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NSF Policy Update

Federal Demonstration Partnership
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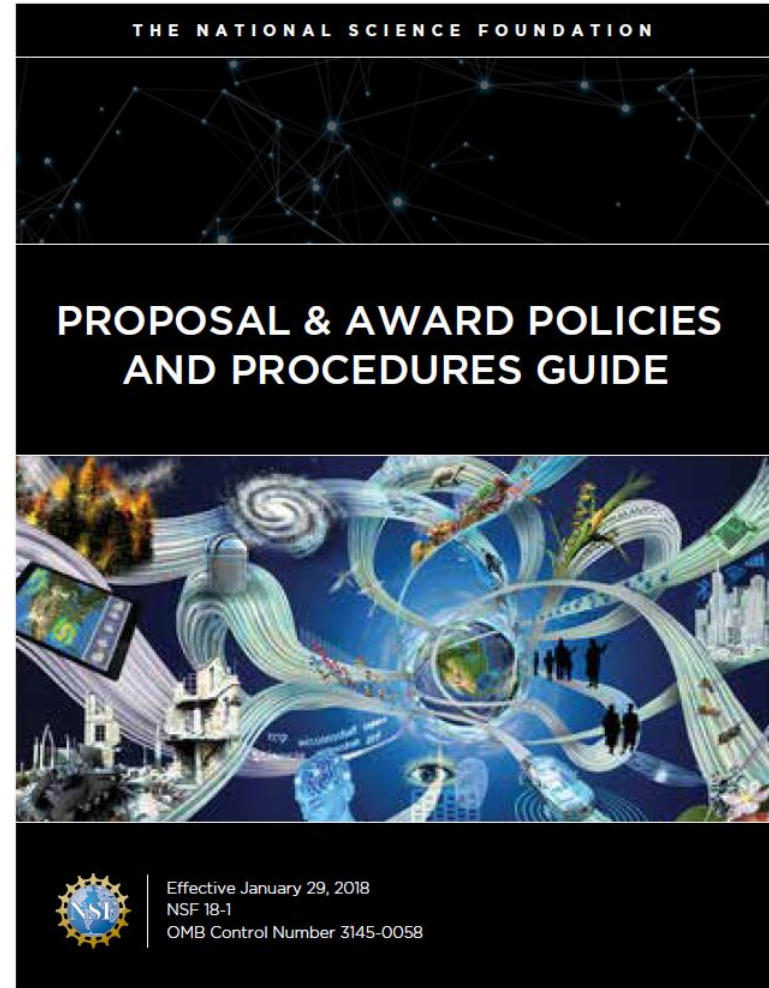
TOPICS

- PAPPG 2018 Reminders
- Proposal Submission Modernization
- Account Modernization
- NSF Outreach



PAPPG IMPLEMENTATION

- October 30, 2017 – Released to the community
- January 29, 2018 – Effective date



MODERNIZING ACCOUNT MANAGEMENT

- NSF is modernizing its grant systems to streamline the user experience for maintaining accounts and centralizing access.
- A person's NSF ID will be used to manage his/her profile data and permission information.
- The new functionality will be launched in March 2018 in Research.gov.
- Initial release will be for PIs, SPOs, AORs, Administrators, ACM\$ users and GRFP Coordinating and Financial Officials
- Existing users will be migrated to the new system and will confirm their account information
- Stay tuned for additional details including account management FAQs and training resources.



PROPOSAL SUBMISSION MODERNIZATION

- PSM is a multi-year initiative to modernize the proposal submission capabilities currently in FastLane and implement new capabilities in Research.gov.
- It aims to reduce the administrative burden to the research community and NSF staff associated with preparation, submission, and management of proposals.
- Beginning in April 2018, proposers will be able to prepare and submit non-collaborative research proposals in Research.gov
- In February 2018, NSF will preview the new Research.gov proposal preparation interface to the community for feedback and for a chance to get used to the new environment.



PROPOSAL SUBMISSION MODERNIZATION

My Desktop > Proposal Preparation > Create New Proposal

- Indicator shows required proposal setup process steps

Create New Proposal

1. Funding Opportunity ✓

2. Where to Apply ✓

3. Proposal Type

4. Submission Type

5. Title & Collaborative Info

Select Proposal Type

What type of proposal will be used? ⓘ

- ☒ Research
 - ☐ Rapid Response Research (RAPID) Proposals
 - ☐ Early-concept Grants for Exploratory Research (EAGER)
 - ☐ Research Advanced by Interdisciplinary Research and Engineering (RAISE)
 - ☐ Grant Opportunities for Academic Liaison with Industry (GOALI)
 - ☐ Ideas Lab
 - ☐ Facilitation Awards for Scientists and Engineers with Disabilities (FASSED)
- ☐ Conferences
- ☐ Equipment
- ☐ Travel
- ☐ NSF Center Proposals
- ☐ Major Research Equipment and Facility Construction Proposals
- ☐ Fellowship

- User chooses the applicable proposal type
- The choices shown here will be customized to the funding opportunity

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PROPOSAL SUBMISSION MODERNIZATION



Research.GOV
ONLINE GRANTS MANAGEMENT
FOR THE NSF COMMUNITY

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Proposal - 5841

Manage Personnel

Required

Cover Sheet

Project Summary

Project Description

References Cited

Data Management Plan

Senior Personnel
Documents

Facilities, Equipment and
Other Resources

Budget(s)

Budget Justification(s)

My Desktop > Proposal Preparation > Proposal - 5841 > Senior Personnel Documents

Senior Personnel Documents

Expand all | Collapse all

Manage Personnel

Personnel Name

Role

Organization

⊖ Mollie K Hodge

Principal Investigator

KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY

Documents

Last Updated

Compliance Status

Biographical Sketch

10/18/2016

Collaborators & Other Affiliations

10/15/2016

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⊕ Shiferaw Berhanu

co-Principal Investigator

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PROPOSAL SUBMISSION MODERNIZATION

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Proposal - 2212

Required

Cover Sheet

Project Summary

Project Description

References Cited

Data Management Plan

Postdoctoral Mentoring Plan

Senior Personnel Documents

Facilities, Equipment & Other Resources

Collaboration Plan

Management Plan

Budgets

Budget Justification

Deviation Authorization

Optional

My Desktop > Proposal Preparation > Proposal - 2212 > Project Summary

Project Summary

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Instructions to upload Project Summary:

- Only 1 document can be uploaded
- Accepted file types include: Adobe PDF
- Your file must include three separately labeled sections: Overview, Intellectual Merit, and Broader Impacts
- Text cannot exceed 1 page - [Proposal margin and spacing requirements \(PAPPG\)](#)
- Max file size permitted is 10MB

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Preview/Print

- Immediate feedback on compliance of all documents that are uploaded to the system

PROPOSAL SUBMISSION MODERNIZATION

Proposal - 6577

Manage Personnel

Required

Cover Sheet

Project Summary

Project Description

References Cited

Data Management Plan

Senior Personnel Documents

Facilities, Equipment and Other Resources

Budget(s)

Budget Justification(s)

Optional

Other Personnel Biographical Information

List of Suggested Reviewers

List of Reviewers Not to Include

Budget(s)

For KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY ⓘ

\$100,200

Total Requested Amount

* Information is required for at least one year for this line

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Years in budget: 2

Add Year

Delete Year

Personnel Direct Costs

Section	Year 1			Year 2			Total Funds Requested
	# Personnel	Months	Funds	# Personnel	Months	Funds	
⊕ A. Senior Personnel [Manage]	2	18.00	\$15,000	2	18.00	\$15,000	\$30,000
⊕ B. Other Personnel ⓘ	6		\$35,000	6		\$35,000	\$70,000
⊕ C. Fringe Benefits			\$100			\$100	\$200
Total Salaries, Wages & Fringe Benefits (A-C)			\$50,100			\$50,100	\$100,200

Additional Direct Costs

Section	Year 1		Year 2		Total Funds Requested
	# Participants	Funds	# Participants	Funds	
⊕ D. Equipment ⓘ		\$0		\$0	\$0
⊕ E. Travel		\$0		\$0	\$0
⊕ F. Participant Support Costs		\$0		\$0	\$0
⊕ G. Other Direct Costs		\$0		\$0	\$0
H. Total Direct Costs (A-G)		\$50,100		\$50,100	\$100,200

Indirect Costs

Section	Year 1 Rate x Base	Year 2 Rate x Base	Total Funds Requested
⊕ I. Indirect Costs	\$0	\$0	\$0
J. Total Amount Requested (H + I)	\$50,100	\$50,100	\$100,200

• All totals are dynamically summed and the total amount is placed on the cover sheet

• Multiple years displayed on one screen

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PAPPG UPDATE WEBINAR



<https://nsfgrantsconferences.com/2017/12/14/pappg-update-webinar/>



PROPOSAL & AWARD POLICY NEWSLETTER

- Quarterly newsletter
- Stay abreast of policy and procedural developments
- Next edition will be March 2018



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