
FastLane Proposal Decommissioning and Upcoming Important System-related Deadlines



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Upcoming Important System-related Deadlines

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- **Friday, September 29, 2023** (5:00 PM submitter's local time) is the last day to **submit** proposal file updates and budget revisions in FastLane, **withdraw** FastLane submitted proposals, and **withdraw** supplemental funding requests submitted in FastLane.
- **Friday, September 29, 2023** (11:00 PM Eastern Time) is the last day to **access** FastLane submitted and in-progress letters of intent, proposals, and supplemental funding requests. See the [FastLane Decommissioning](#) page and [Instructions to Access and Download/Print FastLane Letters of Intent, Proposals and Supplemental Funding Requests](#) for details.

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- **Friday, October 20, 2023** (5:00 PM submitter's local time) is the last day to **submit** the NSF fillable PDF format for the biographical sketch and current and pending (other) support.

- Proposers currently may prepare the biographical sketch and current and pending (other) support using either [SciENCv](#) or the fillable PDFs.
- Please see the NSF [biographical sketch](#) and [current and pending \(other\) support](#) websites for more information.

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