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Update from NSF on Research.gov Implementation

The National Science Foundation issued an important notice regarding the implementation of Research.gov. They have successfully migrated important research functions from FastLane to Research.gov including the preparation and submission of annual and final project and outcome reports, most notifications and requests and award payments. NSF is now taking proactive steps to move the preparation and submission of all proposals from FastLane to Research.gov with a tentative target date for completion by 2022.

In support of this effort, in the coming weeks and months, NSF will begin making changes to specific funding opportunities to require the use of Research.gov for the preparation and submission of proposals to NSF. The Directorate for Biological Sciences (BIO) will soon require the use of Research.gov for the preparation and submission of proposals in response to its core programs that do not have deadline dates. NSF funding opportunities will clearly specify whether submission via Research.gov is available or required.

Read the full announcement [here](#).

