

*The Governor's Summer Merit Program RFP released 8/13/18. Applications are due 9/25/18.*

## Limited Submission Announcement

A limited submission opportunity is available from the Texas Workforce Commission and has been posted to the [UTSA Limited Submission Opportunities webpage](#).

### Governor's Summer Merit Program Overview

The Texas Workforce Commission (the Agency) is seeking proposals from Eligible Offerors to provide scholarships to Texas middle and high school students, ages fourteen (14) to twenty-one (21) years on the first day of summer camp, to increase the number of students served by Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) skills-related summer camp programs who may not have those opportunities otherwise.

The purpose of the GSMP is to improve middle school and high school students' familiarity and experience with post-secondary educational opportunities leading to STEM careers while developing collaboration among workforce development programs, colleges and universities, and Texas middle and high schools.

### Eligibility

Eligible Offerors under this RFP are:

- General academic teaching institutions in Texas, as defined by Texas Education Code § 61.003(3), that offer baccalaureate degree programs in engineering and/or engineering technology that are accredited by the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology, or that offer baccalaureate degree programs in computer science;
- Institutions of higher education in Texas as defined by Texas Education Code § 61.003(8);
- Other agencies of higher education in Texas as defined by Texas Education Code § 61.003(6); or
- Private or independent institutions of higher education in Texas as defined by Texas Education Code § 61.003(15).

### Application Limit

An Eligible Offeror may submit only **one (1)** proposal.

### Award Amount

Grants are limited to a maximum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) per grant awarded. The grant period is approximately nine (9) months from the project start date.

### Internal Evaluation Criteria

The attached review matrix will be utilized for internal review/scoring. Pre-proposals should be responsive to these criteria.

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### Timeline

Internal Notice of Intent Due (Preferred)	Limited Submission Application Due	Selection Notification	Application Due to Funder
August 13, 2018	August 20, 2018	September 5, 2018	<b>September 25, 2018</b>

### [Limited Submission Application Instructions](#)

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