COVID-19 Guidance and Opportunities from Federal Sponsors

TEES Opportunities

TEES COVID-19 Emergency Response Research Program RFI

In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Texas A&M Engineering Experiment Station’s Research Development Office within the Deputy Director’s Office is accepting responses for RFI (Request for Information) related to COVID-19 research topics.

To view the RFI, please click here. For more information about COVID-19 Engineering projects, please click here. PDFs are also attached in the email.

COVID-19 Engineering Response Zoom Panel
April 2, 2020
3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Via Zoom: https://tamu.zoom.us/j/328093365

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Notice of Special Interest (NOSI): Clinical and Translational Science Award (CTSA) Program Applications to Address 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Public Health Need ([link](#))
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| NIST | NIST Funding Manufacturing Institutes to Support Pandemic Response ([link](#))
| NIST Manufacturing USA National Emergency Assistance Program ([link](#)) |
| NSF | Dear Colleague Letter: Request for SBIR/STTR Phase I Proposals Addressing COVID-19 ([link](#))
| NSF Implementation of Administrative Relief (OMB) ([link](#))
| NSF COVID-19 Research Blog ([link](#)) |
| XSEDE | COVID-19 HPC Consortium ([link](#)) |

**TEES Research Development Proposal Development Assistance**

For assistance, please contact TEES Research Development at proposalsupport@tamu.edu as early as possible in the proposal development process. We can help with:

- **Assistance for Junior Faculty** – Also, see Junior Faculty Opportunities below.
- **Multidisciplinary and/or Multi-university Proposals**
- **Graphics for a Proposal Being Submitted to Federal Agencies** – Preference will be given to large proposals and NSF CAREER proposals.

**TEES Research Development Upcoming Events**

**NSF CAREER Session 6: Open Topics**
Wednesday, April 15, 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Virtual Session via Zoom: [https://tamu.zoom.us/j/777893090](https://tamu.zoom.us/j/777893090)
Meeting ID: 777 893 090
Funding Opportunities
(Link to pdf versions of the Newsletter
https://tees.tamu.edu/research-development/newsletter.html)

LIMITED SUBMISSIONS
https://tamu.infoready4.com/#limitedsubmissions

The Division of Research has implemented a brand new proposal submission and review portal. The system will be used for limited submissions and most internal grant programs. You will find available opportunities at:

The limited submission office will be phasing in the portal as new limited submission opportunities arise. If you have any questions, please contact limitedsubmissions@tamu.edu or Shelly Martin at 979-862-2233.

**Limited Submission** NIH Shared Instrumentation for Animal Research (SIFAR) Grant Program – Declaration of Intent Due April 1, 2020
**Limited Submission** NIH Data Science Research: Personal Health Libraries for Consumers and Patients (R01 Clinical Trial Optional) – Declaration of Intent Due April 15, 2020
**Limited Submission** Pew Biomedical Scholars – Internal Proposal Due April 16, 2020
**Limited Submission** Partnerships for Innovation – Research Partnerships – Internal Proposal Due April 17, 2020
**Limited Submission** NSF Research Experiences for Teachers (RET) in Engineering and Computer Science – Supplements and Sites – Internal Proposal Due June 25, 2020
**Limited Submission** Engineering Research Visioning Alliance (ERVA): Future Research Directions for the Engineering Research Community– Internal Proposal Due May 11, 2020

TEXAS A&M OPPORTUNITIES

TAMU/São Paulo FAPESP

**SPRINT Call for Proposals – 1st Edition 2020 São Paulo Researchers in International Collaboration (SPRINT) (link) – Full Due April 27, 2020 – Funds can be requested**
for the mobility of researchers, according to FAPESP standards, to accomplish the purposes set forth under item 1 of this Call for Proposals and must be requested individually for each researcher and per scientific mission.

Texas A&M University, Texas A&M Health Science Center, Texas A&M Engineering Experiment Station and Texas A&M AgriLife Research

New Research Development Fund (RDF) (link) – **Deadline Extended:** Full Application Due April 27, 2020 – Provide the anticipated scope of the request and a budget detail, with justification (as appropriate, quotes and related materials may be included in Appendix: Itemized costs of equipment, instrumentation, or other items to be purchased; Initial service contracts; Additional anticipated costs and technical expertise requirements; and Renovation or installation requirements.

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FEDERAL AND OTHER FUNDERs

Department of Commerce (DOC)

New NIST Manufacturing USA National Emergency Assistance Program (link) – Applications for funding pursuant to this NOFO will be reviewed and considered on a rolling basis as they are received. Applications will be accepted until an amendment indicating 90 days to close this NOFO, subject to the publication of a superseding NOFO. – NIST anticipates funding individual projects at a level of approximately $250,000 - $10 million. Projects awarded under this NOFO will have a performance period of 12 - 18 months.

NOAA FY 2018-2020 – Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) Announcement Type: Initial (link) – Due September 30, 2020 – There are no funds specifically appropriated by Congress for this BAA. Funding for potential projects in this notice is contingent upon the availability of Fiscal Year 2018, Fiscal Year 2019, and Fiscal Year 2020 appropriations.

National Sea Grant College Program 2020 Special Projects (link) – September 30, 2020 – Funding availability may change during the time this competition is open. When updated information about funding becomes available, individual competition announcements will be sent by electronic mail to eligible applicants, and posted under “2020 Special Projects Competition” on the Sea Grant website at http://seagrant.noaa.gov/Funding.

Department of Defense (DOD)
New DARPA Simulation Enablement through Auto-Generation of Surrogate Models (Topic 22) (link) – Abstracts Due May 4, 2020; Full Due June 8, 2020 - DARPA Defense Sciences Office intends to make at least one award of up to $50,000 with a one month duration as a result of this process.

Broad Agency Announcement (BAA): C4ISR, Information Operations, Cyberspace Operations and Information Technology System Research (link) – White Papers and Proposals are Due by closing date on May 13, 2020 (see Section IV for application and submission information) – Multiple awards are anticipated.

DARPA Microsystems Technology Office (MTO) Office-Wide (link) – Abstracts may be submitted on a rolling basis until 1:00 p.m. on May 26, 2020; Proposals Due June 26, 2020 – Multiple awards are anticipated.

DOD Long-Term Opportunities

DTRA Fundamental Research to Counter Weapons of Mass Destruction Amendment 9 (link) – Due September 2024 – Grants resulting from submissions to Thrust Areas 1-7, including topics associated with these thrust areas, may range from small dollar value (e.g., $25K) up to $1M annually (total, including both direct and indirect costs) depending on the nature and the scope of work.

ARO Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) for Fundamental Research for 1 April 2017 - 31 March 2022 Amendment 6 (link) – This BAA is a continuously open announcement valid throughout the period from the date of issuance through 31 March 2022, unless announced otherwise. – The ACC-APG RTP Division has the authority to award a variety of instruments on behalf of ARO. Anticipated awards will be made in the form of contracts, grants, cooperative agreements, technology investment agreements (TIAs), or other transactions for prototypes (OTAs).

National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency Academic Research Program (NARP) Amendment 2 (link) – White papers will be accepted on a continuous, rolling basis and may be submitted at any time before 11:59 p.m. EDT on September 31, 2021. Proposals, if requested, may be submitted at any time until the closing date of 31 December 2021 at 11:59 p.m. EST. – NURI awards are expected to have not more than a 24-month base period and a value of up to $400,000, with up to three one-year options valued at up to $200,000 per option year. NIP award grants are expected to have a 24-month base period valued up to $200,000, with up to one-year option valued at $100,000. NRCF grants are normally less than $30,000 per event based on merit.

Broad Agency Announcement for the Army Rapid Capabilities Office (link) – Due March 23, 2023; Open continuously for the next 5 years – In anticipation, but not limited to, three to twelve month period of performance awards, with dollar amounts ranging from $500,000 to $2,000,000 may be expected.
United States Special Operations Command Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) for Extramural Biomedical Research and Development (link) – It is continuously open for a 5-year period, from 1 August 2018 closing 31 July 2023, 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time. – The Anticipated total costs budgeted for the entire period of performance will not exceed $3 Million annually. The number of awards is indeterminate and contingent upon funding availability.

DoD USAMRMC FY18-FY22 Broad Agency Announcement for Extramural Medical Research Synopsis 3 (link) – This Funding Opportunity Announcement is a Broad Agency Announcement. It is continuously open for a 5-year period, from October 1, 2017 through September 30, 2022, 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time. – The funding amount for this BAA is unspecified, and the number of awards is indeterminate and contingent upon funding availability.

AFRL RV-RD Assistance Instruments Announcement Synopsis 3 (link) – Closes December 19, 2023. Proposals may be submitted any time during this 5-year period and are evaluated as they are received. – The Government anticipates awarding multiple assistance instruments of various values and periods of performance under this FOA.

Department of Energy (DOE)

ARPA-E Due Date Changes

As part of the federal government's response to COVID-19, ARPA-E issued modifications to the following funding opportunity announcements and requests for information (dates listed below are the modified dates):

- Seeding Critical Advances for Leading Energy technologies with Untapped Potential (SCALEUP)
  Preliminary application deadline for Replies to Reviewer Comments: March 30
- RFI: Next Generation Ammonia System Integration Project
  Response deadline: April 6
- Galvanizing Advances in Market-aligned Fusion for an Overabundance of Watts (GAMOW)
  Concept paper deadline: April 10
- Flexible Carbon Capture and Storage (FLECCS)
  Full application deadline: April 14
- Rapid Encapsulation of Pipelines Avoiding Intensive Replacement (REPAIR) Program
  Full Application Deadline: 9:30 a.m. ET 4/20/2020
- Range Extenders for Electric Aviation with Low Carbon Emission and High Efficiency (REEEACH)
  Full application deadline: May 22
- Aviation-class Synergistically Cooled Electric-motors with iNtegrated Drives (ASCEND)
  Full application deadline: May 22
**New** Novel Research and Development for the Direct Capture of Carbon Dioxide from the Atmosphere ([link](#)) – Full Due May 29, 2020 – Estimated Federal Funding: Area of Interest 1: $5,000,000 (up to 7 awards); Area of Interest 2: $5,000,000 (up to 2).

**New** Marine Energy Foundational Research and Testing Infrastructure ([link](#)) – Concept Papers Due May 11, 2020; Full Due July 7, 2020 - EERE expects to award up to $22,000,000 in Federal funding and up to 10 awards total, subject to appropriated funds. EERE may issue one, multiple, or no awards. Individual awards may vary between $1.5M - $5.0M with a duration of 48 months for each award.

**New** EERE Offshore Wind Atmospheric Science and Project Development ([link](#)) – Concept Papers Due April 30, 2020; Full Due July 9, 2020 – Topic Area 1: EERE may issue approximately 1 award in this topic area in the amount of up to $10 million.; Topic Areas 2: Up to two awards will be made, totaling $10M.

**Geothermal Wells of Opportunity (WOO) ([link](#))** – Full Due April 6, 2020 – EERE expects to make a total of up to $25,000,000 of federal funding available for new awards under this FOA, subject to the availability of appropriated funds. EERE anticipates making approximately 6-28 awards under this FOA. EERE may issue one, multiple, or no awards. Individual awards may vary between $450,000 and $2,500,000.

**American-Made Challenges: Water Resource Recovery Prize ([link](#))** – Deadline Extended: Phase 1 submissions close May 28, 2020 – A two-phase competition, the Water Resource Recovery prize offers up to $1 million in cash prizes and is designed to develop innovative, cutting-edge water treatment technology system configurations and business plans that will help lower the ultimate cost of treatment by extracting additional value from wastewater.

**Department of Transportation (DOT)**

**New** UTC Program Tier 1 Competition 2020 ([link](#)) – LOI Due April 29, 2020; Full Due May 29, 2020 – Awards will be in the form of grants to successful applicants. The funding and authorization available to OST-R for this NOFO are solely from Federal Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 funds, which is expected to amount to $5 million. There is an administrative takedown of no more than 1 and a half percent for program evaluation and oversight, so the total available for award under this NOFO is expected to be $4,925,000.

**National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)**

**New** ROSES 2020: Space Weather Science Application Operations-to-Research ([link](#)) – Step 1 Due December 16, 2020; Step 2 Due February 17, 2021 – It is expected that combined 2-year budgets of most proposals will not exceed $500K.
New Limited Competition: Clinical and Translational Science Award (CTSA) Program: Exploratory Collaborative Innovation Awards (R21 Clinical Trial Optional) (link) – LOIs Due June 11, 2020; Full Due July 11, 2020 – The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications and programmatic considerations. NCATS intends to commit up to $9 million per FY for the CCIAs (see companion funding opportunity). Award Budget: Application budgets need to reflect the actual needs of the proposed project. The combined budget for direct costs for the two-year project period may not exceed $275,000. No more than $200,000 may be requested in any single year.

New Partnerships for Countermeasures against Select Pathogens (R01 Clinical Trials Not Allowed) (link) – LOI Due May 29, 2020; Full Due June 29, 2020 – NIAID intends to commit $10.5 million in FY2021 to fund 10-15 awards. Award Budget: Recommended budget for direct costs of up to $750,000 per year may be requested. Applicants may also request up to an additional $300,000 in the first year of the award for major equipment to ensure that research objectives can be met and biohazards can be contained, totaling $1,050,000 direct costs for Year 1 only.

New NIMHD Exploratory/Developmental Research Grant Program (R21 - Clinical Trial Optional) (link) – Standard Due Dates: February 16, June 16, October 16 – The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications. Award Budget: The combined budget for direct costs for the two-year project period may not exceed $275,000. No more than $200,000 may be requested in any single year.

RT Toward Translation of Nanotechnology Cancer Interventions (TTNCI) (R01 Clinical Trial Not Allowed) (link) – Application Due May 21, 2020 and November 19, 2020 – Application budgets are limited to $475,000 in direct costs per year and need to reflect the actual needs of the proposed project.

NIH Standard Due Dates

Wearable Alcohol Biosensors (STTR) (R41/R42- Clinical Trial Optional) (link) – Standard Due Dates: January 5, April 5, September 5 – According to statutory guidelines, total funding support (direct costs, indirect costs, fee) normally may not exceed $150,000 for Phase I awards and $1,000,000 for Phase II awards.

Wearable Alcohol Biosensors (SBIR) (R43/R44- Clinical Trial Optional) (link) – Standard Due Dates: January 5, April 5, September 5 – According to statutory guidelines, total funding support (direct costs, indirect costs, fee) normally may not exceed $150,000 for Phase I awards and $1,000,000 for Phase II awards.
**NLM Research Grants in Biomedical Informatics and Data Science (R01 Clinical Trial Optional)** ([link](#)) – Standard Due Dates: February 5, June 5, October 5 – The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications. Award Budget: Application budgets are limited to $250,000 per year in direct costs and need to reflect the actual needs of the proposed project.

**Mentored Quantitative Research Development Award (Parent K25 - Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed)** ([link](#)) – Standard Due Dates: February 12, June 16, October 12 – The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications. Award Budget: Award budgets are composed of salary and other program-related expenses, as described in the solicitation.

**Mentored Quantitative Research Development Award (Parent K25 - Independent Clinical Trial Required)** ([link](#)) – Standard Due Dates: February 12, June 16, October 12 – The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications. Award Budget: Award budgets are composed of salary and other program-related expenses, as described in the solicitation.

**NHLBI Career Transition Award for Intramural Postdoctoral Fellows and Research Trainees (K22 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed)** ([link](#)) – Standard Due Dates: February 12, June 12, October 12 – The number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications. Award Budget: Award budgets are composed of salary and other program-related expenses, as described in the solicitation.

**National Science Foundation (NSF)**

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**NSF Announces Shifts to Existing Deadline Dates**

For more information, visit [this link](#).

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**New** Dear Colleague Letter: Developing Long-term Strategies to Transform Manufacturing ([link](#))

**New** Dear Colleague Letter: Mid-scale Research Infrastructure-Engineering Conferences ([link](#))

**New** Dear Colleague Letter: Open Science for Research Data ([link](#))

**New** Dear Colleague Letter: Research Collaboration Opportunity in Europe for NSF Awardees ([link](#))

**New** Dear Colleague Letter: United States-Ireland-Northern Ireland R&D Partnership ([link](#))
New Dear Colleague Letter: Technical and Business Assistance (TABA) supplement for active SBIR/STTR Phase II Awards (link)

Faculty Early Career Development Program (CAREER) (link) – Full (for All Directorates) Due July 27, 2020 – Estimated Number of Awards: 500 per year; Anticipated Funding Amount: $250,000,000. This annual amount is approximate, includes new and continuing increments, and is subject to availability of funds.

NSF PD Opportunities

OAC Cyberinfrastructure Centers of Excellence (CI CoE) (link) – Full Proposal Accepted Anytime – PD 20-139Y
CBET Biosensing (link) – Full Proposal Accepted Anytime – PD 20-7909
CBET Engineering of Biomedical Systems (link) – Full Proposal Accepted Anytime – PD 20-5345
OAC Cyberinfrastructure for Emerging Science and Engineering Research (CESER) (link) – Full Proposals Accepted Anytime – PD 19-7684
DMR Crosscutting Activities in Materials Research (link) – Full Proposal Accepted Anytime – PD 18-7222
CMMI Advanced Manufacturing (AM) (link) – Full Proposals Accepted Anytime – PD 19-008Y
ECCS Energy, Power, Control, and Networks (EPCN) (link) – Full Proposal Accepted Anytime – PD 18-7607

Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)

Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), Research and Development Grant, Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 (link) – Due April 10, 2020 – The estimated budget for this program is $5,000,000.00. The NRC anticipates that there may be up to 10 grants awarded as a result of this FOA.

Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education (ORISE)

EERE Science, Technology and Policy Opportunity (link) – Application Due June 15, 2020 – Selected candidates will receive a stipend as support for their living and other expenses during this appointment.

The PEW Charitable Trusts

Limited Submission Pew Biomedical Scholars (link) – Sponsor Deadline Nomination: June 14, 2020; Proposal Due October 17, 2020 – The current grant level is $300,000; $75,000 per year for a four-year period.
Requests for Information/Notices of Intent

New EERE Request for Information (DE-FOA-0002291) on the Building Technologies Office’s Draft Connected Communities Funding Opportunity Announcement (link) - Responses to this RFI must be submitted electronically to CCPilotsRFI@ee.doe.gov no later than 5:00pm (ET) on May 12, 2020.

New ARPA-E Request for Information (RFI) on Next Generation Ammonia System Integration Project (link) – Responses Due April 6, 2020

Student/Postdoctoral Opportunities

New AFCEA STEM Major Scholarships for Undergraduate Students (link) – Deadline: April 10, 2020 – STEM Major Scholarship ($2,500); Undergraduate Diversity Scholarship ($3,000); Cyber Security Scholarship ($5,000); Student Member Scholarship ($2,500)

New 2020 ExxonMobil LOFT Fellowship Program (link) – Application Due April 12, 2020 – The Fellowship consists of five 1-hour meetings with a mentor (virtual or in-person), participation in the Harvard-certified ExxonMobil mentee program (on-line), an exclusive curriculum to introduce Fellows to ExxonMobil and career opportunities, and a $1,000 educational grant.

New Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education (ORISE) EERE Science, Technology and Policy Opportunity (link) – Application Due June 15, 2020 – Selected candidates will receive a stipend as support for their living and other expenses during this appointment.

G.R.A.D. Aggies Workshops
Spring 2020 (link)

Junior Faculty Opportunities

Young Investigator Programs
https://tees.tamu.edu/research-development/young-investigator-programs/index.html

Opportunity for Assistant Professors

There are funds available to help Assistant Professors in visiting funding agency program officers at DoD, DoE, NSF, DARPA, etc., when they are ready. Readiness will be assessed by Dr. Z.J. Pei based on a justification statement submitted by the faculty member, including expertise, experience, and research ideas. TEES will pay up to half of the cost of travel to Washington, D.C., for an approved Assistant Professor. Please contact Dr. Z.J. Pei, TEES Director of Research Development, at zjpei@tamu.edu for more information.
Young Investigator Programs are for junior faculty who are untenured, Assistant Professors. Resources are available including CAREER/YIP workshops and seminars, proposal assistance, writing resources, and junior faculty targeted funding opportunities.

**Junior Faculty Targeted Funding Opportunities** – This spreadsheet contains numerous funding opportunities for junior faculty in Engineering.

**Young Investigator Awards** – This spreadsheet lists early career and young investigator awards (general list).

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**Funding Opportunities**

**[R J F Faculty Early Career Development Program (CAREER)](link)** (CAREER) – Full (for All Directorates) Due July 27, 2020 – Estimated Number of Awards: 500 per year; Anticipated Funding Amount: $250,000,000. This annual amount is approximate, includes new and continuing increments, and is subject to availability of funds.

**Seminars/Events/Workshops**

*Future Seminars/Events/Workshops will be posted here.*

**Junior Faculty Proposal Writing Academy**

The TEES Research Development group and the Division of Research’s Research Development Services office have partnered to create the Junior Faculty Proposal Writing Academy. For more information, please visit [http://jfa.tamu.edu/](http://jfa.tamu.edu/).

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**Additional Resources**

**Facilities** (Updated: February 2019) – A list of facilities for each department in the College of Engineering is available on the TEES Research Development website. Faculty can use this list in creating facilities statements for multi-PI proposals.

**NSF Broader Impacts Expo List of Resources** – A list of the organizations and resource representatives who participated in the NSF Broader Impacts Seminar and Expo.

**Funding Opportunities Spreadsheet** – A spreadsheet of funding opportunities from past digests.

**Education/Broader Impacts** – A list of resources available through EASA, College of Engineering, Texas A&M, and national resources.

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**Proposers Days/Webinars**

*(All times Central unless otherwise noted)*
NSF Innovation Corps (I-Corps) Team Webinar  
April 2, 2020  
1:00 p.m. ET (12:00 p.m. CT)  
[Information](#)  
[Registration](#)

HPC4 Energy Innovation Winter 2020 Informational Webinar  
April 2, 2020  
9:30 a.m. PT (11:30 a.m. CT)  
[Information and Registration](#)

EERE Request for Information (DE-FOA-0002291) on the Building Technologies Office’s Draft Connected Communities Funding Opportunity Announcement Webinar  
April 3, 2020 – 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. E.T. – Register [HERE](#)  
April 15, 2020 – 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. E.T. – Register [HERE](#)

DARPA Ocean of Things Advanced Data Analytics Phase 2 Proposers Day  
April 7, 2020  
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. ET (7:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. CT)  
[Information and Registration](#) – Registration closes April 1, 2020, by 12:00 p.m. ET.

ASEE Webinar: “What's Your Story? Using Storytelling to Propel Research and Teaching”  
April 9, 2020  
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. ET  
[Information and Registration](#)

**Seminars/Events/Workshops for All Faculty**

2020 International Science of Team Science (SciTS) Conference  
June 1-4, 2020  
Durham Convention Center, Durham, NC  
[Information and Registration](#)

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