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OSP Updates and Funding Opportunities Announcement

May 2022

OSP Announcements and Reminders

Important OSP Process Updates

Revised Subrecipient Payment Process and Workflow

As discussed in April's OSP Exchange, we are incorporating OSP approval into the Subrecipient invoice payment workflow through PeopleSoft.

Uniform Guidance requires Boston College to conform with its subrecipient regulations (Refer to 2 CFR 200.330 for details). Boston College could be subject to a federal audit and any non-compliance could result in substantial fines and penalties and expose the University to increased federal scrutiny and regulatory compliance.

As a result of our internal subrecipient audit, new internal controls have been put in place regarding the processing of sponsored funded subrecipient invoice payments, effective June 1st, 2022, the start of FY23.

Notable changes and enforcements within the subrecipient invoice payment process are as follows:

1. OSP will be inserted into the PeopleSoft workflow to review the invoice payment for allocability, allowability, budget, and PI attestations.

2. All Subrecipient invoice payment requests must be accompanied by a completed OSP Subrecipient Invoice Checklist to ensure proper internal controls and reviews have taken place at the departmental level.

The new Subrecipient Invoice Checklist can be found here:

https://www.bc.edu/content/dam/files/research/osp/April22_Subrecipient_Invoice_Checklist.pdf

You may also access this form via our website at www.bc.edu/osp by navigating to "Assistance Documentation and Forms", under *Subcontract Forms*.

3. All invoices must be reviewed and signed off by BC's Principal Investigator, certifying their approval and attesting to the charges from the subrecipient.

4. A newly created subrecipient invoice process flowchart diagram can be found here:

https://www.bc.edu/content/dam/files/research/osp/Subrecipient_Invoice_Payment_Process_Flowchart.pdf

You may also access this form via our website at www.bc.edu/osp by navigating to "Assistance Documentation and Forms", under *Subcontract Forms*.

5. Below are the steps to be followed within the subrecipient invoice approval process:
- a. Department Research Administrator sets up the PO in PeopleSoft for the awarded amount for the budget period.
 - b. Department Research Administrator uploads a copy of the signed subaward agreement with the PO Requisition Request in PeopleSoft.
 - c. Department Research Administrator monitors for timely receipt of subrecipient invoices.
 - d. Department Research Administrator reviews invoices against OSP Subrecipient Invoice Checklist.
 - e. Department Research Administrator forwards subrecipient invoice, supporting documentation and completed OSP Subrecipient Invoice Checklist to Principal Investigator.
 - f. Principal Investigator approves invoices as evidenced by signature including PI attestation certification statement.
 - g. Department Research Administrator uploads the signed subrecipient invoice, subrecipient invoice checklist, and any supporting documentation into PeopleSoft for payment processing.
 - h. OSP reviews and approves subrecipient invoice for payment in PeopleSoft
 - i. Procurement creates payment and sends to subrecipient.
 - j. Department Research Administrator verifies proper posting of invoices by timely reviewing TDR/ACR reports.

For questions, please contact **Miranda Pantano**, Associate Director for International Grants & Subawards at miranda.pantano@bc.edu

Important Reminder

New Unique Entity ID (SAM)

As a reminder, the Federal government will transition away from the use of the DUNS Number and toward the new Unique Entity ID as the primary means of entity identification for Federal awards government-wide.

Boston College's new UEI number is MJ3JH8CRJBZ7

A Message from the NSF

Pre & Post Award Disclosures Relating to Biosketches and Current and Pending Support

Dear Colleagues:

NSF has issued an updated version of the table entitled *NSF Pre-award and Post-award Disclosures Relating to the Biographical Sketch and Current and Pending Support*. The table dated April 20, 2022 updates information on postdoctoral scholars, students, or visiting scholars and differentiates between research activities that are intended for use on the project/proposal being proposed and those that are not. A definition of honorarium also has been added to the table. In addition, the [Frequently Asked Questions Regarding Current and Pending Support](#) have been updated and new questions have been added.

Any questions regarding these updates should be directed to the Policy Office at policy@nsf.gov.

Spring 2022 NSF Virtual Grants Conference – Save the Date

Save the Date! Join the National Science Foundation (NSF) for the **Spring 2022 NSF Virtual Grants Conference**, to be held during the week of **June 6 - 10, 2022**.

Registration will be free of charge and opens on **Wednesday, May 11 at 12 p.m. EST**. We anticipate the sessions will reach capacity very quickly, so we encourage you to register as soon as possible. Be on the lookout for our *Registration is Open* email, which will provide the registration links and details for this event.

In the meantime, please feel free to check nspfolicyoutreach.com for the most up-to-date information and view [recordings](#) of sessions from previous conferences. You may also view the Fall 2021 Virtual Grants Conference recordings on our [YouTube](#) page. For those who cannot attend the live conference, **all recorded conference sessions will be available on-demand** shortly after the event and posted on our [website](#) and our [YouTube](#) page.

If you have any logistical questions about this virtual conference, please contact us at: grants_conference@nsf.gov

Government Funding Opportunities

Please contact your Department Research Administrator or [OSP Team Representative](#) if you need assistance with the application.

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Humanities Collections and Reference Resources

National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH)

Deadline
June 7, 2022

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Major Collaborative Archival Initiatives

National Archives and Records Administration (NARA)

Deadline
June 8, 2022

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Ethical, Legal, and Social Implications (ELSI) of Genomics Research Project Grant Program (R01 Clinical Trial Optional)

United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Deadline
June 17, 2022

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Summer Stipends

National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH)

Deadline
September 21, 2022

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SOCIAL SCIENCES

Improving Corrections Data Analysis - Virtual Academies

United States Department of Justice (DOJ)

Deadline
June 1, 2022

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Public Health Scholarship Program

United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Deadline
June 1, 2022

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Rehabilitation Engineering Research Centers (RERC) Program: RERC on Recreational, Sport, and Exercise Technologies for People with Disabilities

United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Deadline
June 13, 2022

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International Corrections Training

United States Department of Justice (DOJ)
(LIMITED SUBMISSION)

Deadline
June 16, 2022

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Rural Microentrepreneur Assistance Program (RMAP)

Deadline
June 30, 2022

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United States Department of Agriculture
(USDA)

**Innovative Technology Experiences for
Students and Teachers (ITEST)**

National Science Foundation (NSF)

Deadline
August 12, 2022

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SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, AND HEALTH

**Partnerships for Rapid Diagnostics and
Phenotypic Antibacterial Susceptibility
Testing for Bacteremia or Hospital
Acquired Pneumonia (R01 Clinical Trial
Not Allowed)**

*United States Department of Health and
Human Services (HHS)*

Deadline
June 1, 2022

[Learn more](#)

**Promoting Research on Music and
Health: Phased Innovation Award for
Music Interventions (R61/R33 Clinical
Trial Optional)**

*United States Department of Health and
Human Services (HHS)*

Deadline
June 2, 2022

[Learn more](#)

**Academic-Industrial Partnerships (AIP)
to Translate and Validate In Vivo
Imaging Systems (R01 Clinical Trial
Optional)**

*United States Department of Health and
Human Services (HHS)*

Deadline
June 5, 2022

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**Basic Research in Cancer Health
Disparities (R01 Clinical Trial Not
Allowed)**

*United States Department of Health and
Human Services (HHS)*

Deadline
June 5, 2022

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**Scientific Cooperation Research
Program (SCRIP)**

*United States Department of Agriculture
(USDA)*

Deadline
June 6, 2022

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**ROSES 2022: Economic, Social, and
Policy Analyses of Orbital Debris and
Space Sustainability**

*National Aeronautics and Space
Administration (NASA)*

Deadline
June 17, 2022

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Campus Cyberinfrastructure (CC*)

National Science Foundation (NSF)

Deadline
June 27, 2022

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Partnerships for Innovation (PFI)

National Science Foundation (NSF)
(LIMITED SUBMISSION)

Deadline
July 13, 2022

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**Infrastructure Capacity for Biological
Research (Capacity)**

National Science Foundation (NSF)

You can apply for
this opportunity at
any time.

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[Department of Defense](#)
[Pivot-RP](#)

Foundation and Corporate Grants

Please contact [BC Corporation and Foundation Relations Office](#) if you would like to pursue any of the following corporate or foundation funding opportunities. The team can provide assistance with writing, editing, institutional information, and application submission.

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Scholar-in-Residence (S-I-R) Program
Institute of International Education (IIE)

Deadline
June 1, 2022

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Communication and Public Opinion Grants
United States-Japan Foundation (USJF)

Deadline
July 15, 2022

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SOCIAL SCIENCES

Quarterly Grant Program
NASDAQ OMX Educational Foundation, Inc.

Deadline
May 31, 2022

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William T. Grant Scholars Program
William T. Grant Foundation
(LIMITED SUBMISSION)

Deadline
June 15, 2022

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Private Higher Education and Interfaith Leadership & Religious Literacy
Arthur Vining Davis Foundations

Deadline
August 26, 2022

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SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, AND HEALTH

Electronic Monitoring and Reporting
National Fish and Wildlife Foundation (NFWF)

Deadline
June 7, 2022

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Ocean Health Grants
11th Hour Racing

Deadline
June 15, 2022

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Stein Innovation Awards
Research to Prevent Blindness (RPB)
(LIMITED SUBMISSION)

Deadline
June 15, 2022

[Learn more](#)

Henry Dreyfus Teacher-Scholar Awards Program
Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation, Inc.
(LIMITED SUBMISSION)

Deadline
August 5, 2022

[Learn more](#)

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