

# RESOURCES & FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

## ***Now Hiring!***

**NEW!** Job Opportunity at US EPA Region 9, Open from 5/21/21 to 5/27/21 | [Apply Here!](#)

Title:	PHYSICAL SCIENTIST
Series & Grades Advertised:	GS-1301
Full Performance Level:	GS-11, FPL 12
No. of Vacancies	3
SF-52 #:	210894062
Area of Consideration:	OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
Position Type:	Full-Time
Opening Date:	05/21/2021
Closing Date:	05/27/2021
Location	SAN FRANCISCO, CA
Other Information:	Moderate Risk Designation

### **2021 Upward Bound Math & Science Instructors**

The Upward Bound Math & Science program at Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, Arizona, is looking to hire (4) Summer Instructors.

If possible, our program would appreciate our announcement being shared with others. Our student population is mostly Navajo/Dine (Native American), Hopi (Native American), and Latinx. The majority of our students live in the Northern Arizona region, mostly tribal reservation lands which are very rural. More info can be found [here](#).

**Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Virtual Air Quality Fellowship program through May 21, 2021.** This fellowship is a vital component of DOS and EPA's collaborative efforts to improve access to, and application of, continuous air quality data worldwide. The fellowship is open to air quality experts from universities, government agencies, or non-profit institutions. Applicants must be U.S. citizens. [Media Note announcing the opening of applications](#). Application [Page](#).

Please feel free to reach out if you have any questions to Stephanie Christel, Eco-Management Analyst, Greening Diplomacy Initiative  
Office of Management Strategy & Solutions  
U.S. Department of State (o) 202-485-1624 (m) 516-835-1666

### **Native Land Trust Council Seeking Executive Director**

The Executive Director (ED) works full-time (40-hours per week) remotely from their home office. In addition to fundraising, the Executive Director will develop and maintain the NLTC's program management, administration, financial reporting, as well as strengthen new and existing community partnerships in support of the NLTC's mission. [Apply Here](#)

**Compensation:** \$80K – \$90K per year initially, working as a 40 hr/wk independent contractor.

**To Apply:** Please submit a cover letter, resume, and at least three references, via email, to [ckramernltc@gmail.com](mailto:ckramernltc@gmail.com).

**Deadline:** Open until filled.

## ***Ambient Air Quality/EPA/NTAA/Tribes***

### **Application Period Open for Department of State and EPA Virtual Air Quality Fellowship**

In honor of Air Quality Awareness Week (May 3-7), applications are now being accepted for the U.S. Department of State (DOS) and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Virtual Air Quality Fellowship program through May 21, 2021. This fellowship is a vital component of DOS and EPA's collaborative efforts to improve access to, and application of, continuous air quality data worldwide. The fellowship is open to air quality experts from universities, government agencies, or non-profit institutions. Applicants must be U.S. citizens. [Click here](#) for more information. Email Stephanie Christel at [public\\_outreach\\_tribes@lists.4cleanair.org](mailto:public_outreach_tribes@lists.4cleanair.org) for more information.

### **Emergency Broadband Benefit Program Accepting Applications**

The Federal Communications Commission just launched a temporary program to help families and households struggling to afford Internet service during the COVID-19 pandemic. Starting May 12, the Emergency Broadband Benefit (EBB) will provide a discount of up to \$50 per month toward broadband service for eligible households and up to \$75 per month for households on qualifying tribal lands. Eligible households can also receive a one-time discount of up to \$100 to purchase a laptop, desktop computer, or tablet from participating providers. Eligible households can enroll through a participating broadband provider or directly with the Universal Service Administrative Company using an online or mail-in application. You can learn more about the EBB program, including eligibility and enrollment information, by following the links below or calling (833) 511-0311.

- [Read the news release](#)
- [EBB website](https://www.fcc.gov/broadbandbenefit) <https://www.fcc.gov/broadbandbenefit>
- [GetEmergencyBroadband.org](https://www.getemergencybroadband.org)

- [EBB FAQ sheet](#)
- [Step-by-step instructions for applicants \(PDF\)](#)
- [City of Tucson website summary of EBB program](#)

### **First Nations Development Institute grant opportunity**

With the generous support of the Indigenous Peoples Fund at Tides Foundation, First Nations will establish a Gather Food Sovereignty Grant that will support work contributing to building a national movement that will fulfill a vision of Native communities and food systems that are self-directed, well-resourced and supported by community policies and systems. This opportunity is targeting emerging projects that focus on developing Tribal Food Sovereignty. Through the first round of the Gather Food Sovereignty Grant, First Nations expects to award up to 13 grant awards of approximately \$32,000 to support Native American-led food sovereignty work. *The grant period for this funding opportunity will commence March 1, 2021, and end February 28, 2022.* Application on the [Gather Food Sovereignty Grant site](#).

### **Assistant Secretary Sweeney Announces \$3 Million Living Languages Grant Program Funding Opportunity**

Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs Tara Mac Lean Sweeney announced today that the Office of Indian Energy and Economic Development (IEED) is soliciting applications to the Living Languages Grant Program (LLGP). This \$3 Million grant program will fund between 15 and 60 grants, ranging from \$25,000-\$200,000, to federally recognized American Indian tribes and Alaska Native entities to document, preserve and revitalize Native languages and build active speaker capacity. IEED's solicitation for LLGP funding and details on how to apply can be found in the [Federal Register](#) and at [Grants.Gov](#).

**To view and/or receive ITEP's American Indian Air Quality Training Program newsletter, [Native Voices, click here!](#)**

## ***Climate Change/Energy***

### **On-Request Technical Assistance from DOE Office of Indian Energy**

*Applications Due: Not Applicable*

*Eligible Entities: tribal governments*

The DOE Office of Indian Energy provides federally recognized Indian tribes, including Alaska Native villages, tribal energy resource development organizations, and other organized tribal groups and communities, with technical assistance to advance tribal energy projects at no cost. Technical experts from DOE and its national laboratories, along with other partnering organizations,

provide support to assist Indian tribes and Alaska Native villages with energy planning, housing and building energy efficiency, project development, policy and regulation, resilience, and village power.

Join NCAI's [Climate Action email](#) listserv [here!](#)

Sign up for the [Alliance for Green Heat](#)'s newsletter!

To view and/or receive [ITEP's Climate Change newsletter](#), [click here!](#)

### ***Toxics/Mobile Sources***

EPA's Diesel Emissions Reduction Act's Tribal Grants for FY21 Request for Applications are coming soon! More information can be found [on this flyer](#) and [on this website](#).

### **Recent additions to OTAQ's website in March 2021**

You can access these additions as well as new press releases and Federal Register notices related to OTAQ [on our website](#).

### ***Indoor Air Quality***

#### **Resource for Healthy Indoor Air Quality**

Check out the website <https://forhealth.org/> for many resources related to healthy homes and indoor air quality!

**The Tribal Healthy Homes Network (THHN) has a webpage dedicated to [Funding Opportunities!](#)** Additionally, THHN has developed a [Funding Guide for American Indian and Alaska Native Communities](#).

### **Most Recent Listing: EPA Rules from the Federal Register can be [found here](#).**

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