect Fellowship Program:

- Guides fellows through the summer internship recruitment process
- Connects them with our corporate partners - some of the world's leading corporations - for potential Summer 2024 internships and more
- Deepens their leadership skills
- Prepares them for success in their internship
- Builds their confidence as a person with a disability
- Engages them in a Lime Connect Fellowship community, including previous Fellows classes, and provides access to various scholarships

■ Eligibility:

- A current sophomore at a four-year university in the United States
- Continuing studies as a full-time student for the 2023 - 2024 academic year
- Eligible to work in the United States

- A person with a (visible or invisible) disability

A person with a disability is defined as someone who has or considers themselves to have, a long-term or recurring issue that impacts one or more activities that others may consider to be a daily function. This definition also includes the perception among others that a disability exists. We know that 90% of disabilities on campus (and 70% of disabilities among the general population) are invisible, and candidates with all disabilities are encouraged to join The Lime Network and take full advantage of the benefits it offers.

- **Deadline:** February 26, 2023, 12:00AM PST

- **Website:** <https://www.limeconnect.com/programs/page/the-lime-connect-fellowship-program>

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<https://learning.candid.org/event-calendar>

Introduction to Foundation Directory Online:

This class provides learning opportunities designed to develop skills, practices and behaviors that best prepare people working in the social sector for success.

Introduction to Finding Grants:

This class will provide an introduction to finding grants for nonprofits, including what funders are looking for and a hands-on guided online research session.

Introduction to Proposal Writing:

This class provides a standard overview of how to write a proposal for a foundation grant and includes a hands-on personalized session in developing a proposal outline.

Introduction to Project Budgets:

This class will provide step-by-step instructions on how to generate a standard project budget for a foundation proposal. Prior attendance of Introduction to Proposal Writing is strongly recommended.

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