



Procurement Services

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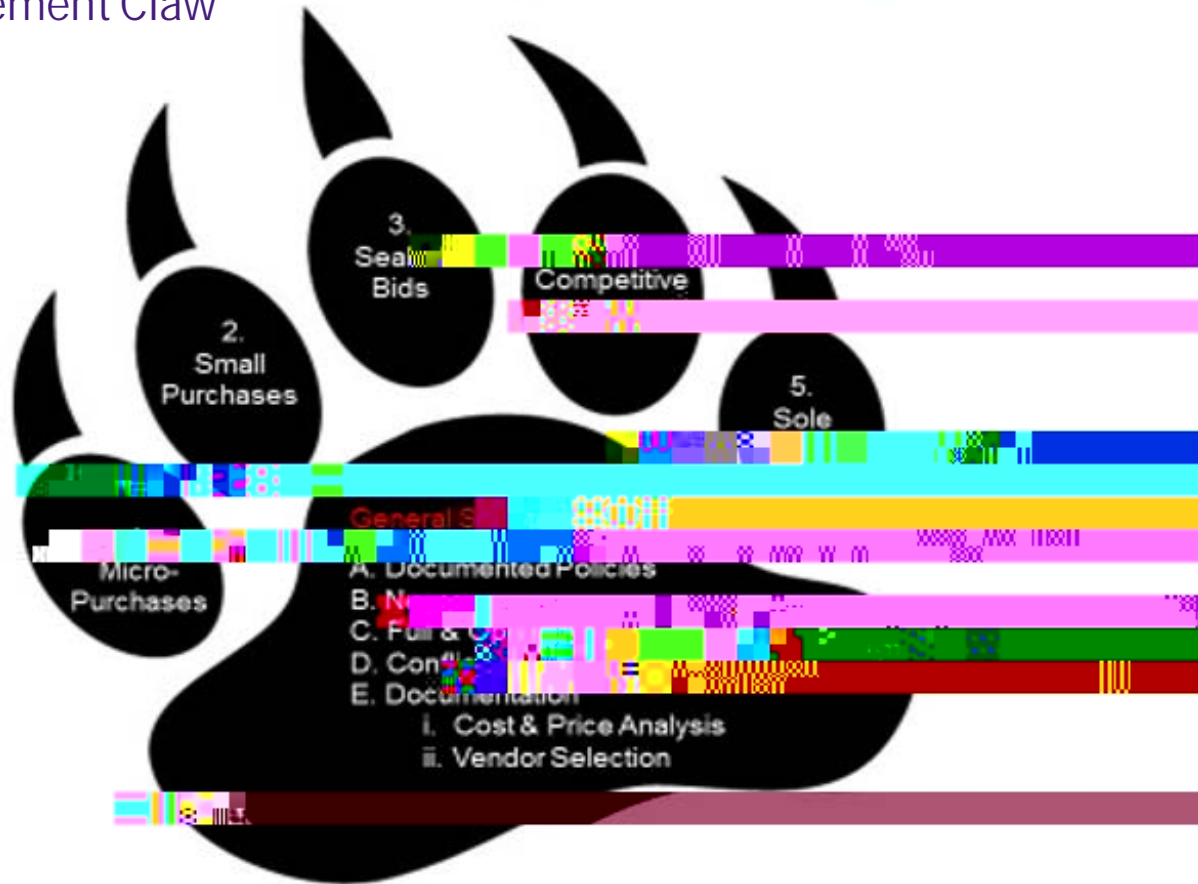
What is Uniform Guidance?

Uniform Guidance (“UG”) is a set of regulations (located in _____) that consolidates federal guidelines impacting research administration.

What is the purpose of Uniform Guidance?

UG significantly reforms federal grant making to focus resources on improving performance and outcomes. The intent is to reduce administrative burdens for grant applicants and recipients and reduce the risk of waste, fraud, and abuse.

The UG Procurement Claw





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When are these changes effective?

Identified by Fund number

- FD110 – Federal Appropriations
- FD242 – Restricted Federal Gifts
- FD250 – 2ia/7E2 (e2 d e2 24 0 0 24 109.6068 231.18225(i/ 24 10



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- 3,223 total POs w/FY18 spend
 - 2,425 – Federally Funded
 - 798 – Fed Pass Thru
- \$47,986,201.50
Total Encumbered Funds
- \$21,037,789.38
Total Invoiced YTD

Less Than \$10,000

Greater than \$10,000 and less than or equal to \$50,000

Greater than \$50,000



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- Micropurchase Threshold
- Sole Source Procurement
- Academic Research Consulting
- Conflict of Interest

- The current micropurchase threshold (MPT) as defined in the Uniform Guidance is \$3,000.
- Congress recently passed a statute into law, changing the definition of MPT from \$3,000 to \$10,000.
- This revised threshold results in no changes to how the University community purchases goods under \$10,000 as this threshold also matches the current University threshold for small purchases.

- Currently, several types of procurement are exempt from competition as allowed through the university procurement code, policies and procedures. Examples are:
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- New COI policy will require increased disclosure of documentation for potential committee members.
- Additionally further evidence or statements assuring no financial relationship exists with potential suppliers will be required.
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- New webpage to provide Uniform Guidance information and updates
- New webpage on Procuring with Federal Funds
- Revisions to policies, procedures and tasks





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Training will be offered to the LSU Community beginning June 26, 2018.

Registration will open soon!

LSU Training and Events Registration

<http://training.lsu.edu/>



Questions??