

Finding External Funding Opportunities

GSU's University Research Services & Administration (URSA) website offers many resources which provide up-to-date information on external funding opportunities:

Funding Databases: <http://ursa.research.gsu.edu/ursa/funding/funding-opportunities/funding-databases/>

These online resources provide a searchable record of the latest funding announcements from various sponsoring agencies (federal, non-federal and non-profit).

- **COS PIVOT Database:** COS is one of the most comprehensive databases of funding opportunities from government and private sources covering most disciplines. COS is available to GSU faculty, research staff, postdocs, and graduate students.
- **Federal Databases:** Including Grants.gov, FedBizOps, CFDA.gov
- **Non-Profit Databases:** Including the Foundation Center and Community Foundation Locator.

Sponsor Websites: <http://ursa.research.gsu.edu/ursa/funding/funding-opportunities/external-funding/funding-agencies/>

Federal agencies such as NIH, NSF, DOE and many other federal and non-federal sponsors list current funding opportunities directly on their websites.

Funding Alerts: <http://ursa.research.gsu.edu/ursa/funding/funding-opportunities/external-funding/funding-alerts/>

Subscribe to receive email or RSS alerts about new funding opportunities. GSU also hosts a bi-weekly Funding Opportunities ListServ: <http://ursa.research.gsu.edu/ursa/funding/funding-opportunities/join-funding-ops-listserv/>

Databases for Awards Made:

<http://ursa.research.gsu.edu/ursa/funding/funding-opportunities/external-funding/databases-for-awards-made/>

These databases can help you identify the types of research that sponsor agencies are currently funding.

A Note on Limited Submissions - Many funding agencies offer opportunities that restrict the number of applicants from an institution. URSA manages the proposals that Georgia State University submits to limited submission competitions to ensure the most qualified applications are submitted. Learn more about how this process works at: <http://ursa.research.gsu.edu/ursa/funding/funding-opportunities/limited-submissions/>