



**Week of April 30, 2018**

*~It starts with an idea*



## Federal

- **Project Title:** Food Safety Outreach Competitive Grants Program
- **Funder:** United States Department of Agriculture
- **Description:** The grant program will support the development of and implement of food safety training, education, outreach and technical assistance projects.
- **Website:**  
[https://nifa.usda.gov/sites/default/files/rfa/FY%202018%20Food%20Safety%20Outreach%20Program%20RFA.pdf?utm\\_content=&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_name=&utm\\_source=govdelivery&utm\\_term=](https://nifa.usda.gov/sites/default/files/rfa/FY%202018%20Food%20Safety%20Outreach%20Program%20RFA.pdf?utm_content=&utm_medium=email&utm_name=&utm_source=govdelivery&utm_term=)
- **Deadline:** **May 20, 2018\***
- **Recommended Areas:** Arts & Sciences, Business and Technology, Agriculture, Continuing Education
- **Award Ceiling:** \$150,000

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- **Project Title:** Foreign Language Area Studies Fellowships Program
  - **Funder:** United States Department of Education
  - **Description:** Provides grants to institutions of higher education and consortia of such institutions to establish, strengthen, and operate comprehensive and undergraduate foreign language programs.
  - **Website:**  
<https://www2.ed.gov/programs/iegpsflasf/applicant.html>
  - **Recommended Areas:** Arts & Sciences, Business & Technology, Student Services
  - **Deadline:** **June 30, 2018 (Anticipated)**
  - **Award Ceiling:** \$1.4 million

## Foundation

- **Project Title:** Pop Culture Collaborative
- **Funder:** Rapid Response Grants
- **Description:** Pop Up grants are designed to help you implement nimble, proactive pop initiatives that create learning spaces, partnerships, narrative design opportunities, experimental cultural campaigns, and/or content intended for mass audiences to help advance social justice through pop culture.
- **Website:** <http://popcollab.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/06/PCC-Rapid-Response-Grants.pdf>
- **Recommended Areas:** Continuing Education, Adult Education, Arts and Sciences, Library, Business and Technology, Student Services, Campus Organizations
- **Deadline:** **June 30, 2018\***
- **Award Ceiling:** \$30,000

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- **Project Title:** Defending Basic Freedoms
  - **Funder:** The Herb Block Foundation
  - **Description:** The foundation seeks to eliminate all forms of prejudice and discrimination and improve the conditions of the poor and underprivileged through the creation or support of charitable and educational programs with the same goals. The Herb Block Foundation will also consider contemporary societal issues that may arise.
  - **Website:**  
<https://www.herblockfoundation.org/grant-programs/defending-basic-freedoms>
  - **Recommended Areas:** Library, Arts and Sciences, Student Services
  - **Deadline:** **June 1, 2018\* (Letter of Inquiry)**
  - **Award Ceiling:** \$25,000

## Foundation

- **Project Title:** Education and Community Economic Development
- **Funder:** GKN Foundation
- **Description:** The foundation supports organizations involved with the arts and culture, education, health, animal welfare, cancer, human services, and community economic development.
- **Website:** Contact Grants Development Office for more information.
- **Recommended Areas:** Arts & Sciences, Continuing Education, Financial Aid, Student Services
- **Deadline:** **June 30, 2018\***
- **Award Ceiling:** \$30,000

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- **Project Title:** Literacy Grants
  - **Funder:** Butler Family Foundation
  - **Description:** The Foundation supports education, health and human services. The foundation also supports internship programs, scholarships, program development and research.
  - **Website:** Contact Grants Development Office for more information.
  - **Deadline:** **June 30, 2018\***
  - **Recommended Areas:** Continuing Education, Arts & Sciences, Health Services, Business and Technical Education
  - **Award Ceiling:** \$50,000

## Grant Awarded:

### **Illinois Community College Board (ICCB) Innovative Bridge and Transition Program Grant - (\$187,482)**

Congratulations to **Dean Jacqueline Lynch** and the Adult Education Team on receiving funding to support the **“CareeReady” Lab!** The CareerReady Lab is a career transition laboratory for English Language Learners (ELL) who have attained a post-secondary degree in their home country. The project will allow ELL students to attain an industry recognized credential in cooperation with the Triton College Continuing Education Program. The opportunity was featured in the February 19<sup>th</sup> Grants Development Office newsletter.

**Grant Compliance Tip:** In preparation for the end of the fiscal year, please ensure **time & effort sheets** are submitted to the respective grant accountant in a timely manner. If you have any questions, please contact your grant accountant or the Grants Office.

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**Many of these opportunities are time- sensitive and require a quick response time. Please contact us at ext. 3022 or stop by E-315 ASAP if you're interested in any of these funding opportunities. Thank you for your hard work!**