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OSP Announcements and Updates

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Updated FAU Subrecipient Commitment Form

The Office of Sponsored Programs has recently updated [FAU's Subrecipient Commitment Form](#) that is required for proposal submissions that include a subrecipient. Effective February 1st the updated form should be used for all future proposal submissions.

Please advise your faculty and any subrecipients that you are working with regarding this change.

The updated Subrecipient Commitment form includes changes to the FCOI compliance requirements and now uses the Unique Entity Identifier ("UEI") to verify subrecipients via SAM.gov. Please note, SAM.gov no longer uses the DUNS number so it is important that the updated form accompany all proposal submissions requiring subawards/subcontracts.

Additionally, subrecipients who are FDP members only need to fill out the first page of the Subrecipient Commitment Form. Non-FDP members and all other subrecipients must still fill out the entire form.

If you have any questions concerning FAU's Subrecipient Commitment Form, please reach out to Karlens Direny at kdireny@fau.edu

Responsible and Ethical Conduct of Research (RECR) Training Requirements

The National Science Foundation (NSF) has expanded the Responsible and Ethical Conduct of Research (RECR) training requirements. Based on the NSF Proposal and Award Policies and Procedures Guide (PAPPG), the RECR has been amended to apply the requirement to provide appropriate training and oversight in the responsible and ethical conduct of research to faculty, and other senior personnel. Undergraduate students, graduate students, and postdoctoral researchers continue needing the RECR training.

For more information, visit FAU's RCR webpage at: <https://www.fau.edu/research-admin/research-integrity/responsible-conduct-of-research/> or contact Judith Martinez at martinez2012@fau.edu with questions regarding RCR training requirements.