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# NIH: Do Reviewers Read References? And If So, Does It Impact Their Scores?

On the NIH Extramural News page, Mike Lauer, Deputy Director for Extramural Research posted a blog exploring whether

references cited on grant applications impact funding results in the eyes of the reviewers.

Reaching out to 1,000 randomly selected CSR reviewers who handled applicat ons in January 2018, the survey focused on whether reviewers looked up references (internal references) included in the applicat on as well as references not included (external references). Based on responses, follow up quest ons were than asked to bet er ascertain the importance of the cited references to the reviewers.

Read the full art de <a href="here">here</a>, indusive of diagrams represent ng the fndings.

# **Call for Proposals**

Online Applicat on Internal Award System

### CDC FY19 -

- This funding opportunity is for tenured faculty with priority given to those assessed in the current year.
- Average award is \$1,500.
- The applications are due no later than 5:00pm, May 18, 2018.

#### Provost Faculty Opportunit es Fund FY19 (Fall 2018 Semester)

Support for travel to conferences, student assistant, professional services or supplies related to scholarship in 2020 In

June 29, 2018 Deadline:

Est mated Total Program Funding Upper \$1,000,000

Lower \$25,000



The Service expects that approximately \$17 million will" (NCWCG) Program to acquire, restore, and enhance wetlands in coastal areas through compet t ve matching grants to eligible State agencies. The Program is funded by revenues collected from excise taxes on sport f shing equipment, electric motors and sonar, import

dut es on f shing tackle, yachts and pleasure cra , and a port on of gasoline tax a ributable to motorboats and small engines. Revenues are deposited into and appropriated from the Sport Fish Restorat on and " oat ng Trust Fund. The primary goal of the NCWCG Program is the long term conservat on of coastal wetland ecosystems. The Fixing America s Surface Transportat on (FAST) Act (P.O. 114 94) authori es funding for the NCWCG Program through Fiscal Year 2021.

tablished the Nat onal Coastal Wetlands Conservat on Grant

### Did you know?

The Of ce of Research and Sponsored Programs of ers a page dedicated solely to Proposal Development on oug

- Developing Project Object ves
- Developing a budget
- **Budget Template**
- Project Idea Worksheet
- Transmit al & Approval Internal Approval form
- Contract Procedures
- Concept paper and LOI guidance
- Fede<u>rally Negot ated Indi</u>rect Cost Rate Agreement

Col	ntact t <u>he ORSP at extension 4</u> 844 with any quest ons r	egarding the
pro	pposal development process.	

## Congratulat ons Internal Award Recipients

Congratulations to all of the Fiscal Year 18 Internal Award Recipients. We wish you much success with your projects and look forward to your final reports detailing your outcomes.

