Department of Education

Mission: to promote student achievement and preparation for global competitiveness by fostering educational excellence and ensuring equal access.

Funding opportunities include:

- **Title V: Developing Hispanic Serving Institutions**: provides grants to assist HSIs to expand educational opportunities for, and improve the attainment of, Hispanic students. These grants also enable HSIs to expand and enhance their academic offerings, program quality, and institutional stability.

- **Title V: Promoting Postbaccalaureate Opportunities for Hispanic Americans Program (PPOHA)**: provides grants to expand postbaccalaureate educational opportunities for, and improve the academic attainment of, Hispanic students; and expand the postbaccalaureate academic offerings as well as enhance the program quality in the institutions of higher education that are educating the majority of Hispanic college students and helping large numbers of Hispanic and low-income students complete postsecondary degrees.

- **Title III: Strengthening Institutions**: helps eligible Institutions of Higher Education to become self-sufficient and expand their capacity to serve low-income students by providing funds to improve and strengthen the academic quality, institutional management, and fiscal stability of eligible institutions.

Institute of Education Sciences: Funds research that contributes to improved education outcomes for all learners, and particularly for those whose education prospects are hindered by inadequate education services and conditions associated with poverty, race/ethnicity, limited English proficiency, disability, and family circumstance. Selected education research and training opportunities include:

- **Education Research Grants Program (84.305A)**
  - Career and Technical Education
  - Cognition and Student Learning
  - Early Learning Programs and Policies
  - Education Leadership
  - Education Technology
  - Effective Instruction
  - English Learners
  - Improving Education Systems
  - Postsecondary and Adult Education
  - Reading and Writing
  - Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Education
  - Social and Behavioral Context for Academic Learning

- **Research Training Programs in the Education Sciences (84.305B)**
  - Pre-doctoral Interdisciplinary Research Training Program in Education Sciences
  - Postdoctoral Research Training Program in Education Sciences
  - Methods Training for Education Research

- **Education Research and Development Centers**
- **Statistical and Research Methodology in Education**
- **Research Grants Focused on Systematics Replication**