



From: Faculty Research Development Office
Office of the Vice President for Research

Subject: Limited Competition: Hearst Foundations

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The Hearst Foundations are national philanthropic resources for organizations working in the fields of culture, education, health and social services with specific interests in funding the following.

Culture

- Artist development and training
- Arts education programs that effectively fill the void of arts programming in K-12 curricula
- Science education programs that focus on developing academic pathways in science, technology, engineering and math

Education

- Higher education programs and scholarships and, on a limited basis, scholarships for post-graduate education
- Professional development for teachers

Health

- Professional development
- Programs improving access to high-quality healthcare for low-income populations
- Programs developing and providing specialized care for the complex needs of elderly populations
- Programs scaling innovative healthcare delivery systems to provide efficient, coordinated care
- Research, particularly related to finding new cures and treatments for prevalent diseases, such as cancer

Social Service

- Affordable housing
- Job creation and job training
- Literacy
- Youth development

The UNM deadline to submit an application to the Hearst Foundations is May 15, 2020.

This is a limited competition. Each institution is limited to one (1) application. Please refer to the [Grant Recipients Database](#) to see the types and amounts of grants the Foundations have awarded in the recent past to comparable organizations. The most common grant size for a project up to three years in duration is \$100,000 to \$250,000.

***If you anticipate that you will be submitting a pre-proposal (letter of inquiry) for this internal competition, please send a **statement of interest via e-mail** to limited@unm.edu by **January 17, 2020**. This will help us to arrange a review committee in advance to expedite the process and maximize the amount of time the selected submitter has to prepare their final submission to the sponsor. ***

Please submit your 3-page pre-proposal in a SINGLE PDF file (11 point font) by NOON on January 28, 2020 to limited@unm.edu with the subject line indicating: Hearst - your name. No late submissions will be considered.

The preproposal should address the major points that will be included in the application: I) Executive Summary; II) Organizational History and Purpose, including evidence of client and community support; III) Statement of Need with pertinent data about the populations you seek to assist; and IV) Program Description, including a description of the program's activities, the size and characteristics of the population to be served by the program(s), an outline of the strategy/methodology and timeline to be used in the development and implementation of the program(s), and a description of how the program(s) enhances the existing services in the community. **The 3-page narrative should be accompanied by a draft budget overview and a 2-page PI CV.**

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at limited@unm.edu.

For additional information see the Hearst Foundations' website: <https://www.hearstfdn.org/>

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