

Grant & Contract Training for Principal Investigators



Welcome!

Overview of Grants and Contracts at SFSU



Training Session Breakdown

Things every PI should know about conducting research at SFSU.

- What is ORSP?
- Comprehensive training program
- Faculty input on the effectiveness of training presentation and materials







ORSP Grant Life Cycle

Principal Investigator



- **Draft proposal** and budget
- Allow enough time
- Review guidelines and deadlines
- Submit PI Checklist

Pre-Award



Proposal Submission

Proposal Development Funded Award Institutional Clearance Project Account

Sponsor Review

Post-Award



Sponsor Report Spending Money Purchasing

Personnel



- Hiring
- Separation
- Compensation
- Reimbursements
- Benefits

Compliance



- Cost-sharing
- Time and Effort Reporting
- Sub-recipient **Monitoring**
- **Human & Animal Subjects**







Who's an Eligible PI?



- Tenured/Tenure-Track Faculty
- University Administrators (MPP)-Directors of Centers or Institutes
- Others may apply for PI status through formal process
- For eligibility requirements, please visit our website: http://www.sfsu.edu/~orspwww/







Mechanisms for Funding



- Grants
 - Federal, State, Local, Non-Profit
- Contracts
 - Sub-contracts
 - Inter-agency Agreements
 - Cooperative Agreements
 - Consortium Agreements
 - Memorandums of Understanding







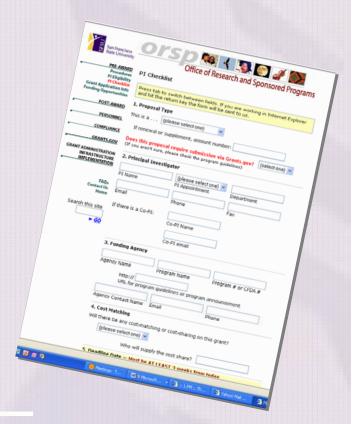
PI Checklist



- Submit within a minimum of 3 weeks of your agency deadline.
- Starts the process and places you in the ORSP data base.
- A Proposal Service Specialist will contact you within 2-3 business days.

Review Example

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Pre-Award Function



- Pre-Award is the submitting unit for all sponsored projects.
- Applications CANNOT be submitted by any other unit or individual in the name of SFSU.
- Applications to foundations and private agencies requiring a 501(c)(3) tax exemption.







Roles & Responsibilities



Principal Investigator

- Prepare proposal in at least a draft format.
- Contact ORSP at least 3 weeks before your agency deadline.
- Review your agency guidelines and deadlines.
- Meet with proposal specialist.
- Conflict of Interest documentation.
- Discuss project with Department Chair and Dean of College.

Pre-Award

- Help develop the project budget.
- Assist with completion of agency forms.
- Submit applications to your agency in the name of SFSU.







Pre-Award also provides...



- Editing services are available by appointment with our Proposal Editor Barbara Ustanko (ustanko@sfsu.edu);
- Funding alert emails (sign up on our website);
- Funding searches and training by appointment with our Funding Information Specialist Paul Barrows (pbarrows@sfsu.edu);







Human & Animal Subjects



- Pre-protocol checklist must be filled out during proposal preparation.
- Protocol must be approved before research can begin.
- Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC)- Animal Subjects
- IRB (Institutional Review Board) Human Subjects

http://www.sfsu.edu/~protocol/human.htm







Cost-Sharing



- Identify Cost-Sharing commitments in proposal
 - Notice of cost-sharing signed by Dean
 - Inclusion in proposal budget







Conflict of Interest



- Conflict of Interest documentation must be signed during proposal preparation
 - Form 700-U (CSU)
 - Disclosure of Financial Conflict of Interest for NSF, PHS and Other Agencies Adopting the Federal Requirement







Welcome to Post-Award



Congratulations!

Your proposal has been funded!







Fund Advances



- New grant for which award letter has not been received
- New budget year for a continuing grant
- Contract that has not yet been finalized
- Complete form- Dean's signature







Project Set up in ORSP



Grant Administrator reviews details of award, terms and conditions, budget

Project Number Assigned

Budget request form set up, signatures obtained

Grant Administrator meets with PI to:

- ✓ Review project award/contract
- ✓ Review reporting requirements
- ✓ Clarify award/contract regulations and requirements
- ✓ Present options for expenditures







Accessing Project Reports





Fiscal Affairs

FMS Reports

HOME

FMS LOGIN

USER GUIDE

CONTACT US

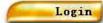
Registered FMS Report Users

Please provide your e-mail address and password below to access your FMS Reports.

E-MAIL ADDRESS:

PASSWORD:

Passwords are case sensitive.



Click button below to access Fundware Reports

Go To Fundware Reports

New Registration

If you have not registered yet, please provide your e-mail address below and click the "REGISTER" button to set up your account to access the FMS Reports.

E-MAIL ADDRESS:

Register

Need a new password?

To reset or change your password, enter your e-mail address, and click "GO". A temporary password will be e-mailed to you.

ENTER E-MAIL ADDRESS:

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Accessing Project Reports



- Web-Based Access to reports
- Email address used as login
- Reports updated every week (Sunday)
- Page 2 coming soon!







Roles and Responsibilities



Principal Investigator

- Monitor grant activity
- Ensure costs charged appropriately
- Submit travel claims/ procurement card reports and reimbursements in a timely manner
- Monitor sub-recipient expenses
- Certify time and effort reports

Grant Administrator

- Process expenditures
- Budget revisions
- Process cost-transfers and LCD transfers
- Liaison to Fiscal Affairs
- Process no-cost time extensions
- Reconcile Project issues







Personnel Management



- No commitment, verbally or in writing, should be made to any employee, special consultant, or independent contractor without the prior approval of ORSP.
- This includes anything concerning:
 - 1. Hiring
 - 2. Separation
 - 3. Compensation
 - 4. Changes in terms and conditions of employment







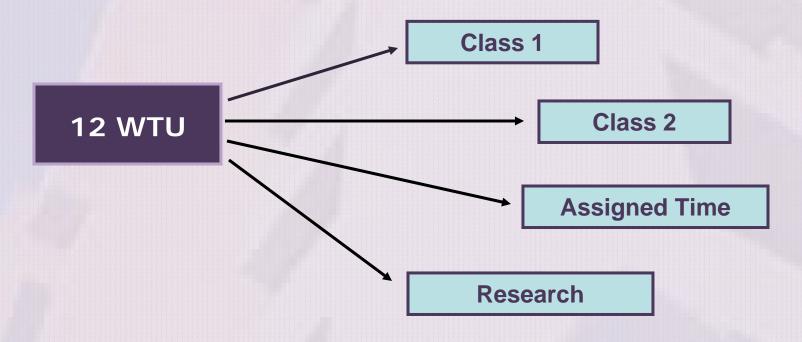
Reimbursed Release Time (RRT)



15 WTU = Full Time Workload

3 WTU = Administrative Time and Committee Work

+12 WTU= Teaching, Assigned time









Faculty Additional Pay



- Academic Year Faculty may receive additional pay during non-academic workdays, approximately 79 days per year
- Academic year Faculty may request
 Additional pay 4 times per year:
 - 1. January Intersession
 - 2. Spring Break
 - 3. Summer
 - 4. Thanksgiving
- In rare cases, Overloads during the Academic Year (subject to sponsor approval)







Hiring Staff



PI completes:

- 1. Position Requisition
- 2. Work Schedule
- 3. Position Description

Personnel Specialist establishes the correct classification to be used

Personnel Specialist works with HR to post position on website

PI interviews candidates, makes hiring recommendation

ORSP Personnel office coordinates the recruitment process

SFSU Human Resources makes job offer to candidate

Candidate is hired by SFSU







Hiring Students



Submit Student Hiring request form one week prior to hiring

2 classifications

Student Assistants

Instructional Student Assistant (ISA)

Student meets with Personnel Specialist to complete paperwork







Research Fellows (Post-Docs)



- Research Fellow (Postdoctoral Researcher or Postdoctoral Scholar) – Temporary appointments (3-5 years), persons with Ph.D.
- Under the mentorship of a principal investigator (PI)
 or administrator, performs a variety of work in
 support of a research project or scholarly activity.
- The Research Fellow classification is an <u>excluded</u> classification within the CSU classification structure and does not need to be posted on the Human Resources website.







PIs Responsibilities As Supervisors



- The entire life cycle of a temporary grant employee is covered by SFSU Policy and procedure, the terms and conditions of the grant, and collective bargaining this includes:
 - *employee raises
 - *initial salary
 - *hours of work
 - *maternity and paternity leave
 - *injury on or off the job
 - *eligibility for fee waiver

- *benefits eligibility
- *job classification
- *performance evaluation cycle
- *jury duty
- *sick and vacation leave use
- *overtime and additional employment policies.







Thread of Compliance



- Begins in Pre-Award process
 - Cost-sharing
 - Conflict of interest documentation
 - Human or Animal Subjects Protocol
- Continues in Post-Award
 - Monitoring of cost-share commitments
 - Monitoring of Human-Animal Subjects Protocol
 - Time and effort reporting
 - Sub-recipient monitoring
 - Monitoring of project expenses
- Ends at project close-out







Why do we need to monitor research?



- Federal Regulations
 - Increased scrutiny, regulations
- Protection of the Faculty and University
 - Monitoring of cost-share commitments
 - Time and effort reporting
 - Sub-recipient monitoring
- Fiscal Responsibility and Oversight







Time and Effort Report



SAN FRANCISCO STATE UNIVERSITY Office of Research and Sponsored Programs TIME AND EFFORT REPORT

Faculty Information	Effort Information
Faculty Name: Jane Smith	Effort Reporting Period: Fall 2005
College: Science and Engineering	8/22/2005 to 1/3/2006
Department: Mathematics	Compensation for Period: \$30,000.00

Sponsored Projects Detail:

Project Information	-	Salary Cl	arged	Actual
Project Title	Project ID	Dollars	% Salary	Effort
Mathematics for Everyone	12345678	\$6,000.00	40.0%	
Cost Share/ Match:		\$6,000.00		<u></u>
			0.0%	
Cost Share/ Match:				

Non-Sponsored Detail:

Other SFSU Functions \$18,000.00 60.0%

Total Distributions:

\$30,000.00 100% 100%

I certify to the best of my knowledge that this accurately represents my work effort during the Fall 2005 period.

Employee Signature _____ Date ____

Supervisor Signature Date

Total salary charged to the grant for RRT

Total amount of cost-share by the College

Other SFSU Functions= All other faculty responsibilities to SFSU (i.e. Administrative time, teaching, mentoring) Compensation for Period = Total amount of salary earned by faculty member during this time period

Review Example

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The End!

Thank you for your time and feedback!