



# FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

# BULLETIN

December 2017 A notice of funding opportunities presented to our non-profit colleagues

## Health and Science Research

### QUALITY HEALTH FOUNDATION – High-Impact Health Projects

**DUE: 01/17/18** The Quality Health Foundation seeks to support projects that produce high-impact health outcomes. The foundation funds various projects, including service, demonstration, education, and clinical programs producing high impact results on health outcomes. Funding is prioritized based on a project's potential impact on healthcare improvements and access for individuals and communities, particularly the uninsured and under-served population. <http://www.qualityhealthfoundation.org/>  
**MAX: \$50,000**

### TUFTS HEALTH PLAN FOUNDATION – Healthy Living and Aging

**DUE: 01/22/18** The Tufts Health Plan Foundation invests in communities through grants to nonprofit organizations whose work considers healthy living with a focus on healthy aging. Ideas must demonstrate evidence-based or evidence-informed practice or have potential and measurable impact that benefits older adults through systems and best practices, and policy and advocacy. <http://www.tuftshealthplanfoundation.org/>  
**MAX: N/A**

### CHARLES E. KAUFMAN FOUNDATION – New Initiative Research Grants

**DUE: 01/26/18** The goal of the New Initiative Research Grants is to stimulate existing investigators with strong records of research accomplishments to establish collaborations that facilitate innovative interdisciplinary approaches towards a common research question and that require expertise beyond that of any single researcher. Proposals are required to address basic questions addressing core principals in biology, physics, and chemistry or at the disciplinary boundaries between these fields. <http://kaufman.pittsburghfoundation.org/>  
**MAX: \$300,000 over two years**

### PATIENT-CENTERED OUTCOMES RESEARCH INSTITUTE – Engagement Awards

**DUE: 02/01/18** The Eugene Washington PCORI Engagement Awards support projects that encourage active integration of patients, caregivers, clinicians, and other healthcare stakeholders as integral members of the patient-centered outcomes research/clinical effectiveness research (PCOR/CER) enterprise. <https://www.pcori.org/>  
**MAX: \$250,000**

### RETIREMENT RESEARCH FOUNDATION – Older Adults

**DUE: 02/01/18** The Retirement Research Foundation (RRF) is devoted exclusively to improving the quality of life for our nation's older adults, especially those who are vulnerable due to advanced age, economic disadvantage, or disparity related to race and ethnicity. Programs support innovative advocacy, direct service, professional education and training, and research projects that benefit older Americans. <http://www.rrf.org/>  
**MAX: \$300,000**

## Education and the Arts

### #GIRLBOSS FOUNDATION – Women Creatives and Entrepreneurs

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**DUE: 12/31/18** Grants are awarded to female creatives pursuing entrepreneurial endeavors. Each grant beneficiary receives project funding plus exposure through the girlboss and Nasty Gal social channels as well as local and regional press. Funding is focused on women in the worlds of design, fashion, music, and the arts, to help them on their way to becoming a #GIRLBOSS™ and owning their future.  
**MAX: \$15,000**

<https://www.girlboss.com/foundation/>

### NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES – National Digital Newspaper Program

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**DUE: 01/11/18** The National Digital Newspaper Program (NDNP) is a partnership between NEH and the Library of Congress to create a national digital resource of historically significant newspapers published between 1690 and 1963, from all the states and U.S. territories. Projects are typically based on statewide collaborations between major repositories of microfilm of historic newspapers and institutions with the technical capacity to launch long-term digitization efforts.  
**MAX: \$325,000**

<https://www.neh.gov/grants/preservation/national-digital-newspaper-program>

### SIMONS FOUNDATION – Collaboration Grants for Mathematicians

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**DUE: 01/31/18** The Simons Foundation's Mathematics and Physical Sciences division invites applications for Collaboration Grants for Mathematicians to stimulate collaboration in the field primarily through the funding of travel and related expenditures. The goal of the program is to support the "mathematical marketplace" by substantially increasing collaborative contacts between mathematicians.  
**MAX: \$8,000**

<https://www.simonsfoundation.org/grant/collaboration-grants-for-mathematicians/>

### CAPLAN FOUNDATION – Welfare of Young Children

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**DUE: 01/31/18** The Caplan Foundation for Early Childhood is an incubator of promising research and development projects that appear likely to improve the welfare of young children, from infancy through 7 years, in the United States. Welfare is broadly defined to include physical and mental health, safety, nutrition, education, play, familial support, acculturation, societal integration, and childcare. <http://earlychildhoodfoundation.org/>  
**MAX: N/A**

## Veterans and Fitness

### PARALYZED VETERANS OF AMERICA – Education Foundation

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**DUE: 01/10/18** The foundation funds educational projects that benefit and serve individuals with spinal cord injury/disease (SCI/D), their families and caregivers. Projects should be designed to improve the quality of life for individuals with SCI/D, educate consumers about SCI/D, improve the knowledge and skills of SCI/D health care professionals and to prevent the occurrence and complications of new SCI/D.  
**MAX: \$50,000**

<http://www.pva.org/education-foundation>

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### VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS – Unmet Needs Program

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**DUE: Rolling**      The Unmet Needs Program is there to help America's military families who have run into unexpected financial difficulties because of deployment or other military-related activity or injury. The program provides financial aid grants to assist with basic life needs in the form of a grant, so no repayment is required. <https://www.vfw.org/>  
**MAX: \$1,500**

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### PEOPLEFORBIKES – Bicycling

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**DUE: 01/19/18**      Grants will be awarded for projects that leverage federal funding and build momentum for bicycling in all communities in the United States. LOI due by 1/19/2018. <http://peopleforbikes.org/>  
**MAX: \$10,000**

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### LOCAL INITIATIVES SUPPORT CORPORATION – Home Court Program

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**DUE: 01/31/18**      The LISC/ESPN Home Court Program is a collaboration between ESPN and LISC that provides non-profit, neighborhood-based organizations, middle schools, and high schools with financing and technical assistance to improve the quality, safety, and accessibility of local basketball courts in selected markets. <http://www.lisc.org/our-initiatives/health/sports-recreation/espn-home-court-program/>  
**MAX: \$25,000**

## Community Development

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### NATIONAL PARK SERVICE – Preservation Technology and Training

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**DUE: 01/04/18**      The Preservation Technology and Training (PTT) Grants program provides funding for innovative research that develops new technologies or adapts existing technologies to preserve cultural resources. Grant recipients undertake innovative research and produce technical reports which respond to national needs in the field of historic preservation. <https://www.ncptt.nps.gov/grants/preservation-technology-and-training-grants/>  
**MAX: \$40,000**

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### GIFFORD FOUNDATION – “What if...” Mini Grants

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**DUE: 01/12/18**      “What if...” is designed to foster growth in neighborhoods, strengthen the capacity of Syracuse residents who seek to make positive changes in their neighborhood and increase community participation, awareness, and partnerships. <https://www.giffordfoundation.org/>  
**MAX: \$5,000**

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### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN – Community Action Grants

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**DUE: 01/18/18**      Community Action Grants provide funds to individuals, AAUW branches, and AAUW state organizations as well as local community-based nonprofit organizations for innovative programs or non-degree research projects that promote education and equality for women and girls. <https://www.aauw.org/>  
**MAX: \$10,000**

**CLIF BAR FAMILY FOUNDATION – Small Grants Program**

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**DUE: 02/01/18** Through the Small Grants program, the foundation seeks to award general support grants for specific projects in one or more of its five focus areas: promoting Earth's beauty and bounty; creating robust and healthy food systems; increasing opportunities for outdoor activity; reducing environmental health hazards; and building stronger communities. <http://www.clifbarfamilyfoundation.org/>  
**MAX: \$7,000**

**LILY ENDOWMENT, INC. – Community and Youth Development**

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**DUE: Rolling** The funder considers proposals in three focus areas: community development, education, and religion. The Lily Endowment is also interested in programs that benefit youth and that promote the causes of philanthropy and volunteerism.  
**MAX: N/A** <http://www.lilyendowment.org/guidelines.html#ap>

**PITCAIRN-CRABBE FOUNDATION – Religious Community Development**

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**DUE: Rolling** The foundation provides grants that fit the following categories: religious and church work; Christian education; community improvement through nonprofit agencies sponsored by religious organizations; and the relief of stress and enhancement of the spiritual and material condition of humanity. <http://www.pitcairn-crabbe.org/>  
**MAX: N/A**

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