

Limited Submissions

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Tufts University

LIMITED SUBMISSION: Department of State Cultural Affairs Annual Program - U.S. Embassy Islamabad

*****PLEASE NOTE: ONE (1) PROPOSAL FROM TUFTS MAY BE NOMINATED*****

DEADLINES:

Tufts Internal Email of Intent Deadline: February 16 *by noon*

Sponsor Deadline: April 5, 2018

For those interested, please send an **email of intent** to the Limited Submissions Team at limitedsubmissions@tufts.edu informing us of an intention to apply. EOI's received after the deadline will not be considered. The email of intent must include:

1. *The name of the solicitation,*
2. *The name of the Principal Investigator, and any co-PI's,*
3. *A 2-3 sentence description of the proposed project.*

Should the number of interested applicants exceed the number allowed by the funder, an internal selection process will be conducted by the Office of the Vice Provost for Research, and candidates will be notified to submit internal application materials. All candidates will be notified of results. NB: Successful applications must include official notification from the Limited Submissions Team in order to submit. For more information, please see <http://viceprovost.tufts.edu/resources/funding/limited-submissions/>

PROGRAM INFORMATION: Programming funded under this NOFO will help to strengthen ties between the United States and Pakistan through programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation. To that end, all programs must include an American element or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and perspectives. Preference will be given to proposals that include target audiences outside the urban centers of Islamabad, Karachi, Lahore, and Peshawar. Projects that engage partners in India and/or Afghanistan are welcome.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS: While proposals may address multiple project objectives; they should focus activities primarily in one of the following four (4) project areas, and indicate which one.

- Education – Academic Linkages / Joint Research / Promoting Tolerance and Diversity on Campus
- Sustainable Economic Growth
- Human Rights and Social Inclusion
- Strengthening Civil Society

All proposals should include the following:

- Enumerate specific outcomes to be achieved by the end of the grant period
- Describe involvement of American participants, experts, organizations, or institutions
- Specify audiences to be reached and geographic locations of program activities
- Clearly describe how activities will be monitored and evaluated
- Describe how elements will have a multiplier effect or be sustainable beyond the funding period
- Include a marketing/advertising plan

ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION: There are no restrictions or limits on who may serve as PI

AWARD INFORMATION: Based on funding availability, awards will vary between \$200,000 and \$500,000, with project duration of up to two years. Projects with activities expected to span one year or less should not be submitted for more than \$250,000.

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FURTHER INFORMATION: <https://www.grants.gov/custom/viewOppDetails.jsp?oppld=300444>

NOTE: Program announcement instructions supersede instructions delivered in this document.