

# Texas A&M University DIVISION OF RESEARCH

The Division of Research is committed to a truly comprehensive university where students, researchers, and inventors bring scholarship and innovation to bear for the benefit of the community, the state and the nation.

#### VICE PRESIDENT FOR RESEARCH

The vice president for research, through the Division of Research, provides leadership and coordination to deliver strategic support to further Texas A&M University's research mission by supporting faculty, as individuals or in groups; growing federal funding by encouraging interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary collaborations; strengthening the research infrastructure; promoting the value of research; and ensuring compliance with research standards established by the federal government, the State of Texas, Texas A&M, and The Texas A&M University System.

## CENTERS, INSTITUTES, AND CORE FACILITIES

Research centers and institutes play an important role in the research and academic landscape at Texas A&M, bringing together scholars and scientists—often from different disciplines—to tackle major research challenges. *research.tamu.edu/centers* 



## ABOUT RESEARCH AT TEXAS A&M

As one of the world's leading research institutions, Texas A&M is at the forefront in making significant contributions to scholarship and discovery, including science and technology. Research conducted at Texas A&M generated annual expenditures of more than \$1.153 billion in fiscal year 2022. Texas A&M ranked 16th in the most recent National Science Foundation Higher Education Research and Development survey based on expenditures of more than \$1.148 billion in fiscal year 2021. Texas A&M's research creates new knowledge that provides basic, fundamental and applied contributions resulting in economic benefits to the state. nation and world, research.tamu.edu

# **RESEARCH COMPLIANCE COMMITTEES**

Research compliance committees deliver oversight, evaluation and assurance of compliance in certain fields of research. Faculty at Texas A&M chair and serve on these committees. Approval from a research compliance committee may be needed if research involves:

- Animals: Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) *iacuc.tamu.edu*
- Biohazards: Institutional Biosafety Committee (IBC) *ibc.tamu.edu*
- Humans: Institutional Review Board (IRB) irb.tamu.edu





Association of American Universities (AAU), an association of leading public and private research universities in the United States and Canada



NSF HIGHER EDUCATION RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT SURVEY

(Based on total research expenditures of \$1.153 billion for fiscal year 2022)



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#### RESEARCH INTEGRITY AND COMPLIANCE

The Division of Research is committed to integrity and compliance with regulatory requirements for scientific research. In addition to providing training to faculty, students and staff, the division has multiple units with programs providing administrative and operations support for Texas A&M's research enterprise. These include:

- Animal Welfare Office
- Human Research Protection Program
- ▶ Biosafety Program
- Biosafety Occupational Health Program
- Conflict of Interest
- Export Controls
- ▶ Responsible Conduct of Research
- Research Misconduct

#### **RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT FUND**

The Research Development Fund is utilized in part to support research core facilities—shared resources which offer a wide range of services to the research communiwty across administrative units.

#### **RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT SERVICES**

Research Development Services assists the research community with proposal development activities including: assisting multi-partner teams with managing the proposal process; coordinating professional development in grant-proposal writing; assisting with proposal resubmission based on reviewers' comments; coordinating, planning and developing strategies for proposal development efforts; administering internal grant programs, including two international programs; and supporting the University Research Council. *vpr.tamu.edu/researchdevelopment* 

# LIMITED SUBMISSION PROPOSALS

Texas A&M has established a process to identify limited submission opportunities and internally select proposals for Texas A&M submissions to sponsors. *vpr.tamu.edu/research-development-services/ limited-submission-proposals* 

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#### **RESEARCH ADMINISTRATION**

The division strives to provide the highest quality financial and administrative compliance services to Texas A&M faculty, staff and students by assisting in the acquisition and administration of externally funded awards. Research Administration works closely with Sponsored Research Services (SRS), which manages proposal and post-award functions of sponsored research contracts and grants for A&M System members to advance the discovery, development, communication and application of knowledge in a wide range of academic and professional fields.

#### **DIVISION CENTERS AND INSTITUTES**

Core facilities in the division provide researchers and students access to state-ofthe-art instrumentation, technologies and specialized scientific services.

These include:

- ▶ High Performance Research Computing
- International Ocean Discovery Program (IODP) Core Scanning Laboratory
- Microscopy and Imaging Center
- ▶ Texas A&M College Sea Grant Program
- ▶ Texas A&M Energy Institute
- Texas A&M Cyber Research Institute endowed by Ray Rothrock '77 and Anthony Wood '90
- Texas A&M Global Health Research Complex
- Texas A&M Institute for a Disaster Resilient Texas
- ▶ Texas A&M Genome Sciences and Society
- ▶ Texas A&M Institute for Neuroscience
- ► Texas A&M Institute of Data Science

#### ARTS AND HUMANITIES Fellows program

The Arts and Humanities Fellows Program was created to stimulate interactions among scholarly and artistic faculty at Texas A&M, as well as nationally and internationally. Selection as an Arts and Humanities Fellow recognizes extraordinary scholarship and creativity; provides faculty a supportive environment through which to advance their scholarship and creative work; and rewards scholarly and artistic merit in their chosen discipline.

#### research TEXAS A&M



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