Research Funding Opportunities

**Organization:** DARPA  **Solicitation Name:** Young Faculty Award  **Due Date:** TBD

**Summary:** Webcast September 25, 2020. The Proposers Day will be held via prerecorded webcast on September 25, 2020 from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM. Advance registration is required for viewing the webcast. Note, all times listed in this announcement and on the registration website are Eastern Time. The goals of the YFA 2021 Proposers Day are to (a) introduce the research community (Academia, and Non-Profit) to the YFA 2021 program vision and goals; (b) explain the mechanics of a DARPA program and the milestones of this particular effort; and (c) encourage and promote teaming arrangements among potential organizations that have the relevant expertise, facilities, and capabilities for executing a research and development program responsive to the YFA 2021 program goals. DARPA anticipates releasing the YFA 2021 RA in early September 2020.

**Link:** [https://beta.sam.gov/opp/90a48aebe0884544be6714623bd11c3b/view#general](https://beta.sam.gov/opp/90a48aebe0884544be6714623bd11c3b/view#general)

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**Organization:** NSF  **Solicitation Name:** PFE: Research Initiation in Engineering Formation  **Due Date:** November 10, 2020

**Summary:** The PFE: Research Initiation in Engineering Formation (PFE: RIEF) program has two goals: 1) Support research in the Professional Formation of Engineers (PFE), and 2) Increase the community of researchers conducting PFE research. PIs are expected to have little or no experience conducting social science or education research. PFE: RIEF is not intended for established researchers in engineering education or other social science fields to initiate new projects.


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**Organization:** NSF  **Solicitation Name:** Partnerships for Innovation (PFI) Program  **Due Date:** January 13, 2013

**Summary:** The Partnerships for Innovation (PFI) Program within the Division of Industrial Innovation and Partnerships (IIP) offers researchers from all disciplines of science and engineering funded by NSF the opportunity to perform translational research and technology development, catalyze partnerships and accelerate the transition of discoveries from the laboratory to the marketplace for societal benefit.


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**COVID-19 FUNDING**

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