



RESEARCH INTEGRITY IRB Announcements

NOVELUTION for IRB Submissions is Coming

Researchers will soon submit IRB projects through the university wide Novelution platform, a research management system. This launch is anticipated to open in Spring 2023.

Florida Atlantic University's Office of Sponsored Programs module was the first to be released by Novelution. A key feature of the integrated system includes specifically designed modules to meet the needs of FAU faculty, staff, and research administration.

Novelution will serve a centralized research management system with administrative and compliance functions, allowing researchers to access their projects for sponsored programs, FCOI, and IRB all in one location.

Unique features to Novelution include side-by-side comparison of changes made during the revision process, the ability to copy a project to tweak when creating a new similar project, and housing all materials, revisions and submissions in one project rather than in separate packages.

Next steps for researchers:

- If a project has been completed, submit project closures in IRBNet
- Prepare to save project documents in IRBNet if you are planning to continue the study or wish to access materials from Exempt projects not requiring closure.

Stay tuned to the Beacon and other Division of Research announcements for further information about Novelution, including trainings, dates of launch, and IRBNet closure dates.