

Funder Spotlight

This new series highlights public and private funders you may want to learn more about. Sign up for the funder's listserv or newsletter to keep updated on future grant announcements, or create a reminder on your calendar to check back on the funder website.

Want to search for other grants? Log into [Atom](#). Access a training on how to use Atom [here](#). Find a tipsheet for getting the most out of Atom [here](#).

Want to discuss your project idea or possible funding sources, get feedback on your grant documents, or access other grant seeking support? Contact [Melanie Bauer](#), the NSU Grant Writing Manager.

John Templeton Foundation

Type	Private foundation
Priorities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mathematical & physical sciences• Life sciences & human nature• Character & virtue development• Religion, science & society• Public engagement• <i>*special focus*</i> Human intelligence
Link to Grants	Funding areas: https://www.templeton.org/funding-areas
Fast Facts about Funding History	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Since 1987, has supported interdisciplinary research and other projects with real-world impact through ~\$140M in annual giving• Browse past grant awards by funding area in their grant database

Notable Grant Opportunity

[Religion, Science & Society](#)

Religion, Science, & Society seeks proposals that address fundamental questions about human existence, how people can flourish and find meaning, and how societies envision the future. For the 2026 funding cycle, we invite three-year projects in one of the following categories: Intelligence, Meaning Making, and Imagined Futures. If interested in applying, submit an OFI by the upcoming deadline (more information below on the OFI and grant deadlines).

Other Things to Know

- Grant consideration begins with an initial Online Funding Inquiry (OFI) and, if invited, a detailed Full Proposal (*pre-OFI conversations with Foundation staff are not available*)
- Grant deadlines are posted each year on their [Grant Calendar](#), though special funding competitions are posted [here](#) (and run on a different schedule)

What Should You Do Next?

- Find more grant opportunities using [Atom](#)
- Reach out to staff in the [Grant Lab](#) to discuss a grant or funder
- Access proposal development [templates and guides](#)
- [Find a collaborator at NSU](#)
- Sign up for grantsmanship [trainings](#) to upgrade your grant seeking skills
- Get more guidance as a [new investigator](#) throughout the research life cycle

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