



Potential Government Shutdown

January 20th

Active Federal Awards



- Can continue as long as there is no:
 - Specific agency approval required by the terms of award to proceed with a project task, or
 - Notice from the awarding agency that specifically orders a work stoppage.
- Notify OCGA immediately If you receive a stop-work notice.
 - Expenses incurred during a Stop Work period are NOT reimbursable, even when the government resumes normal operations, until a written notice to resume work is received.

Federal Proposals



- Each agency will provide guidance on the status of proposal systems and whether submission deadlines will be revised
 - Proposals will likely not be processed by agencies until normal operations resume
- Watch for announcements from agencies for extensions of deadline dates
- Grants.gov Contact Center may remain available. However, it's unclear if all Help Desks systems will remain functional.
- The UCLA S2S Grants (Cayuse) system will remain available for proposal preparation and submission

Other Notes



- PIs should continue to meet all deadlines set forth in their awards and should be able to submit annual and final project reports and Project Outcomes Reports via Research.gov.
- Peer reviews/study sections are not expected to meet
- Federal personnel will not be available.
- For federally funded work that requires access to federal facilities or federal staff affected by a shutdown, the PI should evaluate whether there are portions of the work that can continue.
 - If the work cannot continue without access to federal facilities/staff, or a stop work notice is issued, the department should determine if persons working under the agreement can be redirected to other work and/or fund sources.
- Faculty working at a federal agency on an IPA agreement should immediately contact the agency to determine next steps.