

UNC RESEARCH OFFICE OF RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT

We connect faculty's ideas with funding trends and opportunities



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RESEARCH

Innovation in Research

Our Mission

- Expand UNC's capacity for innovative, groundbreaking research
- Engage faculty scholars in transformative and interdisciplinary inquiry
- Enhance the proposal generation process, to produce successful grant applications

We Enhance the Research Mission of UNC-Chapel Hill by...

- Promoting and supporting research focused on innovative, cross-disciplinary, and transformational efforts
- Supporting the entire proposal development process from conception to submission, including team-building, agency-specific guidance, mock proposal review, and internal compliance
- Fostering creative research leaders, creative teams, and research mentors
- Facilitating faculty navigation of the required University Limited Submission Grants process
- Managing the University Research Council (URC) Small Grants Program
- Managing the Fostering Interdisciplinary Research Explorations (FIRE) Grants Program
- Coordinating campus use and integration of funding information databases

We Specialize in Supporting...

- Early stage investigators launching their research careers
- Team science, large proposal development, and multi-disciplinary collaborations
- Outside the box research ideas, with potential for radical transformation

Limited Submissions

When an agency limits the number of institutional nominees for a grant and it crosses disciplines, we...

- Announce, organize, and direct the university's internal selection process
- Provide feedback and proposal support for nominees
- Facilitate UNC faculty peer review for the selection of university nominees

Visit our website to explore our services in detail: <http://research.unc.edu/ord>

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