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U.S. Funding Agencies open for EU Research Organizations

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- zentrale Kontaktstelle für EU-Forschungsprojekte an der TU Wien unter Einbindung anderer Abteilungen
- Serviceeinrichtung für ForscherInnen & Verwaltungspersonal
- Beratungs- und Informationsaktivitäten
 - EU-Förderprogramme (H2020 und komplementäre EU-Initiativen)
 - Antragsphase und Vertragsverhandlungen
 - EU-konforme Kostenkalkulation & Budgetierung
- Gestaltung & Prüfung von EU-Forschungsverträgen, insbesondere Konsortialverträge & Unterverträge
- Verbreitung von EU-Projektmanagement Know-how an der TU Wien
- Implementierung der elektronischen Unterschrift auf Organisationsebene im H2020

U.S. Research Funding Landscape

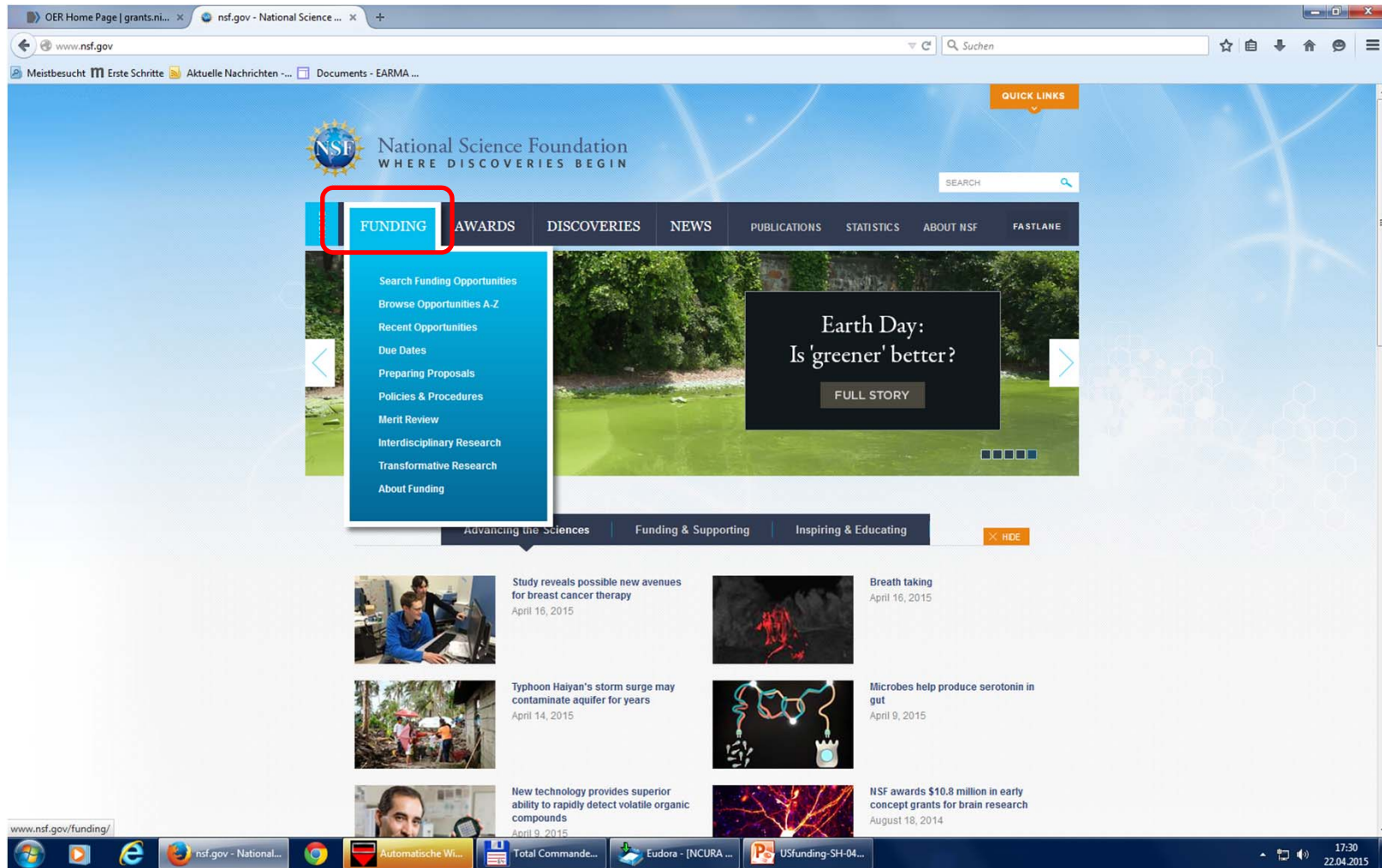
- U.S. funding landscape is decentralized
- Overall U.S. federal grant regulations (Uniform Guidance)
- Individual funding agencies' own regulations & implementation rules
- U.S. funding programmes open for EU participation (reciprocity)

Source: BILAT USA 2.0 Extra Report, 2015

Big 5 U.S. Research Federal Sponsors

- National Science Foundation (NSF)
- National Institutes of Health (NIH)
- National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)
- U.S. Department of Defense (DOD)
- U.S. Department of Energy (DOE)

National Science Foundation (NSF)



<http://www.nsf.gov/funding/>

The screenshot shows the NIH Office of Extramural Research website. The 'FUNDING' menu item is highlighted with a red box. The page features a navigation bar with links: HOME, ABOUT GRANTS, FUNDING, FORMS & DEADLINES, GRANTS POLICY, eRA, NEWS & EVENTS, and ABOUT OER. The main header is 'Grants & Funding'. The left sidebar contains sections: 'About Grants' (Grants Process Overview, Grant Application Basics, Types of Grant Programs, How to Apply, Peer Review Process, Award Management, Foreign Grants Information, Funding Strategies, Avoid Grant Scams), 'Electronic Grants' (Electronic Research Admin (eRA), eRA Commons, Applying Electronically), 'Forms & Deadlines' (Forms & Applications, Due Dates, Submission Policies, Submitting Your Application), and 'Grants Policy' (Policy & Guidance, Compliance & Oversight, Research Involving). The main content area includes a 'New to NIH Grants?' banner, a 'FUNDING' search box, and a grid of links: Recovery Act, Research Training & Career Development, Small Business (SBR/STTR), Contract Opportunities, NIH Loan Repayment Programs, New and Early Stage Investigators, Stem Cell Information, NIH Common Fund, and OppNet (Behavioral & Social Sciences). The right sidebar features 'Rock Talk', 'Latest News' (Application Submission News - April 15, 2015; Potential Award Delays in May 2015; Application Submission News - Feb. 26, 2015), and 'Upcoming Events' (2015 NIH Regional Seminar - Baltimore, MD; 05/06/2015 - Meeting the Information Requirements of the Animal Welfare Act; 05/06/2015 - 2015 NIH Regional Seminar - Baltimore, MD; 05/13/2015 - SCAW IACUC Training Workshop: May 13, Cincinnati, OH). Social media icons and 'Listservs & RSS' are also present.

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/oer.htm>

The screenshot shows the website science.energy.gov/funding-opportunities/. The navigation menu includes 'Programs', 'Laboratories', 'User Facilities', 'Universities', 'Funding Opportunities' (highlighted), 'Discovery & Innovation', 'News', and 'About'. The main content area features a sidebar with links like 'Grants & Contracts Support', 'Award Search', and 'Find Funding'. The main heading is 'Funding Opportunities'. Below it, there is a featured article titled 'Joint Genome Institute genome sequencers.' with a photo of a scientist. The main text explains that the Office of Science issues two types of funding announcements: 'Funding Opportunity Announcements (FOAs)' and 'DOE National Laboratory Announcements'. It lists the information provided in each funding announcement, such as technical descriptions, award details, eligibility criteria, and submission instructions. The page is dated 10/24/2013 and last modified on 5/06/2015.

<http://science.energy.gov/funding-opportunities/>

EU subcontracts per US federal sponsor

- NIH: 510 subcontracts to EU research organizations
 - DOD: 96 subcontracts/subgrants to EU
 - NSF: 61 subcontracts/subgrants to EU
 - NASA: 27 subcontracts/subgrants to EU
 - DOE: 17 subcontracts/subgrants to EU
- 4 US subcontracts to Austrian RO (2009 – 2013)

Source: BILAT USA 2.0 Extra Report,
Survey by NCURA, May 2014

Registration Steps for Non U.S. Research Organizations

- 1) DUNS Number <http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform>
- 2) NCAGE Code
[http://www.dlis.dla.mil/Forms/Form AC135.asp](http://www.dlis.dla.mil/Forms/Form_AC135.asp)
- 3) SAM Registering www.sam.gov
- 4) Proposal Submission System
www.grants.gov/applicants/

Oder 4) US Sponsors (NSF FastLane, NIH Commons, etc)

Timeline: recommendation start registration early, at least 21 days before grants application deadline !

- BILAT EU - USA 2.0 Project
www.euussciencetechnology.eu
- U.S. Federal Service Desk www.fsd.gov
- European Association of Research Managers and Administrators EARMA Conference in Leiden, NL, June 28 – July 2, 2015 www.earma.org
- U.S. National Council of University Research Administrators (NCURA) Annual Meeting in Washington, DC, Aug. 2-5, 2015 www.ncura.edu
- NCURA International Region Meeting „Global Sponsored Project Administration (NIH)“ in Zürich, Sept., 2-4., 2015

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