



Become a Grant Reviewer!

Serving as a grant proposal review panelist is an excellent way to learn about the grant process, become familiar with a particular grant program and/or funding agency, learn about innovations in your area of interest, and network with colleagues and funding agency representatives in your field. Review panel service is one of the single best ways to prepare yourself to develop a grant proposal.

Please let the Grants Office know if you apply to serve on any grant proposal review committees and if you are selected to review proposals!

Most federal agencies rely heavily on subject matter experts to review and advise them on which proposals should be funded. Agencies are always seeking to enrich their rosters of potential review panelists, and many federal agencies now provide information on-line about how to become a review panelist.

If you are interested in review panel service, click on the links below for additional information and instructions on how you can become a review panelist.

The National Science Foundation

- Learn about the benefits of becoming a grant reviewer for NSF on this webpage. This page also includes information on how to find an NSF program contact.
http://www.nsf.gov/bfa/dias/policy/merit_review/reviewer.jsp

U.S. Department of Agriculture

- This webpage includes the steps to take to sign up for the USDA's peer review program.
<http://www.csrees.usda.gov/business/prs.html>

U.S. Department of Education, Office of Postsecondary Education

- This website includes a link to learn more about their grant programs and to register to become a grant reviewer.
<http://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ope/frs.html>

The National Endowment for the Humanities

- The page includes a link for information and application to become a peer reviewer.
<http://www.neh.gov/grants/index.html>

The Human Resources and Services Administration

- Located under the "Apply Now" section, this webpage includes a link to register to become a grant HRSA reviewer.



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<https://rrm.grantsolutions.gov/AgencyPortal/hrsa.aspx>

Institute for Museum and Library Services

- This webpage includes a link to learn about this organization's programs, a link to review their handbook, and a link to submit your application.
<http://www.imls.gov/reviewers/reviewers.shtm>

Other Resources

- How to Become a Grant Reviewer
By Karen M. Markin, *The Chronicle of Higher Education*
<http://chronicle.com/jobs/news/2008/06/2008060201c.htm>
- NSF Grant Reviewer Tells All
By Pamela L. Member, *Science Careers*
http://sciencecareers.sciencemag.org/career_development/previous_issues/articles/2310/nsf_grant_reviewer_tells_all/