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WELCOME BACK!

This email is the first of an important weekly newsletter from the Office of Graduate Studies and Research called DID YOU KNOW THAT? [DYKT?]. You will receive it every Monday morning throughout the academic year. As our continuing students know, the DYKT? is a valuable source for timely information of interest to Arts & Sciences graduate students, such as application information for grants and awards, news & events, and academic deadlines and changes. Please help us keep this as informative and reliable as possible by giving us your input. Visit our DYKT website for information and for previous and archived issues.

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• The GSA is comprised of all graduate students in the Arts & Sciences at W&M. It offers a number of fun and exciting professional and social events each year. Congratulations to the newly elected GSA Executive Council for 2016-2017! President - Adrienna Bingham, Vice President - Matthew Femia, Parliamentarian - Peter Quinn-Jacobs, Treasurer - Thomas McCauley.

• Time to update your Address. All students are required to provide and maintain a valid Mailing address and phone number. All students who do not reside on campus (i.e. in a residence hall) are also required to maintain a current Local address and phone number. [More]

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Distinguished Lectures in International Studies, rolling deadline,  
http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/lectures/index.php: 
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Grants for On-Campus Conferences on International Topics, rolling deadline;  
http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/oncampus/index.php: 
Funding is available to support William & Mary faculty who are hosting on-campus professional conferences that will contribute to international education at the College. Proposals making use of the university’s Washington, D.C. Office are also welcome.

Faculty International Conference Travel Grants, rolling deadline,  
http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/conferencegrants/index.php: 
Funding offers grants of up to $500 for W&M faculty who are presenting papers at international conferences or presenting papers on international, global or trans-national topics at conferences in the US.

ARTS & HUMANITIES:

2017 Phillips Library Fellowships, Peabody Essex Museum, deadline: 12/15/16;  
http://www.pem.org/library/fellowships/.

US Liaison and International Awardees, The Association of Art Museum Curators (AAMC), deadline: 10/15/16;  

Scholar-in-Residence Program, Deutsches Museum, deadline: 10/14/16;  

Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program (LB21), Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS), deadline: 9/1/16;  
Collaborative Research Grants, NEH, deadline: 12/7/16; http://www.neh.gov/grants/research/collaborative-research-grants.


ACLS Fellowships, including ACLS/NEH International and Area Studies Fellowships and ACLS/New York Public Library Fellowships, ACLS, deadline: 9/28/16; http://www.acls.org/programs/acls/.

Senior Fellowship Program, 2017-18, National Gallery of Art, deadline: 10/15/16; http://www.nga.gov/content/ngaweb/research/casva/fellowships/senior-fellowships.html.


Comparative Perspectives on Chinese Culture and Society, ACLS, deadline: 11/9/16; http://38.136.5.227/programs/chinese-culture/.


Henry Luce Foundation/ACLS Program in China Studies, ACLS, deadline: 11/9/16; http://www.acls.org/programs/china-studies/.

Writer In Residence (George Bennett Fellowship), Phillips Exeter Academy, deadline: 11/30/16; http://www.exeter.edu/libraries/553_264.aspx.

**SOCIAL SCIENCES:**

Obesity Policy Evaluation Research (R01), NIH, standard deadlines: NEW February 5, June 5, October 5; RENEWAL/RESUBMISSION/REVISION March 5, July 5, November 5; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-16-165.html.


Systems Science and Health in the Behavioral and Social Sciences (R21), NIH, standard deadlines: LOI 30 days prior to application receipt date; NEW February 5, June 5, October 5; RENEWAL/RESUBMISSION/REVISION March 5, July 5, November 5; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-15-047.html.

Healthy Habits: Timing for Developing Sustainable Healthy Behaviors in Children and Adolescents (R01), NIH, standard deadlines: NEW February 5, June 5, October 5; RENEWAL/RESUBMISSION/REVISION March 5, July 5, November 5; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-177.html.


Translational Research to Help Older Adults Maintain their Health and Independence in the Community (R01), NIH, standard deadlines: NEW February 5, June 5, October 5; RENEWAL/RESUBMISSION/REVISION March 5, July 5, November 5; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-161.html.

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*special focus on the topic area "Contesting Sovereignty: Statehood, Governmentality, Assemblages".


Health Services Research Impact Award, AcademyHealth, deadline: September 2; http://www.academyhealth.org/Programs/content.cfm?ItemNumber=18301.


*suggested topic areas: employee benefits security; miners’ safety and health; wage and hour and labor standards; worker and workplace safety and health; workers’ compensation; labor/management
relations; international topics in worker protection including child and forced labor issues; Improving equal employment opportunities for targeted populations; innovative approaches to evaluating the impact of DOL worker protection programs and policies using existing administrative or other data; low-cost randomized controlled trials or natural experiments to evaluate the impact of DOL programs.


**Fellowship Program**, The Robert Bosch Foundation, deadline: November 1; [http://www.culturalvistas.org/programs-for-students-and-professionals/professional-fellowships/robert-bosch-foundation-fellowship-program](http://www.culturalvistas.org/programs-for-students-and-professionals/professional-fellowships/robert-bosch-foundation-fellowship-program): *professional development program for public policy and administration, foreign and security policy, urban and regional planning, business, journalism and communications, law, and cultural and arts management professionals.*


**SCIENCE & RESEARCH/FEDERAL:**

**FY 2017 Climate Program Office**, NOAA, deadlines: LOI 8/24/16 (MAPP Program Competition 8/26/16); full application 10/24/16 (MAPP Program Competition 10/31/16); [http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=286560](http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=286560).


**mHealth Tools for Individuals with Chronic Conditions to Promote Effective Patient-Provider Communication, Adherence to Treatment and Self-Management (R01)**, NIH, standard deadlines: NEW February 5, June 5, October 5; RENEWAL/RESUBMISSION/REVISION March 5, July 5, November 5; [http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-180.html](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-180.html).

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**FOUNDATION:**


*Grants/Awards for Americans; Grants/Awards for Scandinavians; Translation Competition; Grants for Organizations.*


**OTHER:**


**A.M. Turing Award**, Association for Computing Machinery (ACM), deadline: 10/30/16; [http://amturing.acm.org/call_for_nominations.cfm](http://amturing.acm.org/call_for_nominations.cfm).

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**Naval Research Enterprise Internship Program**, American Society for Engineering Education (ASEE), deadline: online application opens 8/22/16; [https://nreip.asee.org/](https://nreip.asee.org/).


**Scholarships**, The Garden Club of America, various programs/deadlines; [http://www.gcamerica.org/scholarships](http://www.gcamerica.org/scholarships):

*botany; coastal wetland studies; conservation & ecological restoration; desert studies; garden history & design; horticulture & related fields; international work & study; landscape architecture; native bird habitat; pollinator research; summer environmental study; urban forestry.*

2016-17 Student Travel Awards, Biology Division of the Council on Undergraduate Research (CUR), deadlines: 9/2/16 for meetings held on or before 2/15/17 and 1/13/17 for meetings held between 2/16/17-6/30/17; [http://www.cur.org/governance/divisions/biology_student_travel_awards/](http://www.cur.org/governance/divisions/biology_student_travel_awards/).

IEEE Microwave Theory and Techniques Society Graduate Fellowship program, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE), deadline: November 30; [http://www.ieee.org/membership_services/membership/students/awards/mtt_graduate.html](http://www.ieee.org/membership_services/membership/students/awards/mtt_graduate.html).

2017 Graduate Fellowship Program (GFP), National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA), deadline: 10/3/16; [http://ngp.pnnl.gov/](http://ngp.pnnl.gov/).


2017-18 Graduate Scholarships, American Concrete Institute (ACI), deadline: 10/16/16; [https://www.scholarshipcouncil.org/Student-Awards/Graduate-Scholarships](https://www.scholarshipcouncil.org/Student-Awards/Graduate-Scholarships).
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• The new Teaching Assistant/Teaching Fellows Handbook [pdf] for 2016/2017 is available in Quick Links

• Sustainability Forum - The Sustainability Forum is a monthly opportunity for environmental, social, and economic groups to share their sustainability ideas, needs and accomplishments to create a more cohesive and aware community. All students, faculty, and staff are welcome! This Thursday, September 1st 2016 at 6pm. Location TBD. More

• OGSR/GSA Supplemental Conference Travel Funding – The application deadline for conference travel taken during the period September 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016 is 5:00 pm this Friday, September 2, 2016. Through a collaborative effort between the Office of Graduate Studies and Research (OGSR) and the GSA, a limited number of awards are available to assist selected Arts & Sciences graduate students who are attending or presenting at a research conference. More
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**ARTS & HUMANITIES:**

**Fellowships at The Huntington** (British and American history and literature, art history, history of science and medicine, history of the book), The Huntington Library, Art Collections, and Botanical Gardens, deadline: 11/15/16; [http://www.huntington.org/fellowships/](http://www.huntington.org/fellowships/).


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**Arts Grant Opportunities Listing**, The Alliance for the Arts at Research Universities (a2ru), various programs and deadlines; [http://a2ru.org/grants-organizations/granting-opportunities/](http://a2ru.org/grants-organizations/granting-opportunities/).

**SOCIAL SCIENCES:**

*The applicant’s project must fit into one or more of the main research areas of interesting in the Museum’s Scientific Divisions: Anthropology; Invertebrate Zoology; Palentology; Physical Sciences (Astrophysics and Earth & Planetary Sciences); Vertebrate Zoology.*


*The Academy Scholars Program identifies and supports outstanding scholars at the start of their careers whose work combines disciplinary excellence in the social sciences (including history and law) with a command of the language, history, or culture of non-Western countries or regions. Their scholarship may elucidate domestic, comparative, or transnational issues, past or present.*


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Faculty Development Grant, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, deadline: 10/14/16; http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=287302.


* Only one proposal may be submitted on behalf of any single facility per round of the FSML competition. This limitation does not prevent a single institution from submitting more than one proposal, as long as each proposal is submitted on behalf of a different eligible facility. This limitation is waived for one additional proposal in the event that a facility is also involved in a proposal that would improve multiple facilities. If you are interested in applying, please contact wosp@wm.edu.


NLM Express Research Grants in Biomedical Informatics (R01), NIH, standard deadlines: February 5, June 5, October 5; RENEWAL/REsubmission/REvision March 5, July 5, November 5; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-13-300.html.


Big Data to Knowledge (BD2K) Community-Based Data and Metadata Standards Efforts (R24), NIH, standard deadlines: LOI 30 days prior to deadline; next 2016 deadline is 10/19/16; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-ES-16-010.html.

Advanced Technologies and Instrumentation (ATI), NSF, deadline: November 1; 

Wave Energy Test Facility, EERE/DOE, deadlines: LOI 8/29/16; full application 9/20/16; https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/Default.aspx#FoaId3648e497-3b0c-4072-85d0-9a7e3fed5058:

Faculty Fellowship Program, National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR)/NSF, deadline: 10/31/16; http://www.asp.ucar.edu/ffp/faculty_fellowship.php.

Fluid Dynamics, NSF, submission window: 10/1/16-10/20/16; 

Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases, NSF, deadline: 11/16/16; 

Partnerships for Innovation: Building Innovation Capacity, NSF, deadline: 11/16/16; 

FOUNDATION:


** If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact Luiza Newlin-Lukowicz, W&M Development, cfr@wm.edu or 1-1036, to coordinate efforts prior to contacting the Foundation.

Digital Resources Grants Program, Kress Foundation, deadlines: April 1, October 1; http://www.kressfoundation.org/grants/digital_resources/.

Program on Social Equity, Russell Sage Foundation, deadlines: LOI 9/9/16-invited proposal 11/4/16; LOI 1/9/17-invited proposal 3/13/17; http://www.russellsage.org/how-to-apply/application-deadlines#project:

*Economic well-being, equality of opportunity, and intergenerational mobility; The political process and the resulting policies; Psychological and/or cultural change; Education; Labor markets; Child development and child outcomes; Neighborhoods and communities; Families, family structure, and family formation; Other forms of inequity.


*Changing economies, changing families and policy responses (or lack thereof); The economics of productivity and the role of managerial practices in improving job quality; Causes and consequences of job polarization; Effects of long-term unemployment and strategies to prevent long-term disadvantage.


*research areas: photography, anthropology, archaeology.
OTHER:

- American Dissertation Fellowships
- American Postdoctoral Research Leave Fellowships
- American Summer/Short-Term Research Publication Grants


Lewis and Clark Fund for Exploration and Field Research, American Philosophical Society (APS), deadline: February 1; [https://amphilsoc.org/grants/lewisandclark](https://amphilsoc.org/grants/lewisandclark):
*Applications are invited from disciplines with a large dependence on field studies, such as archeology, anthropology, biology, ecology, geography, geology, linguistics, paleontology, and population genetics, but grants will not be restricted to these fields. Grants will be available to doctoral students.*

STUDENT:


Gaius Charles Bolin Fellowships at Williams College, deadline: 11/15/16; [http://faculty.williams.edu/graduate-fellowships-2/graduate-fellowships/](http://faculty.williams.edu/graduate-fellowships-2/graduate-fellowships/).


2017 Yale Younger Poets Prize, Yale University Press, deadline: 11/15/16; http://youngerpoets.yupnet.org/submission-instructions/.


ACM Doctoral Dissertation Award, Association for Computing Machinery, deadline: 10/31/16; http://awards.acm.org/doctoral_dissertation/nominations.cfm.

2017 Facebook Graduate Fellowship Program, deadline: 11/1/16; https://research.facebook.com/blog/facebook-graduate-fellowship-application-now-open/.
*PhD students working in the areas of Artificial Intelligence, Computer Vision, Connectivity Hardware, Data Mining, Databases, Distributed Systems, Electrical Engineering, Networking and Operating Systems, Economics and Computation, Human-Computer Interaction, Machine Learning, Natural Language Processing and Speech Technologies, Programming Languages and Compilers, Security and Privacy and Social Computing are encouraged to apply.

2017 Emerging Scholar Award, Facebook, deadline: 2/28/17; https://research.facebook.com/programs/emerging_scholar_program/.

Academy Scholars Program, The Harvard Academy for International and Area Studies, Watherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, deadline: October 1; http://academy.wcfia.harvard.edu/programs/academy_scholar:
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*Boren Scholarships, deadline: 2/9/17; Boren Fellowships, deadline: 1/31/17.


2017-18 Fellowships, Jack, Joseph and Morton Mandel Center for Advanced Holocaust Studies, deadline: 11/15/16; https://www.ushmm.org/research/competitive-academic-programs/fellowship-competition:
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- Lunch with the President - President Reveley has reserved time on his calendar for lunches with students this semester. Lunches will take place at the President's House on the following dates: Sept. 26th 12:00-1:00 p.m., Oct. 25th 12:30-1:30 p.m. and Nov. 10th 12:30-1:30 p.m. Seating is limited to 10 students per lunch. Interested students should contact Pamela Carroll (pwcarroll@wm.edu) to sign up. Provide 1st and 2nd date choice.

- Chat with the President - President Reveley has reserved time on his calendar to meet with students this semester. 15 minute appointments will take place at the President's office in the Brafferton and are available on the following dates: Sept. 27th 10:00-11:00 a.m., Oct. 24th 3:00-4:00 p.m. and Nov. 9th 11:00-12:00 p.m. Interested students should contact Pamela Carroll (pwcarroll@wm.edu) to sign up. Provide 2st and 2nd date choice.
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ARTS & HUMANITIES:


Residential Fellowships, University of Connecticut Humanities Institute, deadline: January 15;
http://humanities.uconn.edu/faculty-residential-fellowships/.

Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship of Scholars in the Humanities, Stanford University, deadline: 11/15/16;
http://mellonfellows.stanford.edu/apply:
*Comparative Literature; Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity; French and Italian; German Studies; Iberian and Latin America Cultures; Religious Studies; Slavic Languages and Literatures.

SOCIAL SCIENCES:


**Project Grants**, Social Justice Institute, deadlines: November 1, February 1, May 1, August 1; [http://www.sji.gov/grants/project-grants/](http://www.sji.gov/grants/project-grants/).


**SCIENCE & RESEARCH/FEDERAL:**


*NSF limits the IT-Preliminary, Institutional Transformation (IT) to one institutional application – this
program may be subject to internal competition. If are interested in applying, please email 
wozp@wm.edu as soon as possible.

**National Robotics Initiative (NRI), NSF, deadline: 1/12/17;**

**Arctic Resource Opportunities, NSF, deadline: applications accepted anytime;**

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**Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) for Research Initiatives at The Naval Postgraduate School, Naval Supply Systems Command, deadline: 8/31/17;**

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**Department of Defense (DoD) Teen Adventure Camp (TAC Program, USDA/NIFA, deadline: 9/7/16;**


Campus RainWorks Challenge, EPA, deadlines: registration 9/30/16; entries 12/16/16; https://www.epa.gov/green-infrastructure/campus-rainworks-challenge-0.


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2017 Gulf Research Program, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation/The National Academies of Sciences-Engineering-Medicine, deadlines: LOI 10/5/16; full proposal 12/14/16; http://nas.edu/gulf/grants/rwjf/index.htm:

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Grants, The Christopher Reynolds Foundation Inc., deadline: rolling; http://www.creynolds.org/for-grantseekers/:
*The Foundation primarily supports work focusing on: US Relations with Cuba; Needs in Cuba, as defined by Cubans themselves.

Language Grants, The Blakemore Foundation, deadline: 12/30/16; http://www.blakemorefoundation.org/language.html:
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OTHER:

2017 Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship, The National Academies of Sciences-Engineering-Medicine, deadline: competition opens in September, 2016; http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/PGA_047960:
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2017 International Environmental Design Contest, Institute for Energy & Environment (IEE) at New Mexico State University, deadlines: contest registration 12/16/16; other important dates listed on website; https://iee.nmsu.edu/2017-international-environmental-design-contest/.

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Dan David Prize, Dan David Foundation/Tel Aviv University, deadline: 3/10/17; http://www.dandavidprize.org/scholarship-applications.

Graduate Fellowship, National Physical Science Consortium (NPSC), deadline: December 9; http://www.npsc.org/:
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The Science, Mathematics and Research for Transformation (SMART) Scholarship for Service Program, DoD, deadline: 12/1/16; http://smart.asee.org/:
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IDEA Grants, deadline: 10/27/16; 
http://www.wm.edu/offices/diversity/programsandservices/ideagrants/index.php:
IDEA is an acronym for Innovative Diversity Efforts Awards. Grants will be fully funded based on project need. At least three projects will be selected per year. Faculty, staff, students, and organizations across campus are eligible to apply for the grants. Grant awards will depend upon the scope and breadth of the project, but will typically range from $500–$1,500.

ARTS & HUMANITIES:


Presenter Consortium for Jazz, Chamber Music America, deadline: 10/30/16; http://www.chamber-music.org/programs/jazz/grants#I35373.

2017-19 Stegner Fellowships (fiction and poetry), Stanford University, deadline: 12/1/16; http://creativewriting.stanford.edu/about-the-fellowship.

2017-18 Mahindra Humanities Center Postdoctoral Fellows, Harvard, deadline: 12/1/16; http://mahindrahumanities.fas.harvard.edu/content/postdoctoral-fellowships:*topic: migration and the humanities.

2017-18 Pre- and Post-doctoral and Senior Scholar Fellowships in American Art, Smithsonian American art Museum (SAAM) and Renwick Gallery, Smithsonian Institute, deadline: 12/1/16; http://americanart.si.edu/research/opportunity/fellows/.

Fellowships, Fine Arts Work Center, deadlines: writing fellowships, December 1; visual arts fellowships, February 1; http://web.fawc.org/program.


Fellowships, American Institute for Sri Lankan Studies (AISLS), deadline: 12/1/16; http://www.aisls.org/grants/aisls-fellowship-program/.

NEH Fellowship Program for Senior Scholars, Center for Jewish History, deadline: 12/1/16; http://www.cjh.org/p/36.

2017 Smithsonian (visual) Artist Research Fellowship (SARF), Smithsonian Institute, deadlines: nomination deadline, 10/3/16; application deadline 1/9/17; http://www.smithsonianofi.com/fellowship-opportunities/%20smithsonian-artist-research-fellowship-sarf/.

Tanglewood Music Center Fellowship Program, Boston Symphony Orchestra, deadlines vary; https://app.getacceptd.com/tanglewood.


2017 Fellowship Program, The Bibliographical Society of America, deadline: December 1; http://bibsocamer.org/awards/fellowships/.


ArtsLink Visual & Media Art applications, CEC ArtsLink, Inc., deadline: 1/16/17; http://www.cecartslink.org/grants/artslink_projects/.

SOCIAL SCIENCES:


2017-18 Visiting Research Fellowships, Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies, deadline: 12/12/16; http://kroc.nd.edu/research/grants-and-fellowships/apply-visiting-research-fellowships:
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Louisville Grawemeyer Award, Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary and the University of Louisville, nomination deadline: 12/1/16; http://grawemeyer.org/religion/.


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3-Year Tupper Postdoctoral Fellowship, Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute (STRI), Panama, deadline: December 1; [http://www.stri.si.edu/english/education_fellowships/fellowships/tupper.php](http://www.stri.si.edu/english/education_fellowships/fellowships/tupper.php).


University Small Grants Broad Agency Announcement, US Air Force Research Lab, deadline: 4/1/17; [http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppid=161214](http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppid=161214): This BAA is a university grant vehicle that can provide small grants of $100k or less to students/professors in a timely manner for the purpose of engaging U.S./U.S. territories’ colleges and universities in directed energy-related basic, applied, and advanced research projects that are of interest to the Department of Defense.


**FOUNDATION:**

ABF Doctoral/Postdoctoral Fellowships Program in Law & Equity, American Bar Foundation, deadline: 1/1/17; [http://www.americanbarfoundation.org/research/Fellowshipopportunities/LawandSocialScienceDissertationFellowshipMentoringProgram.html](http://www.americanbarfoundation.org/research/Fellowshipopportunities/LawandSocialScienceDissertationFellowshipMentoringProgram.html).

Rockefeller Foundation Bellagio Residency Program, The Rockefeller Foundation, deadlines: academic writing residence, 12/1/16; arts & literary arts residency, 12/1/16; practitioner residencies, rolling basis; [https://www.rockefellerfoundation.org/our-work/bellagio-center/residency-program/](https://www.rockefellerfoundation.org/our-work/bellagio-center/residency-program/).

Increasing Openness and Transparency in Research, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF), deadlines: webinar 9/16/16; LOI 10/5/16; invited full proposal 12/9/16; [http://www.rwjf.org/en/library/funding-opportunities/2016/increasing--openness--and--transparency--in--research.html](http://www.rwjf.org/en/library/funding-opportunities/2016/increasing--openness--and--transparency--in--research.html): **If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact Luiza Newlin-Lukowicz, W&M Development, cfr@wm.edu or 1-1036, to coordinate efforts prior to contacting the Foundation.**

Global Grant Challenges, Round 18, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, deadline: 11/9/16; [http://gcgh.grandchallenges.org/](http://gcgh.grandchallenges.org/): **If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact Luiza Newlin-Lukowicz, W&M Development, cfr@wm.edu or 1-1036, to coordinate efforts prior to contacting the Foundation.**

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Postdoctoral Fellowship Program, The Earth Institute, Columbia University, deadline: 11/1/16; http://www.earth.columbia.edu/articles/view/55.


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*research areas: Next generation security; Network and cloud security; Machine learning and data mining.*

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**Dissertation Diversity Fellowships**, School of Humanities and Sciences, Ithaca College, deadline: 11/30/16; [http://www.ithaca.edu/hs/disdiversityfellow](http://www.ithaca.edu/hs/disdiversityfellow):  
*Applications are welcome in the following areas/departments: Art History, the Center for the Study of Race, Culture and Ethnicity, Communication Studies, Philosophy, Religion, Sociology, along with Women’s and Gender Studies. The School of Humanities and Sciences houses additional interdisciplinary minors that may be of interest to candidates: African Diaspora Studies, Latina/o Studies, Jewish Studies, Latin American Studies, Asian American Studies, Muslim Cultures, Native American Studies and Women’s Studies.*

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Community of Scholars Fund, no deadline;  
http://www.wm.edu/as/charlescenter/scholars/communityfund/index.php:  
Mini-grants from the Community of Scholars Fund are available to faculty, staff, and students to encourage intellectual interaction between faculty and students outside the classroom. Possible uses for this funding include book or film discussion groups; or trips to lectures, museums, performances, laboratories, or field sites, including associated travel and/or meal expenses.

Distinguished Lectures in International Studies, rolling deadline,  
http://www.wm.edu/offices/revescenter/funding/facultyfunding/lectures/index.php:  
The Reves Center for International Studies is pleased to help support internationally-focused public lectures and performances. Funding is available to William & Mary faculty who wish to host distinguished scholars, artists, and practitioners whose public events and visits will contribute to international education at the university.

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Funding is available to support William & Mary faculty who are hosting on-campus professional conferences that will contribute to international education at the College. Proposals making use of the university’s Washington, D.C. Office are also welcome.

Faculty International Conference Travel Grants, rolling deadline,  
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Funding offers grants of up to $500 for W&M faculty who are presenting papers at international conferences or presenting papers on international, global or trans-national topics at conferences in the US.

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http://www.wm.edu/as/center-liberal-arts/faculty-programs/coll-innovation-grants/index.php:  
The Center For Liberal Arts is pleased to solicit proposals from faculty seeking financial support to pursue an on or off-campus activity relevant to the COLL curriculum. This includes all COLL courses: 100, 150, 200, 300, future 300, and 400.

ARTS & HUMANITIES:

Luce/ACLS Program in Religion, Journalism & International Affairs Fellowships, ACLS, deadline: 10/26/16;  
http://www.acls.org/programs/LuceRJIAfellowships/.

Non-Fiction Residency, Carey Institute for Global Good, deadlines: preapplication October 7/invited full application November 4; preapplication May 15/invited application June 15;  
http://careyinstitute.org/programs/nonfiction/nonfiction-residency/.

Poetry Out Loud: 2018 National Finals Competition, NEA, deadline: 1/5/17;  

2017-18 Bard Graduate Center Fellowships, Bard Graduate Center: Decorative Arts, Design History, Material Culture, deadline: 11/1/16; http://www.bgc.bard.edu/research/fellowships/bgc-research-fellowship.html.


A Verville Fellowship, Smithsonian National Air and Space Museum, deadline: January 15; https://airandspace.si.edu/support/get-involved/fellowships/verville.


SOCIAL SCIENCES:


The Literate Village (Beheira and Sohag), Egypt USAID-Cairo, deadline: 10/10/16; http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=288289.


Grants and Research Program, National Endowment for Financial Education (NEFE), deadlines: first Tuesday in June, first Tuesday in December annually; [http://www.nefe.org/what-we-provide/research-funding/grant-guidelines.aspx](http://www.nefe.org/what-we-provide/research-funding/grant-guidelines.aspx): *inquiries encouraged from these disciplines: behavior, marketing, economics, finance, neuroscience, education, sociology, change theory, psychology, decision sciences and others.*


**SCIENCE & RESEARCH/FEDERAL:**


Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Research on E-Cigarettes (R01), NIH, deadlines: LOI 30 days prior to application due date; 1/17/17 full application deadline; http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HL-17-021.html.


**Enrico Fermi Fellowship**, Argonne National Laboratory, DOE, deadline: 10/14/16; http://www.anl.gov/careers/apply-job/argonne-fellowships.


**Common Heterogeneous Integration and IP Reuse Strategies (CHIPS)**, DARPA, deadline: 12/16/16; http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=289238.

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http://vaseagrant.vims.edu/fellowships-internships/2017-commonwealth-coastal-marine-policy-fellowship/:  
The goal of the Fellowship is to develop and support exceptional post-graduates by partnering them with an agency mentor where they receive on-the-job training and hone their professional skills, while improving the stewardship of the Commonwealth’s coastal and marine resources. The program also aims to increase the capacity of the host agencies by supporting fellows who are working on mission-relevant programs, and leveraging the knowledge and capacity of Virginia’s academic institutions.

Baird Society Resident Scholar Program, Smithsonian Libraries, deadline: 1/15/17;  
http://library.si.edu/about/internships-and-fellowships/fellowships/baird-society-resident-scholar-program.

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