# RESEARCH ADMINISTRATION FORUM

Proposals

August 24, 2022

## **REMINDER: GRANTS.GOV MIGRATION**

Grants.gov will be migrated to the cloud and as a result, will be <u>unavailable between</u> <u>Friday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> and Thursday,</u> <u>September 29<sup>th</sup></u>.

## NEW GRANTS.GOV MIGRATION INFO.

To mitigate the impact, NIH due dates that fall on or between Thursday, September 22 and Friday, September 30, 2022 will move to October 3, 2022, with a few caveats and considerations.

# THE CAVEATS AND CONSIDERATIONS ARE...

Per NIH (https://nexus.od.nih.gov/all/2022/08/03/extended-grants-govdowntime-impacts-september-22-30-due-dates/):

- "The end of the application receipt period for applications submitted under the <u>Continuous Submission policy</u> for the September 7, 2022 AIDS due date remains Saturday, October 1, 2022 but automatically moves forward to Monday, October 3 since it falls on a weekend.
- The two-week window of consideration associated with the <u>NIH Late</u> <u>Application Policy</u> (when applicable) will be calculated from the original due dates.

#### CAVEATS AND CONSIDERATIONS (CONTINUED)

- The two-day <u>application viewing window</u> in eRA Commons will continue to function as normal for applications successfully submitted through Grants.gov.
  - If a corrective submission is needed within the application viewing window and while Grants.gov is unavailable, <u>reject your application</u> <u>in eRA Commons</u> to prevent it from moving forward to NIH for processing and submit your changed/corrected application prior to the October 3 due date.
  - If the application viewing window has passed, you can officially <u>Withdraw Your Application</u> and submit a changed/corrected application prior to the October 3 due date.

### CAVEATS AND CONSIDERATIONS (CONTINUED)

- NOT-OD-22-190 serves as notification of the due date change for impacted funding opportunities (i.e., edits to due dates within the text of individual opportunities will NOT be made).
  - NIH FOAs are posted with a grace period which allows applications to be submitted through Grants.gov systems even if the submission deadline shifts beyond the expiration date of the FOA.
  - If you experience any issues with your submission following Grants.gov's return to service, please contact the <u>eRA Service Desk</u> for assistance.
- If you experience an impact not covered in <u>NOT-OD-22-190</u>, our standard <u>Dealing with System Issues</u> policy applies."

#### NSF – FASTLANE UPDATE

Reminder: NSF is transitioning to Research.gov; FastLane will be completely removed as a submission option for NSF proposals in January 2023.

- Some programs in NSF's Social, Behavioral and Economic Sciences Directorate have already stopped accepting proposals via FastLane; others will stop accepting them over the reminder of 2022.
- NSF has provided a table with program transition dates to Research.gov (<u>https://www.research.gov/common/attachment/Desktop/PD\_RGOV.p\_df?utm\_medium=email&utm\_source=govdelivery</u>).

#### **COMPLIANCE: FORM 800 SUBMISSIONS**

Form 800s must be filed <u>at the Proposal\*</u> stage for:

>All NSF proposals

Proposals funded by non-PHS federal sponsors <u>if human subjects are</u> <u>involved</u>.

► All UCOP programs.

Thank you for having all UCD key project personnel complete the Form 800 as soon as the proposal preparation begins.

\* Form 800s are required for other projects such as CIRM and non-governmental entities funding human subject research but are collected at the Award stage.

#### **GENTLE REMINDER**

# Full Review = 5 Business Days

# THANK YOU!