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Science Scoop – Mar. 14, 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
Mar. 18, 2025*	Weston Brain Institute - Rapid Response 2025 program (FoS deadline for invited full applications is Jul. 24, 2025)	Letter of Intent
Mar. 19, 2025*	Canadian Lung Association - Allied Health Grant (FoS deadline for full applications is Apr. 1, 2025)	Registration
Mar. 19, 2025	Pfizer - RFP on Respiratory Syncytial Virus vaccines	Application
Mar. 20, 2025	NSERC - Idea to Innovation (quarterly competition, FoS deadlines for the other 2025 I2I competitions are Jun. 11 & Sep. 12)	Application
Mar. 24, 2025*	National Cybersecurity Consortium - Call for Proposals (FoS deadline for invited full applications is May 1, 2025)	Letter of Intent
Mar. 26, 2025	Pfizer - RFP on PARP-Inhibitor Combination Therapies: Personalized Treatment for Patients w/ Metastatic Castration-Resistant Prostate Cancer	Application
Apr. 1, 2025*	CIHR - Team Grant: Bringing Biology to Cancer Prevention (FoS deadline for full applications is Jun. 11, 2025)	Registration
Apr. 2, 2025	French Embassy in CAN. - FCRF+	Application
Apr. 3, 2025	NFRF - Transformation 2026 Competition (FoS deadline for LOIs is Jun. 3, 2025; FoS deadline for invited full applications TBD but likely ~ Feb. 2026)	Notice of Intent
Apr. 3, 2025	Pfizer - RFP on Developing Edu. Initiatives for ALK+ Metastatic Non-small Cell Lung Cancer Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitors Therapy	Application
Apr. 7, 2025	Pfizer - RFP on Accelerating biomarker testing for optimized metastatic colorectal cancer treatment planning across Canada	Application
Apr. 9, 2025*	Arthritis Society - Strategic Operating Grants (FoS deadline for invited full applications is Aug. 20, 2025)	Letter of Intent
Apr. 15, 2025*	Lotte & John Hecht Memorial Fdn. - Spring 2025 Competition in Cancer Research (FoS deadline for invited full applications is May 22, 2025)	Letter of Intent
Apr. 21, 2025	CAAIF - Research Grant in Hereditary Angioedema	Application

Apr. 22, 2025*	SSHRC - Destination Horizon Grants (FoS deadline for draft application summaries is Apr. 29, 2025)	Internal (RIS) Registration
Apr. 23, 2025	SSHRC - Connection Grant (quarterly competition, FoS deadlines for the other 2025 Connect Grant competitions are Jul. 24 & Oct. 24)	Application
Apr. 30, 2025*	Huntington Society of Canada - Navigator Research Program (FoS deadline for full applications is May 27, 2025)	Letter of Intent
May 8, 2025	Gov't of NL - Archaeology Office - Archaeology Research Grants	Application
May 8, 2025	MUN - Seed, Bridge, and Multidisciplinary Competition	Application
May 13, 2025*	Arthritis Society - Stars Career Development Award (FoS deadline for full applications is Jun. 17, 2025)	Registration
May 14, 2025*	Arthritis Society - Ignite Innovation Grants (FoS deadline for full applications is Jun. 18, 2025)	Abstract Registration
May 21, 2025*	Brain CAN/CQDM - Call for Collaborative Research Projects on the Brain (FoS deadline for full applications is May 20, 2025)	Letter of Intent
Jun. 5, 2025	SSHRC - Partnership Engage Grants (quarterly competition; FoS deadlines for the next call is Sep. 4, 2025)	Application
Aug. 15, 2025*	Lotte & John Hecht Memorial Fdn. - Fall 2025 Competition in Cancer Research (FoS deadline for invited full applications is Sep. 22, 2025)	Letter of Intent
Aug. 22, 2025*	SSHRC - Destination Horizon Grants (FoS deadline for draft application summaries is Aug. 28, 2025)	Internal (RIS) Registration
Aug. 27, 2025	SSHRC - Policy Innovation Partnership Grants	Application
*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		

2. AWARDS:

Deadline	Award	Area/Type
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	Gairdner Fdn. - Awards (various)	Biomedical/Health
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	Canadian Mathematical Society - Awards (various)	Math
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	Sloan Fdn. - Research Fellowships	Science
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	E.W.R. Steacie Memorial Fund - Steacie Prize	NSE
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	Chemical Institute of Canada - Awards (various)	Chemistry
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	Society of Toxicology of CAN - Awards (various)	Toxicology
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	National Humanities Center - Fellowships	Humanities
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	Woodrow Wilson Center - Fellowships	Public Policy
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	Canada Council for the Arts - Molson Prizes	Arts & HSS
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	Amer. Diabetes Assoc. - Awards (various)	Diabetes
May 15, 2025 (RIS)	Arctic Inspiration Prize	Arctic
Contact sciencegrants@mun.ca 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
Mar. 15/16, 2025 9:30-4:30 PM	Excellence Training NL - Certified First Aid Training	EN-4000 (\$89 + group rates) View details/register here
Mar. 18, 2025 12:00-1:00 PM	MUN Psych Colloquium - E. Marriot: Evaluating the efficacy of intranasal oxytocin on pain &	Google Meet (free) Join online here

	function among individuals who experience chronic pain: a multisite, placebo-controlled, blinded, sequential, within-subjects crossover trial	
Mar. 19, 2025 10:00-11:00 AM	MUN HR - Dealing with the Elephant in the Room	Webex (free) View details/register here
Mar. 19, 2025 10 AM-12 PM	MUN VPR/Research Security Centre (Public Safety Canada) - B. Cainen: Research Security in Canada	CSF-1302 (free)
Mar. 19, 2025 4:00-5:00 PM	AARMS - Dr. A. Trenk: The 2-burning number of a graph	Zoom (free) Join online here
Mar. 19, 2025 4:00-6:00 PM	2025 Mel Woodward Cup Finals	Emera Innov. Exch. (free) View details/register here
Mar. 20, 2025 2:30-3:30 PM	CFI - Future You: Transforming research instincts into a successful business	Online (free) View details/register here
Mar. 21, 2025 12:00-1:00 PM	MUN SGS - Dr. C. Brown: Graduate Supervisor Training: Understanding Disabilities and Accommodations	IIC-2014/Online (free) View details/register here
Mar. 24, 2025 11 AM-12:30 PM	Canadian Space Agency - In-Person Workshop (Lunar Exploration Program)	Co. Innovation Centre (free) View details/register here
Mar. 24, 2025 1:00-4:30 PM	MUN SGS PhD Oral Defence - V. Kalter: Impacts of Oil Pollution on sub-Arctic & Arctic Marine Invertebrates: A Study on Blue Mussels & Beyond	IIC-2014/Webex (free) Join online here
Mar. 25, 2025 2:00-3:00 PM	MUN CITL Instructor Series - Dr. C. Badenhorst: AI Literacy: Talking to Students About Generative-AI	Webex (free) View details/register here
Mar. 26, 2025 8:30 AM-1:30 PM	MUN HR - safeTALK Training	UC-3015 (free for employees) View details/register here
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 here
Mar. 26, 2025 2:30-4:00 PM	SSHRC - Policy Innovation Partnership Grants Webinar	Microsoft Teams (free) View details/register here
Mar. 27, 2025 10:30-11:30 AM & 12:00-1:00 PM	MUN EDI-AR - Racial Justice Toolkit Virtual Consultation Sessions (1 & 2)	Webex (free) View details/register for session 1 here or 2 here
Mar. 28, 2025 9 AM-3:30 PM	ISED - Horizon Europe information session	MI: The Launch (free) View details/register here
Mar. 29, 2025 6:30 AM-12 PM	MUN Geo Centre - Sun Block Party	175 Signal Hill Rd (Reg. Adm.) View details here
Mar. 31, 2025 3:30-5:30 PM	Ocean Startup Project - Exploring Ocean Problems	Online (free) View details/register here
Apr. 2, 2025 2:30-3:30 PM	Public Safety CAN - Safeguarding Science Workshop Module 5 (Sanctions 101 Global Affairs)	Microsoft Teams (free) View details/register here
Apr. 8, 2025 2:30-3:30 PM	Public Safety CAN - Safeguarding Science Workshop Module 4 (Know before you Export: Canada's Export and Brokering Controls)	Microsoft Teams (free) View details/register here

Apr. 8, 2025 4:30-5:30 PM	Ocean Startup Project - Ocean Idea Challenge Information Session	Zoom (free) View details/register here
Apr. 9 & 10, 2025	MUN SEA Conference	CSF (free) View details here
Apr. 25, 2025	Submission deadline by instructor nominated students for W2025 Pro Vice-Chancellor's Prize	View nomination/application details here
May 6, 2025 2:30-4:30 PM	NFRF - 2026 Transformation Competition Letter of Intent Stage Info Session	Webex (free) Join online here
May 16, 2025	Deadline to submit content for the Fall 2025 Journal of Ocean Technology	View details here
May 23, 2025	NL Habitat Conservation Workshop registration deadline (Workshop: Jun. 3-5, 2025)	Capital Hotel, SJ (\$50) View details/register here
Please visit the Gazette's Event Listing webpage to find out about campus activities not listed here		

4. ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS:

Who	What	When/Where	More Information
Faculty, Staff, PDFs, & Grad Students	Special presentation on Research Security in Canada from Beth Cainen (Atlantic Regional Advisor, Public Safety)	Mar. 19, 2025, 10 AM-12 PM, CSF-1302	Learn more about the Gov't of Canada's Research Security Centre and related policies here
Faculty	NL SUPPORT is currently accepting applications from faculty for their NL SUPPORT Undergraduate Training in Research Assistance program	Supervisor application deadline: Mar. 21, 2025 Student application deadline: Apr. 18, 2025	View details/how to apply here
Faculty, Staff, PDFs, & Grad Students	Ocean Startup Project's Ocean Idea Challenge 2025 nationwide applications are open	Deadline to register is Apr. 9, 2025	View details/apply here
Faculty, Staff, PDFs, & Grad Students	MUN researchers are seeking participants for a study investigating how the brain discriminates between different timbres	- Study takes place in Dr. B. Zendel's Cognitive Aging and Auditory Neuroscience Lab (HSC) - ~ 2.5h long/\$30 compensation	Contact psatkunaraja@mun.ca if interested in participating Must be over 18 yrs. old and right-handed

5. GRAD STUDENT/PDF EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES:

Deadline/Date	Workshop/Event/ Program/Award	More Information
Mar. 18, 2025 1:00-2:00 PM	MUN SGS - J. Goosney: Citation Management: Getting Started with Zotero	Online (free) View details/register here
Mar. 19, 2025	Registration deadline for Canadian Lung Association Studentship and Fellowship Awards (PhD: \$10,500/yr towards annual stipend.; PFD \$27,000 towards annual stipend; FoS deadline for full applications is Apr. 1, 2025)	View registration details here

Mar. 19, 2025 1:00-2:00 PM	MUN The Commons - Tips and Tricks for Engaging PowerPoint Presentations	Webex (free) View details/register here
Mar. 19, 2025 1:00-2:00 PM	MUN SGS - Dr. D. Hicks: Intellectual Property (IP) 101	Webex (free) View details/register here
Mar. 19, 2025 4:00-6:00 PM	MCE - 2025 Mel Woodward Cup Watch Party (pizza, prizes, and networking)	EN-3075 (free) View details/register here
Mar. 20, 2025 12:00-1:00 PM	MUN SGS - Thesis Submission, Examination, Completion & Defence Information Session	Online (free) View details/register here
Mar. 20, 2025 12:00-1:00 PM	MUN SGS - Group Wellness Session: Stress and Motivation	IIC-2015P (free) View details/register here
Mar. 20, 2025 1:00-2:00 PM	MUN SGS - Dr. D. Farquharson: Mastering the Fundamentals of Research Proposal Writing	Webex (free) View details/register here
Mar. 20, 2025 2:00-3:00 PM	MUN SGS ETP - D. Keating: Tips and Traps in Financial Management and Accounting	A-1046/Online (free) View details/register here
Mar. 25, 2025 (FoS deadline)	ALS CAN/Brain CAN - Trainee Program 2025 (PhD: \$25,000/yr. x 3 yrs.; PFD \$55,000/yr. x 3 yrs.)	View application details here
Mar. 25, 2025 1:00-2:00 PM	MUN SGS - J. Goosney: Library Services and Resources for Memorial Graduate Students	Online (free) View details/register here
Mar. 26, 2025 1:00-2:00 PM	MUN SGS - R. Lewis: Library Search Strategies	Webex (free) View details/register here
Mar. 27, 2025 12:00-1:00 PM	MUN SGS ETP - L. Carew: Intellectual Property: What New Entrepreneurs Should Know	A-1046/Online (free) View details/register here
Mar. 27, 2025 12:00-1:00 PM	MUN SGS - Group Wellness Session: Self Exploration and Goal Setting	IIC-2015P (free) View details/register here
Mar. 28, 2025 12:00-2:00 PM	MUN SGS - Group Wellness Session: Open Art Making Session	IIC-2015P (free) View details/register here
Mar. 29, 2025 10 AM-4 PM	Student Energy at MUN annual conference: Fueling the Future Fest (chance to win up to a \$500 research grant for students that submit and present their academic poster)	Bruneau Centre Atrium (free) View details/register here
Apr. 2, 2025 (FoS deadline)	SSHRC/Sloan Fdn. - Metascience and AI PDF (\$70,000/yr. x 2 yrs.)	View application details here
Apr. 7, 2025 (FoS deadline)	Arthritis Society - Training Graduate PhD Salary Award (\$35,000/yr. x 3 yrs)	View application details here
Apr. 7, 2025 (FoS deadline)	Arthritis Society - Training Postdoctoral Fellowship (\$40,000-50,000/yr. x 3 yrs)	View application details here
Apr. 8, 2025 (FoS deadline)	Asthma Canada - Graduate Student Awards (MSc \$15,000 for one yr.; PhD \$30,000 for one yr.)	View application details here
Please see the EDGE calendar of events for additional events & workshops, and SGS's database of searchable awards & scholarships for additional scholarship & bursary opportunities		
Faculty of Science (FoS), Research Initiatives & Services (RIS), School of Graduate Studies (SGS)		

APPENDIX

OceanIDEA CHALLENGE **Défi IDÉE POUR L'Océan**

APPLY before April 9
Postulez avant le 9 avril

Presented by/Présenté Par
OCEAN PROJECT STARTUP Océans

SEA
Scientific Endeavours in Academia

Faculty of Science Interdisciplinary Conference 2025

MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY
SCIENCE

April
9-10
2025

RESEARCH SPOTLIGHT 2025

Research Security in Canada

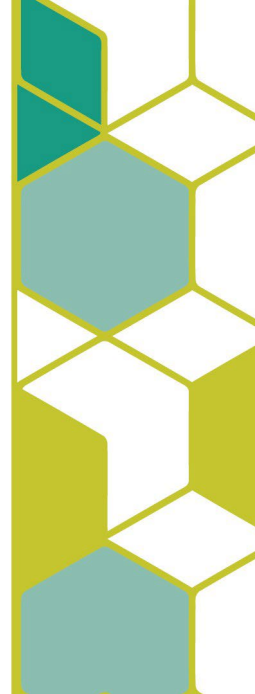
Public Safety Canada

Beth Cainen (Atlantic Regional Advisor, Research Security)

March 19, 2025
10 am – 12 pm
CSF-1302



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Fueling the Future 2025 Fest

29 March
Saturday
10 AM - 4 PM

Bruneau Centre Atrium,
Memorial University

Register Today

SCAN ME

Join us for the second annual Fueling and Future Fest 2025

Hosted by **Student Energy at MUN**

Stay tuned for our lineup of guest speakers and companies!

We will offer

tons of exciting events including:

- ✓ Renewable Energy Hackathon & Pitching Competition (cash prizes!)
- ✓ Career Fair and Resume Workshop
- ✓ Keynote speaker sessions with industry experts
- ✓ Free lunches!

STUDENT ENERGY



CANADIAN SPACE AGENCY WORKSHOP

Engage with the Canadian Space Agency & showcase how your organization can contribute to their Lunar Exploration Program.

Date: March 24th

Time: 11:00am-12:30pm NST

Location: Co. Innovation Centre

Decoding how our brain understands Music

More info: psatkunaraja@mun.ca, (709) 864-6405

Call for Participants

The CAANLab at MUN are looking for adults 18 years and older for a new EEG study on how our brain perceives different instruments as part of a Doctoral's thesis project. You will hear a series of tones from a variety of instruments in a sound-proof booth, while we record your brain activity using electrodes

Eligibility:

- \geq 18 years old
- Right handed

Demographic information and music experience will be requested in the initial component of the study.

You get:

\$30 for 2.5 hours of your time



The proposal for this research has been reviewed by the Interdisciplinary Committee on Ethics in Human Research and found to be in compliance with Memorial University's ethics policy. If you have ethical concerns about the research, such as the way you have been treated or your rights as a participant, you may contact the Chairperson of the ICEHR at icehr@mun.ca or by telephone at 709-864-2861.