



Office of Sponsored Programs

Board of Regents Support Fund:  
**Targeted Departmental Enhancement Program (ENH)**  
 At-A-Glance

**Program Objective:**

The ENH program supports projects that will enhance the infrastructure of academic or research departments/units and to promote economic development. Targeted ENH provides focused enhancement that addresses a critical departmental priority and reflects the institutional role, scope and mission through a concentrated but tangibly effective effort.

<b>Eligible Disciplines:</b> Engineering A (Chemical, Civil, Electrical) Chemistry Computer and Information Sciences Business Education Earth and Environmental Sciences Arts Mathematics Targeted Workforce	<b>Project Period:</b> 1 year (start date June 1, 2019)
	<b>Maximum Funding Request:</b> Up to \$200,000

Note: An academic unit is not limited in number of proposals it may submit, but must provide a rank-order list of all proposals submitted on its behalf.

<b>What Can ENH Funds Support?</b> Equipment Supplies Installation Personnel training Other expenses	<b>What F&amp;A Rate Should I Use?</b> <i>Requested Funds*</i> No F&A allowed  <i>Matching Funds*</i> 48% of MTDC for Research 49% for MTDC for Instruction 35% for MTDC for Public Service
---	--

\*MTDC = (Modified Total Direct Costs)

**Additional Budgetary Guidelines:**

Except in compelling and unusual circumstances support for faculty or staff salaries should not be requested. PI must use the Excel budget spreadsheets provided at [LSU's OSP website](#). These spreadsheets contain additional budget information and will automatically calculate fringe benefits, indirect costs and the composite budget page.

**Relevant Deadlines**

<i>September 4</i>	Internal Notice of Intent Form emailed to <a href="mailto:osp@lsu.edu">osp@lsu.edu</a>
<i>October 10</i>	Budget and justification must be routed in SPS
<i>October 15</i>	Last day to ask questions about the RFP, questions should be directed to Mr. Bryan Jones, Enhancement Program Manager, via email to <a href="mailto:bryan.jones@la.gov">bryan.jones@la.gov</a> or call 225-342-4253
<i>October 24</i>	Proposals due through LOGAN @ 4:30pm

Interested faculty should review the complete RFP available [here](#) from the Board of Regents website.

Please contact OSP at [osp@lsu.edu](mailto:osp@lsu.edu) or phone 225-578-2760 with any questions.