

## Reviewer Interest Form – TIP Directorate

The U.S. National Science Foundation's Directorate for Technology, Innovation, and Partnerships (NSF TIP) is inviting individuals to share their interest in being considered for future proposal review opportunities.

NSF TIP seeks to engage all Americans in accelerating critical and emerging technologies to advance U.S. competitiveness. The directorate partners across sectors to advance three strategies – accelerating critical and emerging technology, expanding the geography of American innovation, and building a competition-ready workforce. Because this portfolio spans a broad range of fields, sectors, and communities, the directorate seeks to identify potential reviewers with varied technical expertise, professional experience, and perspectives.

This form helps NSF TIP to learn more about your background, areas of expertise, prior NSF reviewer or applicant experience, and interest in particular NSF TIP programs or topic areas. The information you provide may be used by NSF TIP program staff to identify potential matches with future solicitations, funding opportunities, and review needs across the TIP portfolio.

Completing this form does not guarantee selection for a review panel. However, your responses will help NSF TIP maintain a wide pool of individuals who may be considered as reviewer needs arise.

Thank you for your interest in supporting TIP and NSF's merit review process.

*The information requested on this form is pursuant to the National Science Foundation Act of 1950, as amended. All information you provide is protected under the NSF Act and the Privacy Act of 1974, and will be used only to identify and recruit prospective panelists and reviewers for the specialized and specific programs within the NSF TIP Directorate. Except for these purposes, this information will not be disclosed except as part of statistical reports or in a form that would not allow identification of individuals. Per the Federal Cybersecurity Enhancement Act of 2015, your data are protected from cybersecurity risks through screening of the federal information systems that transmit your data. Your response is voluntary and failure to provide some or all of the requested information will not in any way adversely affect you. Persons who send in the Reviewer Information Form may not be invited to review immediately, but this information is retained for future reference in selecting reviewers.*

*The time needed to complete this form varies according to individual circumstances, but the average time is estimated to be -15 minutes, including the time for reviewing instructions. If you have comments regarding this time estimate, you may write to the National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314, Attention: NSF Reports Clearance Officer. A federal agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control number for this collection is 3145-0273.*

## Contact Information

1. Name
  - First Name:
  - Middle Initial:
  - Last Name:
2. Email address:
  - *Response field*
3. Primary phone number:
  - *Response field*
4. Is your primary residence located within the United States? *Select one.*
  - Yes
  - No
5. If yes (to #4), in which U.S. state or territory do you currently reside?
  - *drop-down menu*

## Professional Background

6. Current title or role:
  - *Response field*
7. Current organization or affiliation:
  - *Response field*
8. Organization or affiliation location
  - City:
  - State / Province:
  - Country:
9. What type(s) of organization or professional setting best describes your current role or affiliation?  
*Select all that apply*
  - Public university or college
  - Private university or college
  - K-12 school or school system
  - Federal government agency, excluding national laboratories
  - National laboratory or federally funded research and development center (FFRDC)
  - State, local, or Tribal government agency
  - Startup company
  - Venture capital (VC) firm, or venture studio
  - For profit company, private sector organization, or consulting firm, excluding VC firms and venture studios
  - Incubator or accelerator

- Philanthropy or foundation
- Professional society
- Non-profit organization, excluding incubator, accelerator, and philanthropy
- Self-employed
- Retired
- Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

10. If selected `Public university or college` or `Private university or college`, has the selected university or college been identified as:

*Select all that apply.*

- Minority serving institution
- Primarily undergraduate institution
- Technical college
- Community college
- Tribal college or university
- Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

## Educational Background

11. What is the highest degree or credential you have obtained?

*Select one.*

- Associate's degree or equivalent
- Bachelor's degree or equivalent
- Master's degree, MBA, or equivalent
- Doctoral degree or equivalent
- Professional Degree such as M.D., J.D., D.D.S, or equivalent
- Other credentials or qualifications, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

12. In what year was your highest degree or credential earned or conferred?

- Year: YYYY

## Areas of Expertise and Reviewer Interest

13. Which broad area(s) best describes your professional or functional expertise?

*Select all that apply*

- Research and technology development
- Technology translation or commercialization
- Innovation ecosystem building
- Economic development
- Workforce development
- Entrepreneurship, startups, and/or venture development
- Partnership or cross-sector collaboration
- Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

14. Please describe your areas of technical, scientific, industry, or professional expertise

- Drop-down menu of the 10 Key Technology Areas as outlined in the CHIPS and Science Act
  - Response field or searchable / drop-down topic areas with optional free text  
(Examples may include specific technical domains, workforce development, regional innovation, technology commercialization or other relevant fields suitable for the program)
15. Are there any NSF TIP programs, program areas, and/or proposal topics that you would be especially interested in reviewing? *Select one.*
- Yes – please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
  - No
16. Please provide any professional webpage, LinkedIn profile, and/or other URL that helps describe your expertise or professional interests.
- Professional webpage URL:
  - LinkedIn profile URL:
  - Other relevant URL:

### Prior Service as a Reviewer

17. Have you previously served as an NSF proposal reviewer?  
*Select one.*
- Yes
  - No
18. If `Yes` (to #17), in what year did you most recently serve as an NSF reviewer?
- YYYY
19. If `Yes` (to #17), for which NSF program did you most recently serve as a reviewer?
- Response field

### Prior Experience as an NSF Applicant or Awardee

20. Have you ever received an NSF award?  
*Select one.*
- Yes
  - No
21. If `Yes` (to #20), please provide information about the most recent NSF award on which you were directly involved:
- Year of the most recent award: YYYY
  - NSF program, solicitation, or funding opportunity (if known): Response field
22. If `No` (to #20), have you ever (co-)submitted an NSF proposal?
- Yes
  - No
23. If `Yes` (to #22), please provide information about the most recent NSF proposal you submitted:

- Year submitted: YYYY
- NSF program, solicitation, or funding opportunity (if known): *Response field*

## Demographics

24. What sex were you assigned at birth, on your birth certificate?

*Select one.*

- Male
- Female

25. What is your race and/or ethnicity?

*Select all that apply and enter additional details in the space below*

☐ American Indian or Alaska Native

- Enter, for example, Navajo Nation, Blackfeet Tribe of the Blackfeet Indian Reservation of Montana, Native Village of Barrow Inupiat Traditional Government, Nome Eskimo Community, Aztec, Maya, etc.

☐ Asian – Provide details below.

- Chinese
- Asian Indian
- Filipino
- Vietnamese
- Korean
- Japanese
- Other, Enter for example, Pakistani, Hmong, Afghan, etc.

☐ Black or African American – Provide details below.

- African American
- Jamaican
- Haitian
- Nigerian
- Ethiopian
- Somali
- Other, Enter for example, Trinidadian and Tobagonian, Ghanaian, Congolese, etc.

☐ Hispanic or Latino – Provide details below.

- Mexican
- Puerto Rican

- Salvadoran
- Cuban
- Dominican
- Guatemalan
- Other, Enter for example, Colombian, Honduran, Spaniard, etc.

o Middle Eastern or North African – Provide details below.

- Lebanese
- Iranian
- Egyptian
- Syrian
- Iraqi
- Israeli
- Other, Enter for example, Moroccan, Yemeni, Kurdish, etc.

o Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander – Provide details below.

- Native Hawaiian
- Samoan
- Chamorro
- Tongan
- Fijian
- Marshallese
- Other, Enter for example, Chuukese, Palauan, Tahitian etc.

o White – Provide details below.

- English
- German
- Irish
- Italian
- Polish
- Scottish
- Other, Enter for example, French, Swedish, Norwegian, etc.

o Prefer not to answer

26. Under the conceptual framework of disability described by the Institute of Medicine (IOM) and the International Classification of Functioning, Disability, and Health (ICF), disability is defined as

the product of interactions among individuals' bodies; their physical, emotional, and mental health; and the physical and social environment in which they live, work, or play.

Please select whether you have difficulty in one or more of the six disability types as identified under the IOM and ICF framework:

*Select all that apply.*

- Hearing difficulty
- Vision difficulty
- Cognitive difficulty
- Ambulatory difficulty
- Self-care difficulty
- Independent living difficulty
- None
- Don't know
- Do not wish to provide

### **Make your pitch!**

NSF TIP seeks to engage potential reviewers who bring a wide range of technical expertise, professional experience, and perspectives across sectors and communities.

Please tell us why you are interested in being considered for future NSF TIP proposal review opportunities. In your response, you may describe relevant work, research, industry, entrepreneurial, community, volunteer, and/or public service experience; areas of technical expertise; familiarity with specific communities and/or geographic regions; or other perspectives that may help TIP understand your potential fit as a reviewer.