

## **Call for Proposals -- NASA Research Announcement for NASA Teams Engaging Affiliated Museums and Informal Institutions (TEAM II)**

Audience: Informal Education Institutions

Proposal Due Date: August 13, 2019

The NASA Office of STEM Engagement invites proposals from museums, science centers, planetariums, NASA Visitor Centers, youth-serving organizations, libraries, and other eligible nonprofit institutions via this 2019 NASA Research Announcement: NASA Teams Engaging Affiliated Museums and Informal Institutions (TEAM II) NNH19ZHA002N. Proposals must be submitted electronically via the NASA proposal data system NSPIRES or Grants.gov.

Proposers may request a cooperative agreement to support NASA-themed science, technology, engineering or mathematics education, including exhibits, within the topic of space exploration, one of NASA's congressionally directed topics. NASA TEAM II is a competitive, high-quality, national program. This 2019 NASA TEAM II opportunity targets a topic of specific interest to NASA currently, and places a stronger emphasis on recipients' partnering and networking in order to increase the impact of awards in the informal education community. The basic goal of the TEAM II solicitation is to further NASA Strategic Objective 3.3: "Inspire, engage, educate, and employ the next generation of explorers through NASA-unique Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics learning opportunities."

Eligible institutions do not need to have the words "museum," "visitor center," "science," "planetarium," "youth", or "library" in their official name, but they must be located in the United States or its Territories. See the NASA Research Announcement (NRA) for full eligibility requirements and other limitations. Check the NSPIRES website once a week to learn if amendments or frequently asked questions have been added. (The direct NSPIRES link is listed at the end of this message.) Amendments and FAQs also will be announced via the NASA Education EXPRESS listserv. To subscribe to NASA Express, go to: <https://www.nasa.gov/stem/express>.

Pre-proposal telecon (optional): May 15, 2019

Notices of Intent Due (optional but strongly encouraged): May 22, 2019

Full proposals are due August 13, 2019

For more information about this opportunity, visit NSPIRES at:

<https://nspires.nasaprs.com/external/solicitations/summary!init.do?solId=%7B4445F02E-8F05-7BCD-237C-886D3E8B7965%7D&path=open>

If you have any questions about this opportunity, please direct your questions to the Points of Contact listed within the NRA.