

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NEBRASKA STATE COLLEGES
CHANCELLOR INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

INFORMATION ONLY: Grant Applications and Awards

Board Policy 6024 requires the reporting of grant awards and applications to the Board as information, if they do not have a state maintenance of effort or future fiscal responsibility. For those that do have a maintenance effort or future fiscal impact, the Board is to approve the application in advance when possible. The following table is a summary of the grant applications and awards reported as of March 2022.

**Grant Applications and Awards
Reported as of March 2022**

College	Grant Title	Amount
Chadron State College		
Awards:		
	American Rescue Plan Act Child Care Stabilization Program (Department of Health & Human Services)	\$42,200
	Badlands Bombing Range (BBR) Vegetative Survey Project - Joint Venture Agreement (USAF, Department of Defense)	\$29,628.66
	Theater Program Artist-in-Residence (Cooper Foundation)	\$5,000
Total		\$76,828.66
Wayne State College		
Application:		
	Upward Bound Program (U.S. Department of Education)	\$287,537
Total		\$287,537
Awards:		
	BRAINSTEM: The Best Research and Innovation Network in the STEM fields is at WSC. (National Science Foundation [NSF] Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics [S-STEM]) \$750,000 is over six years	\$750,000
	Nebraska Collegiate Prevention Alliance (NECPA) Mini-Grant for Covid Emergency Relief Funding for the Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant (Nebraska Department of Health & Human Services and the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration)	\$14,975
	Wildcat Initiative for STEM Education (WISE)/Preparing Rural STEM Teachers for Success (National Science Foundation [NSF] Robert Noyce Teacher Scholarship Program	\$768,001
Total		\$1,532,976

ATTACHMENTS:

- CSC Grant Award American Rescue Plan (PDF)
- CSC Grant Award Badlands Bombing Range (PDF)
- CSC Grant Award Artist in Residence (PDF)
- WSC Grant 2022-01E Apply Upward Bound (PDF)
- WSC Grant 2022-01C Accept BRAINSTEM- Bst Appch Innvtn Ntwrk in STEM Flds (PDF)
- WSC Grant 2022-01B Accept NECPA Mini-Grants for COVID Emerengy Funding for Sub Abuse Prev and Trtment (PDF)
- WSC Grant 2022-01D Accept NSF WISE Noyce (PDF)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPLY FOR, OR TO ACCEPT, AWARDS OF NON-STATE CONTRACTS OR GRANTS

College: Chadron State College		Date: April 21, 2022
Notice of Intent	Application:	Accept Award: X
Name of Program: American Rescue Plan Act Child Care Stabilization Program		
Funding Source: Dept of Health & Human Services Also indicate if the source is federal, state or private: Federal		
Is this grant a Sub-Award ?		Yes: No: X
If a sub-award, indicate the agency the sub-award is through:		
Amount Requested:	Amount Awarded: \$42,200 in two payments Dec 2021 & Mar 2022	Funding Period: 03/13/2020-09/30/2022. Please indicate specific dates for the grant.
Closing Date for Application Submission:		
When reporting Grant Award-- Has Grant Application been approved/reviewed by the Board? Yes		Date Approved/Reviewed: January 12, 2021
Does this grant include Indirect Cost Funds for the College's use?		Yes: No: X
If yes, indicate dollar amount and/or percentage rate allowed:		
Will this grant require State Matching Funds ?		Yes: No: X
If yes, indicate dollar amount and specific uses of funds (i.e., salaries, honorariums, travel, office supplies, phone, postage, space rental, equipment, etc.):		
Will this grant require In-Kind Support ?		Yes: No: X
If yes, describe briefly (i.e., faculty release time, support personnel, use of office space, telephone, office supplies, etc.):		
Is State Maintenance of Effort or Future Fiscal Responsibility required?		Yes: No: X
If yes, describe briefly		
Are there restrictions imposed by regulation on claiming indirect costs? N/A		Yes: No:
How many FTE positions will the grant fund?		FTE: 0
How many of these are new positions?		New FTE: 0
Briefly describe the purpose(s) of this application/award: This funding will be used for salary, wages, benefits, facility and program improvements, professional development, goods and services necessary to maintain and retain child care services. Awarded \$2000 more than requested.		
Is this grant a continuation of a previous/existing grant?		Yes: No: X
If a continuation grant, describe the previous grant in terms of amount, funding period, and any differences in program:		
Has this grant application been previously denied?		Yes: No: X
If yes, please state the reason:		
Person responsible for the preparation of the application: Lona Downs		
Administrator responsible for approving the application: Dr. James Powell		

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College: Chadron State College		Date: April 21, 2022
Notice of Intent	Application:	Accept Award: X
Name of Program: Badlands Bombing Range (BBR) Vegetative Survey Project – Joint Venture Agreement		
Funding Source: USAF, Department of Defense Also indicate if the source is federal, state or private: Federal		
Is this grant a Sub-Award ?		Yes: X No:
If a sub-award, indicate the agency the sub-award is through: USDA, Forest Service, Rocky Mountain Research Station		
Amount Requested:	Amount Awarded: \$29,628.66	Funding Period: Please indicate specific dates for the grant. 03/24/2022- 12/31/2023.
Closing Date for Application Submission:		
When reporting Grant Award-- Has Grant Application been approved/reviewed by the Board?		Date Approved/Reviewed:
Does this grant include Indirect Cost Funds for the College's use?		Yes: No: X
If yes, indicate dollar amount and/or percentage rate allowed:		
Will this grant require State Matching Funds ?		Yes: Y No:
If yes, indicate dollar amount and specific uses of funds (i.e., salaries, honorariums, travel, office supplies, phone, postage, space rental, equipment, etc.): \$7,289.04 – salaries, travel exp, supplies		
Will this grant require In-Kind Support ?		Yes: Y No:
If yes, describe briefly (i.e., faculty release time, support personnel, use of office space, telephone, office supplies, etc.): \$2,962.87 – Indirect costs		
Is State Maintenance of Effort or Future Fiscal Responsibility required?		Yes: No: X
If yes, describe briefly		
Are there restrictions imposed by regulation on claiming indirect costs? N/A		Yes: No: X
How many FTE positions will the grant fund?		FTE: 0
How many of these are new positions?		New FTE: 0
Briefly describe the purpose(s) of this application/award: The funds of this Joint Venture Agreement will be used to conduct surveys of the Badlands Bombing Range in South Dakota. CSC will provide leadership, mentoring, training and vegetation surveys for common/invasive/endangered species/at-risk plants.		
Is this grant a continuation of a previous/existing grant?		Yes: No: X
If a continuation grant, describe the previous grant in terms of amount, funding period, and any differences in program:		
Has this grant application been previously denied?		Yes: No: X
If yes, please state the reason:		
Person responsible for the preparation of the application: Steven Rolfsmeier		
Administrator responsible for approving the application: Dr. James Powell		

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College: Chadron State College		Date: April 21, 2022
Notice of Intent	Application:	Accept Award: X
Name of Program: Theater Program Artist-In-Residence		
Funding Source: Cooper Foundation Also indicate if the source is federal, state or private: Private		
Is this grant a Sub-Award ?		Yes: No: X
If a sub-award, indicate the agency the sub-award is through:		
Amount Requested:	Amount Awarded: \$5000.00	Funding Period: 8/2021-5/2022 Please indicate specific dates for the grant.
Closing Date for Application Submission:		
When reporting Grant Award-- Has Grant Application been approved/reviewed by the Board? Yes		Date Approved/Reviewed: January 12, 2022
Does this grant include Indirect Cost Funds for the College's use?		Yes: No: X
If yes, indicate dollar amount and/or percentage rate allowed:		
Will this grant require State Matching Funds ?		Yes: No: X
If yes, indicate dollar amount and specific uses of funds (i.e., salaries, honorariums, travel, office supplies, phone, postage, space rental, equipment, etc.):		
Will this grant require In-Kind Support ?		Yes: No: X
If yes, describe briefly (i.e., faculty release time, support personnel, use of office space, telephone, office supplies, etc.):		
Is State Maintenance of Effort or Future Fiscal Responsibility required?		Yes: No: X
If yes, describe briefly		
Are there restrictions imposed by regulation on claiming indirect costs?		Yes: No:
How many FTE positions will the grant fund?		FTE: 0
How many of these are new positions?		New FTE:
Briefly describe the purpose(s) of this application/award: Temporary on-campus housing for Guest Artists in Residence to increase direct contact between CSC theatre students and theatre professionals.		
Is this grant a continuation of a previous/existing grant?		Yes: No: X
If a continuation grant, describe the previous grant in terms of amount, funding period, and any differences in program:		
Has this grant application been previously denied?		Yes: No: x
If yes, please state the reason:		
Person responsible for the preparation of the application: Scott Cavin		
Administrator responsible for approving the application: Dr. James Powell		

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College: Wayne State College		Date: April 21, 2022
Notice of Intent	Application: X	Accept Award:
Name of Program: Upward Bound Program		
Funding Source: U.S. Department of Education, Office of Postsecondary Education Also indicate if the source is federal, state or private: Federal		
Is this grant a Sub-Award ?	Yes:	No: X
If a sub-award, indicate the agency the sub-award is through:		
Amount Requested: \$287,537 annually for five years	Amount Awarded:	Funding Period: 09/01/2022-08/31/2027
Closing Date for Application Submission: 01/31/2022		
When reporting Grant Award-- Has Grant Application been approved/reviewed by the Board?		Date Approved/Reviewed:
Does this grant include Indirect Cost Funds for the College's use?	Yes: X	No:
If yes, indicate dollar amount and/or percentage rate allowed: 8% of modified total direct cost base		
Will this grant require State Matching Funds ?	Yes:	No: X
If yes, indicate dollar amount and specific uses of funds (i.e., salaries, honorariums, travel, office supplies, phone, postage, space rental, equipment, etc.):		
Will this grant require In-Kind Support ?	Yes:	No: X
If yes, describe briefly (i.e., faculty release time, support personnel, use of office space, telephone, office supplies, etc.) While not required, WSC will provide staff support, facilities, office space and equipment, and a residence hall.		
Is State Maintenance of Effort or Future Fiscal Responsibility required?	Yes:	No: X
If yes, describe briefly		
Are there restrictions imposed by regulation on claiming indirect costs?	Yes: X	No:
How many FTE positions will the grant fund?	FTE: 2.30	
How many of these are new positions?	New FTE: 1.92	
Briefly describe the purpose(s) of this application/award: Wayne State proposes to serve a total of sixty high school students from Schuyler Central HS, South Sioux City HS, Winnebago HS, Walthill HS, and Omaha Nation HS in Nebraska under the Upward Bound (UB) program. This program will focus on serving traditionally under-represented groups in postsecondary education such as students with disabilities, limited English proficiency, in foster care or aging out of it, low-income and/or first generation college students. The participants will receive services designed to provide them with the skills and motivation necessary to complete their secondary school education and enter into and succeed in a program of postsecondary education. The proposal requests funding for salary/benefit costs for a 1.00 Project Director, a .917 Academic Advisor, a .38 Office Assistant, academic tutors, summer instructors, and summer team leaders. It also requests funds for staff travel, academic materials, supplies, training stipends, summer/Saturday program travel expenses, and college tour travel for the participants.		
Is this grant a continuation of a previous/existing grant?	Yes:	No: X
If a continuation grant, describe the previous grant in terms of amount, funding period, and any differences in program:		
Has this grant application been previously denied?	Yes:	No: X
If yes, please state the reason:		
Person responsible for the preparation of the application: Mr. CD Douglas, Vice President Student Affairs		
Administrator responsible for approving the application: Ms. Angie Fredrickson, Vice President, Administration and Finance		

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College: Wayne State College		Date: April 21, 2022
Notice of Intent	Application:	Accept Award: X
Name of Program: BRAINSTEM: The Best Research and Innovation Network in the STEM fields is at WSC. NE STEM Scholars: Improving Student Success through Scholarship & Support Services.		
Funding Source: Nat'l Science Fdn (NSF) Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM) Also indicate if the source is federal, state or private: Federal		
Is this grant a Sub-Award ?		Yes: No: X
If a sub-award, indicate the agency the sub-award is through:		
Amount Requested: \$750,000 over six years	Amount Awarded: \$750,000 over six years	Funding Period: 02/01/2022 – 01/31/2028 Please indicate specific dates for the grant.
Closing Date for Application Submission: April 7, 2021		
When reporting Grant Award-- Has Grant Application been approved/reviewed by the Board? Yes		Date Approved/Reviewed: June 17, 2021
Does this grant include Indirect Cost Funds for the College's use?		Yes: X No:
If yes, indicate dollar amount and/or percentage rate allowed: 40% of direct salaries and wages including all fringe benefits.		
Will this grant require State Matching Funds ?		Yes: No: X
If yes, indicate dollar amount and specific uses of funds (i.e., salaries, honorariums, travel, office supplies, phone, postage, space rental, equipment, etc.):		
Will this grant require In-Kind Support ?		Yes: No: X
If yes, describe briefly (i.e., faculty release time, support personnel, use of office space, telephone, office supplies, etc.):		
Is State Maintenance of Effort or Future Fiscal Responsibility required?		Yes: No: X
If yes, describe briefly		
Are there restrictions imposed by regulation on claiming indirect costs?		Yes: No: X
How many FTE positions will the grant fund?		FTE: 0.00
How many of these are new positions?		New FTE: 0.00
Briefly describe the purpose(s) of this application/award: This award will provide scholarships and support services to eighteen low-income, academically talented undergraduate students with demonstrated financial need to address the challenges they face in completing bachelors' degrees in STEM fields. Funds are included for student stipends, travel, subsistence, laptops, research materials and supplies. Also there are funds for summer salaries/benefits for five faculty members over the six years to oversee the project, assist with an early onboarding "Succeeding in the Sciences" week and other support measures for the students. Funds for consultant/evaluator fees, faculty travel to national S-STEM meetings and publication costs are included too.		
Is this grant a continuation of a previous/existing grant?		Yes: No: X
If a continuation grant, describe the previous grant in terms of amount, funding period, and any differences in program:		
Has this grant application been previously denied?		Yes: No: X
If yes, please state the reason:		
Person responsible for the preparation of the application: Dr. Danielle Peekenschneider, Associate Professor of Biology and Dr. Ron Loggins, Dean of Science, Health and Criminal Justice		
Administrator responsible for approving the application: Ms. Angie Fredrickson, Vice President Administration & Finance		

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College: Wayne State College		Date: April 21, 2022
Notice of Intent	Application:	Accept Award: X
Name of Program: Nebraska Collegiate Prevention Alliance (NECPA) Mini-Grant for Covid Emergency Relief Funding for the Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant		
Funding Source: Nebraska Department of Health & Human Services and the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration Also indicate if the source is federal, state or private: Federal		
Is this grant a Sub-Award ?		Yes: X No:
If a sub-award, indicate the agency the sub-award is through: UNL and Nebraska Collegiate Prevention Alliance		
Amount Requested: \$14,975.00	Amount Awarded: \$14,975.00	Funding Period: 01/03/2022 – 02/21/2023 Please indicate specific dates for the grant.
Closing Date for Application Submission: November 19, 2021		
When reporting Grant Award-- Has Grant Application been approved/reviewed by the Board? Yes		Date Approved/Reviewed: 01/12/2022
Does this grant include Indirect Cost Funds for the College's use?		Yes: No: X
If yes, indicate dollar amount and/or percentage rate allowed:		
Will this grant require State Matching Funds ?		Yes: No: X
If yes, indicate dollar amount and specific uses of funds (i.e., salaries, honorariums, travel, office supplies, phone, postage, space rental, equipment, etc.):		
Will this grant require In-Kind Support ?		Yes: X No:
If yes, describe briefly (i.e., faculty release time, support personnel, use of office space, telephone, office supplies, etc.): Wayne State College will provide In-Kind Contribution of Salaries/Benefits to coordinate and administer this program.		
Is State Maintenance of Effort or Future Fiscal Responsibility required?		Yes: No: X
If yes, describe briefly.		
Are there restrictions imposed by regulation on claiming indirect costs?		Yes: No: X
How many FTE positions will the grant fund?		FTE: 0
How many of these are new positions?		New FTE: 0
Briefly describe the purpose(s) of this application/award: The Nebraska Collegiate Alliance Mini-Grant for COVID Emergency Relief Funding for Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant seeks to encourage institutions of higher education to develop and sustain a culture and objective to help plan, implement, and evaluate activities that prevent and treat substance abuse. This award provides funding to cover hiring a DJ for 7 dances during the grant period to increase late night programming on campus as an alternative to alcohol and drug use. Grant funds will also be used to train counseling staff to present an alcohol literacy curriculum to every Wayne State College student at least once during their college experience.		
Is this grant a continuation of a previous/existing grant?		Yes: No: X
If a continuation grant, describe the previous grant in terms of amount, funding period, and any differences in program:		
Has this grant application been previously denied?		Yes: No: X
If yes, please state the reason:		
Person responsible for the preparation of the application: Alicia Dorcey McIntosh, Director Student Health and Counseling		
Administrator responsible for approving the application: Ms. Angie Fredrickson, Vice President Administration & Finance		

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College: Wayne State College		Date: April 21, 2022
Notice of Intent	Application:	Accept Award: X
Name of Program: Wildcat Initiative for STEM Education (WISE)/Preparing Rural STEM Teachers for Success		
Funding Source: National Science Foundation (NSF) Robert Noyce Teacher Scholarship Program Also indicate if the source is federal, state or private: Federal		
Is this grant a Sub-Award ?		Yes: No: X
If a sub-award, indicate the agency the sub-award is through:		
Amount Requested: \$1,157,200 over 5 years (2022-2027)	Amount Awarded: \$768,001 2/1/22-1/31/25 (Contingent on Funding Availability: \$236,408 2/1/25-1/31/26, \$152,791 2/1/26-1/31/27)	Funding Period: 02/01/2022 to 01/31/2027 Please indicate specific dates for the grant.
Closing Date for Application Submission: August 31, 2021		
When reporting Grant Award-- Has Grant Application been approved/reviewed by the Board? Yes		Date Approved/Reviewed: November 11, 2021
Does this grant include Indirect Cost Funds for the College's use?		Yes: X No:
If yes, indicate dollar amount and/or percentage rate allowed: 40% of direct salaries and wages including all fringe benefits.		
Will this grant require State Matching Funds ?		Yes: No: X
If yes, indicate dollar amount and specific uses of funds (i.e., salaries, honorariums, travel, office supplies, phone, postage, space rental, equipment, etc.):		
Will this grant require In-Kind Support ?		Yes: No: X
If yes, describe briefly (i.e., faculty release time, support personnel, use of office space, telephone, office supplies, etc.):		
Is State Maintenance of Effort or Future Fiscal Responsibility required?		Yes: X No:
If yes, describe briefly. A promissory note is required to help with repayment of scholarship for unfulfilled service agreements/WSC is responsible for collection and returning funding back to NSF. WSC will have to verify students teach in approved high-need districts for required number of years (ratio depending on semesters of scholarship funding).		
Are there restrictions imposed by regulation on claiming indirect costs?		Yes: No: X
How many FTE positions will the grant fund?		FTE: 0
How many of these are new positions?		New FTE: 0
Briefly describe the purpose(s) of this application/award: The NSF Robert Noyce Teacher Scholarship Program seeks to encourage institutions of higher education to develop and sustain a culture where undergraduate STEM majors and STEM professionals are encouraged and supported to obtain the required degree to become teachers in high-need local school districts in the STEM areas. This award provides funding to cover 23.5 academic month a year salary/benefits costs during the summer for six faculty members over the five-year period as well as some travel costs for several to attend and/or present at national/regional conferences. It also includes funding for participant scholarships/stipends and travel costs for them to take part in WISE/Noyce related activities as well as during their student teaching semester. Other direct expense funding is for materials/supplies, publication costs and an external evaluator.		
Is this grant a continuation of a previous/existing grant?		Yes: No: X
If a continuation grant, describe the previous grant in terms of amount, funding period, and any differences in program:		
Has this grant application been previously denied?		Yes: X No:
If yes, please state the reason: Proposal not recommended for funding at that time; would consider any future proposal submitted.		
Person responsible for the preparation of the application: Dr. Nicholas Shudak, Dean, School of Edu. & Behavioral Sciences		
Administrator responsible for approving the application: Ms. Angie Fredrickson, Vice President Administration & Finance		