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# AEA Committee on Government Relations' ANNOUNCEMENTS

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# **Grand Challenges White Papers from Economists**

More than fifty economists answered the NSF/SBE call for white papers on grand challenge questions in the social and behavioral sciences. These papers will be used to help make plans to support future research. Go <u>here</u> for papers from economists and <u>here</u> for all submissions to NSF.

## **New Research Funding Opportunities**

NSF solicitation for a new round of Science Technology Centers is just now available: <u>website</u>.

NSF-Census Research Network Program solicits proposals.

USDA and NSF on Disaster Resilience in Rural Communities: website.

NIH Funding Opportunities on

--Effective Behavioral Interventions

--Methodology and Measurement for Chronic Health Conditions

--Economic Fluctuations and Alcoholism

NIDA requests proposals on Medical Marijuana Policy Research: website.

## Free AEA/APDU Webinars



Go to <u>http://www.apdu.org</u> for webinars on "Accessing Business Data Available in the U.S. Census Bureau's Research Data Center Network" and "Using the 2005-2009 American Community Survey 5-year Data to Study Small Areas and Change Over Time".

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