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AU Intramural Grants Program

(AU-IGP) 2011-2012

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Intramural Grants Program

- The inaugural 2010-2011 program, with required matching funds, allocated in excess of **\$3,000,000**.
- For the 2011-12 program, with required matching support outlined in the call, the total funding for scholarly efforts of faculty should exceed **\$2,000,000**.

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- Four levels of competition (OVPR contribution):
 - ✓ **Level 1 – Seed Research/Scholarship Proposals (\$2000)**
Individual investigator driven projects working on a new research program or scholarly initiative.
 - ✓ **Level 2 – Exploratory Interdisciplinary Research/Scholarship Proposals (\$3750)** Faculty from at least two departments/schools/colleges working on a new research program or scholarly initiative.
 - ✓ **Level 3 – Developmental Interdisciplinary Research/Scholarship Proposals (\$25,000-\$100,000)** Faculty from at least two schools/colleges working on a new research program or scholarly initiative.
 - ✓ **Level 4 – Interdisciplinary Equipment Proposals (\$25,000-\$100,000)** Faculty from at least two schools/colleges must demonstrate need.

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- The AU-IGP was designed be all inclusive across all colleges/schools.
- Levels 2-4 provide a broad spectra of targeted areas including:
 - Health Sciences (all aspects: basic/applied/translational/outreach/policy/etc)
 - Food Safety (same considerations)
 - Energy and the Environment (same considerations)
 - Transportation
 - Advanced science innovation and commerce
 - Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics

Strategic Interdisciplinary Activities

ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT

- * RENEWABLE ENERGY & BIOFUELS
- * WATER RESOURCES MANAGEMENT
- * ADVANCED SEMICONDUCTOR MATERIALS
- * NUCLEAR WASTE STORAGE, STABILITY AND RE-USE
- * SUSTAINABILITY

ADVANCED SCIENCE INNOVATION AND COMMERCE LABORATORIES (CASIC/NIST)

- * ECOSYSTEM HEALTH
- * MARINE FISHERIES & AQUACULTURE
- * PREDICTIVE BIOLOGY & INFORMATICS FORECASTING
- * WATER, FOOD & BIOFUEL QUALITY LABS

AU HEALTH SCIENCES INITIATIVE (AUHSI)

- * PATIENT HEALTH SAFETY
- * ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH CONCERNS
- * HEALTH CARE RELATED POLICY DEVELOPMENT
- * PATIENT TREATMENT AND WELLNESS
- * MILITARY DEMOGRAPHY

TRANSPORTATION

- * NCAT
- * WIRELESS TECHNOLOGY
- * ROBOTICS
- * ENGINE & VEHICLE TESTING & RESEARCH

AU FOOD SYSTEMS INITIATIVE (AUFISI)

- * BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (BMP)
- * TESTING & DETECTION
- * RESEARCH & TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT
- * TRAINING

MRI

- * ENGINEERING AND MULTIDISCIPLINARY COLLEGE RESEARCH
- * OUTPATIENT FACILITY (EAMC)
- * PRIVATE SECTOR TENANTS

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATH (STEM)

- * MULTIDISCIPLINARY & INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMS
- * DEVELOP STUDENT CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS AND INTERESTS
- * CREATE EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH TOOLS TO ENHANCE EDUCATION

AUBURN RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY FOUNDATION (ARTF)

- * RESEARCH PARK
- * COLLABORATION WITH INDUSTRY
- * TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER
- * CLASSIFIED RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

PHARMA

- * RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT
- * COMMERCIAL PRODUCTION
- * PHARMACEUTICAL ENGINEERING

AUBURN UNIVERSITY HUNTSVILLE RESEARCH CENTER

- * GOVERNMENT PROGRAM INTERFACE
- * RESEARCH CONTRACTS & GRANTS
- * TECHNOLOGY INTERFACE
- * CYBER-SECURITY
- * COMMERCE

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- **Applications for 2011-2012 due**
 - **September 30, 2011**
- **Support for projects or equipment may begin**
 - **February 1, 2012.**
- **PI, coPI, col are now defined for the IGP**
 - **Does not affect other extramural grant definitions of these terms**



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