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### Science Scoop – Feb. 21, 2025

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#### 1. GRANT COMPETITIONS:

Contact the **Grants Facilitation Team** for assistance with applications.

Please note all **Faculty of Science (FoS)** deadlines are at 9:00 AM.

Dates highlighted in **yellow** are new entries.

If you have not done so, [sign up](#) for the **RIS Research Funding Database** weekly digest.

FoS Deadline	Opportunity	Type/Stage
Feb. 25, 2025	MUN - Artistic Creative Grants	<a href="#">Application</a>
Feb. 26, 2025*	CIHR - <a href="#">Project Grant: Spring 2025</a>	<a href="#">Application</a>
Feb. 26, 2025	Oxford/Harrington - <a href="#">Rare Disease Scholar Award</a>	<a href="#">Application</a>
<b>Mar. 6, 2025</b>	SSHRC - <a href="#">Partnership Engage Grants</a> (quarterly competition, FoS deadlines for the next two calls in 2025 are <a href="#">Jun. 5</a> & <a href="#">Sep. 4</a> )	<a href="#">Application</a>
Mar. 10, 2025	Pfizer - RFP on <a href="#">Integrin beta-6 (IB6) Sigvotatug Vedotin (SV) Translational and Pre-Clinical Research</a>	<a href="#">Application</a>
Mar. 12, 2025	MUN - Publication Subvention	<a href="#">Application</a>
Mar. 18, 2025*	Weston Brain Institute - <a href="#">Rapid Response 2025 program</a> (FoS deadline for invited full <a href="#">applications</a> is Jul. 24, 2025)	<a href="#">Letter of Intent</a>
Mar. 20, 2025	NSERC - <a href="#">Idea to Innovation</a> (quarterly competition, FoS deadlines for the other 2025 I2I competitions are <a href="#">Jun. 11</a> & <a href="#">Sep. 12</a> )	<a href="#">Application</a>
<b>Mar. 24, 2025*</b>	National Cybersecurity Consortium - <a href="#">Call for Proposals</a> (FoS deadline for invited full applications TBD but likely ~ Apr. 2025; currently no FoS deadline for LOIs but subject to change based on a RIS deadline)	<a href="#">Letter of Intent</a>
Mar. 26, 2025	Pfizer - RFP on <a href="#">PARP-Inhibitor Combination Therapies: Personalized Treatment for Patients w/ Metastatic Castration-Resistant Prostate Cancer</a>	<a href="#">Application</a>
Apr. 1, 2025*	CIHR - Team Grant: <a href="#">Bringing Biology to Cancer Prevention</a> (FoS deadline for full <a href="#">applications</a> is Jun. 11, 2025)	<a href="#">Registration</a>
Apr. 2, 2025	French Embassy in CAN. - <a href="#">FCRF+</a>	<a href="#">Application</a>
<b>Apr. 3, 2025</b>	NFRF - <a href="#">Transformation</a> 2026 Competition (FoS deadline for <a href="#">LOIs</a> is Jun. 3, 2025; FoS deadline for invited full <a href="#">applications</a> TBD but likely ~ Feb. 2026)	<a href="#">Notice of Intent</a>
Apr. 3, 2025	Pfizer - RFP on <a href="#">Developing Edu. Initiatives for ALK+ Metastatic Non-small Cell Lung Cancer Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitors Therapy</a>	<a href="#">Application</a>
Apr. 7, 2025	Pfizer - RFP on <a href="#">Accelerating biomarker testing for optimized metastatic colorectal cancer treatment planning across Canada</a>	<a href="#">Application</a>

Apr. 15, 2025*	Lotte & John Hecht Memorial Fdn. - <a href="#">Spring 2025 Competition in Cancer Research</a> (FoS deadline for invited full <a href="#">applications</a> is May 22, 2025)	<a href="#">Letter of Intent</a>
Apr. 22, 2025*	SSHRC - <a href="#">Destination Horizon Grants</a> (FoS deadline for draft application summaries is Apr. 29, 2025)	<a href="#">Internal (RIS) Registration</a>
Apr. 23, 2025	SSHRC - <a href="#">Connection Grant</a> (quarterly competition, FoS deadlines for the other 2025 Connect Grant competitions are <a href="#">Jul. 24</a> & <a href="#">Oct. 24</a> )	<a href="#">Application</a>
Apr. 30, 2025*	Huntington Society of Canada - <a href="#">Navigator Research Program</a> (FoS deadline for full <a href="#">applications</a> is May 27, 2025)	<a href="#">Letter of Intent</a>
<b>May 8, 2025</b>	Gov't of NL - Archaeology Office - <a href="#">Archaeology Research Grants</a>	<a href="#">Application</a>
<b>May 8, 2025</b>	MUN - Seed, Bridge, and Multidisciplinary Competition	<a href="#">Application</a>
Aug. 15, 2025*	Lotte & John Hecht Memorial Fdn. - <a href="#">Fall 2025 Competition in Cancer Research</a> (FoS deadline for invited full <a href="#">applications</a> is Sep. 22, 2025)	<a href="#">Letter of Intent</a>
Aug. 22, 2025*	SSHRC - <a href="#">Destination Horizon Grants</a> (FoS deadline for draft application summaries is Aug. 28, 2025)	<a href="#">Internal (RIS) Registration</a>
<i>*Sponsor deadline – Faculty/Institutional review/approval/signature not required, but please let Grant Facilitators know of your LOI/EOI so we will be prepared to review your full application; RFP = Request for Proposals</i>		

## 2. AWARDS:

Deadline	Award	Area/Type
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	Gairdner Fdn. - <a href="#">Awards</a> (various)	Biomedical/Health
Contact <a href="mailto:sciencegrants@mun.ca">sciencegrants@mun.ca</a> if interested in being nominated for any of the above awards/to obtain an Awards Advisory Committee Candidate Template form for awards with a RIS deadline		

## 3. EVENTS, TALKS, WORKSHOPS, & OTHER OPPORTUNITIES:

Date	Talk/Workshop/Event/Opportunity	Participation Information
Feb. 2025	MUN Black History Month Events	View full list of events <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 25, 2025 2:30-4:00 PM	ESDC - Accessible Canada Partnerships webinar (please contact <a href="mailto:sciencegrants@mun.ca">sciencegrants@mun.ca</a> for further details/info on how to register)	Zoom (free) Registration deadline: Feb. 20, 2025
Feb. 26, 2025 1:30-4:30 PM	ACENET - Using Spreadsheets to Organize Data	Zoom (free) View detail/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 26, 2025 2:00-3:00 PM	MUN RIS - Horizon Europe Information Session	Webex (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 26, 2025 2:30-3:30 PM	Public Safety CAN - Safeguarding Science Workshop Module 1 (Raising awareness of security risks & mitigation tools in the research ecosystem)	Microsoft Teams (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 27, 2025 1:00-2:10 PM	MUN Gardiner Centre - J. Kelly: Navigating Cross-Cultural Communication	Webex (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 28, 2025	MUN FoS SEA Conference registration deadline (SEA Conference: Apr. 9 & 10, 2025)	View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 28, 2025 12:00-1:00 PM	Quality of Care NL - Dr. S. Savas, D. Bishop & S. Slowka: Patient-Public Engagement	Webex (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 4 & 6, 2025 1:30-4:30 PM	ACENET - Introductory Programming with Python	Zoom (free) View detail/register <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 4, 2025 2:00-3:00 PM	MUN CITL Instructor Series Dr. K. Power: Allowing space for creativity in the classroom	ED-1001/Webex (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>

Mar. 6, 2025 1:00-2:10 PM	MUN Gardiner Centre - J. Kelly: Overcoming Bias & Building Inclusive Language	Webex (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 10, 2025 1:30-2:30 PM	Brain CAN - Caring for the Aging Brain: A Conversation with Researchers and Caregivers	Zoom (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 11 & 13, 2025 1:30-4:30 PM	ACENET - Big Data Analysis with Apache Spark	Zoom (free) View detail/register <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 11, 2025 2:30-4:30 PM	NFRF - 2026 Transformation Competition Notice of Intent Stage Info Session	Webex (free) Join online <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 14, 2025 2:00-5:00 PM	ACENET - Foundations of Machine Learning	Zoom (free) View detail/register <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 26, 2025 2:30-3:30 PM	Public Safety CAN - Safeguarding Science Workshop Module 2 (Dual-Use Tech: Know Your Research - Know your Partners - Assess the Risk)	Microsoft Teams (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 26, 2025 2:30-4:00 PM	SSHRC - Policy Innovation Partnership Grants Webinar	Microsoft Teams (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Apr. 25, 2025	Submission deadline by instructor nominated students for W2025 Pro Vice-Chancellor's Prize	View nomination/application details <a href="#">here</a>
May 6, 2025 2:30-4:30 PM	NFRF - 2026 Transformation Competition Letter of Intent Stage Info Session	Webex (free) Join online <a href="#">here</a>
Please visit the Gazette's Event Listing <a href="#">webpage</a> to find out about campus activities not listed here		

#### 4. ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS:

Who	What	When/Where	More Information
Faculty & Staff	Calls for proposals & reviewers for MUN's 2025 Teaching & Learning Conference	Deadlines: Feb. 28 for Reviewers; Mar. 12 for Proposals Conference: Apr. 30 & May 1, 2025	View details on the conference, call for proposals, and call for reviewers <a href="#">here</a>
Faculty	NSERC is pausing the intake of requests for extensions with additional funds for <b>Alliance Advantage</b> grants	Pause takes effect Feb. 27, 2025, 9:30 PM	Requests made before pause date are subject to available funds
Faculty, Staff, PDFs, & Students	MUN RIO call to submit proposals for presentations to take place at a connector event focused on AI & Disruptive Tech in Ocean Industries	Submission deadline: Feb. 25, 2025  Event: Mar. 12, 2025, 8:30 AM-12:30 PM, OFI, 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor, CSF	Abstracts submitted to <a href="mailto:rio@mun.ca">rio@mun.ca</a> View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Faculty, Staff, PDFs, & Students	Stewardship Association of Municipalities (SAM) invitation to attend their inaugural NL Habitat Conservation Workshop	Registration deadline & price: May 23, 2025; \$50  Workshop: Jun. 3-5, 2025, Capital Hotel, SJ	View details/register <a href="#">here</a>  For a copy of the draft workshop agenda contact <a href="mailto:sciencegrants@mun.ca">sciencegrants@mun.ca</a>

#### 5. GRAD STUDENT/PDF EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES:

Deadline/Date	Workshop/Event/ Program/Award	More Information
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Feb. 25, 2025 10:00-11:00 AM	MUN Centre for Social Enterprise - Social Ventures Incubator Information Session	Online (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 25, 2025 1:00-2:00 PM	MUN FoS - J. Bowering: Science Graduate Student Check in Session – Winter 2025	Webex (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 25, 2025 1:00-2:00 PM	MUN SGS - Dr. B. Fitzpatrick: Reading at the Graduate Level	ED-2018A (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 25, 2025 4:30-5:30 PM	Athabasca U FGS - S. Watt: How to APA 7: The Essentials of Formatting, Citing, & Paraphrasing	Microsoft Teams (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 27, 2025 2:00-4:00 PM	MUN Centre for Social Enterprise - PR Pathways Through Entrepreneurship	BN-4015 (free) View details <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 26, 2025 1:00-2:00 PM	MUN SGS - X. Wang: Tips for a Successful Interview	Webex (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 27, 2025 9:30 AM-4:30 PM	MUN International Professional Network/HR - Unlocking the Power of International Talents	CSF Whale Atrium (free) View details <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 27, 2025 12:00-1:00 PM	MUN SGS - Group Wellness Session: Mindfulness	IIC-2015P (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 27, 2025 2:00-3:00 PM	MUN SGS ETP - Dr. P. Piercey: Contextualizing Entrepreneurship	A-1046/Online (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 28, 2025	MUN FoS SEA Conference registration deadline (SEA Conference: Apr. 9 & 10, 2025)	View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Feb. 28, 2025 10 AM-12 PM	MUN SGS - Group Wellness Session: Open Art Making Session	IIC-2014 (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 1, 2025	Dermot O'Reilly Legacy Award (Application form can be obtained by contacting <a href="mailto:sciencegrants@mun.ca">sciencegrants@mun.ca</a> )	View details <a href="#">here</a>
Mar.4, 2025 1:00-2:00 PM	MUN SGS - N. Blatch: Developing a Successful Resume and Cover Letter	Webex (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 6, 2025 12:00-1:00 PM	MUN SGS - Thesis Submission, Examination, Completion & Defence Information Session	Online (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 5, 2025 1:00-2:00 PM	MUN SGS - A. Farrell: Research Data Management: An Introduction	Online (free) View details/register <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 11, 2025 (FoS deadline)	Heart & Strike Fdn. - <a href="#">Personnel Awards</a> for Black Scholars (MSc: \$27,000/yr. for up to 2 yrs, PhD: \$40,000/yr. for up to 3 yrs)	View application details <a href="#">here</a>
Mar. 11, 2025 (FoS deadline)	Heart & Strike Fdn. - <a href="#">Personnel Awards</a> for Indigenous Scholars (same award terms as above)	View application details <a href="#">here</a>
Apr. 2, 2025	ALS CAN/Brain CAN - Trainee Program 2025 (PhD: \$25,000/yr. x 3 yrs.; PFD \$55,000/yr. x 3 yrs.; FoS deadlines TBD as institutional signature required)	View application details <a href="#">here</a>
Please see the <a href="#">EDGE calendar</a> of events for additional events & workshops, and SGS's <a href="#">database of searchable awards &amp; scholarships</a> for additional scholarship & bursary opportunities		
Faculty of Science (FoS), Research Initiatives & Services (RIS), School of Graduate Studies (SGS)		

## APPENDIX



# INDUSTRY & RESEARCH CONNECTOR

Wednesday, March 12, 2025  
8:30 AM - 12:30 PM  
Ocean Frontier Institute, 5th Floor  
Core Science Facility, Memorial University

## The Next Wave:

### AI and Disruptive Tech in Ocean Industries

Join industry leaders, researchers, and innovators to explore opportunities for new project ideas, information sharing, and collaboration.

Present your research or technical challenge, exchange ideas, foster partnerships, and drive innovation in ocean technology.



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## UNLOCKING THE POWER OF INTERNATIONAL TALENTS

### Event Highlights

- MUN HR will shed light on some of your burning HR questions
- MUN alumni who are now MUN employees will share their personal journeys
- You can network with MUN international students, employees, alumni and other international professionals at MUN

ENTER A DRAW TO WIN CAREER-RELATED MENTORING SESSIONS!

🕒 9:30 am – 4:30 pm

📍 Whale Atrium (CSF1301), MUNL St. John's Campus

📅 Thursday, February 27, 2025

You can ask your HR related questions via:

<https://sur.lj/kjquqb>

Or by scanning the QR beside



Scan QR code to register for the event

