Industrial Ties Research Subprogram (ITRS) with Proof-of-Concept/Prototyping (PoC/P) Initiative
ITRS: Overview

- ITRS funds research proposals with significant near-term potential for development and diversification of Louisiana’s economic base.

- All proposals must involve the private sector and have an “up front” matching commitment for at least the first year.

- For projects lasting up to three years

- Max request is $350,000
ITRS: Eligibility

- Tenure, tenure track, or research professors
- You may only serve as PI or Co-PI on two ITRS grants at a time.
- All disciplines/focus areas are eligible, but preference will be given to the stated target areas.

Target Areas
- Advanced Materials & Manufacturing
- Life Sciences & Bioengineering
- Digital Media & Enterprise Software
- Coastal & Water Management
- Clean Technology & Energy
ITRS: Budgets

F&A (Indirect) Costs
► 25% of salary, wages, and payroll benefits

Salary Limitations
► 25% of academic salary + 2 summer months

Equipment
► Must include 25% cash match

Take advantage of BoR resources!
The Office of Research maintains a webpage dedicated to Board of Regents funding—including a budget spreadsheet that will automatically calculate the correct F&A costs, payroll benefits, and more!
ITRS: Cost Share

- Must have an “up front” matching commitment from the private/federal sector.
- Equipment must include 25% cash match.
- Unrecovered F&A may be included as cost share.
Geared toward collaborative proposals between UNO and private sector

Project Parameters
- Up to $350,000 for 3 years
- Preference given to listed target areas

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PoC/P: Overview

- PoC/P funds research proposals that enable proof-of-concept activities or prototype development

- Advances commercialized development of an innovation

Project Parameters

- For projects lasting up to one year
- Max request is $40,000
PoC/P: Eligibility

► Tenure, tenure track, or research professors

► You may only serve as PI or Co-PI on two PoC/P grants at a time.

► All disciplines/focus areas are eligible, but preference will be given to the stated target areas.

Target Areas

► Advanced Materials & Manufacturing
► Life Sciences & Bioengineering
► Digital Media & Enterprise Software
► Coastal & Water Management
► Clean Technology & Energy
PoC/P: Budgets

F&A (Indirect) Costs
► 25% of salary, wages, and payroll benefits

Salary Limitations
► Cannot request more than 1 month of academic or summer support

Equipment
► Must include 25% cash match

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PoC/P: Cost Share

- **Equipment** must include 25% cash match.

- **Unrecovered F&A** may be included as cost share.
PoC/P: In Summary

- Geared toward developing prototypes with a high potential for commercialization

- **Project Parameters**
  - Up to $40,000 for 1 year
  - Preference given to listed target areas

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