

**Funding Opportunities for R&D and Evaluation of Education Interventions and Products
Across the Federal Government
Last Updated June 2019**

Program	Key Information	Timeline	POC
ED ED/IES SBIR – Small Business Innovation Research	\$1.1M to for-profit firms for R&D and evaluation of innovative commercially viable ed-tech products for students, teachers, and administrators, across many areas in education and special education.	Next RFP winter 2020	Edward.Metz@ed.gov
ED IES Research Grants Program	\$1.4M to \$3.3M (mainly to universities or non-profits) for basic research, R&D of interventions and assessments, and evaluation across many topics in education.	Next RFA early summer 2019	Edward.Metz@ed.gov
ED IES Special Education Grants Program	\$1.4M to \$3.3M (mainly to universities or non-profits) for basic research, R&D of interventions and assessments, and evaluation across many topics in special education.	Next RFA early summer 2019	Sarah.Brasiel@ed.gov
ED Ready to Learn Television	\$27M for public telecommunications entities to create and distribute educational television and digital media for children ages 2-8, especially those from low-income households.	Next RFA late spring 2020	Brian.Lekander@ed.gov
ED OSEP Stepping Up Technology Implementation	\$1.5M (3 grants, \$500,000 each per year/5 years) to effectively implement research-based technology tools that benefit students with disabilities and develop and disseminate products for a broad range of schools.	Next RFA late Spring 2019	Terry.Jackson@ed.gov
ED OSEP National Center on Accessible Educational Materials for Learning	\$1.2M per year for 5 years to provide TA to increase the capacity of stakeholders to use AEM and related technologies.	Next RFA late Spring 2019	Tara.Courchaine@ed.gov
NIH Omnibus Solicitation for Small Business Innovation Research Grant Applications	\$1.75M for IDM STEM resources that address P-12 student career choice or health and medicine topics for the community	OPEN NOW 9/5/19. Next FOA late fall 2019. Due dates Jan 5, Apr 5, Sept 5 each year	Tony Beck Beckl@mail.nih.gov
NIH Interactive Digital Media STEM (SBIR/STTR)	\$1.75M for IDM STEM resources that address P-12 student career choice or health and medicine topics for the community.	OPEN NOW Application due date 9/5/19. Next FOA late fall 2019	Tony Beck Beckl@mail.nih.gov
NIH Science Education Partnership Award	\$1.35M/5 years for: development of innovative educational activities for P-12 teachers and students or interactive science center/museum health exhibits.	OPEN NOW until July 9, 2019. Next FOA late fall 2019	Tony Beck Beckl@mail.nih.gov
IMLS Museums for America	\$5 to \$250K for projects that strengthen the ability of an individual museum to serve its public. Lifelong Learning category	Next NOFO Summer 2019	Helen Wechsler hwechsler@imls.gov

IMLS National Leadership Program	\$50K to \$1M for projects that address critical needs of the museum field and that have the potential to advance practice in the profession so that museums can improve services for the American public. Digital Platforms and Applications category.	Next NOFO Summer 2019	Helen Wechsler hwechsler@imls.gov
NEH Digital Projects for the Public	\$30,000 - \$300,000 to supports projects that interpret and analyze humanities content in primarily digital platforms and formats. The projects must be designed to attract broad public audiences and incorporate sound humanities scholarship.	Next Deadline: 06/12/19	Jeff Hardwick jhardwick@neh.gov ; Marc Ruppel mruppel@neh.gov
NSF ITEST Innovative Technology Experiences for Students and Teachers	ITEST is an applied research and development program providing direct student learning opportunities in pre-kindergarten through high school. ITEST seeks proposals that pursue innovative instructional approaches and practices.	Next Deadline 8/19/19	DRLITEST@nsf.gov
NSF DRK-12 Discovery Research PreK-12	DRK-12 seeks to enhance the learning and teaching of STEM by preK-12 students and teachers, through research and development of STEM education innovations and approaches.	Next Deadline 11/13/19	drlrdrk12@nsf.gov
NSF AISL Advancing Informal STEM Learning	The AISL program seeks to advance new approaches to and evidence-based understanding of the design and development of STEM learning opportunities for the public in informal environments.	Next Deadline 11/6/19	drlaisl@nsf.gov
NSF SBIR Program	\$1.5M for early stage R&D of innovation education technology products.	June & December submissions	Rajesh Mehta; rmehhta@nsf.gov
NSF ECR EHR Core Research	ECR Core invites proposals for fundamental research (basic research or use-inspired basic research) that advances knowledge in one or more of the three Research Tracks: STEM Learning and Learning Environments, Research on Broadening Participation in STEM fields, and Research on STEM Workforce Development	Next Deadline 10/3/19	ECR@nsf.gov
NSF ECR: BCSER : EHR Core Research (ECR): Building Capacity in STEM	ECR: BCSER supports activities that enable early and mid-career researchers to acquire the requisite expertise and skills to conduct rigorous fundamental research in STEM education.	Next Deadline 6/7/19	ECRBCSER@nsf.gov
NSF CSforAll: RPP Computer Science for All	This program aims to provide <i>all</i> U.S. students the opportunity to participate in computer science (CS) and computational thinking (CT) education in their schools at the preK-12 levels. This solicitation focuses on researcher-practitioner partnerships (RPPs) that foster the research and development needed to bring CS and CT to all schools.	Next deadline 2/11/20	Karen King kking@nsf.gov

NSF Cyberlearning for Work at the Human-Technology Frontier	Funds exploratory and synergistic research in learning technologies to prepare learners to excel in work at the human-technology frontier.	Next deadline 1/13/20	Cyberlearning- WHTF@nsf.gov
HHS/ACL/NIDILRR SBIR	Offers 6-month \$100K Phase I grants and 2-year \$575K Phase II to for-profit U.S. businesses to R&D innovative commercially viable products and services designed to meet the needs of individuals with all types of disabilities across the age span.	Next RFA: mid-fall	Brian.Bard@ acl.hhs.gov