As we approach the start of our next academic year, please take a moment to view USC’s online resources that support research.

- **Guide to Research at USC**: Written for faculty and research administrators, the guide summarizes USC processes for sponsored research, research ethics and training (attached).

- **Center for Excellence in Research**: Hard-copy fall schedules are in the mail for faculty training in research funding and research practices. You may also view the schedule online.

- **Innovation Resources for Faculty**: Download this document to learn about USC support for the transition of university research for public benefit, or consult [https://research.usc.edu/innovation/](https://research.usc.edu/innovation/) or [https://stevens.usc.edu/](https://stevens.usc.edu/).

- **Digital.usc.edu**: Provides a library of resources and services that support open scholarship, through creation, cataloguing, communication and collaboration for research products.

- **Funding Opportunities**: The Office of Research offers many services to search for external funding. These include: **Grant Forward**, to search for solicitations by topic and sponsor; **Dimensions**, to obtain data by department, institution or individual on publications, patents and funded research; **Wizehive** application portal, required for any institutionally limited funding opportunity, as well as for funding programs within USC.

- **Diversity and Inclusion in Research**: The website contains: USC’s strategic plan for diversity in research; resources for studying diversity in society, diversity in health and community centered research; and information on how USC is building diversity within its research community.

To learn more about priorities and future directions, visit the Office of Research **Strategic Planning** page. You may also review the detailed results of USC’s [Research Culture Survey](https://research.usc.edu/culture-survey/), conducted earlier this year.

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