ERA Tip Sheet Part 2
Grant Calendar for Engineering Researchers

Disclaimer: The information below is a general guideline. Please verify all deadlines and funding availability independently. Contact the ERA Team for any clarification or to for proposal planning services. Always submit the Notice of Intent for new applications: https://engineering.missouri.edu/for-faculty/

Looking for New Grant Opportunities?

- Pivot Funding Database: https://research.missouri.edu/sponsored-programs-administration/major-funder-list
- Grants.gov: https://www.grants.gov/
- GrantPuma: https://app.grantpuma.com/
- ForagerOne: https://foragerone.com/

Agency Acronyms and Proposal Types:

APHIS = Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (USDA-APHIS)

DoD = U.S. Department of Defense

DoE = U.S. Department of Energy

EPA = Environmental Protection Agency

NSF = National Science Foundation

NIH = National Institutes of Health

MDA = Missouri Department of Agriculture

USDA = U.S. Department of Agriculture

NRCS = Natural Resource Conservation Service (USDA-NRCS)

OREI = Organic Agriculture Research and Extension Initiative (USDA-OREI)

Proposal Type Key:
Pre = Preproposal required
Full = Full proposal submission
Prerelease = Sponsor release date
Abstract = Submit abstract for feedback

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Monthly Grant Calendar

Month	Sponsor	Program/Acronym	Deadline**	Type
January	NSF	Smart and Connected Communities (S&CC)	1/12/2026	Pre
	NSF	Safety, Security, and Privacy of Open-Source Ecosystems (Safe-OSE)	1/13/2026	Full
	NSF	NSF 24-608: Safety, Security, and Privacy of Open-Source Ecosystems (Safe-OSE)	1/13/2026	Pre
February	NIH	R01 (new)	2/1/2026	Full
	NIH	R21 (new)	2/16/2026	Full
	DoD	Young Faculty Award (YFA)	2/5/2026	Full
	DoE	Early Career Research	2/18/2026	Full
	NSF	Fire Science Innovations (FIRE)	2/10/2026	Full
	USDA-OREI	USDA Organic Agriculture Research and Extension Initiative	TBD	Full
March	NSF	S-STEM Scholarships	3/3/2026	Full
	NSF	Smart and Connected Communities (S&CC)	3/9/2026	Full
	NIH	R01 (renew/resubmission)	3/5/2026	Full
April	DoD	Defense University Research Instrumentation Program (DURIP)	4/25/2026	Full
	NSF	NSF 24-608: Safety, Security, and Privacy of Open-Source Ecosystems (Safe-OSE)	4/48/2026	Full
May	Google	Google PhD Fellowship*^	5/15/2026	Full
	USDA-NRCS	Missouri Conservation Partnership, Outreach, and Education Notice of Funding Opportunity (NFO)	TBD	Full
	USDA-APHIS	HPAI Poultry Innovation Grand Challenge	TBD	
June	NSF	Trailblazer Engineering Impact Award	6/2/2026	Full
	NIH	R21 (New)	6/16/2026	Full
	DoD	Office of Naval Research — Young Investigator Program	6/21/2026	Full
	EPA	Science to Achieve Results (STAR) program	TBD	TBD
July	NIH	R01 (renew/resubmission)	7/5/2026	Full

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	NSF	Faculty Early Career Development	7/22/2026	Full
	MDA	Missouri Department of Agriculture - Specialty Crop Block Grant Program	7/2/2025	Full
August	DoD	Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) programs	8/1/2025	Pre-Release
	DoD	DARPA - Microsystems Technology Office (MTO) Office-wide	8/9/2025	Abstract
September	NSF	Smart and Connected Communities (S&CC)	9/8/2025	Pre
	NSF	Security, Privacy, and Trust in Cyberspace (SaTC 2.0)	9/29/2025	Full
	NSF	Computer and Information Science and Engineering (CISE) Core	9/30/2025	Full
	DoE	Office of Science Financial Assistance Program	11/30/2025	Full
October	DoD	Naval Surface Warfare Center, Dahlgren Division Dahlgren	10/14/2026	Full
	DoD	DARPA Microsystems Technology Office (MTO) Office-wide	10/9/2025	Full
November	NSF	NSF 25-527: Smart and Connected Communities (S&CC)	11/10/2025	Full
	NSF	NSF 23-519: Major Research Instrumentation Program (MRI)^	11/14/2025	Pre
	NSF	Major Research Instrumentation Program (MRI)	11/16/2026	Full
	NSF	Opportunities for Promoting Understanding through Synthesis (OPUS)	Anytime	Full
	NSF	Fluid Dynamics	Anytime	Full

*For graduate students only.
**Check deadline on agency website, as they may shift yearly.
^Limited submission.

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