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Colleagues,

The Office of the Vice President for Research is requesting e-mails of interest for the US Dept. of Energy Energy Frontier Research Centers (DE-FOA-0001514) funding opportunity. The funding agency limits the number of proposals per institution to one.

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) solicits applications in two topical areas: 1) novel and innovative methods for characterization, transformation, and separation of nuclear waste; and 2) new materials for long-term storage of nuclear waste, including waste forms. Research related to contaminant fate and transport in subsurface geological environments is outside the scope of this FOA. The goal of this FOA is to initiate new multi-investigator, multi-disciplinary EFRCs aimed at accelerating scientific breakthroughs in areas that will be likely to have a dramatic impact on the cost and efficacy of future technologies for nuclear waste cleanup and storage.

See the following link for further details:

http://science.energy.gov/~/media/grants/pdf/foas/2016/SC FOA 0001514.pdf.

If you are interested in submitting a proposal, please send a brief statement of interest with your name, department, and short (200 word maximum) description of your proposed project idea via e-mail to limited@unm.edu by noon, Friday, February 12, 2016. Based on the e-mail responses received, the Limited Competition Management Team may announce a call for preproposals. Please distribute this notice to departments and individuals whom you believe would be interested.

The deadline for a *required* Letter of Interest is March 9, 2016 and the deadline for full proposals to the agency is April 19, 2016.

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