

Expanding and Diversifying the Extramural Funding Portfolio

Finding Funding Opportunities

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Strategy to Grow Extramural Funding

- Added 1.0 FTE (June 2019)
- Built database of expertise (5 departments, 8 centers)
- Identify potential sources of funding, based on PI's keywords
 - Funding Institutional
 - Grants.gov
 - Agency sites



Searches Tracked

- Date shared
- PI name, department
- Sponsor
- FOA or program name
- Deadline
- Response date 
- Decision date 
- Link to FOA



Tracking Tool

Date email sent	PI FirstName	PI LastName	Department	Sponsor	RFP or Program Name	Deadline	Response/ acknowledged?	Decided to apply?	Decision date	Notes	Link to RFP	
6/28/2019			HSRA	DoD	Health Services Research Initiative	8/23/2019		No Response			https://www.grants.gov/	
7/1/2019			HP	Robert Wood Johnson Fd	Reduce Tobacco Inequities	8/29/2019		No Response			at https://www.rwjf.org/	
7/2/2019			EAOH	NIH	RFA-ES-16-005	8/1/2019	7/2/2019	No Response			https://grants.nih.gov/	
7/5/2019			HP	NIH	PAR-19-093	10/28/2019		No Response			https://grants.nih.gov/	
7/8/2019			HP	NIH	NOT-MD-19-024	11/15/2019		No Response			https://grants.nih.gov/	
7/11/2019			EPI	DHS	Terrorism Prevention and Counterterrorism Research COE	9/13/2019	7/12/2019	No	7/12/2019		https://www.grants.gov/	
7/12/2019			BIOS	NSF	Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases	11/20/2019		No Response			https://www.nsf.gov/	
7/12/2019			CRHD	NSF	Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases	11/20/2019	7/14/2019	No	7/14/2019		https://www.nsf.gov/	
7/12/2019			EPI	NSF	Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases	11/20/2019		No Response			https://www.nsf.gov/	
7/22/2019			HP	NSF	Developmental Sciences	1/15/2020	7/22/2019	No Response			https://www.nsf.gov/	
7/22/2019			BIOS	NSF	Statistics	12/15/2019	7/22/2019	No Response			https://www.nsf.gov/	
7/23/2019			CRHD	NIH	PA-18-162	10/16/2019	8/27/2019	No	8/27/2019		https://grants.nih.gov/	
7/23/2019			HP	NIH	PA-18-162	10/16/2019	7/23/2019	Yes	7/23/2019	June 2020	https://grants.nih.gov/	



Shared Opportunities

FY2020		
Quarter	#	Discrete Agencies
1	33	10
2	70	13
3	93	13
4	57	11
TOTAL	253	



Benefits

- Allowed me to learn about expertise
- Established my role to support additional submissions
- Partnerships across College



Challenges

- Submission data is from third party
- Submissions and awards do not = full story
- High volume “seasons”



Next Steps

- Disseminating in quarterly report (1st RQR in October 2020)
- 1 year of baseline data
 - Track resultant submissions
 - Track awards
- Build annual calendar



Questions?

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