

University of Florida Key Contacts

International Research

The [Office for Global Research Engagement \(OGRE\)](#) 2017 list of key contacts within the University of Florida to assist faculty in developing international grant proposals. In addition to this list, consult your department grants specialists for department specific grant proposal questions.

International Center

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UNIT	TOPIC	NAME	CONTACT
Dean's Office	A focus on internationalizing the University of Florida.	Leonardo A. Villalón, Dean	lvillalon@ufic.ufl.edu (352) 273-1536
Office for Global Research Engagement	http://ufic.ufl.edu/OGRE	Sandra Russo, Director	srusso@ufic.ufl.edu (352) 273 - 1533
	Program Development	Julie Fesenmaier	jfesenmaier@ufic.ufl.edu (352) 273-1521
	Proposal consultation and technical/budgetary assistance; Evaluation or M&E plan for proposals	Elizabeth Poulsen	epoulsen@ufic.ufl.edu (352) 273-1531
	Fulbright Scholars Program	Claire Anumba	canumba@ufic.ufl.edu (352) 273-0544
	Program Assistant	Patty Rosario	prosarior@ufic.ufl.edu (352) 273-1519
Travel Registry	International travel emergency assistance (insurance)	Linda Gritman	lgritma@ufic.ufl.edu (352) 273-1507
Risk Management	International travel security	Susanne Hill	hills@ufl.edu (352) 273 - 1500
International Agreements	Cooperative Agreements; Reciprocal (Student Exchange) Agreements; Study Abroad Contracts; and other specific to colleges and departments.	Susanne Hill	hills@ufl.edu (352) 273 - 1500
Exchange Visitor Services (EVS)	EVS administers the program for international visitors/scholars to UF	Scott Davis	sdavis@ufic.ufl.edu (352) 273-1527
Study Abroad Services (SAS)	Support with designing a study abroad program.	Angela Miller	amiller@ufic.ufl.edu (352) 273-1524
International Students Services (ISS)	Support for international student visa/immigration.	Martine Rhodes	mangrand@ufic.ufl.edu (352) 273 - 1502
Undergraduate Academic Program	Undergraduate curriculum and study abroad program funding	Matthew Jacobs	mjacobs@ufic.ufl.edu (352) 273 - 4439

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Office of Research	Provides programs and services to support UF faculty and staff in their research efforts.	David Norton, Vice President for Research	dpnorton@ufl.edu (352) 392-9271
Division of Research Program Development	Assistance with finding funding and developing a proposal.	Sobha Jaishankar, Assistant VP	sjaishan@ufl.edu (352) 392-8247
	Funding opportunities E-newsletter	Maura Pedersen	mcpedersen@ufl.edu (352) 392-4804
	Research Opportunity Seed Fund: limited submission programs	Jeevan Jyot	jjyot@ufl.edu (352) 273-3065
	Proposal Development Specialist (\$Million+)	Kelly Jacoby	kajacoby@ufl.edu (352) 392-9270
	Matching funds; coordinating large interdisciplinary research initiatives	Sobha Jaishankar	sjaishan@ufl.edu (352) 392-8247
	Proposal Editing Services	Jenn Hubbs	Hubbsj@ufl.edu (352) 392-9270
Division of Sponsored Programs (DSP)	Proposal Preparation for federal and non-federal sponsors. Submission to external sponsors.	Stephanie Gray, Assistant VP	sgray@ufl.edu ufproposals@ufl.edu (352) 392-3516
	Campus resource for proposal, budget and indirect cost guidance: Engineering, IFAS	Dee Dee Teel	vd2t@ufl.edu (352) 392-9272
	Campus resource for proposal, budget and indirect cost guidance: Health Science Center	Ron Lester	lesterc@ufl.edu (352) 392-8765
	Campus resource for proposal, budget and indirect cost guidance: Campus and Administration	Selenia Rubio	srubio@ufl.edu (352) 392-8764
	Negotiation of <i>research agreements</i> with external sponsors and sub-recipient organizations	Alyssa Hartle	ahartle@ufl.edu (352) 294-2218
	Negotiation of <i>international contracts</i> (for research, training or other sponsored activity).	Alyssa Hartle	ahartle@ufl.edu (352) 294-2218
Division of Research Compliance	The University of Florida conducts research in compliance with established federal, state and local rules, regulations, policies and procedures.	Mike Scian, Director	scianmp@ufl.edu (352) 846-3533
	Office of Compliance and Global Support	TBA	TBA
	Environmental Health and Safety	William Properzio, Director	bill@ehs.ufl.edu (352) 392-1590
	Export controls in research	Mike Scian, Director	scianmp@ufl.edu (352) 846-3533

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Conflict of Interest and Misconduct	Irene Cooke, Research Integrity Officer (RIO)	irenecooke@ufl.edu (352) 294 - 1632
Responsible Conduct in Research (RCR) training- register for CITI Training		my.ufl.edu → My Self Service → Training and Dev → CITI only → select CITI Training
Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee	Gary Russell	iacuc@research.ufl.edu (352) 273-9531
Institutional Biosafety Committee. Oversight for biohazardous materials used in research (rDNA, BSL-3 Pathogens and Select Agents).	Sharon Judge	bso@ehs.ufl.edu (352) 392-1591
Institutional Review Boards (IRB)	IRB-01 : Covers protocols in the broad category of "medical research".	Peter lafrate ufirb-l@lists.ufl.edu 352-273-9600
	IRB-02 : Covers social, behavioral, educational research and other studies that involve survey research.	Ira S. Fischler irb2@ufl.edu (352) 392-0433
	IRB-03 : Accepts and reviews all protocols submitted including the broad category of 'Medical' research regardless of funding. From UF Jacksonville Health Science.	Tina Bottini tina.bottini@jax.ufl.edu (904) 244-9478 IRBSubmission@jax.ufl.edu
	WIRB : Limited to industry sponsored trials involving FDA regulated drugs or devices.	Michael Mahoney, UF WIRB Liaison, mmahoney@ufl.edu (352) 294-3855,
Office of Technology Licensing	OTL works with UF employee inventors with potentially patentable or copyrightable technologies and to facilitate the transfer of technologies created at UF to the commercial sector for public benefit.	Jim O'Connell, Assistant VP and Director jimoconnell@ufl.edu (352) 392-8929

Miscellaneous University of Florida Offices

Payroll, Human Resources, General Council

Unit	Topic	Name	Contact
University Payroll and Tax Services	Payments to Foreign Nationals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IRS implications when paying foreign nationals/non-resident aliens • IRS implications when paying foreign corporations • IRS implications when involving foreign research participants • IRS implications when engaging with foreign national(s) as independent contractor(s) • http://www.fa.ufl.edu/departments/payroll-tax-services/nonresident-alien-information/ 	Brenda Tucci	btucci@ufl.edu (392) 294-7278 taxhelp@admin.ufl.edu
Human Resources	Immigration Compliance Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hiring foreign nationals/nonresident aliens. • Staffing a project at a foreign location. 	Susie Studstill	studstill@ufl.edu (352) 273-1516
General Counsel	International Legal Assistance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing legal support and services at foreign locations/overseas • Establishing a legal status in a foreign country 	Jamie Lewis Keith	jlkeith@ufl.edu (352) 392-1358

IFAS Global

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IFAS Global	IFAS & Agriculture Related International Programs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposal consultation and technical assistance. • Implementation and management of large interdisciplinary international projects. 	Rose Koenig	rkoenig@ufl.edu (352) 273-3495