

NewsFlash!

Announcement: The National Science Foundation (NSF) has released a revised version of the NSF [Proposal & Award Policies & Procedures Guide](#) (PAPPG), (NSF 18-1). The new PAPPG will be effective for **proposals submitted, or due, on or after January 29, 2018**. In the interim, the guidelines contained in the current PAPPG ([NSF 17-1](#)) continue to apply.

Significant changes to the PAPPG include:

- Addition of a new eligibility subcategory on international branch campuses of U.S. Institutions of Higher Education
- Revision of eligibility standards for foreign organizations
- Implementation of the standard Collaborators and Other Affiliations (COA) template that has been in pilot phase since April
- Increase in the Budget Justification page limitation from three pages to five pages
- Restructuring of coverage on grantee notifications to and requests for approval from NSF, including referral to the [Prior Approval Matrix](#) available on the NSF website
- Numerous clarifications and other changes throughout the document

A webinar to brief the community on the new PAPPG will be held on **December 8, 2017 at 2 PM EST**. You can sign up to be notified when registration is available on the NSF outreach notifications [website](#), by selecting “All NSF Grants and Policy Outreach Events & Notifications.”

If you have any questions, please contact your [DCG Officer](#).