

Table 1. Most Successful Universities and Colleges Receiving Federal Funds

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Most Successful Universities and Colleges Receiving Federal Funds for 2020

Any institution listed below is not eligible for strengthening grants, unless they are located in an EPSCoR State for FY 2020.ⁱ This list is for use with FY 2020 AFRI RFAs including the AFRI Education and Workforce Development RFA.

- Albert Einstein College of Medicine
- Arizona State University
- Association of Universities for Research in Astronomy
- Baylor College of Medicine
- Boston University
- Brown University
- California Institute of Technology
- Carnegie Mellon University
- Case Western Reserve University
- Colorado State University, Fort Collins
- Columbia University
- Cornell University
- Dartmouth College
- Duke University
- Emory University
- Florida State University
- George Washington University
- Georgia Institute of Technology
- Harvard University
- Icahn School of Medicine at Mt. Sinai
- Indiana University-Purdue University
- Iowa State University
- Johns Hopkins University
- Louisiana State University
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- Medical College Wisconsin
- Medical University South Carolina
- Michigan State University
- New York University
- North Carolina State University
- Northeastern University
- Northwestern University
- Ohio State University
- Oregon Health and Science University
- Oregon State University
- Pennsylvania State University
- Princeton University
- Purdue University
- Rutgers, State University New Jersey
- Scripps Research Institute
- Stanford University
- SUNY, Stony Brook University
- Temple University
- Texas A&M University, College Station
- Tufts University
- University of Alabama, Birmingham
- University of Alaska, Fairbanks
- University of Arizona
- University of California, Berkeley
- University of California, Davis
- University of California, Irvine
- University of California, Los Angeles
- University of California, San Diego
- University of California, San Francisco
- University of California, Santa Barbara
- University of Chicago
- University of Colorado Boulder
- University of Connecticut
- University of Delaware
- University of Florida
- University of Georgia
- University of Illinois, Chicago
- University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
- University of Iowa
- University of Kansas, Lawrence
- University of Kentucky
- University of Maryland, Baltimore
- University of Maryland, College Park

- University of Massachusetts, Amherst
- University of Massachusetts, Medical School
- University of Miami
- University of Michigan
- University of Minnesota
- University of Missouri, Columbia
- University of New Mexico
- University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
- University of Oklahoma
- University of Pennsylvania
- University of Pittsburgh
- University of Rochester
- University of South Florida
- University of Southern California
- University of Texas Health Science Center, Houston
- University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center
- University of Texas Medical Branch
- University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center
- University of Texas, Austin
- University of Utah
- University of Virginia
- University of Washington
- University of Wisconsin-Madison
- Utah State University
- Vanderbilt University
- Virginia Commonwealth University
- Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
- Wake Forest University
- Washington State University
- Washington University
- Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution
- Yale University

Most Successful Universities and Colleges Receiving Federal Funds for 2021

Any institution listed below is not eligible for strengthening grants, unless they are located in an EPSCoR State for FY 2021. ⁱⁱ This list is for use with 2021-2022 AFRI Foundational and Applied Science RFA.

- Albert Einstein College of Medicine
- Arizona State University
- Association of Universities for Research in Astronomy
- Baylor College of Medicine
- Boston University
- Brown University
- California Institute of Technology
- Carnegie Mellon University
- Case Western Reserve University
- Colorado State University, Fort Collins
- Columbia University in the City of New York
- Cornell University, Ithaca
- Dartmouth College
- Duke University
- Emory University
- Florida State University
- George Washington University
- Georgia Institute of Technology
- Harvard University
- Icahn School of Medicine at Mt. Sinai
- Indiana University-Purdue University, Indianapolis
- Iowa State University
- Johns Hopkins University
- Louisiana State University
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- Medical College Wisconsin
- Medical University South Carolina
- Michigan State University
- New York University
- North Carolina State University
- Northeastern University
- Northwestern University, Evanston
- Ohio State University
- Oregon Health and Science University
- Oregon State University
- Pennsylvania State University
- Princeton University
- Purdue University, West Lafayette
- Rutgers, State University New Jersey
- Scripps Research Institute
- Stanford University
- SUNY, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook
- Temple University
- Texas A&M University, College Station
- Tufts University
- University Alabama, Birmingham
- University Arizona
- University California, Berkeley
- University California, Davis
- University California, Irvine
- University California, Los Angeles
- University California, San Diego
- University California, San Francisco
- University California, Santa Barbara
- University Chicago
- University Cincinnati
- University Colorado Boulder
- University Connecticut
- University Delaware
- University Florida
- University Georgia
- University Illinois, Chicago
- University Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
- University Iowa
- University Kansas, Lawrence
- University Kentucky
- University Maryland, Baltimore
- University Maryland, College Park
- University Massachusetts, Amherst
- University Massachusetts, Medical School
- University Miami
- University Michigan
- University Minnesota
- University Missouri, Columbia
- University New Mexico

- University North Carolina, Chapel Hill
- University Oklahoma
- University Pennsylvania
- University Pittsburgh
- University Rochester
- University Southern California
- University Texas Health Science Center, Houston
- University Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio
- University Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center
- University Texas Medical Branch
- University Texas Southwestern Medical Center
- University Texas, Austin
- University Utah
- University Virginia
- University Washington
- University Wisconsin-Madison
- Utah State University
- Vanderbilt University
- Virginia Commonwealth University
- Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
- Wake Forest University
- Washington State University
- Washington University, Saint Louis
- Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution
- Yale University

ⁱ Data obtained from the table of Federal Obligations for science and engineering to the 100 universities and colleges receiving the largest amounts, ranked by total amount received in FY 2017 using the survey of Federal Science and Engineering Support to Universities, Colleges, and Nonprofit Institutions (National Science Foundation). Campuses that are part of a larger university system as listed in Table 1 may petition for an exemption to this rule (see Part III, B for information).

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