American Association for the Advancement of Science
Funding Opportunities

Deadline: Varies – See below

More details are available on the website at http://www.aaas.org/aboutaaas/awards/.

The American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) is an international non-profit organization dedicated to advancing science around the world by serving as an educator, leader, spokesperson and professional association. In addition to organizing membership activities, AAAS publishes the journal Science, as well as many scientific newsletters, books and reports, and spearheads programs that raise the bar of understanding for science worldwide.

Eppendorf & Science Prize for Neurobiology - Deadline June 15, 2014

This international prize, established in 2002, encourages the work of promising young neurobiologists by providing support in the early stages of their careers. It is awarded annually for the most outstanding neurobiological research by a young scientist, as described in a 1,000-word essay based on research performed during the past three years. The winner is awarded US$25,000 and publication of his or her essay in Science. The essay and those of up to three finalists are also published on Science Online. The award is announced and presented at a ceremony at the annual meeting of the Society for Neuroscience. Eppendorf provides financial support to help enable the grand prize winner to attend the meeting.

Newcomb Cleveland Prize - Deadline June 30, 2014

The Association’s oldest award, the AAAS Newcomb Cleveland Prize, supported by Affymetrix, was established in 1923 with funds donated by Newcomb Cleveland of New York City and was originally called the AAAS Thousand Dollar Prize. It is now known as the AAAS Newcomb Cleveland Prize, and its value has been raised to $25,000. The winner also receives a bronze medal, complimentary registration and reimbursement for reasonable travel and hotel expenses to attend the AAAS Annual Meeting. The prize is awarded to the author or authors of an outstanding paper published in the Research Articles or Reports sections of Science. Each annual contest starts with the first issue of June and ends with the last issue of the following May. An eligible paper is one that includes original research data, theory, or synthesis; is a fundamental contribution to basic knowledge or is a technical achievement of far-reaching consequence; and is a first-time publication of the author’s own work. Reference to pertinent earlier work by the author may be included to give perspective.

AAAS Mentor Awards - Deadline July 31, 2014

The two categories of the AAAS Mentor Awards (Lifetime Mentor Award and Mentor Award) both honor individuals who during their careers demonstrate extraordinary leadership to increase the participation of underrepresented groups in science and
engineering fields and careers. These groups include: women of all racial or ethnic
groups; African American, Native American, and Hispanic men; and people with
disabilities. Both awards recognize an individual who has mentored and guided
significant numbers of students from underrepresented groups to the completion of
doctoral studies or who has impacted the climate of a department, college, or institution
to significantly increase the diversity of students pursuing and completing doctoral
studies.

**Lifetime Mentor Award:** A prize of $5,000 will be awarded. This individual will have
served in the role of mentor for 25 or more years.

**Mentor Award:** A prize of $5,000 will be awarded. This individual will have served in
the role of mentor for less than 25 years.

Both award category recipients receive: A monetary prize, a commemorative plaque,
complimentary registration, and reimbursement for reasonable travel and hotel expenses to
attend the AAAS Annual Meeting