



REVISION OF THE NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION (NSF) AGENCY SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS TO THE RESEARCH TERMS AND CONDITIONS

EFFECTIVE May 13, 2022

Effective May 13, 2022, grants made to Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs) and non-profit organizations will incorporate by reference and will be subject to the [Research Terms & Conditions](#) dated November 12, 2020 and the [NSF Agency Specific Requirements](#) dated May 13, 2022. The *Research Terms & Conditions* will not be applied to NSF cooperative agreements or to NSF fellowship awards made to individuals.

The *NSF Agency Specific Requirements* apply to all new NSF grants and funding amendments to existing NSF grants awarded on or after May 13, 2022, to institutions of higher education and non-profit organizations.

A summary of the changes is included below. Any questions regarding these changes may be directed to the Policy Office, Division of Institution and Award Support, at policy@nsf.gov.

Summary of Changes

- Article numbering has been updated throughout to reflect the addition of the Build America, Buy America article.
- **Build America, Buy America, Article 36.** This new article implements the requirements of the Build America, Buy America provisions of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA; P.L. 117-58) to all financial assistance awards issued by NSF.