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This opportunity may be of interest to your faculty.

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Good afternoon,

I am reaching out to you on behalf of the Department of Defense's (DoD) Basic Research Office's Vannevar Bush Faculty Fellowship (VBFF), the DoD's most prestigious single-investigator award. The 2021 VBFF Competition is open (<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=328010>) and the Basic Research Office will be hosting a webinar about this competition for prospective applicants on Monday, July 20, 2020 2:00 PM EDT.

Please see the registration for the VBFF webinar attached to this e-mail including the link (<https://noblis.webex.com/noblis/j.php?RGID=r23660587478bb31d7a443696c289c776>). This year we hope to attract a large pool of applicants from diverse disciplines and backgrounds. We ask that you disseminate this information to professors or any academic leadership contacts you may have. Previous fellows have told us that they believed the webinar was very instrumental in them preparing a successful application.

In order to qualify for the VBFF, the applicant must be a tenured professor and a U.S. citizen at the time of receiving the award. If you have any questions about VBFF or the event, please feel free to reach out to us.

Warmest Regards,
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Monday, July 20, 2020

02:00 PM | Eastern Daylight Time
(New York, GMT-04:00) | 1 hr

This webinar will provide:

- An overview of the VBFF program
- Grant application information for the FY21 competition
- Topic areas of interest
- Q&A with VBFF program managers

**Register for the
WebEx Meeting:**

<https://noblis.webex.com/noblis/j.php?RGID=r23660587478bb31d7a443696c289c776>



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Informational Webinar on the Vannevar Bush Faculty Fellowship Program

The Institute for Defense Analyses will present a webinar on the Vannevar Bush Faculty Fellowship (VBFF) program. VBFF is a single PI grant program sponsored by the Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD). It provides extensive, long-term financial support to distinguished university faculty and staff scientists and engineers to conduct bold and ambitious basic research.



"... basic research is the pacemaker of technological progress. . ." (Vannevar Bush, "Science The Endless Frontier," July 1945)