Getting Funding for Research

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Finding Funding

- Use University funding databases
- Sign up for notices from funding agencies (NSF, grants.gov)
- Use filters to target notices to your research interests
- Talk to colleagues; look at funding sources of related research



TUNM Research Pivot Funding Alerts Explore new opportunities for funding research, training, scholarship, fellowship, publishing, travel and so much more!

You Have an Idea and Found a Solicitation...

- Eligibility
 - University
 - You
- Due dates
- Budget Limit
- Duration
- Cost Share
- Does it *really* fit your idea?



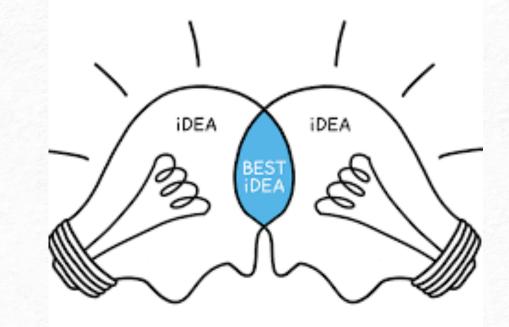
Budget Exercise

Broader Impacts (NSF)

- Full participation of women, persons with disabilities, and underrepresented minorities in STEM
- Improved STEM education and educator development at any level
- Increased public scientific literacy and public engagement with science and technology
- Improved well-being of individuals in society
- Development of a diverse, globally competitive STEM workforce
- Increased partnerships between academia, industry, and others
- Improved national security
- Increased economic competitiveness of the United States
- Enhanced infrastructure for research and education

Effective Collaboration

- Important for solving complex problems
- Takes more time and planning
- Requires great communication skills
- Must commit to the project and the team



Common Problems

Mismatch of goals Not enough time to do a good job Not following solicitation requirements COMPLETELY



Proposal Review Processes





Biosketch/CV Activity

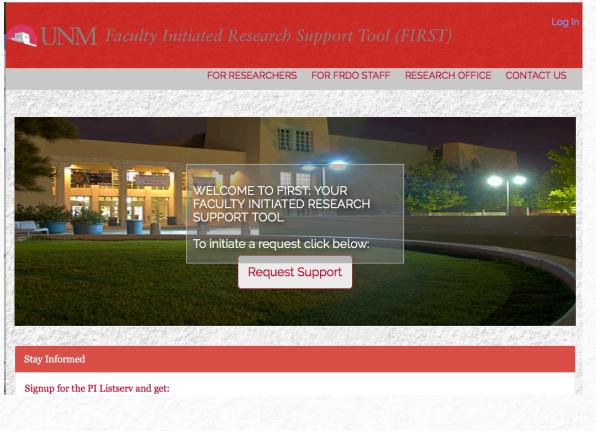
Get Help!

- Seek out helpful resources for:
 - Finding funding
 - Understanding solicitations
 - Facilitating planning meetings
 - Developing budgets
 - Navigating university submission system
 - Editing proposal drafts
 - Developing graphics
 - Broader Impacts/Outreach and Evaluation
- Don't go it alone!

Where to Look?

- Department
- College
- University
- Professional Assoc.
- Funding Agencies

Research support.unm.edu



- Your request in the FIRST system will be sent to the FRDO Network Associate in your college
- You will receive a reply within one working day
- The system tracks requests and keeps a log of interactions

THANK YOU!

