INFO ED TRAINING (SPIN)

Sponsored Programs
What is SPIN

- World's Largest Database of Sponsored Funding Opportunities
- Over 40,000 opportunities from more than 10,000 global sponsors
- Intuitive and simple to use
- Customizable to match your style
Setting Up a Profile:  Go to www.infoedglobal.com
Setting Up a Profile

- After clicking SPIN you will see a “Sign In” link in the upper right hand corner.
- Click Create a New Profile.
  - Enter your First name,
  - Last name,
  - Email address,
  - Username.
- Once saved, you will receive an email from SPIN saying your profile has been successfully submitted.
- Your profile will need to be approved by Sponsored Programs SPIN administrator.
- Once approved you will receive another email stating your profile has been approved, and you need to create a SPIN password.
Setting Up Preferences
Preferences – Once you set these filters they will apply to all searches until you change them.

- **Applicant Location** - where the applicant is located.
- **Applicant Type** – set this to represent yourself as an individual or your organization.
- **Project Type** – what type of a project are you wanting to pursue.
- **Project Location** – select where you would like to carry out the project.
- **Citizenship**
- **Sponsor Type** – defaults to include ALL sponsors but you may select a specific type if you prefer
Additional SPIN Search Options

• You can select filters to:
  ❖ Newly Created Programs (within a time frame)
  ❖ Recently Updated Programs (within a time frame)
  ❖ Include/exclude Federal Programs
  ❖ Include/exclude Limited Submissions
  ❖ Set your preferred currency display

• All filters may be edited at any time
Basic Search

• Most widely used search in the SPIN database
Enter desired key words or phrases in the Locate Funding Box.
• SPIN follows “normal” search engine conventions
  ▶ Red blood cells – searches for records containing ‘red’ ‘blood’ ‘cells’ with no context.
  ▶ “red blood cells” – searches for text that contains the specific phrase.
Basic Search Example

• Applicant Location – US only
This will ensure that you only receive opportunities available to applicants based in your location. If nothing is selected, the system will not filter on this field.
Basic Search Example (cont.)

• **Applicant Location** – US only.

• **Applicant Type** – Individual, In Academia, Student, Doctorial or Terminal Degree Student.
This is used to determine which attribute(s) the sponsor will require of an applicant. There are descriptors for both individuals and organizations. Select all that apply. If nothing is selected, the system will not filter on this field.

Applicant Type Options

- Organization Applicant
- Individual Applicant
  - Academia
    - Administrative Staff
    - Faculty Member
    - Student
    - Masters Student
    - Undergraduate Student
  - Individual Miscellaneous Attributes
  - Professional Individual

Chosen Applicant Type Restrictions

- Individual Applicant
  - Academia
  - Student
  - Doctoral or Terminal Degree Student
Basic Search Example (cont.)

- **Applicant Location** – US only.
- **Applicant Type** – Individual, In Academia, Student, Doctorial or Terminal Degree Student.
- **Project Type** – No limitation
This is used to determine what types of projects the sponsor is looking to fund, or what type of work the sponsor is intending to be done by successful applicants. If nothing is selected, the system will not filter on this field.

Project Type Options
- Endowment
- Individual Funding
- Prize or Award
- Project Resources
- Temporary Government Assignments

Chosen Project Type Restrictions
Basic Search Example (cont.)

• **Applicant Location** – US only.
• **Applicant Type** – Individual, In Academia, Student, Doctorial or Terminal Degree Student.
• **Project Type** – No limitation
• **Project Location** – No limitation
This is used to determine where the sponsor will allow the work to be carried out. You should select all locations that you are willing to travel to in carrying out an award. If nothing is selected, the system will not filter on this field.
Basic Search Example (cont.)

- **Applicant Location** – US only.
- **Applicant Type** – Individual, In Academia, Student, Doctorial or Terminal Degree Student.
- **Project Type** – No limitation
- **Project Location** – No limitation
- **Citizenship** – U.S. Citizen
This is used to determine if the sponsor maintains specific citizenship status requirements for their opportunities. Select those that apply to you. If nothing is selected, the system will not filter on this field.

Citizenship Options:
- Afghan
- Alandish
- Albanian
- Algerian
- American Samoan
- Andorran
- Angolan
- Anguillian
- Antiguan, Barbudan
- Argentinian
- Armenian
- Aruban
- Australian
- Austrian
- Azerbaijani

Citizenship Options:
- U.S. Citizen
Basic Search Example (cont.)

- **Applicant Location** – US only.
- **Applicant Type** – Individual, In Academia, Student, Doctorial or Terminal Degree Student.
- **Project Type** – No limitation
- **Project Location** – No limitation
- **Citizenship** – U.S. Citizen
- **Sponsor Type** – ALL sponsors
Basic Search Example (cont.)

- **Applicant Location** – US only.
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- **Project Type** – No limitation
- **Project Location** – No limitation
- **Citizenship** – U.S. Citizen
- **Sponsor Type** – ALL sponsors
- **Short-term Research Fellowship**
  - (less) Humanities, Art, Travel and Library keywords
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**Detail Field Name**
- Contact Name
- Contact Telephone: 212-769-5100
- Contact Email: info-rggs@amnh.org
- Sponsor Website
- Deadline Dates (ALL): 15-Feb-2016
- Synopsis:
  Theodore Roosevelt Memorial Grants support research on North American fauna in any phase of wildlife conservation or natural history.
Advanced Search
Allows for the same functionality but with a visible decision tree

You have additional filters active. Click here to edit them.
View and Sort Results

- You can filter your data by columns.
- 1 click sorts A to Z, 2nd click sorts Z to A, and 3rd click goes back to original order.
- By using the Funnel you can sort results by different logic
  - Sponsor, or Deadline date, etc.
- You can change the order of the fields by dragging and dropping columns
- Export searches to Word or Excel Formatted Files
  - Excel allows for easier manipulation.
Results

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Managing Funding Alerts
Simply configure a search in SPIN, save the search, and setup the automation you prefer.

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Save Changes
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