



# Limited Submission Funding Opportunity

**SPONSOR:** National Science Foundation

**PROGRAM:** Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM)

**LIMIT ON NUMBER OF FULL PROPOSALS PER INSTITUTION:** 1 proposal per school or college that awards degrees in an eligible field (see program solicitation for list of eligible STEM disciplines)

**LIMIT ON NUMBER OF FULL PROPOSALS PER PI:** No restrictions or limits.

**AWARD:** Up to \$650,000 for Track 1 – Institutional Capacity Building projects; Up to \$1,000,000 for Track 2 – Single Institution Design and Development projects; and up to \$5,000,000 for Track 3 – Multi-Institutional Consortia Design and Development projects for five-year projects.

**OVERVIEW:** The Research and Faculty Development (RFD) team in the Office of Research and Economic Development is requesting notice of intent (NOI) to apply for the National Science Foundation (NSF) Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM) program, a limited submission funding opportunity. The University of Idaho may submit one proposal from each constituent school or college that awards degrees in an eligible field, and RFD will use an internal review process to determine which proposals will be submitted to NSF. Interested individuals must submit an NOI to RFD by 5:00 p.m. PT on Monday, **September 9, 2019**.

**SYNOPSIS:** The S-STEM the program provides awards to Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs) to fund scholarships and to advance the adaptation, implementation, and study of effective evidence-based curricular and co-curricular activities that support recruitment, retention, transfer (if appropriate), student success, academic/career pathways, and graduation in STEM. The program seeks: 1) to increase the number of low-income academically talented students with demonstrated financial need obtaining degrees in STEM and entering the workforce or graduate programs in STEM; 2) to improve the education of future scientists, engineers, and technicians, with a focus on academically talented low-income students; and 3) to generate knowledge to advance understanding of how factors or evidence-based curricular and co-curricular activities affect the success, retention, transfer, academic/career pathways, and graduation in STEM of low-income students.

**AGENCY CONTACT:** Address questions to the S-STEM Program, (703) 292-4630, [S-STEM-ext@nsf.gov](mailto:S-STEM-ext@nsf.gov)

Key Submission Dates:	How to Submit NOI:
09/09/2019 NOI due to RFD	1. Go to the RFD Notice of Intent (NOI) portal.
09/30/2019 Concept paper to RFD	2. Project Title: Enter a draft proposal title.
10/18/2019 Internal awardee notification	3. Program: Choose "Other."
03/25/2020 Full proposal due to NSF	4. Name of Program: Enter the name of the sponsor and program, using this format: "Sponsor Name/Program Name"
	5. Click "Request."

*(All deadlines are at 5:00 pm Pacific Time.)*

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