

CRANT REVIEW SERIES
11/19 Advanced Topics
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ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

- ADR Associate Dean for Research; provides administrative oversight and support for a wide range of research activities
- BO Business Officer; responsible for a department's financial management, business operations, and human resource administration functions
- BUDRULE Budget Rules; used when addressing sponsored projects. Examples are budrule4 for federal or federal flow
 through funding projects, budrule5 for state, foundation, or other restrictively funded projects, and budrule9 pertaining to industry,
 clinical trials and other less restrictively funded projects
- BW Business Warehouse; A data warehousing product. Utilized to generate reports
- CAS Items Cost Accounting Standards Items; Standards to ensure uniformity and consistency in the measurement, assignment and allocation of costs; for financial and oversight purposes these are GL's that are generally unallowable on a sponsored project
- CGO College Grants Officer; College Grant Officers assist with a multitude of duties from the proposal period through the
 grant management period and along with your departmental Business Analyst should be considered as the first contacts for any
 and all grant related questions and issues for your department
- Expected Account Also referred to as an E-account, an expected account is created by the Office of Sponsored Projects Administration upon request for sponsored projects awaiting the receipt of a final award document
- eIAF Electronic Internal Approval Form; The eIAF is an internal approval form used by OSPA to gather various information before a proposal may be submitted to apply for a grant

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- F&A Facilities and Administrative Costs; F&A costs are real expenses incurred by the university in support of sponsored projects, but which by federal regulation cannot be charged directly to a specific grant, contract, or other sponsored agreement. F&A costs stem from the institutional need to maintain a shared infrastructure that supports the research and scholarly activities of all investigators. F&A costs are divided into facilities costs (e.g. building depreciation, operation and maintenance, utilities) and administrative costs (e.g. sponsored projects administration, purchasing, accounting, legal services)
- FA Financial Administrator; RFS employee that serves as a liaison between sponsors, department personnel and principal investigators and provide accurate real-time invoicing, reporting, and financial guidance
- FES Faculty Effort System; Used for the entry of payroll distribution for regular and full-time faculty
- FI Financial Module
- **FPR** Fixed Price Residual; Unrestricted cost center to be used in support of the enrichment of academic and research programs. An FPR will be established under the PI. Fund Balance will automatically carry forward at the end of each fiscal year.
- GL General Ledger; A set of numbered accounts used to keep track of financial transactions
- HR Human Resources

ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

- IP Intellectual Property; Intellectual property (IP) is the tangible or intangible results of research, development, teaching, or
 other intellectual activity. IP is any innovation or discovery conceived or developed by faculty, staff or students using University
 resources
- JV Journal Voucher; SAP document used to record an internal transaction between funds, cost centers, WBS elements or internal orders
- OSPA Office of Sponsored Projects Administration; OSPA administers extramural grants and contracts awarded through the University of Kentucky Research Foundation. Services available to University faculty and staff include: advice and assistance with budget preparation and other administrative requirements of proposals; review, negotiation and acceptance of awards; information regarding sponsor policies and regulations; preparation of subcontract documents.
- PADR Project Account Data Record; When a PI receives an award for a sponsored project from a source outside of UK, OSPA
 will set up an account against which a PI and his/her department staff will post project expenses. OSPA generates a "PADR," or
 Project Account Data Record, for the initial account setup. Each time OSPA changes the account, the Research Administrator
 generates a new PADR. They are numbered sequentially. All PADRs are distributed to the Principal Investigator (PI), any coInvestigators(co-Is) and Business Officer.
- PI Principal Investigator; A PI is the primary individual responsible for the preparation, conduct, and administration of a research grant, cooperative agreement, training or public service project, contract, or other sponsored project in compliance with applicable laws and regulations and institutional policy governing the conduct of sponsored research. The PI has primary Stewardship of Research Data on behalf of the University and bears primary responsibility for the overall conduct of the Sponsored Research or scholarly activity.

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ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

- RA Research Administrator; An OSPA employee that performs various administrative, maintenance, compliance, review, and oversight tasks for a sponsored program
- RFS Research Financial Services; used to be known as SPA. Oversees the financial reporting and compliance requirements of all externally sponsored projects. The primary goal of RFS is to facilitate the management of funds provided to the university by outside entities, in compliance with relevant guidelines, for the purpose of continuing research. Serves as liaison between sponsors, department personnel and PIs and provide accurate real-time invoicing, reporting, and financial guidance.
- SAP Systems, Applications and Products Software; The University's current business application software
- UKRF University of Kentucky Research Foundation; UKRF serves as the university's agent in the receipt of all external grants and contracts, intellectual property income and other designated income; oversees the protection, development, and commercialization of intellectual properties; and manages special cooperative agreements
- VPR Vice President of Research; The VPR provides programs and services to support UK faculty, staff and students in grant development and submission, compliance and regulatory affairs, development of intellectual property and in highlighting their research achievements. This includes oversight and guidance of 13 multidisciplinary research centers and seven service core facilities.
- WBS (element) Work Breakdown Structure Cost Object; These cost objects begin with "2", "3", or "4" and consist of a total of 10 digits. A WBS element reflects budgets, revenues, expenditures, recharges and transfers for land grants, grants and capital projects respectively.

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GRANT REVIEW 401 - CONTENT

Cost Share

- DHHS Salary Cap
- Hazardous Waste Recharge
- Fly America
- FML-Extended leave
- Transfers
- MOU- Memorandum of Understanding
- Inventory Control
- Subawards
- Records Retention



COST SHARE

- Tracking and documenting cost sharing is an administrative burden
- Unfulfilled cost sharing commitments or lack of documentation may result in expenditures not being reimbursed by the sponsor
- Cost sharing dollars have a negative impact on the University's F&A cost rate
 - Higher the amount of cost sharing, the lower the resulting F&A rate



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COST SHARE - METHODS

- Faculty Effort System
 - Effort of full-time faculty will be documented in the Faculty Effort System and on the cost share fund
- Department Cost Sharing
 - Effort of staff will be documented through the payroll cost distribution info-types in IRIS HR
 - In general, costs normally treated as direct costs on sponsored projects may be used to meet a cost sharing commitment
 - Examples: Laboratory Supplies, Travel that benefits the project
- Unrecovered or Waived F&A
 - If we receive less than UK's fully negotiated F&A rate on an award, the difference should be used to fulfill a cost sharing obligation, unless prohibited by sponsor guidelines
- Third Party Contribution
 - Support from a non-University source
 - Must be certified in a letter submitted to RFS from an authorized representative of the third party on letterhead with original signature
- Sponsored Project
 - Very Rare
 - Requires approval from both sponsors
 - Federal funds may not be used as cost sharing for other federal funds

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COST SHARE - CRITERIA

- Verifiable from the official University accounting system or third-party certifications
- Incurred during the effective dates of the grant or agreement
- Allowable under the applicable cost principles
- Necessary, reasonable and allocable for proper and efficient accomplishment of project objectives
- Itemized in the approved budget if this is a requirement of the sponsor
- Not used as cost sharing for any other sponsored project

COST SHARE-PADR

- You can find the details of a grant's cost share commitments on the Cost Sharing Information Form
- Will indicate whether cost share is reportable or not, as well as detailing the proposed cost share methods and amounts





COST SHARE-FUND

• Fund has a direct relationship to the campus area that is funding the cost share

The College of Ag will use the 0011890300-Provost Cost Share Fund

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COST SHARE - FUND Display Grant Master 320000233 - Incoming © 1900 00 1980 0000 1900 © Display Grant Master 3200000233 - Inc Display Grant Master 3200000233 - Incoming Grant 3200000233 AP APPLIED MANAGEMENT OF FUSARIUM HEAD BLIGHT IN KENTUCKY Deletion Indicator COB Award 👓 🗰 Award General Data Responsibilities Award Dimensions Cost Share Reference Billing Reporting Payment Overhead Costs Overhead Cost L Financing Sources GM Fund Type Cose Sharing Fund IDC Recovery Prog Income Description Internal RES UKRF Internal PROVOST COST SHARE External Federal Sponsor Sponsored Programs Sponsored Program Program Description Valid from Default 20









COST SHARE - VIEWING EXPENSES IN SAP

S_ALN_01000003

Option					
Company Code		UK00	to		•
Grant		3200000233	to		
Grant Group					
Sponsored Program			to		
Sponsored Class	<u>(</u>	R000000	to	R999999	
Fund		0011890000	to	0011890600	
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Show All Sponsored Objects					
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Variants

 CS BALANCE – Will show cost share expenses and funding. Shows total balance of cost share to be funded.

 CS EXP ONLY - Will only show the cost share expenses and does not include the cost share funding entries

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COST SHARE - FUNDING

- Debit Entry will be to the cost center you are moving the funds and will use the 750XXX g/l
- Credit Entry will be the grant & cost share fund and will use the 740XXX g/l

1 CIU	Account	Account short text	Amount	Cost Center	WBS element	Fund	Text
1	750515	Tr to CS-Benefit	32.47	1012072090		0011260200	
2	740515	Tr fm CS-Benefit	32.47-		3200000233	0011890300	
3	750510	Tr to CS - Salary	115.70	1012072090		0011260200	
4	740510	Tr fm CS - Salary	115.70-		3200000233	0011890300	
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PO	PQUIZ	
 C 	ost share should only be provided when required by the sponsor	
	A.True	
	B. False	
 A 	nswer:True	
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HAZARDOUS WASTE RECHARGE

- A charge for disposal of hazardous waste
- Will show up under the g/l 639305
- Current Rate is 1.132%
- The hazardous materials charge is automatically applied to select g/ls (see link)
 - https://ehs.uky.edu/objcodes.php



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FLY AMERICA ACT

- Regulation requiring travelers using federal funds to use U.S. Air carrier services for international flights
- U.S. government has several international agreements to allow use of foreign air carriers under specific circumstances

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FLY AMERICA ACT - EXCEPTIONS

- Airline Code Sharing
 - Allowable when foreign air carriers code share with a U.S. flag carrier
 - Occurs when two or more airlines "code" the same flight as if it is their own
 - Requires the U.S. flag air carrier's designator code be present on the ticket or documentation for an electronic ticket
- Open Skies
 - Flights on European Union airlines
 - Flights on Australian airlines
 - Flights on Switzerland Airlines
 - Flights on Japanese Airlines

FLY AMERICA ACT - EXCEPTIONS

European Union

- Can fly on either a U.S. carrier or an EU carrier AS LONG AS it touches down in an EU nation
- U.S. to Australia, U.S. to Switzerland, and U.S. to Japan
 - Can fly on a foreign carrier only if a point of origin/destination is either the U.S. or Australia, Switzerland, or Japan; and there
 is no GSA city-pair contract flight between the two points (origin and destination)



FLY AMERICA ACT - UK TRAVEL

Concur is the university's online travel system.

- Flights that are Fly America compliant will display a "shield".
- Avant and AAA
 - When utilizing federal or federal flow-through funds, will need to request with travel agent to use Fly America compliant flights

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FLY AMERICA ACT - RESOURCES

UK Travel Services

<u>U.S. General Services Administration</u>



FML – EXTENDED LEAVE

• FML on competitive grants

 Review employee's situation to determine if it is possible that long term disability may be issued at the end of FML leave. Long-term disability expenses are unallowable on competitive grants.

- Expenses charged to the grant need to be allowable and benefit the project
- General guidance on all instances of FML
 - If you believe an employee's absence will be classified as FML, it is strongly recommended to update that employee's cost distribution to a state n/s account















PROPOSAL TRANSFERS

Proposal Transfer Out

- The PI and department chair must determine if the proposal should stay at UK or be relinquished
- If the university relinquishes the proposal, a relinquishing letter should be submitted internally to OSPA with signatures from the PI, department Chair, and Dean. Upon receipt of this letter, the RA will prepare a letter withdrawing the proposal, obtain the appropriate signature, and submit it to the sponsor
- If it is decided that the proposal should remain and the PI simply replaced, a letter of explanation with the signatures of the PI, the new PI and OSPA should be submitted to the agency along with the new PI's curriculum vitae. The new PI should submit a Disclosure of Financial Interest form to OSPA if this wasn't done previously. In addition, if the new PI is not in the same department as the previous PI, a revised Internal Approval Form will be necessary

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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)

- University policy permits the release of equipment purchased on an active grant when that grant is being transferred to another non-profit institution
- The investigator must be the principal investigator on the active grants in question
- The investigator must provide a list of the specific equipment, manufacturer, purchase date, property number, and grant numbers used to purchase this equipment and the eBARs report of the items
- The list must be attached to this MOU and must be co-signed by the chair and dean
- OSPA will review the list for completeness
- It will be forwarded with the MOU to the VPR for review and approval; the VPR will forward it to the Treasurer for final approval

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INVENTORY CONTROL AND MOUS

- No equipment is to be removed from the University until the MOU approval process has been completed
- Work with departing PI to ensure they understand and adhere to this
- Multiple levels of approval required can lead to issues
 - Follow up with each area within the approval chain to ensure they have received the proper documentation
 - Best practice is to set up digital signatures on the MOU and send through email rather than campus mail for approvals
- Pay attention to whether equipment in consideration was purchased on grant or other University funds
 - Different protocol/approval process
- If MOU is not properly created, approved and adhered to, this leads to additional time and effort to correct equipment inventory issues on the back-end

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SUBAWARDS

A subaward is an agreement with another entity to perform a portion of the scope of work on a UKRF research project. This third-party entity is referred to as a subrecipient or subawardee. An entity outside of the University who will perform a portion of the actual scope of work

Who is responsible for monitoring a subrecipient?

- Office of Sponsored Projects Administration Reviews and approves the subaward contracts and evaluates the risk of
 awarding the agreement based on the subrecipients past financial and audit history as well as other factors.
- Principal Investigator/Department Reviews subrecipient financial and technical reports for accuracy, timeliness, and other
 aspects as they relate to the scope of work and progress of the project. Approves all invoices prior to releasing payments.
- Research Financial Services Randomly tests invoices and documentation to assure expenses are reasonable, allocable, verifiable, and allowable and that the subrecipient adheres to reporting and invoicing requirements.

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SUBAWARDS - PROPOSAL STAGE

Subrecipient

- Documents normally required:
 - Letter of intent (special format for NIH)
 - Budget and budget justification
 - Scope of work
 - Signed subrecipient commitment form (unless FDP member)
 - Any other sponsor specific requirement
- Include both direct and Facilities and Administrative (F&A) costs of the subrecipient as a direct cost line item in the UK budget. For grants using the full university rate, UK may assess F&A on the first \$25,000 of each subrecipient.
- The PI must review the budget to determine that it is reasonable in terms of the scope of work.
- The PI must determine that the proposed subrecipient is technically able to perform the work.
- Note: Subagreements usually require prior sponsor approval if not in the proposal.

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SUBAWARDS – PROPOSAL STAGE

Consultant

- Documents Required:
 - Letter of commitment specifying rate
- Include in UK budget as a direct cost line item. The consultant's rate should include all expenses. UK may assess F&A on the entire amount.
- The Internal Revenue Service issues guidelines for classifying a worker as an employee or an independent contractor. Refer to UK Business Procedures Manual, section E-7-3 for guidance.
- If the amount being paid is less than \$10K and no single payment is more than \$5K, complete the Independent Contractor: Worker Status Evaluation Form (must be approved by HR prior to work begins) and email to workerstatusevaluation@uky.edu along with a Independent Contractor: Scope of Work Form. If approved as an Independent Contractor, payment can be made by submitting an invoice to Accounts Payable Services through PRD. If the payment is over \$10K or more, or less than \$10K but has a \$5K or more for a one-time payment, a Personal Service Contract is complete along with a Proof of Necessity Form (PON) to purchasing. The documents would be processed through SRM to purchasing for review.

Sl	JBAWARDS – AWARD STAGE
•	The Subaward Database is an online portal where any UK employee could create a draft request for the subaward. <u>https://ris.uky.edu/ospa/subagreement/</u>
•	The submission by the PI confirms his/her approval to proceed with the subaward using the information provided on th request form including the attached scope of work and budget. (Note: Only the Principal Investigator can submit the request form.)
	Welcome to OSPA's NEW On-line
	Subagreement Request System
	Once you log-on, you will be taken to the electronic version of the Subagreement Request Form. You have the option to complete the form in its entirety and submit. Or, you can save it, review, edit and submit at a later time. This system is designed to allow anyone to enter data, but only the Principal Investigator may submit the request to OSPA. This serves as the Pf's *signature* to authorize the subagreement.
	Please enter your information
	User Name Only Helio He antrol Password Helio
	Log On Heb



SUBAWARDS - PAYMENT

- Invoices are submitted electronically by the subrecipient directly to APS using APPOinvoices@uky.edu
- Once an invoice is posted by APS, it is considered expensed and will be included in the ledger
 - STEPS once invoice is posted:
 - An email is generated to notify the appropriate individual
 - Process till default to the PI listed on the responsibilities tab
 - Each department on campus has the option of creating a Subaward Invoice Reviewer (SIR) submit requests to subawards@uky.edu
 - SIR will be notified prior to the PI and will be <u>required</u> to approve the invoice before sent to PI for certification
 - SIR & PI approval process must be completed within the 30 calendar day payment window



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SUBAWARD RESOURCES

- <u>CAFE Business Center Grant Resources</u>
- OSPA Subaward
- OSPA Subagreement Request System
- OSPA On-line Subagreement Request Guidance
- Amendment Guidance Document
- OSPA <u>ospasubaward@uky.edu</u>
- RFS <u>subawards@uky.edu</u>
- Account Payable Services (APS) <u>APPOinvoices@uky.edu</u>

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RECORDS RETENTION - MANAGEMENT

- The University of Kentucky is a state agency
- By law, all records that are created, used, and/or in its possession are public records and must be managed according to Kentucky statutes
- This means records management is the *legal responsibility* of all UK employees.
- All college and university employees are responsible for maintaining records according to the State University Model Records Retention Schedule, whether those records are stored electronically or in paper.
- Any document or record funded by a grant must be retained 3 years after submission of final financial report, closure of account, and audit, unless otherwise specified by the terms of the grant contract.
- Records Management at UK Libraries



- State University Model Records Retention Schedule All state universities in Kentucky use the same record schedule
- · After retention has been met (or because office storage space is limited), there are two options:
 - Transfer the non-permanent records to the off site storage facility (currently Kentucky Underground Storage); or
 - Destroy via locked UK recycle bin. Please work with Ginny Daley (ginny.daley@uky.edu or 257-5257) to obtain necessary
 destruction certificates prior to destroying records.



QUESTIONS?



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