FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES
Updated October 15th 2019

HEALTH & WELL-BEING

TITLE: **CIGNA World of Difference Grant Program: Community Health Navigation Grant**

DEADLINE: Ongoing

DESCRIPTION: The Cigna Foundation is deeply committed to providing opportunities for individuals everywhere to achieve the best possible health. We pursue that goal through our World of Difference Grants. Our overall World of Difference focus is Health Equity, helping people overcome barriers to their health and well-being related to factors such as ethnicity, race, gender, age, geography, or economics. World of Difference Grants emphasize partnership: sharing the knowledge and expertise of Cigna's professionals with dedicated non-profit partners. We believe that together, we can make "A World of Difference" in both individual and community health.
To encourage Health Equity, we are currently seeking proposals from non-profit organizations engaged in eliminating Health Disparities and improving Community Health Navigation.

WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.instrumentl.com/grants/cigna-world-of-difference-grants

TITLE: **Missouri Foundation for Health Opportunity Fund**

DEADLINE: Ongoing

DESCRIPTION: We are looking for ideas that align with our mission and core values, and aim to create meaningful, sustainable change on significant health issues. For us, health will be defined broadly and may include addressing underlying factors that help or hinder health and well-being. We are open to experimentation and testing promising ideas. Applicants are encouraged to consider if their concepts: Improve the health and well-being of communities most in need, test different approaches to address community health issues, or introduce promising practices to new audiences.

WHERE TO APPLY: https://mffh.org/our-focus/community-ideas/opportunity-fund/

TITLE: **Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Evidence for Action: Investigator-Initiated Research to Build a Culture of Health**

DEADLINE: Ongoing

DESCRIPTION: Evidence for Action (E4A), a national program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF), funds research that expands the evidence needed to build a Culture of Health. A Culture of Health is broadly defined as one in which good health and well-being flourish across geographic, demographic, and social sectors; public and private decision-making is guided by the goal of fostering equitable communities; and everyone has the opportunity to make choices that lead to healthy lifestyles. RWJF's Culture of Health Action Framework, which was developed to catalyze a national movement toward improved health, well-being, and equity, guides E4A's program strategy.

WHERE TO APPLY https://www.rwjf.org/en/library/funding-opportunities/2019/evidence-for-action-investigator-initiated-research-to-build-a-culture-of-health.html

TITLE: **MAP FUND FOR SOCIALLY ENGAGED LIVE PERFORMANCE PROJECTS**
DEADLINE: Monday, November 25, 2019 6:00 PM
DESCRIPTION: Original live performance projects that embody a spirit of deep inquiry, particularly works created by artists who question, disrupt, complicate, & challenge inherited notions of social & cultural hierarchy across the United States

WHERE TO APPLY: https://mapfundblog.org/map-grant-overview/

DEVELOPMENT

TITLE: **Jeffris Heartland Fund, Jeffris Family Foundation to support the development of historic preservation projects**
DEADLINE: Ongoing
DESCRIPTION: The Jeffris Family Foundation invites applications for grants from the Jeffris Heartland Fund, to support the development of important historic preservation projects in the states of Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Ohio, and Wisconsin. Grants will be made in the range of $5,000 to $50,000 to cover 50% the cost of an Historic Structure Report, and must be matched dollar-for-dollar with cash from sources unrelated to the Jeffris Family. Projects and their sponsors receiving grants from the Jeffris Heartland Fund, and completing a quality study in a timely manner – usually within one year – may be invited to submit a proposal to the Jeffris Family Foundation for a Capital Campaign Challenge Grant. The Jeffris Family Foundation will invite such proposals on a funds-available, competitive basis.
WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.jeffrisfoundation.org/preservation/heartland-fund/

TITLE: **The Environmental Justice Collaborative Problem-Solving Cooperative Agreement Program**
DEADLINE: February 7, 2020 at 11:59 PM (ET)
DESCRIPTION: Ten awards will be made (one award per region) in amounts of up to $120,000 per award for a two-year project period. Cooperative agreements will be awarded to local community-based organizations, tribes, and tribal organizations seeking to address environmental and public health concerns in local underserved communities through collaboration with other stakeholders, such as local businesses and industry, local government, medical service providers, and academia.
WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.epa.gov/environmental-justice/environmental-justice-collaborative-problem-solving-cooperative-agreement-0#tab-2

TITLE: **Community Impact Grants**
DEADLINE: December 31st,, 2019
DESCRIPTION: The Home Depot Foundation offers grant awards up to $5,000 to 501c designated organizations (recognized and in good standing with the IRS for a minimum of one year) and tax-exempt public service agencies in the U.S. that are using the power of volunteers to improve the community. Grants are given in the form of The Home Depot gift cards for the purchase of tools, materials, or services and are required to be completed within six months of approval date.

WHERE TO APPLY: https://corporate.homedepot.com/grants/community-impact-grants

TITLE: GROWING GREEN SOLUTIONS SEED FUNDING PROGRAM

DEADLINE: Friday, November 22, 2019 11:59 PM
DESCRIPTION: Individuals in the St. Louis region are invited to co-create a project and apply for funding in partnership with an affiliated faith-based institution. Projects are eligible for up to $5,000 of seed funding. This program is available to communities in the St. Louis region who are disproportionately affected by environmental injustices.

WHERE TO APPLY:
https://www.communitybuildersstl.org/funding/Growing%20Green%20Solutions%20Seed%20Funding%20Program

TITLE: 2020 BROWNSFIELD GRANT

DEADLINE: Tuesday, December 3, 2019 10:59 PM
DESCRIPTION: Funds: EPA's Brownfields Program is designed to empower states, communities, and other stakeholders in economic redevelopment to work together in a timely manner to prevent, assess, safely clean up, and sustainably reuse brownfields.

WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.epa.gov/brownfields

TITLE: EPA BROWNFIELD REVOLVING LOAN FUND GRANTS

DEADLINE: Tuesday, December 3, 2019 10:59 PM
DESCRIPTION: Funds to empower states, communities, tribes, and nonprofit organizations to prevent, inventory, assess, clean up, and reuse brownfield sites

WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2019-10/documents/epa-olem-oblr-19-06_final.pdf

TITLE: TAYLOR COMMUNITY CONSULTING PROGRAM

DEADLINE: Friday, December 6, 2019 11:59 PM
DESCRIPTION: Team-based, student-led, applied learning projects at local nonprofits over the course of 10 to 12 weeks

WHERE TO APPLY: https://olinbusiness.ut1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_daSsijrYle7ysXX

TITLE: **ST. LOUIS CITY SENIOR FUND-APPLICANT DEFINED GRANTS**

DEADLINE: Friday, December 6, 2019 11:59 PM

DESCRIPTION: Funding awarded to address applicants' determination of organizational and community need that is consistent with the Senior Fund's mission, including program support, pilot/innovation projects, and capacity building.

WHERE TO APPLY: https://stlseniorfund.org/grants/

TITLE: **HISTORIC PRESERVATION FUND GRANTS TO UNDERREPRESENTED COMMUNITIES**

DEADLINE: Tuesday, December 17, 2019 11:59 PM

DESCRIPTION: Grants to support the survey and designation of historic properties that are associated with communities currently underrepresented in the National Register of Historic Places.

WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=321200

TITLE: **ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY CHALLENGE**

DEADLINE: Tuesday, January 28, 2020 7:00 PM

DESCRIPTION: $10 million to scale the most transformative approach to expanding economic opportunity for low-income individuals and communities in the U.S.

WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.economicopportunitychallenge.org/

SOCIAL CHANGE

TITLE: **Support for Community Organizing Efforts to Confront Poverty: Presbyterian Committee on the Self-Development of People**

DEADLINE: Ongoing

DESCRIPTION: The Presbyterian Committee on the Self-Development of People (SDOP) participates in the empowerment of economically poor, oppressed, and disadvantaged people who are seeking to change the structures that perpetuate poverty, oppression, and injustice. SDOP currently supports groups in the United States who are oppressed by poverty and social systems, want to take charge of their own lives, are organizing to do something about their own conditions, and have decided that what they are going to do will produce long-term changes in their lives or communities. Supported projects must be presented, owned, and controlled by the groups of people who will directly benefit from them. In addition, projects should utilize some combination of the SDOP core strategies to promote justice, build solidarity, advance human dignity, and advocate for economic equity. Applications may be submitted throughout the year. Visit the SDOP website to review the grant criteria.

WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/sdop/

TITLE: **Wallace Global Fund: Grants to Promote Social Justice and Environmental Protection Programs Worldwide**

DEADLINE: Ongoing

DESCRIPTION: The mission of the Wallace Global Fund is to promote an informed and engaged citizenry, to fight injustice, and to protect the diversity of nature and the natural systems upon which all life depends. Grants are provided for initiatives at the national and global levels, as well as for significant

local or regional programs offering the potential to leverage broader impact. The focus is on nonprofit organizations and non-governmental organizations that are catalyzing significant change in line with one of the following priority areas: Challenge Corporate Power, Defend and Renew Democracy, Protect the Environment, Promote Truth and Creative Freedom in Media, and Advance Women's Human Rights and Empowerment. Online letters of inquiry may be submitted at any time. Visit the Fund's website to learn more about the priority areas and application guidelines.
WHERE TO APPLY: http://wgf.org/

TITLE: Unitarian Universalist Funding Program: Fund for a Just Society
DEADLINE: Ongoing
DESCRIPTION: Grants are made to non-Unitarian Universalist groups in the U.S. and Canada that meet all 3 of the following criteria: uses community organizing to bring about systemic change* leading to a more just society; and mobilizes those who have been disenfranchised and excluded from resources, power and the right to self-determination; and has an active focused campaign to create systemic change. Priority is given to active, specific campaigns to create change in the economic, social, and political structures that affect their lives. We expect the organization's infrastructure, including leadership, membership and systems of accountability to be developed by the time of the application. We welcome projects that are less likely to receive conventional funding because of the innovative or challenging nature of the work or the economic and social status of the constituency.
WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.uufunding.org/fund-for-a-just-society.html

TITLE: FY20 Guidelines for Brownfield Revolving Loan Fund Grants
DEADLINE: December 3rd, 2019
DESCRIPTION: The Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA), as amended by the Brownfields Utilization, Investment, and Local Development (BUILD) Act (P.L. 115-141), requires the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to publish guidance for grants to assess and clean up brownfield sites. EPA's Brownfields Program provides funds to empower states, communities, tribes, and nonprofit organizations to prevent, inventory, assess, clean up, and reuse brownfield sites. This guidance provides information on applying for Revolving Loan Fund Grants.
WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2019-10/documents/epa-olem-oblr-19-06_final.pdf

TITLE: (Rolling Deadline) Presbyterian Committee On the Self-Development of People Grant
DEADLINE: December 31st, 2019
DESCRIPTION: Organizations looking to promote justice, build solidarity, advance human dignity, & advocate for economic equity; supported projects must be presented, owned, & controlled by the groups of people who will directly benefit from them

WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/sdop/apply-grant/

TITLE: RESIST SOCIAL JUSTICE GRANTS
DEADLINE: Friday, December 6, 2019 11:59 PM
DESCRIPTION: Groups who are building movements for justice & liberation & resisting systemic oppression through grassroots/cultural organizing, art-making, & resilience building

WHERE TO APPLY: https://resist.org/grants/programs

TITLE: ASPHALT ART INITIATIVE
DEADLINE: Thursday, December 12, 2019 9:30 AM
DESCRIPTION: Visual art interventions on roadways, pedestrian spaces, and public infrastructure in small and medium-sized U.S. cities (with populations of 30,000 to 500,000). The Initiative's goals are to improve street and pedestrian safety, revitalize and beautify underutilized public space, and promote collaboration and civic engagement in local communities. The program will award grants of up to $25,000 each to ten cities.
WHERE TO APPLY: https://asphaltart.bloomberg.org/

TITLE: U.S. BANK CLEANTECH INCLUSION AWARD
DEADLINE: Tuesday, December 31, 2019 11:59 PM
DESCRIPTION: Entrepreneurs who are female and/or people of color and who are building innovative companies that benefit the environment, create jobs, and drive economic development
WHERE TO APPLY: http://cleanenergytrust.org/programs/u-s-bank-cleantech-inclusion-award/

TITLE: (ROLLING DEADLINE) WALLACE GLOBAL FUND: GRANTS TO PROMOTE SOCIAL JUSTICE & ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION PROGRAMS
DEADLINE: Tuesday, December 31, 2019 - 11:59 PM
DESCRIPTION: Initiatives that promote an informed & engaged citizenry, fight injustice, &/or protect the diversity of nature & the natural systems upon which all life depends; grants are provided for initiatives at the national & global levels, as well as for significant local or regional programs offering the potential to leverage broader impact
WHERE TO APPLY: http://wgf.org/

TITLE: (ROLLING DEADLINE) CIGNA FOUNDATION WORLD OF DIFFERENCE GRANTS
DEADLINE: Tuesday, December 31, 2019 11:59 PM
DESCRIPTION: Nonprofits engaged in eliminating health disparities & improving community health navigation
WHERE TO APPLY: https://www.instrumentl.com/grants/cigna-world-of-difference-grants

YOUTH/EDUCATION

TITLE: **It Starts with Us: STLVPC Mini Grant**

DEADLINE: Applications due on the 6th of each month

DESCRIPTION: Youth-led (between the ages of 15-25), neighborhood-based groups are eligible to receive a project sponsorship of up to $2,500 to address a community defined issue. Areas of focus may include youth leadership, artistic expression, neighborhood improvement, community and civic engagement, creating safe and fun spaces for youth, and supporting youth in developing life skills and good decision-making skills. Approximately 20 awards will be made in St. Louis City and County.

WHERE TO APPLY:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1K2810Q8eVjltCAnrnvv7xxLEbyZ5arbK4yid89PVzxE/viewform?ts=5b2bcc89&edit_requested=true

TITLE: **YOUTH ENGAGED IN PHILANTHROPY (YEP STL!) GRANTS**

DEADLINE: Saturday, December 7, 2019 11:59 PM

DESCRIPTION: Nonprofits that provide services to youth in the St. Louis region

WHERE TO APPLY: https://youthbridge.org/yep-stl-grant-guidelines/

TITLE: **KIDSGARDENING 2020 YOUTH GARDEN GRANTS**

DEADLINE: Monday, December 16, 2019 11:59 PM

DESCRIPTION: School & youth educational garden projects that enhance the quality of life for students and their communities

WHERE TO APPLY: https://kidsgardening.org/2020-youth-garden-grant/

VIOLENCE PREVENTION

TITLE: **It Starts with Us: STLVPC Mini Grant**

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DESCRIPTION: Youth-led (between the ages of 15-25), neighborhood-based groups are eligible to receive a project sponsorship of up to $2,500 to address a community defined issue. Areas of focus may include youth leadership, artistic expression, neighborhood improvement, community and civic engagement, creating safe and fun spaces for youth, and supporting youth in developing life skills and good decision-making skills. Approximately 20 awards will be made in St. Louis City and County.

WHERE TO APPLY:

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