

Research Administration Forum XIV

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Quick Updates & Suggestions

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Quick Updates & Suggestions

- Routing Form Update
- Bulletin Board
- Benefitting from RU' s own resources
- **NOT-OD-12-152**- Revised Pre- and Post-Award Forms and Instructions Available



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Quick Updates - InfoEd

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Quick Updates - InfoEd

- Hardware Upgrade (completed May 15, 2012)
- Enterprise Staging Area (ESA)
- Single Sign On (SSO)
- Software upgrade



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Research Performance Progress Report (RPPR)

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Research Performance Progress Report (RPPR)

- What is it?
- How will it be implemented?
- What does it mean to us?



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Research Performance Progress Report (RPPR)

What is it?

- New standardized Interim/Progress Report across Federal Agencies
- Born from an initiative to reduce administrative burden and associated costs involved with management of research programs
- Will replace current reporting formats



Research Performance Progress Report (RPPR)

Implementation:

- Electronic or paper
 - NIH electronic via the NIH eRA Commons
 - DOD electronic but system(s) yet undetermined
 - NSF electronic via Research.gov
- Dates dependent on agency plan
 - NIH has begun pilot testing. Full implementation planned for April 2013
 - DOD plans on implementation in Jan 2014
 - NSF has begun pilot testing. Full implementation planned for Jan 2013



Research Performance Progress Report (RPPR)

What does it mean to us?

eSNAP & F series Prg Reports → RPPR



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Research Performance Progress Report (RPPR)

RU implementation:

- Starts now – voluntary
- March 2013 – mandatory



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Research Performance Progress Report (RPPR)

DON'T WORRY!

- RPPR is submitted via eRA Commons
- eSNAP and RPPR substance is similar
- Look and feel will be familiar
- SR-PD is here to help!



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Research Performance Progress Report (RPPR)

- General overview of RPPR screenshots:
http://grants.nih.gov/grants/rppr/rppr_vs_esnap.htm
- Resources available:
<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/rppr/index.htm#resources>



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Multi-Project Applications Transitioning to Electronic Submission

Jim F. Keller



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Multi-Project Applications Transitioning to Electronic Submission

NOT-OD-12-161

- Transitioning multi-project application from paper PHS398 grant application to the SF 424 R&R
- Simultaneous transition to electronic submission of these multi-project applications



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InfoEd (S2S) Submission & ASSIST

- **System-to-System (InfoEd)**
 - Organizations will be able to send multi-project applications via Grants.gov using current interfaces
- **ASSIST: Application Submission System and Interface for Submission Tracking**
 - NIH and Grants.gov to accommodate electronic submission of NIH's multi-project applications
 - Develop and store applications securely online
 - Features Include: application error checking against Grants.gov and many agency business rules, view assembled application, access control by subproject
 - Grants.gov plans to leverage this to develop online forms capability for entire federal grants community



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NIH Transition Plan & Milestones

January 2014: Multi-project applications

transitioned via activity code to electronic (SF 424) submission. As each transitions, applications submitted to FOAs for associated programs require electronic submission.

Milestones

- November 2012: Launch ASSIST, issue pilot FOAs requiring electronic submission for Jan.-Sept. 2013
- September 25, 2013: Electronic submission required for P01, P20, P50, R24, U24, U19 applications due
- January 25, 2014: Electronic submission required for G12, P30, P40, P41, P42, P51, P60, R28, U10, U41, U42, U45, U54, U56, UC7, UM1 applications due



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- Contact [your GMS](#) with any questions



NIH will continue to communicate transition plans as they evolve and will provide the community with ample notice of impending events

Revised NIH Grants Policy Statement

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Revised NIH Grants Policy Statement (rev. 10/1/12)

- **NOT-OD-157**- Revised NIH-GPS at http://grants.nih.gov/grants/policy/nihgps_2012/nihgps_2012.pdf
- Document of Significant Changes at [http://grants.nih.gov/grants/policy/nihgps_2012/Significant Changes NIHGPS 2012.doc](http://grants.nih.gov/grants/policy/nihgps_2012/Significant_Changes_NIHGPS_2012.doc)
- Some examples of updates/changes:
 - Use of Pre-Application
 - Special Council Review for Submissions from PIs with more than \$1 Million in Direct Costs annually from the NIH
 - Change in JIT Requests
 - Changes in Financial Conflict of Interest



Expanding on Tips

Kate Ross



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Expanding on Tips

[August 16, 2012] What should a Rockefeller University (RU) investigator submit for SR-PD review if she/he is going to be a subgrant applicant on an application going out from another institution (RU is subgrantee)?



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Expanding on Tips

[August 16, 2012] What should a subgrantee applicant submit to Rockefeller University (RU) if she/he is going to be on an application going out from Rockefeller University (RU is Prime)?



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Application Review Requirements

- General [Application Review Requirements](#)
- [Subcontract documents for New Applications](#)
- [Subcontract documents for Progress Reports](#)



Q & A



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