

UCSF May Submit 1 Application

Internal Deadline: 11:59 PM, Wednesday, December 14, 2022

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WHAT: NIH NIGMS Research Evaluation and Commercialization Hubs (REACH) Awards (U01)
(<https://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-OD-23-002.html>)

REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS NUMBER: RFA-OD-23-002

PURPOSE:

- To facilitate and accelerate the translation of academic biomedical discoveries into products that improve patient care and public health.
- To seed the creation of academic entrepreneurship Hubs, which will be responsible for providing innovators with both the initial investment and resources to support the proof-of-concept work and the mentorship in product development and commercialization needed to develop high priority technologies within the NIH's mission. Funded Hubs are intended to work as a consortium to enable:
 - The infrastructure for identifying the most promising technologies.
 - Funding for product definition studies (e.g. feasibility studies, prototype development, proof-of-concept studies) provided to individual researchers.
 - Access to resources and expertise in areas required for early stage technology development (including scientific, regulatory, reimbursement, business, legal, and project management).
 - Skills development and hands-on experience in entrepreneurship.
- Establishing public-private partnerships and providing additional non-federal funds will be critical for success.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Any individual(s) with the skills, knowledge, and resources necessary to carry out the proposed research as the Program Director(s)/Principal Investigator(s) (PD(s)/PI(s)) is invited to work with his/her organization to develop an application for support. Individuals from underrepresented racial and ethnic groups as well as individuals with disabilities are always encouraged to apply.

BUDGET AND PROJECT PERIOD:

- Award Budget: up to \$1,000,000 total costs per year
 - Cost sharing is not required, but a minimum of \$250,000 per year in matching funds is encouraged. In-kind contributions are also encouraged.
 - UCSF indirect cost policy will apply except for non-federal entities.
- Project Period: up to 4 years

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS UCSF MAY SUBMIT: 1

APPLICATION TYPES ALLOWED: New

DUE DATES:

- **Internal: 11:59 PM**, Wednesday, December 14, 2022. If multiple groups submit an LOI, an additional pre-application will be due Wednesday, January 04, 2023.
- **Pls submit directly to the LSP; RMS does not get involved unless and until you are nominated.**
- Sponsor: Thursday, February 09, 2023.

Submit the attached Letter of Intent (LOI) by 11:59 PM, December 14, to:
limitedsubmissions@ucsf.edu

To qualify for UCSF Limited Submission Program opportunities, applicants must have a paid UCSF appointment either at the time of application or anticipated by the time of award.

The LSP is a selection process, not an award process. As the LSP is under significant time constraints, all reviewer feedback is optional. We encourage you to seek other avenues for proposal feedback.

For information on all current LSOs, please visit: <http://rdo.ucsf.edu/limited-submission-program-lsp>

Sent by Avity Norman on behalf of the Limited Submission Program (LSP) within the Research Development Office (RDO).