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## Natural Science and Engineering Research Council of Canada

### **Discovery Grants Program**

**Internal Deadline: October 25, 2011**

**External Deadline: November 1, 2011**

The Discovery Grants (DG) Program (Individual, Team and Subatomic Physics [SAP] Project) support ongoing programs of research. These grants recognize the creativity and innovation that are at the heart of all advances in research, whether made individually or in teams. Researchers are free to work in the mode most appropriate for the research area.

[http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/Grants-Subs/DGIGP-PSIGP\\_eng.asp](http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/Grants-Subs/DGIGP-PSIGP_eng.asp)

### **Discovery Grants Northern Research Supplements**

**Internal Deadline: October 25, 2011**

**External Deadline: November 1, 2011**

The Discovery Grants Northern Research Supplements (NRS) Program has been established to help augment and promote Canadian university-based northern research and training.

[http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/Grants-Subs/DGNRS-SDSRN\\_eng.asp](http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/Grants-Subs/DGNRS-SDSRN_eng.asp)

### **Major Resources Support Program**

**Internal Deadline: April 16, 2012, LOI**

**September 24, 2011, Full Proposal**

**External Deadline: May 1, 2012, LOI**

**October 1, 2012, Full proposal by invitation**

The objective of the Major Resources Support (MRS) Program is to facilitate the effective access of Canadian academic researchers to major and unique **national** or **international** (based in Canada) experimental or thematic research resources by financially assisting these resources to remain in a state of readiness for researchers to use. The MRS program also aims to facilitate access by Canadian researchers, who come together as national consortia, to major international resources located outside Canada, excluding any direct financial support towards the operating and maintenance costs of such resources.

[http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RTII-OIRI/MRS-ARM\\_eng.asp](http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RTII-OIRI/MRS-ARM_eng.asp)

### **Research Tools and Instruments**

#### ***Category #1***

**Internal Deadline: October 18, 2011**

**External Deadline: October 25, 2011**

#### ***Categories #2 and #3***

**Internal Deadline: September 26, 2011**

**External Deadline: October 1, 2011**

This program is intended for university researchers.

The objective of the Research Tools and Instruments Grants Program (RTI) Grants is to assist in buying or developing research equipment that costs more than \$7,000. Items costing less than \$7,000 each can be purchased with Discovery Grant funds or be included as a complement to a main piece of equipment being requested.

[http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RTII-OIRI/RTI-OIR\\_eng.asp](http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RTII-OIRI/RTI-OIR_eng.asp)

### **Collaborative Research and Development Grants Program**

**Internal Deadline: One week prior to submission**

**External Deadline: Continuous**

The Collaborative Research and Development (CRD) Grants Program supports well-defined projects undertaken by university researchers and their private-sector partners. CRD awards cover up to half of the total eligible direct project costs, with the industrial partner(s) providing the balance in cash and in kind.

[http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RPP-PP/CRD-RDC\\_eng.asp](http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RPP-PP/CRD-RDC_eng.asp)

### **Engage Grants Program**

**Internal Deadline: One week prior to submission**

**External Deadline: Continuous**

The Engage Grants (EG) Program is intended to foster the development of new research partnerships between academic researchers and companies, that have never collaborated before, by supporting short-term research and development projects aimed at addressing a company specific problem.

[http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RPP-PP/Engage-Engagement\\_eng.asp](http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RPP-PP/Engage-Engagement_eng.asp)

### **Interaction Grants Program**

**Internal Deadline: One week prior to submission**

**External Deadline: Continuous**

The Interaction Grants (IG) Program is intended to financially support researchers from Canadian universities in their efforts to meet with Canadian based companies with the objective of identifying a company specific problem they could solve by collaborating in a subsequent newly established research partnership.

[http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RPP-PP/Interaction-Interaction\\_eng.asp](http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RPP-PP/Interaction-Interaction_eng.asp)

### **Partnership Workshops Program**

**Internal Deadline: One week prior to submission**

**External Deadline: Continuous**

The Partnership Workshops Program (PWP) is designed to seed new collaborations and partnerships between Canadian university researchers and potential new non-academic partners.

[http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RPP-PP/PWP-PAP\\_eng.asp](http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RPP-PP/PWP-PAP_eng.asp)

### **Strategic Project Grants**

**Internal Deadline: April 10, 2012**

**External Deadline: April 15, 2012**

The Strategic Project Grants (SPG) Program funds early-stage project research in targeted areas that could strongly enhance Canada's economy, society and/or environment within the next 10 years.

[http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RPP-PP/SPG-SPS\\_eng.asp](http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Professors-Professeurs/RPP-PP/SPG-SPS_eng.asp)