

Graduate Enrichment: Funding Opportunities



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[Promoting Research on Music and Health](#) (Click title for more info)

Sponsor: United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

Amount: up to \$275,000

Deadline: February 28, 2019

Focus Area: To increase our understanding of how music affects the brain, body, and behavior. Then to use that knowledge to develop evidence-based music interventions to enhance health or treat specific diseases and disorders. Projects can also investigate how music is processed by or modifies the brain, or how it affects specific biological functions during childhood development and learning, adulthood, and aging. Projects can also include preliminary interventions that provide a basis for therapeutic intervention.

[Bycatch Reduction Engineering Program](#) (Click title for more info)

Sponsor: Department of Commerce

Amount: up to \$250,000

Deadline: March 29, 2019

Focus Area: The National Bycatch Reduction Engineering Program (BREP), has a mission to develop technology that changes current fishing practices and is designed to minimize the bycatch of fish. In addition BREP wants to protect and identify ways to minimize mortality and injury of bycaught species

Hot Topic

[What the Numbers Can Tell Us About Humanities Ph.D. Careers](#)

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By: Emma Pettit

Date: January 6, 2019

Summary: In the article, Emma Pettit, describes the current job market offered to Ph.D. recipients in the Humanities field. The Council of Graduate Schools conducted two surveys and one found that a majority of employed humanities Ph.D.'s were teaching at a higher education institute. Survey recipients were also asked, if given the opportunity to change their education would they? A large majority said no and that they found a lot of value in their degrees.