



AMENDMENT
Proposal Submission Instructions
Canada-California Strategic Innovation Partnership (CCSIP)
April 15, 2009

Please note the following updates and changes to proposal submission instructions effective April 10, 2009:

1. Proposal Submission Deadline has been extended to **Friday, May 15, 2009, 12 Noon Pacific Time or 3PM Eastern Time.**
2. The Award Period has been revised: all projects must take place between **September 1, 2009 and August 31, 2010**. Please adjust proposal budgets and timelines accordingly.
3. The above-referenced date changes revise the information provided in the Proposal Submission Instructions as follows:
 - Page 1 – Replace the submission deadline with the revised deadline **Friday, May 15, 2009, 12 Noon Pacific Time or 3PM Eastern Time.**
 - Page 10, Proposal Narrative for Collaborative Events: Replace the project period with the revised project period **September 1, 2009 and August 31, 2010**.
 - Page 10, Development and Delivery of a Detailed R&D Business Plan: Replace the R&D plan submission due date to CCSIP Steering Committee with **August 31, 2010**.
4. Templates – The above-referenced date changes revise the information provided in the Templates available on proposalCENTRAL as follows:
 - Proposal Narrative Templates: The Collaborative Events must take place in Canada or California between September 1, 2009 and August 31, 2010. The Development and Delivery of a Detailed R&D Business Plan: Plan must be developed and delivered to the CCSIP Steering Committee by August 31, 2010.
5. Proposal Budget – In addition to the extensions described above, clarifications on CCSIP Proposal Budget development have been provided in the Updated FAQ <http://www.ccsip.org/programs.html>. A brief summary follows:

While there is no specific funding formula that specifies the required distribution of costs for each individual proposal, CCSIP anticipates:

- Costs will be equally distributed or shared between Canadian and Californian collaborators (to the extent possible)
- Costs to be incurred in California will be identified in the UC budget
- Costs to be incurred in Canada will be identified in the budgets of participating Canadian institutions; each collaborating Canadian university should identify the specific costs it will manage as part of the proposal; the project team is responsible to determine how costs to be incurred in Canada will be allocated or managed amongst Canadian partner.