NEW MEXICO EPSCoR

The National Science Foundation Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research



NM EPSCoR has contributed approximately \$96 million to New Mexico in direct EPSCoR awards (\$34M) and co-funded awards (\$62M; cofunded awards would not have been made without EPSCoR funding). NM EPSCoR is also achieving its goal of making the state more competitive in securing NSF funding.

Since 2001, NM EPSCoR has bolstered New Mexico's academic research capability in:

- » nanoscience
- » biomedical engineering
- » ecological research
- » hydrology and aquatic chemistry
- » climate science and modeling
- » socioeconomics

NM EPSCoR's new project, Energize New Mexico, focuses on realizing New Mexico's potential for sustainable energy development.



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Collaboration between universities & industry is a main feature of EPSCoR research.



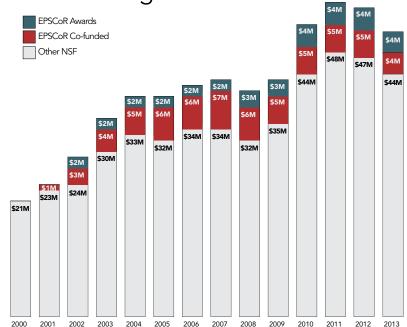
CYBERINFRASTRUCTURE

Funding from NM EPSCoR provides internet access to rural communities and data access for education.

HUMAN RESOURCES

NM EPSCoR supports entrepreneurship, STEM education, and workforce development.

NSF Funding in New Mexico



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Setting a standard for cooperative research, workforce development and STEM education

WHAT IS NSF EPSCoR?

NSF EPSCoR is a partnership between the National Science Foundation and the state to improve the Research & Development (R&D) competitiveness through the state's academic science & technology infrastructure. EPSCoR is a university-oriented program, with the goal of identifying, developing, and utilizing academic resources that will lead to increased R&D competitiveness.

SUPPORTING NEW MEXICO

NM EPSCoR played a key role in developing the New Mexico Science & Technology (S&T) Plan, and is fully committed to supporting the Plan. Cuttingedge research facilities and activities, plus new education and economic development programs will enhance strengths and resolve shortcomings identified in the S&T Plan.

In addition, NM EPSCoR works with various educational and research facilities across the entire state. Partnerships between universities, community colleges, national laboratories, and private industries not only improve research infrastructure, these partnerships also strengthen the Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) workforce. *NM EPSCoR is committed to supporting the New Mexico Science & Technology Plan.*





