

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

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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.



ITRS: In Summary



- ▶ **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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Deliverable	Where	Deadline (by 4:30 PM)
UNO Grant Writer Service Request form	SharePoint	Thursday, September 8
BoR Notice of Intent	LOGAN	Monday, September 12
UNO Proposal Routing form	SharePoint	Monday, October 3
BoR Proposal	LOGAN	Monday, October 31

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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