

To: Distribution List

From: Faculty Research Development Office (FRDO) Office of the Vice President for Research

Subject: New Mexico Arts Program

Date: August 31, 2015

Good Afternoon,

The Office of the Vice President for Research is requesting e-mails of interest for the NM Arts Program funding opportunity. As per the program solicitation, only one application per institution is allowed. See the following link for further details: <u>http://nmarts.org/guidelines-and-app/</u>

If you are interested in submitting proposal please send a statement of interest with a brief abstract and a description of how you intend to meet the cost share requirement (maximum 2 page pdf) via e-mail to <u>limited@unm.edu</u> by <u>noon, Tuesday, September 8, 2015</u>. Please distribute this notice to departments and individuals whom you believe would be interested.

Funding for Colleges, Universities, and Government Entities <u>must include a 50% match by the applicant</u> <u>organization, at least half of which must be cash</u>. The match may not include funding from federal sources. Investigators are encouraged to identify college/departmental in-kind and cash contributions, and to get approval from their Chairs and/or Deans to allocate these resources for the match. Arrangements for meeting cost sharing requirements must be made in advance. Additionally, the cost share contributions will be used as criteria for evaluation during review by the Limited Competitions Committee.

An Advance Review is offered by NM Arts prior to the final deadline to help applicants improve their application and to check for mistakes that might cause ineligibility. The Advance Review of proposals is strongly recommended by the agency. Advance Review applications are returned to applicants in time to make suggested changes prior to the Final Application published deadline in December. Proposals are due for Advance Review to NM Arts by October 16, 2015. The deadline for full proposals to the agency is December 4, 2015.

If you are affiliated with HSC, please contact Corey Ford at 272-6950 for more information.