

Grants & Opportunities

The James Corones Award in Leadership, Community Building, and Communication

This award was established to recognize the impact of mid-career scientists and engineers in their chosen fields. The recipient will be someone who encourages and mentors young people to be active in the science community, to communicate their work effectively, and to make a difference in their scientific area.

Who can apply: Mid-career is defined as those having earned a PhD in the past 10–20 years.

Deadline: December 1, 2025

Website: www.krellinst.org/about-krell/corones-award

National Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada Alliance Grants

These grants encourage university researchers to collaborate with partner organizations, which can be from the private, public, or not-for-profit sectors. These grants support research projects led by strong, complementary, collaborative teams that will generate new knowledge and accelerate the application of research to create benefits for Canada.

Who can apply: Applicants must hold or have a firm offer of an appointment at an eligible Canadian institution.

Deadline: No deadline

Website: www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Innovate-Innover/alliance-alliance/index_eng.asp

Student Spotlight



David Obe

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University of Nebraska, Lincoln

What inspired you to study biophysics?

I've been fascinated by how molecular structures dictate biological function ever since I was introduced to Lehninger's *Principles of Biochemistry* textbook. Biophysics gave me the opportunity to explore this intersection by using both experimental and computational tools, and my passion deepened as I realized that understanding these mechanisms at the atomic level can help address real-world challenges in medicine and agriculture.



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www.biophysics.org/outreach/biophysics-week/be-an-affiliate-event-organizer