

# 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.

## *Beckman Foundation*

<b>Type</b>	Private foundation
<b>Priorities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Chemical sciences</li><li>• Life sciences</li><li>• Instrumentation &amp; technology</li><li>• STEM education</li></ul>
<b>Link to Grants</b>	<a href="https://www.beckman-foundation.org/programs/">https://www.beckman-foundation.org/programs/</a>
<b>Fast Facts about Funding History</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Established in 1977, focused on supporting early-career investigators as well as the invention of new scientific instruments, methods, and materials for research</li><li>• Review the <a href="#">2025 annual report</a> to learn more about funding history and rates by program</li></ul>
<b>Notable Grant Opportunity</b>	<a href="#">Beckman Young Investigator Program</a>

Provides research support to the most promising young faculty members in the early stages of their academic careers in the chemical and life sciences, particularly to foster the invention of methods, instruments, and materials that will open up new avenues of research in science. Multi-step process with a Letter of Intent and Full Application stages.

### Other Things to Know

- Sign up to be a Subject Matter Expert Reviewer for the foundation's grant programs [here](#) (*great way to learn more about the foundation's funding priorities!*)
- Proposal development resources by program [here](#), including example grant applications

### 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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