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CULTURE, CREATIVE & PERFORMING ARTS

Open Call for Caribbean Mobility Fund

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 22-Jun-2022**
Deadline Date: 31-Dec-2022
- ❖ **Donor Name: French Institute**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$1,000 to \$10,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.pro.institutfrancais.com/en/programmes->**

The French Institute is seeking applications for the Caribbean Mobility Fund to support mobility within the Caribbean region and towards the states of Florida and Louisiana as well as Canada. The Fonds de Mobilité Caraïbes (Caribbean mobility fund) is part of the Africa and Caribbean cultural cooperation mission of the Institut français in partnership with Directorates of Cultural Affairs of Guadeloupe, Guyane and Martinique.

Priority will be given to mobility for: participation in leading events, trainings, markets development, professionals' participations in transnational networks, research works and artistic collaborations, invitations to debates, conferences or seminars, crossed residencies. It includes the following disciplines: Architecture, artistic training, arts, cinema, circus, comic books, dance, debates, design, digital arts, fashion, intangible cultural heritage, landscaping, literature, multidisciplinary projects, museum & patrimony, music, photography, puppet arts, street arts, visual arts, theatre, training for culture related professions, urban planning, and video games.

Black Spatial Relics Residency Program 2022-2023

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 20-Jun-2022**
Deadline Date: 01-Aug-2022
- ❖ **Donor Name: Black Spatial Relics**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$1,000 to \$10,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.blackspatialrelics.org/air-2022-app>**

Applications are now open for the Black Spatial Relics Residency Program 2022-2023 to support the development of 8 new performance works that address and incorporate public histories of slavery and contemporary issues of justice.

The artists-in-residence should pay particular attention to land and/or water-based histories, presences and futures of Black fugitivity, subjugation and liberation. Past artists in residence have engaged both contemporary and historical violences and/or contemporary, legacy-based, and future-dreaming practices of freedom in the midst of the trans-Atlantic slave trade, chattel slavery, and many other contemporary and longstanding anti-Black violences.

This residency seeks to dislodge the binary between making work about Black pain or Black joy to hold space for radical Black people (who name and locate themselves as artists and cultural workers) finding, recalling, and rehearsing embodiments and repertoires of Black freedom and ancestor reverence in the midst of too long enduring anti-Black violence. This residency endeavors to amplify, support and celebrate these artists who are both practicing and gesturing toward free Black existences for the sake of the collective dreaming and liberation.

HUMANITIES & EDUCATION

Small Research Grants Program on Education

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 01-Jun-2022**
Deadline Date: 09-Aug-2022
- ❖ **Donor Name: Spencer Foundation**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$10,000 to \$100,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: https://www.spencer.org/grant_types/small-**

The Small Research Grant program is “field-initiated” in that proposal submissions are not in response to a specific request for a particular research topic, discipline, design, or method. The goal of this program is to support rigorous, intellectually ambitious, and technically sound research that is relevant to the most pressing questions and compelling opportunities in education. They seek to support scholarships that develop new foundational knowledge that may have a lasting impact on educational discourse. They recognize that learning occurs across the life course as well as across settings—from the classroom to the workplace, to family and community contexts and even onto the playing field—any of which may, in the right circumstance, provide the basis for rewarding study that makes significant contributions to the field. They value work that fosters creative and open-minded scholarship, engages in deep inquiry, and examines robust questions related to education. To this end, this program supports proposals from multiple disciplinary and methodological perspectives, both domestically and internationally, from scholars at various stages in their career. They anticipate that proposals will span a wide range of topics and disciplines that innovatively investigate questions central to education, including for example education, anthropology, philosophy, psychology, sociology, law, economics, history, or neuroscience, amongst others.

Pulitzer Center's Gender Equality Grants Program

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 15-Jun-2021**
Deadline Date: Ongoing
- ❖ **Donor Name: Pulitzer Center**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$1,000 to \$10,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://pulitzercenter.org/gender-equality-grants>**

The Pulitzer Center is inviting applications for the Gender Equality Grants Program. It is designed to help journalists take to a new level the reporting on issues related to gender equality and the empowerment of women and girls.

Women and girls are disproportionately affected by global crises and face discrimination and violence worldwide. In the fight against the disparities they endure, they show resilience, strength, and leadership.

They aim to support teams that reflect the communities they report on. They hope the Gender Equality Grant can help their partner organizations advance their diversity, equity, and inclusion goals and commitments.

Pulitzer Center a non-profit organization that supports independent global journalism is seeking applications for investigative data-driven projects on issues related to gender equality and the empowerment of women & girls.

LAW

New Partnerships Initiative Conflict Prevention and Recovery Program

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 15-Apr-2022**
Deadline Date: 03-Apr-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name: United States - Agency for International Development (USAID)**
- ❖ **Grant Size: More than \$1 million**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?opId=339216>**

The United States Agency for International Development (USAID) is announcing the Year 4 New Partnerships Initiative (NPI)/Conflict-Prevention and Recovery Program (CPRP).

Through this Annual Program Statement (APS), USAID announces its desire to engage new, nontraditional, and local partners to expand and amplify the Agency's work, particularly in contexts at the risk of, or recovering from, conflict or violence. The overall goal of NPI is to help the Agency partner with new, nontraditional, and local actors to advance their development goals—while elevating the quality of the partnerships through strengthened accountability, capacity, and local leadership.

USAID: Justice, Rights, and Security Annual Program

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 13-May-2022**
Deadline Date: 11-May-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name: United States - Agency for International Development (USAID)**
- ❖ **Grant Size: More than \$1 million**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view->**

The United States Agency for International Development (USAID), Bureau for Development, Democracy, and Innovation, Democracy, Human Rights, and Governance (DDI/DRG) Center is inviting applications for the Justice, Rights, and Security (JRS) Annual Program Statement (APS).

The purpose of the JRS APS is to empower USAID and its Missions to seek solutions to JRS-related challenges, to engage new and underutilized partners, to solve problems not adequately addressed by other USAID investments, and to offer USAID Missions and USAID/Washington Offices a mechanism through which such work can be innovatively accomplished with dedicated support and expertise from USAID Washington DRG Center's JRS team.

Objectives:

- Promote Justice, including the following objectives
- Protect Rights, including the following objectives
- Promote Security, including the following objectives

MEDICAL SCIENCES

Merck: 2022 Research Grants Program

- ❖ **Important Dates:** **Post Date:** 28-Apr-2022
Deadline Date: 31-Aug-2022
- ❖ **Donor Name:** Merck
- ❖ **Grant Size:** \$500,000 to \$1 million
- ❖ **Category:** Grant
- ❖ **Reference URL:** <https://www.merckgroup.com/en/research/open-innovation/research-grants.html>

Merck is offering a series of research grants to stimulate innovative research in challenging areas of future importance. The aim of the Research Grant is to create new sustainable partnerships with leading global science and technology players to work on breakthrough science and to generate valuable seeds for future business. Grants of up to €500,000 per year for up to 3 years are available in the areas as of Drug discovery, AI for predictive diagnostics & therapeutic target discovery, Chemistry in the cloud, Innovation within green chemistry and Sustainability in healthcare R&D.

Volant Trust's Covid-19 Response Fund

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 03-Jan-2022**
- ❖ **Deadline Date: 31-Jul-2022**
- ❖ **Donor Name: The Volant Trust**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$10,000 to \$100,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.volanttrust.org/how-to-apply-covid-19/>**

The Volant Trust is accepting applications from charities in the UK and internationally that demonstrate a strong focus on alleviating social deprivation and helping vulnerable groups who have been particularly impacted by the Covid-19 pandemic.

The Trust acknowledges how much work goes into making an application and the Trustees are keen to help charities as much as possible prior to submitting their request for funding. Applications for medical equipment and the production or distribution of PPE will also be considered.

The Trust delivers a funding programme which makes multi-year awards (for up to three years) of £15,000 or less per annum.

Eligibility Criteria

- Is your organisation a registered charity, community interest company, community organisation or social enterprise?
- Is the project and funding required specifically related to the Covid-19 pandemic?
- Does your organisation directly help with the alleviation of social deprivation and vulnerable groups who have been particularly affected by the Covid-19 pandemic?
- Is the funding for project, running or core costs including the purchase of medical equipment or PPE in connection with the Covid-19 pandemic?
- Does your organisation have its own bank account with at least two unrelated cheque signatories?
- Are your organization's accounts independently audited each year?

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

Adaptation Fund Climate Innovation Accelerator

- ❖ **Important Dates:** Post Date: 16-Jun-2022
Deadline Date: 30-Sep-2022
- ❖ **Donor Name:** Climate Technology Centre and Network
- ❖ **Grant Size:** \$10,000 to \$100,000
- ❖ **Category:** Grant
- ❖ **Reference URL:** <https://www.ctc-n.org/technical->

The Adaptation Fund has launched a new USD 10 million pilot small grants programme (Adaptation Fund Climate Innovation Accelerator, AFCIA) to foster innovation in adaptation in developing countries at the United Nations Climate Change Conference (COP25) in Madrid.

The primary objective of the AFCIA administrated by UNEP-CTCN is to support developing countries to test, evaluate, roll out and scale up innovative adaptation practices, products and technologies. Based on technical assistance services, 25 micro-grants projects will be implemented for 5 years to enhance climate resilience and adapt to climate change in the countries.

Moreover, the AFCIA will facilitate knowledge sharing and the exchange of best practices, strengthening opportunities of South-South and triangular cooperation on innovation in adaptation among the countries.

Call for Proposals for International Mobility

❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 21-Jun-2022**

Deadline Date: 15-Sep-2022

❖ **Donor Name: Agropolis Foundation**

❖ **Grant Size: \$10,000 to \$100,000**

❖ **Category: Grant**

❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.agropolis-fondation.fr/Appel-a->**

The Agropolis Foundation has launched an appeal to fund international mobility to promote agro-ecological transition for tomorrow's agricultures. The present CfP aims to consolidate the international recognition of the network's scientific excellence; grow and/or capitalize on strategic themes for the Foundation; strengthen or initiate partnerships of scientific excellence for the Foundation's charter members in hosting senior foreign researchers; encourage the international mobility of young French researchers (Masters, PhD students, post-docs & young scientists) from the Foundation's network.

The scope is designed to generate proposals addressing the various themes identified under each of the three crosscutting axes, which are fully aligned with the Sustainable Development Goals, particularly SDGs 12, 13 and 15.

The three axes are:

- Axis 1: Agriculture and climate change:
- Axis 2: Conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity
- Axis 3: Responsible production and consumption

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Private Sector Engagement and Market-Based Development: Co-Creating and Partnering for Impact via Global Development Alliances

- ❖ **Important Dates:** **Post Date:** 16-Oct-2020
Deadline Date: 16-Dec-2022
- ❖ **Donor Name:** **United States** - Agency for International Development (USAID)
- ❖ **Grant Size:** More than \$1 million
- ❖ **Category:** Grant
- ❖ **Reference URL:**
<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=329434>

The United States Government as represented by the U.S Agency for International Development (USAID), Bureau for Economic Growth, Education and Environment (E3), Private Sector Engagement Team, invites applications for Global Development Alliances (GDAs). The U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) is committed to engaging and working with the private sector to determine how markets, market-based approaches, and private sector behavior can drive development outcomes, results, and impact in an ongoing and sustainable manner. The GDA APS is designed to describe and provide a process through which organizations can work with USAID and the private sector to build Global Development Alliances (GDAs) that leverage markets, market-based approaches, and private sector expertise to advance and achieve:

- private sector led development;
- core business interests and objectives;
- USAID's strategic priorities and objectives; and
- the ongoing and sustainable generation of valuable development outcomes, results and impact.

Open Call for Research and Policy Project Proposals

- ❖ **Important Dates:** Post Date: 23-Jun-2022
Deadline Date: 20-Jul-2022
- ❖ **Donor Name:** International Network for Sustainable Financial Policy Insights, Research and Exchange (INSPIRE)
- ❖ **Grant Size:** \$10,000 to \$100,000
- ❖ **Category:** Grant
- ❖ **Reference URL:** <https://inspiregreenfinance.org/calls-for->

The International Network for Sustainable Financial Policy Insights, Research and Exchange (INSPIRE) has announced an open call for Research and Policy Project Proposals: Environment-related financial risks and regulatory capital requirements.

The objective of this call is to support prudential regulators and supervisors in creating the evidence base and analytical understanding to enable integration of environment- or climate-related financial risks into their regulatory frameworks. Ultimately, this foundation can enable central banks and supervisors to provide guidance on the mitigation of environmental risk to safeguard financial stability across global capital markets.

The purpose of this call is to commission gold standard research and policy analysis which: monitor the latest developments on these risks' application to the banking and insurance sectors and contribute to the academic literature that provides central banks and supervisors with the evidence base for regulatory action on.

SPORTS

Palladium launches Call for Proposals for 2022 Challenge Fund

- ❖ **Important Dates:** Post Date: 16-Jun-2022
Deadline Date: 31-Jul-2022
- ❖ **Donor Name:** Palladium
- ❖ **Grant Size:** \$10,000 to \$100,000
- ❖ **Category:** Grant
- ❖ **Reference URL:** <https://thepalladiumgroup.com/news/Palladium->

Applications are now open for the Palladium Challenge Fund which brings in ideas from our network in over 90 countries and partnership with over 1,600 organizations globally to source innovative responses to global challenges.

The fund organizations and initiatives that:

- Pilot new technologies and innovative approaches
- De-risk start-up ventures
- Deliver outcomes from innovative financial mechanisms
- Support the convening of innovative challenges

The future demands new thinking, new approaches, and new solutions. The Palladium Challenge Fund brings in ideas from the network in over 90 countries and partnership with over 1,600 organizations globally to source innovative responses to global challenges.

Apply now for Startupbootcamp's Decarbonize Program

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 13-Apr-2022**
- ❖ **Deadline Date: 11-Jul-2022**
- ❖ **Donor Name: Startupbootcamp**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$100,000 to \$500,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.startupbootcamp.com.au/programs/deca>**

The Startupbootcamp's Decarbonize program is now open for applications to reimagine and accelerate clean energy transition and sustainability through a structured startup engagement process.

If you have a concept that challenges the status quo, passionate about your innovation/technology, looking to scale, raise capital and or needing to partner with corporates to build, test and validate your hypothesis then this program is for you.

Startupbootcamp is extremely excited to be partnering Mitsubishi Corporation and NYK Line to solve the world's biggest energy challenges and opportunities. In addition, they will connect you with mentors, industry leaders and investors. They will build your capability to pitch yourself and your business to the market they will beyond the program.

The program is structured around three pillars of growth: SHAPE, BUILD, & SELL. There is a high focus on business development and proof of value (POV) or proof of concept (POC) projects with MC and NYK Line.

Each month they put emphasis on identifying the needs of each startup and providing tailored support. By the end of the program, they want your startup to be in a position to scale globally.