

Memorandum

To: University Research Community

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Division of Research

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The Division of Research would like to advise the University Research Community that the National Science Foundation (NSF) and the Florida Board of Governors (BOG) will be sponsoring a National Science Foundation Day Workshop on Thursday, January 12, 2012 at the University of Central Florida.

The program is primarily designed for researchers and educators who may have less experience in submitting proposals to the NSF. However, more experienced proposers and NSF grantees may find the workshop useful and informative. This workshop is open to personnel from all public and private colleges and universities in the state of Florida.

The day-long workshop will provide an overview of the NSF, its mission, priorities, and budget. It will cover the NSF proposal and merit review process and related programs that span across disciplines. Representatives from the seven NSF directorates and the Office of International Science and Engineering will make presentations on their respective programs and will also be available in breakout sessions for informal discussions of potential research proposals.

The day long workshop will be held at the University of Central Florida Student Union, Pegasus Circle, University of Central Florida, 4000 Central Florida Boulevard, Orlando, Florida. There is no registration fee for this workshop however preregistration by Thursday, January 5, 2012 is required.

Additional information regarding this workshop, including required registration information, is available at https://www.boghome.net:4443/NSFDay.