New IRB Application Update

The IRB has successfully shifted to a new online process effective January 17th. Check out the manual and new web page launched on the GO website!

Funding Opportunity:
NSF – Transforming Undergraduate Education in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (TUES)

The National Science Foundation’s TUES program supports efforts to create, adapt, and disseminate new learning materials and teaching strategies to reflect advances both in STEM disciplines and in what is known about teaching and learning.

The program funds projects that:

- develop faculty expertise
- implement educational innovations
- assess learning and evaluate innovations
- prepare K-12 teachers
- conduct research on STEM teaching and learning, or
- supports projects that further the work of the program itself (for example, synthesis and dissemination of findings across the program).

The next application deadline is May 29, 2012.

R&PD Applications Being Accepted

Research and Professional Development funding is for research, community service, planning, proposal writing, and professional development which prepares for seeking outside funding.

Applications are due in the Grants Office no later than 4:30pm on Wednesday, February 15, 2012.

Day of Scholarship!

Visit the Grants Office’s Day of Scholarship page for details! Include March 22, 2012 into your syllabus as a day of learning.

New this year will be Round Table discussions. This year’s event promises to be a fantastic gathering of scholarly ideas! The event will take place in the new Campus Center and include some classroom space within F-Wing. Plan to attend March 22.

Grant Tip of the Month!

Continuing from the December 2011 issue of Fund Times, below are a few more helpful tips on garnering the time needed to write a successful proposal.

- Contact the Grants Office with your project idea early, as the staff may know of programs that can fund your work or will help you conduct a funding search using the Grants Resource Center.
- Look for funding opportunities with deadlines that allow you to work on your proposal during the winter break or summer, which will allow you to dedicate uninterrupted time to proposal development.
- Consider applying to the R&PD Internal Award program to fund your summer proposal writing (as an alternative to teaching summer courses)

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