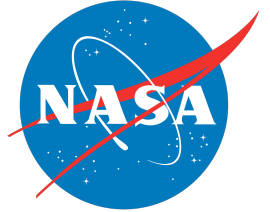




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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)  
For: NASA Guam EPSCoR Program

Submission Deadline: August 15, 2017

The NASA Guam EPSCoR Program is seeking applications from UOG faculty for seed grant funding that aligns with objectives and specific aims of the NASA Guam EPSCoR Program – Research Infrastructure Development Project Plan. Below is a list of key activities that NASA Guam EPSCoR will develop and implement.

- Objective 1: Target unique activities that promote the development of research infrastructure in Guam and increase the jurisdiction competitiveness in the areas of Remote Sensing, Geospatial Analysis, and Earth and Ocean Sciences.
- Objective 2: Demonstrate a contribution to the overall research infrastructure, science and technology capabilities, higher education, and economic development of Guam by using NASA imagery and data sources to support faculty and student research, graduate student training.
- Objective 3: Develop partnerships among NASA research assets, academic institutions, and industry through outreach activities throughout Micronesia with translational science for climate change and Earth and Ocean Science investigations.
- Objective 4: Gain support from sources outside the NASA EPSCoR program by leveraging existing access to USGS EROS and NOAA data resources as part of a robust regional data array to apply to Ocean and Earth Sciences research.

Three (3) awards will be given with a maximum funding of \$10,000, and two (2) travel grants will also be awarded to researchers that have submitted a proposal. Proposals and travel grants will be selected based on the quality of their proposals for research and on the potential to achieve significant results either through the results of the NASA data applications, or in the development of new technology or new uses of NASA technology to solve Earth and Ocean problems in the region. Proposals are expected to be completed by May 1, 2018.

Please attach a budget breakdown with the proposal.

Proposals should be submitted to Ms. Lea Quintio at [quintiol@triton.uog.edu](mailto:quintiol@triton.uog.edu)