

MISSOURI S&T LIMITED SUBMISSION OPPORTUNITIES ANNOUNCEMENT
Office of the Vice Chancellor of Research and Innovation

Although this weekly announcement attempts to capture major limited submission competitions, it may not include all opportunities. Identifying limited submission opportunities, particularly those that are new or are issued by foundations and societies, is a university community-wide effort.

IF YOU IDENTIFY A LIMITED SUBMISSION OPPORTUNITY NOT INCLUDED ON THIS LIST, OR DISCOVER SOLICITATION UPDATES THAT DIFFER FROM THIS LIST, PLEASE IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY LIMITEDSUBMISSIONS@MST.EDU.

Thank you for helping ensure that Missouri S&T’s applications to these prestigious opportunities represent the best our campus has to offer.

Instructions for completing an internal competition Letter of Intent: [Limited Submissions – Office of the Vice Chancellor of Research and Innovation | Missouri S&T \(mst.edu\)](#).

ANNOUNCED (new or updated FOAs **highlighted**)

Sponsor	National Endowment for the Arts (NEA)
Title	NEA Research Labs
Reference Number	2025NEA01ORALABS (Re-issue of 2023NEA01ORALABS)
Hyperlink	https://www.arts.gov/grants/research-awards
Submission Limitation	1*
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	2/24/2025
Sponsor Deadline	3/24/2025
Notes	An organization may submit only one application to the FY26 Research Labs funding.

Sponsor	EERE & DOE
Title	The Circular Supply Chains Accelerator
Reference Number	DE-FOA-0003512
Hyperlink	https://www.grants.gov/search-results-detail/358262
Submission Limitation	1
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	2/24/2025
Sponsor Deadline	3/31/2025 Optional Concept Paper; 7/18/2025 Application
Notes	An entity may submit only one concept paper and one associated application to this NOFO.

Sponsor	United States Department of Energy (DOE)
Title	U.S. Advanced Nuclear Energy Licensing Cost-Share Grant Program
Reference Number	DE-FOA-0003339
Hyperlink	https://www.grants.gov/search-results-detail/358100
Submission Limitation	2
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	3/10/2025
Sponsor Deadline	4/8/2025
Notes	Applicants may submit multiple applications under this NOFO (with a limit of two applications per annual review cycle).

Sponsor	NSF
Title	Materials Innovation Platforms (MIP)
Reference Number	25-521
Hyperlink	Materials Innovation Platforms (MIP) NSF - National Science Foundation
Submission Limitation	1
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	3/17/2025
Sponsor Deadline	5/15/2025
Notes	One (1) per organization as lead institution.

FIRST-COME-FIRST-CONSIDERED (internal competition deadline has passed with fewer interested parties than slots to fill OR time to agency deadline is too short to allow for full internal competition; quick decision by VCR upon receipt of LOI)

Sponsor	Foundation for Food and Agriculture Research (FFAR)
Title	New Innovator in Food and Agriculture Research Award
Reference Number	c8f0affa-520b-4daf-aa5e-d1d75de8f0f3
Hyperlink	https://foundationfar.org/grants-funding/opportunities/new-innovators-request-for-applications/
Submission Limitation	1
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	ASAP
Sponsor Deadline	2/19/2025
Notes	Institutions may submit one nominee to the 2025 New Innovator Award program.

Sponsor	DOE
Title	Private Facility Research Program
Reference Number	DE-FOA-0003516
Hyperlink	Search Results Detail Grants.gov
Submission Limitation	1
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	ASAP
Sponsor Deadline	2/19/2025 Required Pre-Application; 4/23/2025 Application
Notes	Public Research Award – Standard Award Subcategory: Each application to the Standard subcategory must propose work involving only one private facility. For each private facility, applicant institutions are limited to no more than one pre-application or application as the lead institution or subrecipient in the Standard subcategory. Each applicant institution may apply as either a lead institution or a subrecipient at each private facility. Public Research Award – Novel Diagnostic Development Subcategory: There are no limits on the number of submissions per institution in the Novel Diagnostic Development subcategory. Data Mirroring Award: Applicant institutions are limited to no more than one pre-application or application as the lead institution.

Sponsor	OS & DOE
Title	Scientific Discovery through Computing (SCiDAC): Partnerships in Basic Energy Sciences
Reference Number	DE-FOA-0003515
Hyperlink	https://www.grants.gov/search-results-detail/358270
Submission Limitation	2
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	ASAP
Sponsor Deadline	2/21/2025 Required Pre-Application 4/25/2025 Application
Notes	Applicant institutions are limited to no more than 2 pre-applications and applications as the lead institution.

Sponsor	Office of Science (OS) & United States Department of Energy (DOE)
Title	EXPRESS:2025 Exploratory Research for Extreme-Scale Science
Reference Number	DE-FOA-0003545
Hyperlink	https://www.grants.gov/search-results-detail/358344
Submission Limitation	2
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	ASAP
Sponsor Deadline	2/25/2025 Required Pre-Application; 5/6/2025 Application
Notes	No more than a total of two pre-applications or applications per research area specified.

Sponsor	G. Harold and Leila Y. Mathers Charitable Foundation
Title	Grants
Reference Number	b1a3f31f-25ab-41fc-bc50-d1d75de8f0f3
Hyperlink	https://mathersfoundation.org/?page_id=485
Submission Limitation	3
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	ASAP
Sponsor Deadline	2/28/2025 (Registration); 3/14/2025 (LOI); 9/19/2025 (Registration)
Notes	One application per cycle per investigator. Eligible institutions are limited to 3 applications per grant cycle.

Sponsor	Engineering Information Foundation
Title	Grants
Reference Number	n/a
Hyperlink	https://www.eifgrants.org/how-to-apply
Submission Limitation	1*
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	ASAP
Sponsor Deadline	2/28/2025
Notes	Organizations may submit ONE proposal per program area per cycle for a total of two proposals.

Sponsor	NSF
Title	NSF Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM)
Reference Number	25-514
Hyperlink	https://new.nsf.gov/funding/opportunities/s-stem-nsf-scholarships-science-technology-engineering-mathematics/nsf25-514/solicitation
Submission Limitation	2
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	ASAP (1 slot has been designated; 1 slot remains available)
Sponsor Deadline	3/4/2025
Notes	For a given S-STEM deadline, an institution may submit up to two proposals in which it will be directly involved in providing scholarships.

Sponsor	NIH
Title	Limited Competition: Mentored Research Career Development Program Award in Clinical and Translational Science Awards (CTSA) Program (K12 Clinical Trial Optional)
Reference Number	PAR-24-272, PAR-25-196
Hyperlink	https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-25-196.html
Submission Limitation	1
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	ASAP
Sponsor Deadline	3/13/2025
Notes	Only one application per institution (normally identified by having a unique entity identifier (UEI) or NIH IPF number) is allowed.

Sponsor	NSF
Title	NSF National Quantum Virtual Laboratory - Quantum Testbeds
Reference Number	24-586
Hyperlink	NSF National Quantum Virtual Laboratory - Quantum Testbeds (NQVL) NSF - National Science Foundation
Submission Limitation	1
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	ASAP
Sponsor Deadline	4/1/2025
Notes	Up to one (1) QSTD Design or Implementation proposal may be submitted per Lead Organization.

CURRENTLY IN INTERNAL COMPETITION

Sponsor	NSF
Title	Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers (MRSEC)
Reference Number	25-521
Hyperlink	NSF 25-532: Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers (MRSEC) NSF - National Science Foundation
Submission Limitation	1
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	2/14/2025
Sponsor Deadline	6/23/2025 (Required Preliminary Proposal); 9/24/2025 (Invited Full Proposal)
Notes	<p>Only one MRSEC preliminary proposal may be submitted by any one organization as the lead institution in this competition. An institution proposing research in several groups should submit a single MRSEC proposal with multiple Interdisciplinary Research Groups (IRGs). A MRSEC proposal must contain a minimum of 2 IRGs and a maximum of 3 IRGs. For additional information, including insights from past MRSEC applicants, please plan to attend an open house event on 2/3/2025 from 3-5 pm in the Innovation Lab, Active Learning Classroom 115. Following the event, a special internal competition will select IRGs for inclusion in S&T's MRSEC. Instead of the standard LOI materials, please email the following information to limitedsubmissions@mst.edu (no later than the Internal Competition LOI Deadline listed above): <i>A description of the proposed multi-investigator, interdisciplinary research group, including a list of names of faculty-level participants, as well as numbers of undergraduate students, graduate students, and postdoctoral researchers in each group. Concisely describe the long-term research goals and intellectual focus and outline the planned research activities. The need for an interactive, interdisciplinary approach involving several investigators and the means of achieving this should be clearly established. IRGs are sought to solve fundamental, timely, and complex materials problems that are intellectually challenging and important to society.</i> Limit: 3 pages</p>

CLOSED (opportunities for which all designees have been named are listed here until the sponsor deadline has passed; a longer-term retrospective identifying internal competition designees is available on the limited submissions website)

Sponsor	CDC
Title	NIOSH Underground Mine Evacuation Technologies and Human Factors Research
Reference Number	RFA-OH-25-183
Hyperlink	RFA-OH-25-183: U60 Research Cooperative Agreement
Submission Limitation	S&T' single slot has been designated.
Internal Competition LOI Deadline	ASAP
Sponsor Deadline	2/24/2025
Notes	Only one application per institution is allowed.