CALS NEWSLETTER Funding Opportunities-May 11, 2015

AAAS Science & Technology Policy Fellowships
The American Association for the Advancement of Science seeks candidates for AAAS Science & Technology Policy Fellowships. The aim is to foster scientifically informed, evidence-based policy and practice by involving scientists and engineers from a broad range of career stages to engage their knowledge and analytical skills while learning first-hand about policymaking and implementation at the federal level. Program areas include diplomacy, security and development; energy, environment and agriculture; health, education and human services; big data and analytics; and global stewardship, among others. Applications are due Nov. 1. More

USAID RFI for Nepal Seed and Fertilizer Sectors Development Project
USAID has issued a Request for Information on the draft program description for Feed the Future Nepal Seed and Fertilizer Sectors Development Project. The purpose of the project is to increase national crop productivity and food security of poor households by strengthening the seed and fertilizer systems and improving farmers’ access to quality seeds and integrated soil fertility management technologies in Nepal. Feedback and comments must be submitted by May 21. More

NSF CAREER Program Webinar on May 26
The NSF CAREER Coordinating Committee will host a webinar to provide an overview of the NSF Faculty Early Career Development Program, including a question-and-answer period. The webinar will take place from noon to 2 p.m. on May 26. More

Cayuse 424 Training Webinars in May
The Cayuse 424 product support team has scheduled training webinars for May. The webinars are sent to everyone who registers, which allows access at a later date for individuals who cannot participate at the stated times. More

Funding Information, Opportunities and Deadline Reminders
Dates listed are application deadlines. Contact: Roxanne Clemens, rciemens@iastate.edu. Additional information is posted at CALS Funding Resources.

May 14 (past performance references): USAID Endangered Ecosystem - Northern Tanzania; $12.4 million over five years, 10 percent cost share, one application per organization. More

May 29 (letter of intent): DOE Dynamic Distributed Resource Management; $500,000 to $1.5 million per year up to three years. More

June 1 (pre-proposal to fundingopps@iastate.edu): Edward Mallinckrodt, Jr Foundation; basic biomedical research, $180,000, two per institution, contact Sue Shipitalo (sueship@iastate.edu) for information. More

June 1: Department of State Professional Fellows On-Demand Program; one award, $1.25 million. More

July 1 (concept application): The Conservation, Food and Health Foundation; $20,000, contact Sue Shipitalo (sueship@iastate.edu) to express interest. More

July 8 (pre-proposal): USDA NRCS Regional Conservation Partnership Program; $10 million. More

July 15: Morris Animal Foundation Large Animal Studies; horses and llamas/alpacas. More

July 21, 22, 23: NSF Faculty Early Career Development Program. More

Aug. 26: NSF Research Experiences for Undergraduates; includes DOD Awards to Stimulate and Support Undergraduate Research Experiences. More