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New Electronic Submission Recommendation

Many agencies, particularly federal agencies, are now requiring grant proposals to be submitted electronically. While some PIs see the electronic submission as “additional time” because the proposal doesn’t have to be mailed one to two days before the deadline, this really should not be the case.

The electronic submission process often requires feedback time to insure that the application has been properly submitted. As with grants.gov (the system now used by most federal agencies), it may take up to 48 hours for your submission to be processed and e-mail notification sent to Southeastern that your proposal has been accepted for review.

To avoid last-minute problems and to allow ample time to resubmit an application if necessary, **OSRP strongly recommends that all electronic submissions be made no less than 48 hours prior to the official deadline.** PIs may run the risk of having an application not accepted if problems arise and notification is not received in time to make corrections and resubmit before the deadline.

Awards (processed since April 1st)

- Dr. Gary Childers, Biological Sciences – “Northlake Automotive – Wastewater Analyses”, Northlake Automotive, \$282
- Dr. Bonnie Lewis and Ms. Erin Matheny, Florida Parishes Social Science Research Center - “Northlake HMIS Data Project,” HUD, \$148,109
- Dr. Mike Asoodeh, Office of Technology, “Compressed Video Line Charges Contract (2007-2008),” LA Board of Regents, \$8,100
- Dr. Pete Territo, CS & IT – “Carl Perkins Basic Grant – WIA Incentive Funds,” LA Community & Technical College System, \$708
- Dr. Pete Territo, CS & IT – “Acquisition of a Visual Presenter,” Greater Baton Rouge Tech Prep Consortium, \$2,000

Submissions (processed since April 1st)

- Dr. Wynn Gillan, Kinesiology & Health Studies – “HIV/AIDS Education, Title IV Safe and Drug Free Schools (2007-2008),” LA Department of Education
- Dr. Janice Bossart, Biological Sciences – “Insect Assemblages of Rare Saline Prairies,” LA Department of Wildlife and Fisheries
- Dr. Kyle Piller, Biological Sciences – “Conservation Status of Benthic Fishes of Conservation Concern in the Pearl River Basin, Louisiana,” LA Department of Wildlife and Fisheries
- Ms. Paula Monroe, Region II – “Region II Education Service Center (2007-2008),” LA Department of Education
- Dr. Gary Childers, Biological Sciences – “LPBF-E. coli analyses,” Lake Pontchartrain Basin Foundation
- Dr. Gary Childers, Biological Sciences – “Tangi Meats, Inc.-Wastewater Analyses,” Tangi Meats, Inc.
- Dr. Gary Childers, Biological Sciences – “R.J. Booty Construction-Wastewater Analyses,” R.J. Booty Construction

- Dr. Gary Childers, Biological Sciences – “Punkin Park, Inc. – Wastewater Analyses,” Punkin Park, Inc.
- Dr. Gary Childers, Biological Sciences – “Harrison-Stewart Cottages-Wastewater Analyses,” Harrison Stewart Cottages
- Dr. Gary Childers, Biological Sciences – “Dufour Kitchen-Wastewater Analyses,” Dufour Kitchen
- Dr. Thomas Sommerfeld, Chemistry & Physics – “Modeling Excess Electrons Attached to Water Clusters,” University of Pittsburgh
- Dr. Hye-Young Kim, Chemistry & Physics – “Fundamental Investigation of Carbon-Metal Composites for Catalyzed Hydrogen Storage,” Penn State University
- Mr. Ron Abel, TRIO Programs – “Summer Food Service Program – Tangipahoa Upward Bound,” LA Department of Education
- Mr. Ron Abel, TRIO Programs – “Summer Food Service Program – Livingston/St. Helena Upward Bound,” LA Department of Education
- Mr. Ron Abel, TRIO Programs – “Summer Food Service Program – Math-Science Upward Bound,” LA Department of Education



Louisiana Board of Regents Grant Award News

- For the third year Southeastern was awarded an ATLAS grant that funds Awards to Louisiana Artists and Scholars. This program differs from the focus of the Research Category in that ATLAS provides support for major scholarly and artistic productions with potential to have a board impact on a regional or national level. **Dr. Andrew Traver’s** (History & Political Science) proposal “The AntiFraternal Tradition at the Medieval University of Paris” was 1 of 12 funded out of 38 submitted, and it was ranked #1 (along with 12 others). Ten awards went to LSU BR and one to Loyola. Southeastern was the only university in the University of Louisiana System to receive an ATLAS grant.
- There were 160 Research Competitiveness proposals submitted, and 42 received funding. **Dr. Patrick McDowell** (Computer Science & Industrial Technology) and **Drs. Kent Neuerburg** and **Zach Teitler** (Mathematics) from Southeastern were funded. They will be studying “Memory and Learning Based Robot Control Architecture” and “Geometry and Algebra of Ideals Generated by Determinants,” respectively.
- Six Southeastern proposals were funded out of 33 with the Undergraduate Enhancement sub program. Forty-eight proposals were submitted. Three Southeastern projects received full funding. They were **Dr. Paula Currie** (Communication Sciences & Disorders) for her project with “Technology for Clinical Education”; **Dr. David Evenson** (Music & Dramatic Arts) for “Enhancement of Electronic Piano Lab”; and **Dr. Barbara Moffett** (Nursing) for “Mentoring on Demand: Bridging the Gap for New and Part-time Faculty.”
- Also receiving Enhancement grants were **Dr. Jennifer Jeansonne** and **Ms. Karen Lew** (Kinesiology & Health Studies) for “Strengthening Exercise Science and Athletic Training Labs”; **John Valentino, Dale Newkirk,** and **Jeff Mickey** (Visual Arts) for “Southeastern’s Digital Sculpture Initiative”; and **Ms. Lynda Katz** and **Dr. Irene Nero** (Visual Arts) for “Acquisition, Storage, and Delivery of Digital Images for the Art History and Studio Art Curricula.”
- Southeastern’s total award dollars for this Board of Regents competition is over half a million dollars at \$592,616.
- 47% of Southeastern’s total proposals submitted were funded.
- 86% of the enhancement proposals submitted by Southeastern were funded.
- With the ATLAS Program 7 universities submitted, 3 had funding ... LSU-10, Loyola-1 & Southeastern-1.
- Proposals by **Currie, Katz/Nero, and Jeansonne/Lew** had strong appeal with the reviewers as they were supported with technology fee match commitments.