How to Engage with UCAR
Who are we and how are we different?

Non-profit 501 c 3 funded primarily through research assistance awards from the federal government

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Point of Proposal

- UCAR’s Non-compete Obligation
  - UCAR may not respond directly to U.S. government issued RFPs on behalf of NCAR as the prime contractor;
  - UCAR may respond directly to U.S. government issued RFPs on behalf of UCP

- Partnering on an RFP
  - UCAR needs to be involved “up front;”
  - We expect friendlier, non-profit flow downs (IP ownership not work for hire, authorization and consent language)
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Key Contract/License Components and Concepts

- UCAR retains title to its IP including pre-existing and modifications;
- Most UCAR work is government-funded so government retains government use rights;
- UCAR’s IP license to you may take one of several forms;
- UCAR relationships and licenses are non-exclusive;
- No warranties for R&D work;
- UCAR Liability Limitation
Other considerations

- UCAR cannot and does not handle classified material;
- UCAR can and does handle export-controlled material when: 1) we have approved in advance the transfer to UCAR and 2) know how it is to be controlled;
- UCAR does not need access to your proprietary, commercial information; we prefer that you box it off to protect it