Resources for Principal Investigators

Office of Research Development (ORD)
ORD advances research by identifying relevant funding opportunities for faculty, working with research teams to successfully apply to opportunities; providing workshops and resources on grantmanship; and seeking collaborative opportunities across local, regional, and national entities for faculty.

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Office of Contracts and Grants (OCG)
OCG Pre-Award assists faculty in obtaining external funding by working together to review and approve research proposals, ensuring proposed project budget accuracy, confirming compliance with University and sponsor requirements, and submitting proposals. OCG Post-Award negotiates and accepts awards, communicates sponsor terms and conditions to faculty, establishes cost centers, assists with submission of progress reports, approves expenditure reallocations, assists faculty with financial monitoring of the sub recipient, and assists with general award management. OCG Research Financial Services handles billing, financial reporting, and effort reporting and close out for sponsored projects.

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Office of Policies, Compliance, and Committees (ORPCC)
ORPCC works with faculty and students to ensure compliance with federal regulations in areas concerning human subjects, animal subjects, conflicts of interest, grant congruency, and responsible conduct of research. ORPCC conducts congruency reviews prior to award set up (verification of IRB, IACUC, COI, safety approvals).

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Animal Care Operations (ACO)
ACO provides professional veterinary and husbandry services to support animals used in biomedical and behavioral research, including the maintenance of standards for animals, facilities, equipment and procedures. ACO provides such services to faculty, such as animal procurement, training, veterinary consultation in research design, transportation of animals and veterinary care. ACO also provides professional veterinary medical, husbandry and proposal review services to support animals used in biomedical research.

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Office of Intellectual Property Management (OIPM)
OIPM manages patents, copyrights and trademarks, and works with faculty and the Intellectual Property Committee to file patents for inventions. The principal goal is to foster research and scholarship through the effective transfer of University-wide technology to industry.

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Center for Industrial Partnerships (CIP)
The Center for Industrial Partnerships helps bring UH discoveries to the marketplace. CIP provides support for entrepreneurial faculty and students to launch promising startups, and it fosters collaborative activity on campus as part of the growing UH Innovation Ecosystem.

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