

Grant Title: GRANTS FOR RESEARCH ON THE U.S. SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING WORKFORCE SMALL GRANT PROGRAM

Area of Research: Improved understanding of the U.S. Science and Engineering workforce in relation to the domestic and international labor markets in which it operates

Application Deadline: November 17, 2008

Amount: Up to \$45,000. Up to six research awards.

Length of Support: Up to two years

Eligible Applicants: Grants can be made only to U.S. institutions of higher education and research that are eligible for Foundation grants. Grant applicants must be faculty members or other regular employees of the eligible institution.

Agency/Department: Alfred P. Sloan Foundation

Summary: In the second round of this research competition, the Foundation wishes especially to encourage proposals that focus on the complex nexus between the U.S. science and engineering workforce and international migration. The Foundation believes that much could be gained from an improved understanding of the U.S. S&E workforce in relation to the domestic and international labor markets in which it operates. These subjects have long attracted a great deal of rhetorical and political commentary, yet objective research attention has been limited by the difficulty of obtaining needed grant funding.

Detailed Information:

<http://www.sloan.org/programs/documents/SEWProgramAnnouncementv2.pdf>