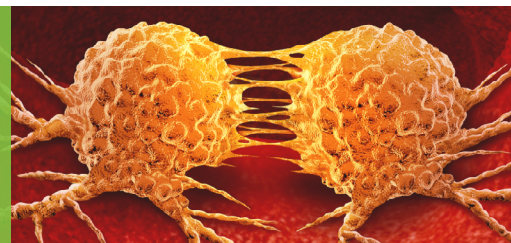


Solutions Innovation Research Award (SIRA)

Agilent University Relations & External Research



FAQs

1. How to submit your application?

- a. Read all instructions in the [SIRA Guidelines document](#).
 - b. Go to [SIRA webpage](#) and register to download the SIRA Proposal form.
 - c. Email your completed SIRA Proposal form to university_relations@agilent.com.
- Proposal submissions are due by November 1st, 2022.

2. When does the 1-year proposal period begin and what happens afterwards?

The 1-year proposal period nominally begins when you receive your official award letter from Agilent University Relations (date on letter). After one year from the start date, you can either return or purchase the instruments at a reduced price. Agilent will pay for all the costs associated with removing and sending the instrument back to our facilities if returned.

3. Is the winner allowed to publish results and acknowledge Agilent contributions?

Yes, you are allowed to make use of the data as you deem fit. Agilent would also greatly appreciate any acknowledgements you consider appropriate. If so, a suggested statement would be "We acknowledge instrument and technical support from the Agilent Solutions Innovation Research Award (SIRA) program for this research."

4. Who is eligible for the SIRA?

Applicants must hold a faculty appointment at a degree-granting academic institution or nonprofit research institute in North America and be granted authority to be the principal investigator on research contracts.

Students and postdoctoral fellows are not eligible.

Applicants must have access to the mass spectrometry system (non-Agilent MS are welcomed) stated in their research proposal.

5. What does "free use of an instrument" entail?

The Agilent Seahorse XF Pro analyzer and Agilent BioTek Cytation 5 cell imaging multimode reader will be provided for use for 12 months, free of charge.

6. Will I be supplied with the needed accessories to run the instrument?

Seahorse consumables, installation, and application consulting will be included with the instrument.

7. Is installation, service, and support provided during the one-year research period?

Yes. Installation, instrument training, and technical support are included.

8. Am I eligible to submit a research proposal if I already run a Seahorse instrument?

Yes, eligibility is determined only by the "Who is eligible for SIRA?" criteria above. You will have the option of accepting the free use of the new and more sensitive Seahorse XF Pro analyzer to conduct your proposed work. Awardee will still receive Seahorse consumables, which are compatible on all similarly-welled instruments.

Please direct any questions to university_relations@agilent.com.

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