



## COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAM

### STEM Master Teacher Corps defined:

a State-led effort to elevate the status of the STEM teaching profession by recognizing, rewarding, attracting, and retaining outstanding science, technology, engineering, and mathematics teachers, particularly in high-need and rural schools. States would be required to identify candidates for the corps based on content knowledge, pedagogical knowledge, and success in teaching, and to offer master teachers opportunities to (1) work together in scholarly communities, (2) participate in and lead high-quality professional development, and (3) receive additional compensation for their contributions to improved teaching and learning in STEM fields.



**eligible applicants:** SEAs to support the development of a state-wide STEM Master Teacher Corps; or SEAs, or non-profit organizations in partnership with SEAs, to support the implementation, replication, or expansion of effective STEM professional development programs in schools across the state through collaboration with school administrators, principals, and STEM educators.



current funding

**\$0 million**  
FY 2018

**purpose:** *to support efforts to develop statewide master teacher programs in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) fields (including computer science) and to improve the quality of STEM professional development programs across a State.*

