Introduction to the Office of Research
Who is the Office of Research?

The Office of the Vice President for Research, and five units dedicated to supporting and advancing research excellence at Syracuse University.

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Who is the Office of Research?

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Jennifer Crisp, Director, Technology Transfer

Kate Hanson, Director, Undergrad. Research & Creative Engagement
Who is Proposal Support Services?

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What does Proposal Support Services do?

Responsible for supporting proposal, research and faculty development efforts, including facilitating collaborations around strategic funding opportunities, and managing SU’s internal funding competitions, including both seed grant programs and externally funded limited submissions.

Check out the Office of Research Newsletter

2021 CUSE Grants Fund 79 Projects

The Office of Research has awarded funds to 79 projects for the fourth round of the annual internal grant program to provide intramural funding for faculty research and scholarly projects. The program is funded through Invest Syracuse.
What Does Proposal Support Services Do?

**Sponsored Funding Opportunities**

The Office of Proposal Support Services has provided lists with sponsored funding opportunities below, organized by category.

For information on other funding resources, please visit our Funding Your Research website.

**Funding Opportunities**

The following searches are curated by the Office of Proposal Support Services through the Pivot grants database and reflect research funding available to faculty and staff researchers. Dissertation, travel and fellowship support are generally not included unless specifically noted. The searches will initially display with new opportunities from the past week. By selecting "All" in the search window, you will find opportunities added in the last 30 days. Pivot login required.

- **Arts**
- **Biological Sciences**
- **Business and Marketing**
- **Communications and Media**
- **Education**
- **Engineering**
- **Health-Related Sciences**
- **Humanistic Social Sciences**
- **Humanities**

- Circulates funding opportunities
- Manages internal funding programs
  - CUSE Grants
  - Small Equipment Grant Program
  - Postdoctoral Scholars Program
- And manages limited submission opportunities (LSOs)*:
- Coordinated many activities through the Syracuse University Application Portal

*LSO are funding opportunities with limits on the number of proposals SU can submit, which require internal competitions
Who is Sponsored Programs?

Sponsoredprograms.syr.edu

Research Administrators

Amy Deppa
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Subaward Administrator
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Grant & Contracts Assistant
What does Sponsored Programs do?

Our office assists all members of the University community with the submission of proposals for external support of research, creative, instructional, and service activities.
What does Sponsored Programs do?

OSP Services

- Review RFP instructions, regulatory guidelines & compliance requirements
- Draft budgets and budget narratives
- Strategize with you about how to ‘spend’ money
- Review proposals for completeness
- Facilitate multi-investigator or multi-institutional proposals
- Submit proposals as authorized signatory
- Negotiate research/ scholarly contracts and agreements

OSP Service Guidelines

- When to notify OSP of your plans
  -> As soon as you decide to apply. Also notify your chair, dean and any others...
- Budget & budget justification
  -> 7 business days before the deadline
- Complete application
  -> 3 business days before the deadline
- Fully signed IRR
  -> By the submission deadline
How to Work with Sponsored Programs?

Research Administrator Assignments:
https://sponsoredprograms.syr.edu/about/contact/

Website: https://sponsoredprograms.syr.edu/
Email: ospoff@syr.edu
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Stop by: 211 Lyman Hall
Who is ORIP?

Office of Research Integrity and Protections (ORIP)
Researchintegrity.syr.edu

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What does ORIP do?

Our office provides administrative services to university researchers. We assist in facilitating research and ensuring regulatory compliance with applicable federal regulations, laws and University policies.
What does ORIP do?

ORIP – “Research Compliance” Services

Offers consultation to researchers - animals, human participants, and disclosure/management of Financial Conflicts of Interest

Provides administrative support and advisement to SU’s Institutional Review Board (IRB), Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) and the Financial Conflict of Interest Committee (FCOIC)

Delivers online and in-person educational programs focusing on ethical research and regulatory requirements for faculty, staff, and students

Maintains the University’s federal assurances, host agency inspectors and execute cooperative research agreements
How to work with ORIP

**Contact us if you plan on conducting research...**

- with human participants (surveys, interviews, focus groups, observations)
- using animals (lab, wild/field, instructional or animal products)

**We will contact you if you are...**

- responsible for the design, conduct, or reporting of sponsored research-Financial Conflict of Interest (FCOI) disclosure
- employing a graduate, undergrad or post-doc on an NSF grant-Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) training

Website: [http://researchintegrity.syr.edu/](http://researchintegrity.syr.edu/)
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Who is Technology Transfer? (Your resident intellectual property experts)

TechTransfer.syr.edu

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What does Tech Transfer do?

Our office seeks to advance Syracuse University research & scholarship from the academy to the commercial market where those inventions & innovations are incorporated into products and services that benefit society.

We do this primarily through activities relating to intellectual property rights.

What is tech transfer?

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TRY_p-59_bY&feature=emb_title
What is Technology Transfer at SU?

At its core, the “OTT” supports the research ecosystem first by identifying, evaluating and protecting intellectual property (“IP”) created by our researchers and scholars; second by liaising with sponsors regarding IP; also by licensing the IP.


When to contact us …

To report newly created software or a patentable invention: Alert us to the innovation via invention disclosure portal (link shown below)

https://techtransfer.syr.edu/innovators/submit-an-invention/
Technology Transfer, continued

Other times to contact us directly:
- IP “Help Desk”
- Faculty Entrepreneurship
- Report patents/inventions to a federal funding agency

Sister offices seek our input with:
- IP or commercialization requirements in a funding proposal
- Corporate funded research

On-demand self-study
Technology Transfer On-Demand Educational Program CITI
Inventor’s Guide to Technology Transfer at Syracuse University

Website:    http://techtransfer.syr.edu/
Email:      jmcrisp@syr.edu
Call:       315-443-5196
Location:   224-226 Lyman Hall
Who is the Syracuse Office of Undergraduate Research & Creative Engagement (The SOURCE)?

Research.syr.edu/source

Kate Hanson, Director
Odette Marie Rodríguez, Assistant Director
Student Research Mentor Team
What does the SOURCE do?

• All-University center for student and faculty support and training
  Workshops, training, assistance with finding opportunities
  Student Research Mentor Program
  Presentation opportunities

• Funding agency
  Grant programs and support for faculty mentors

• Institutional resource and hub
  Communication about opportunities and sharing the rich stories of research/creative work
  Data collection and assessment
How to work with the SOURCE

The SOURCE provides expanded funding opportunities and serves as a hub to foster and support diverse undergraduate engagement in faculty-guided scholarly research and creative inquiry across all disciplines and programs at SU.

We work with faculty in all phases of student participation in the research process:

- Encouraging students to begin research
- Including students in your own research
- Mentoring student-designed projects
- Creating more efficient training for student researchers
- Fostering best practices for mentorship
- Grants to fund students for their own projects or to work as Research Assistants

SOURCE staff and Student Research Mentors are available to make presentations or hold workshops for classes or student groups.

Email Kate Hanson, khanso01@syr.edu to arrange a meeting or presentation, or discuss involving students in your research!

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QUESTIONS?
Thank You

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