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MEMORANDUM NO. 2022-083

TO: School District Superintendents
School Principals
CTE Teachers
Curriculum Coordinators

FROM: Shelley Hamel, Chief Academic Officer

DATE: June 27, 2022

SUBJECT: Perkins Cutting Edge Grant - Innovation and Development

PERKINS V FUNDED PROGRAM OF STUDY CUTTING EDGE GRANT OFFERED

The Wyoming Department of Education (WDE) will release the Perkins Cutting Edge Grant application on July 1, 2022. The purpose of the grant is to identify evidence-based and innovative strategies and activities to promote the development, implementation and adoption of Career and Technical Education programs in regards to emerging technology. This application will be open for submission until August 31, 2022. Applications will be reviewed and scored by a grant review committee, and amounts awarded will be equal to or less than \$25,000 each no later than September 15, 2022. All funds must be expended by June 30, 2023.

Preference points will be given for each of the following: 1) NextGen partnership; 2) an after school program; and 3) business and industry partnership. Additional two preference points will be given if the aforementioned is directly related to the comprehensive local need assessment's high-skill, high-wage and in-demand identification.

Apply for this opportunity [here](#).

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