



Florida Atlantic University Foundation, Inc Funding opportunities

Agriculture

- [Foundation for Food & Agriculture Research](#) – **Sustainable Packaging Innovation Lab**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National & International
 - Deadline: February 12, 2025
 - Up to 20 awards of between \$50k - \$250k.
 - This grant seeks sustainable packaging or alternatives that can replace single use packaging and plastic economically.

Arts

- [Graham Foundation](#) – **Advances Studies in the Fine Arts**
 - Limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: Application will be available January 15, and due February 25, 2025
 - Awarding up to \$30k
 - The foundation's priorities include assisting with the production and presentation of significant programs about architecture and the designed environment to promote dialogue, raising awareness, and developing new and wider audiences.
- [Wallace Foundation](#) – **Founded by/with/for Communities of Color: Research-Practice Partnerships**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: LOI due January 20, 2025
 - Awarding budgets of up to \$500k for up to three years in duration.
 - The purpose of this grant is to support research studies that can address important unanswered questions related to the organizational well-being of arts organizations of color.
 - Please cc foundationrelations@fau.edu if an LOI is emailed to the Wallace Foundation.



Environment

- [Restore America's Estuaries](#) – **National Estuaries Program Watersheds Grants**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: LOI due January 17, 2025
 - Awards range from \$200k - \$500k.
 - Only certain areas of Florida are eligible, please check link for specifics.
 - Applicants are encouraged to set up a 1:1 discussion with the program director via Calendly.
 - Projects must address at least one of the following priorities:
 - Loss of key habitats resulting in significant impacts on fisheries and water quality such as seagrass, mangroves, tidal and freshwater wetlands, forested wetlands, kelp beds, shellfish beds, and coral reefs
 - Coastal resilience and extreme weather events including flooding and coastal erosion related to sea level rise, changing precipitation, warmer waters, or salt marsh, seagrass, or wetland degradation or loss and accelerated land loss
 - Impacts of nonpoint source pollution, excess nutrients and warmer water temperatures on aquatic life and ecosystems, including low dissolved oxygen conditions in estuarine waters.
- [National Fish and Wildlife Foundation](#) – **Five Star and Urban Waters Restoration Grant**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: January 30, 2025
 - 40 grants are awarded per year. Awards will range from \$30k - \$60k.
 - Projects should increase access to the benefits of nature, reduce the impact of environmental hazards, and engage local communities, particularly underserved communities, in project planning, outreach and implementation.
- [V. Kann Rasmussen Foundation](#) - **Nature-Centrism as a Lens for Organizational Behavior and Decision-Making**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: February 3, 2025
 - The foundation's total grantmaking budget for the spring 2025 funding round is \$6 million, and they anticipate funding 12 to 15 projects.



- This call for proposals focuses on nature-centric decision-making, in which nature's inherent value becomes a central principle and informs institutions' practices across their activities

Fellowship

- [Foundation for Food & Agriculture Research](#) – **Disruptive Fertilizer Technology Fellowship Program**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: January 29, 2025
 - Awardees will receive \$75k and will cover 12 – 24 months of funding to conduct projects.
 - This program aims to provide early-career scientists with opportunities to advance research on precision fertilizer application methods, nutrient recommendation methods, and guidance on land applications of animal waste to customize and enhance fertilizer efficiency.

Health

- [Global Action to End Smoking](#) – **Advancing Innovative Smoking Cessation Through Dissemination, Implementation & Training Grants**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National & International
 - Deadline: January 17, 2025
 - Grants of up to \$500,000 over a maximum of 12 months will be awarded.
 - This grant funds and empowers health and science research, cessation education, and agricultural transformation designed to end the smoking epidemic and related death and disease.
- [American Board of Medical Specialties](#) – **Research Education Foundation Grants**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: LOI due January 31, 2025
 - Grants of up to \$300k will be awarded.



- The ABMS REF is seeking original research proposals that provide insights into achieving and maintaining competency standards for certification by the 24 ABMS Member Boards, and that inform improvements in the structures, processes, and outcomes of medical specialty certification.

Medical Research

- [American Society of Transplant Surgeons](#) – **Faculty Development Grant**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: February 5, 2025
 - Awarding \$50k per year for 2 years.
 - Open to all proposal topics. This grant is for a junior faculty member in the development of transplant research to facilitate further funding.
- [Arthritis National Research Foundation](#) – **All Arthritis Research Grant**
 - Limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: January 24, 2025
 - Awarding up to \$250k to be funded for 2 years.
 - This grant is for all types of applications relating to arthritis and related autoimmune disease research. “Our goal is to support exceptional researchers at the key point in their career as they transition to independence to allow them the resources to make significant advances in research of arthritis and related autoimmune disease.”
- [The ASCO Foundation](#) – **Young Investigator Award in Primary Brain Tumors**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National & International
 - Deadline: January 31, 2025
 - Awarding \$50k for one-year funding.
 - This grant aims to provide funding to promising investigators to encourage and promote quality research in all focus areas of primary brain tumor research to advance the understanding and treatment of brain tumors.
- [The ASO Foundation](#) – **Anna Braglia Endowed Young Investigator Award**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National & International



- Deadline: January 31, 2025
- Awarding \$50k for one-year funding.
- This is a mentored award, and the research project is conducted under the guidance of an experienced mentor in the proposed research area. Applications in all areas of cancer research are accepted from U.S. and international applicants.
- [American Association for Cancer Research](#) – **KidneyCAN Kidney Cancer Innovation and Discovery Grants Program**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National & International
 - Deadline: February 18, 2025
 - This grant provides \$50k over one year for expenses related to the research project.
 - The program is looking for creative approaches to translate basic research into new treatment options for kidney cancer.
- [Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation](#) – **Prevention Research**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National & International
 - Deadline: LOI due February 3, 2025
 - Awarding grants of up to \$5M for clinical trials based on stage and scope of research.
 - The grant seeks to support precision prevention studies, combination therapy studies, and comparative effectiveness research that explore whether the use or choice of interventions may reduce the risk of Alzheimer's disease or other dementias.
- [The Brain Foundation](#) – **Research to Benefit Individuals with Autism**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: January 20, 2025
 - Max budget allowed is \$90k per year for 2 years.
 - This request is in support of research that leads to the development of effective therapeutics to improve the functioning of individuals with neuro-developmental disorders, including autism spectrum disorders.
- [The ASCO Foundation](#) – **Young Investigator Award in Drug Development**
 - Not limited



- Geographical giving scope: National & International
- Deadline: January 31, 2025
- Total award amount is \$60,000 for one year.
- This grant aims to provide funding to promising investigators to encourage and promote quality research in clinical oncology with a focus on drug development, from discovery to development of new therapeutic drugs for cancer treatment.
- [Children's Tumor Foundation](#) – **Drug Discovery Initiative**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National & International
 - Deadline: February 3, 2025
 - Granting funding of up to \$200k for up to two years.
 - This grant aims to fund researchers proposing to investigate novel or repurposing therapies for NF (neurofibromatosis) Applications must fall into one of the two categories:
 - Support early-stage testing of therapeutic compounds for the treatment of NF.
 - Support the validation of a novel NF target.

Mental Health

- [Human Animal Bond Research Institute](#) – **Addressing Evidence-Based Health Benefits of Human-Animal Interaction**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National & International
 - Deadline: February 13, 2025
 - Six grants are awarded for up to \$49k over 20 months.
 - The foundation is looking for proposals that investigate the health outcomes of pet ownership and/or animal-assisted interventions, both for the people and the animals involved.



Nursing

- [The Rita Hillman and Alex Foundation](#) – **Hillman Emergent Innovation**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: LOI due February 18, 2025
 - This foundation awards up to five 12-18 month \$50k grants.
 - This program seeks proposals for innovative, early-stage nursing-driven interventions.
- [The Rita Hillman and Alex Foundation](#) - **Hillman Emergent Innovation: Serious Illness and End of Life**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: LOI due February 18, 2025
 - This foundation awards up to ten 12-18 month \$50k grants.
 - This program aims to accelerate the development of bold, early-stage (untested or minimal-evidence) interventions focused on serious illness and end-of-life care.

Science/Technology

- [AI Safety Fund](#) – **Cybersecurity AI Research**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National & International
 - Deadline: February 8, 2025
 - Awards will range between \$350k - \$600k.
 - This grant will support technical research that evaluates potential risks and develops safety measures for AI systems operating in cybersecurity contexts.

Social Science

- [Harry Frank Guggenheim Foundation](#) – **Emerging Scholar Awards**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National & International
 - Deadline: February 8, 2025



- Awarding \$25k for one year. Applicant must be a Ph.D. candidate entering the dissertation stage of graduate study.
- The Foundation supports research that investigates the basic mechanisms in the production of violence. Primacy is given to proposals that make a compelling case for the relevance of potential findings for policies intended to reduce these ills.



Recurring

Arts

- [KRESS](#) – **History of Art Grants**
 - Not limited
 - Deadline: September 1st, December 15th, and March 1st
 - Awards range between \$10,000 - \$100,000
 - The History of Art Grants program supports scholarly projects that will enhance the appreciation and understanding of European works of art and architecture from antiquity to the early 19th century.

Criminal Justice

- [Arnold Ventures](#) – **Innovation Days**
 - Not limited
 - Deadline: on a rolling basis
 - This grant aims to bring researchers and practitioners together about solutions to pressing criminal justice problems.
 - This grant will support expenses for hosting meetings, travel/lodging, event deliverable production and personnel time for event planning.

- [Arnold Ventures](#) – **Causal Research on Community Safety and the Criminal Justice System**

- Not limited
- Deadline: LOIs can be submitted at any time.
- Median budget of \$500,000 to fund for a 3-4 year period.
- This proposal seeks LOIs to conduct causal research projects of policies, practices, and interventions related to community safety and the criminal justice system.

Education

- [Josiah Macy Jr. Foundation](#) – **President's Grant**
 - Not limited
 - Deadline: rolling basis
 - Awards of no more than \$25,000
 - Must check one or more of their priorities:
 - Promoting diversity, equity and belonging
 - Increasing collaboration among future health professionals
 - Prepare future health professionals to navigate ethical dilemmas



Environmental

- [Burroughs Wellcome Fund](#) – **Climate Change and Human Health Seed Grants**
 - Not limited
 - Deadline: October 24, 2024 | January 23, 2025 | April 24, 2025 | July 24, 2025
 - Ranges from \$2,500 - \$50,000
 - Interested in activities that build connections between basic/early biomedical scientific approaches and ecological, environmental, geological, geographic, and planetary-scale thinking, as well as with population-focused fields, including epidemiology and public health, demography, economics, and urban planning.

Fellowships

- [Virginia Center for the Creative Arts](#) – **Fully-Funded Fellowships**
 - Not limited
 - Geographical giving scope: National
 - Deadline: January 15, 2025 | May 15, 2025 | September 15, 2025
 - Applicants will be considered for a VCCA residency and as many fully-funded fellowships for which they are eligible; only one application with a single application fee is required per deadline.

Health

- [WAWA Foundation](#) – **Financial Grants**
 - Not limited
 - Deadline: January, April, July and October
 - LOI related to their areas of focus (Health, Hunger, every day Heroes) can be submitted during the timeframes above. If LOI is approved, additional information may be requested.
- [Robert Wood Johnson Foundation](#) – **Evidence for Action: Innovative Research to Advance Racial Equity**
 - Not limited
 - Deadline: Rolling
 - There is no specific amount range for allowable budget requests.
 - This funding is focused on studies about upstream causes of health inequities, such as the systems, structures, laws, policies, norms, and practices that determine the distribution of resources and opportunities.

Marine



- [Waitt Foundation](#) – **Rapid Ocean Conservation**
 - Not limited
 - Deadline: Proposals for grants up to \$20,000 will be reviewed on a monthly rolling basis.
 - Will fund projects related to the Waitt Foundation's mission of supporting sustainable fishing and marine protected areas. This includes sub-themes of: Scientific Research, Policy, Management, & Communications.

Medical Research

- [Foundation for Prader-Willi Research](#) – **FPWR Grant Program**
 - Not limited
 - Deadline: LOI due February 28, 2025 | September 5, 2025
 - May request up to \$150,000 in direct costs for an initial 18 months of support.
 - Aims to eliminate the challenges of Prader-Willi syndrome through the advancement of research and therapeutic development.
- [The Elsa U. Pardee Foundation](#) – **Cancer Research**
 - Not limited
 - Deadline: December 15, April 30, August 31
 - Funds ranges up to \$200,000.
 - The foundation encourages one-year proposals, with the goal of fostering the capabilities of new cancer researchers or new cancer approaches by established cancer researchers.

Other

- [Duke Energy](#) – **Powering Florida**
 - Limited – 1 submission per organization per calendar year
 - Deadline: rolling basis throughout the year
 - Applications may request \$20,000 or less
 - Local Florida Impact Grants work in these areas: Vibrant Economies, Climate Resiliency, Justice, Equity and Inclusion

If you have any questions or would like to consult on an application, please email FAUF foundationrelations@fau.edu



Don't Miss the
DEADLINE!

Deadline	Topic	Funder	RFP
1/13	Medical Research	McKnight Foundation	December 2
1/14	Education	The Spencer Foundation	December 2
1/15	Arts	Gottlieb Foundation	November 15
1/15	Environment	Padi Foundation	November 15
1/15	Fellowship	Virginia Center for the Creative Arts	November 15
1/15	Higher Education	American School of Classical Studies at Athens	November 15
1/15	Health	Society of Family Planning	December 2
1/15	Science/Technology	Whitehall Foundation	December 2
1/16	Fellowship	American Epilepsy Society	December 2
1/17	Fellowship	Tribal Agriculture Fellowship	December 2
1/20	Medical Research	The BRAIN Foundation	November 15
1/20	Fellowship	New York Academy of Medicine	December 2
1/21	Children/Youth	Stranahan Foundation	December 2
1/21	Fellowship	AACR	December 17
1/23	Medical Research	AACR	December 17
1/27	Fellowship	The Glenn Foundation	December 2
1/27	Health	Craig H. Neilsen Foundation	December 17
1/28	Arts	Teiger Foundation	December 2
1/29	Higher Education	Simons Foundation	December 2
1/30	Higher Education	The Camille & Henry Dreyfus Foundation	December 2
1/30	Medical Research	Pfizer	December 17
1/30	Medical Research	Foundation Fighting Blindness	December 17
1/31	Aging	Center for Retirement Research	December 2
1/31	Children/Youth	Caplan Foundation	December 2
1/31	Environment	Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation	December 2
1/31	Fellowship	Center for Retirement Research	December 2
1/31	Medical Research	Parkinson's Foundation	December 2
1/31	Medical Research	Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	December 2
1/31	Medical Research	National Psoriasis Foundation	December 2
1/31	Medical Research	National Psoriasis Foundation	December 17
1/31	Arts	JA Community Foundation	December 17
1/31	Climate Change	HCLTech Grant	December 17
1/31	Fellowship	Jane Coffin Childs Fund	December 17



1/31	Neuroscience	Dana Foundation	December 17
2/1	Fellowship	Klingenstein Philanthropies	December 2
2/1	Aging	RRF Foundation for Aging	December 17
2/3	Medical Research	Sarcoma Foundation of America	December 2
2/3	Medical Research	Damon Runyon Cancer Research Foundation	December 17
2/4	Nursing	NLN	December 17
2/4	Education	National League for Nursing	December 2
2/7	Psychology	American Psychological Foundation	December 17
2/10	Medical Research	National Kidney Foundation	December 17
2/13	Medical Research	OREF	December 17