Helpful Links and Resources for Research Funding
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Links:

Materials on how to write proposals and on funding agencies and foundations are available on the Vice Provost's webpage and Suad Joseph's webpage.
http://academicpersonnel.ucdavis.edu/td_fac_grant.cfm

BIG Online is North America's most comprehensive source of fundraising information, opportunities, and resources for non-profit organizations. The website includes a funding database, writing resources, client support, and grant development services.
http://www.bigdatabase.com/

California Council for the Humanities has a website that posts information about programs in California.
http://www.calhum.org/guidelines/guidelines_main.htm

The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) is a helpful source on federal grants.
http://www.cfda.gov

Community of Science offers a searchable database for grant seekers.
http://www.cos.org

The Council on Foundations has an excellent website with links to grant-writing information and resources.
http://www.cof.org

The Ford Foundation offers a database of grants and foundations which is searchable by keyword and year.
http://www.fordfound.org/grants_db/view_grant_detail1.cfm

The Foundation Center provides a searchable database of funding sources.
http://fdncenter.org

The Foundation Center "Prospect Worksheet" will help you record possible funding sources and match them with your own research interests. http://foundationcenter.org/findfunders/wrksheet/

The Foundation Center "Common Grant Applications" is a time saver as many grant makers have adopted a single format for their applicants. http://foundationcenter.org/findfunders/cga.html

The Foundation Center Proposal Writing Short Course
http://fdncenter.org/learn/shortcourse/prop1.html
The European Foundation Center seeks to facilitate access to online funding information. This site may be helpful for those interested in research in Europe.
http://www.efc.be/NewsKnowledge/Pages/ForGrantseekers.aspx

Funders for Lesbian and Gay Issues is an organization that is comprised of individual donors and grantmakers from private, public, family, corporate and community foundations.
http://www.lgbtfunders.org

"Grantseeker's Guide to the Internet" is an online article which provides assistance and information on seeking grants via the web.
http://www.nonprofit.net/info/guide.html

Grant Spy is a site that does the legwork for grant-seekers across the nation in non-profits, government agencies, schools, etc. The site also includes information on California state grants.
http://www.grantspy.com/index.php

Minnesota Council on Foundations: "Writing a Successful Grant Proposal" is a useful article on grant-writing.
http://www.mcf.org/mcf/grant/writing.htm

Dissertation Proposal Workshop by the Institute of International Studies, UC Berkley. This site comprises a collection of tips, samples, and links.
http://globetrotter.berkeley.edu/DissPropWorkshop/

Social Science Research Council: "The Art of Writing Proposals: Some Candid Suggestions for Applicants to Social Science Research Council Competitions"
http://www.ssrc.org/publications/view/7A9CB4F4-815F-DE11-BD80-001CC477EC70/

SRA International has a site called "Grants Web" which offers resources on government funding, general research funding, and private funding.
http://www.srainternational.org/newweb/grantsweb/index.cfm

The University of Michigan Division of Research Development and Administration (DRDA) site offers proposal writing assistance specifically for the arts and humanities.
http://research.umich.edu/
http://www.drda.umich.edu/proposals/proposals.html

The University of Michigan DRDA also offers a general grant-writing guide, "The Proposal Writer's Guide" by Don Thackrey.
http://www.drda.umich.edu/proposals/pwg/pwgcontents.html

Additional Resources:
The Directory of Grants in the Humanities (Oryx Press) is a nearly exhaustive directory of grant programs in the humanities and social sciences, updated every year. It is available in Shields Library in Humanities/Social Sciences Reference, AZ188.U5 D57.


Finding Funding: The Comprehensive Guide to Grant Writing (Bond Street) by Daniel M. Barber is available in Carlson Health Science Library Reference, Q 180.3 B27 2002.


The Grantsmanship Center offers grant-writing guides and funding catalogs. For information on prices and current schedules of Grantsmanship Center training programs visit the website, or write to: The Grantsmanship Center, Dept. DD, P.O. Box 6210, Los Angeles, CA 90014. http://www.tgci.com/

Scholarly Arguments: Strategies for Writing Persuasive Proposals in the Humanities by Christina Gillis is a publication of UC Berkeley's Townsend Center for the Humanities; http://townsendcenter.berkeley.edu/pubs/scholarly%20arguments.pdf