



NASA Established Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (EPSCoR)

A Step Closer to a Diverse and Inclusive Portfolio

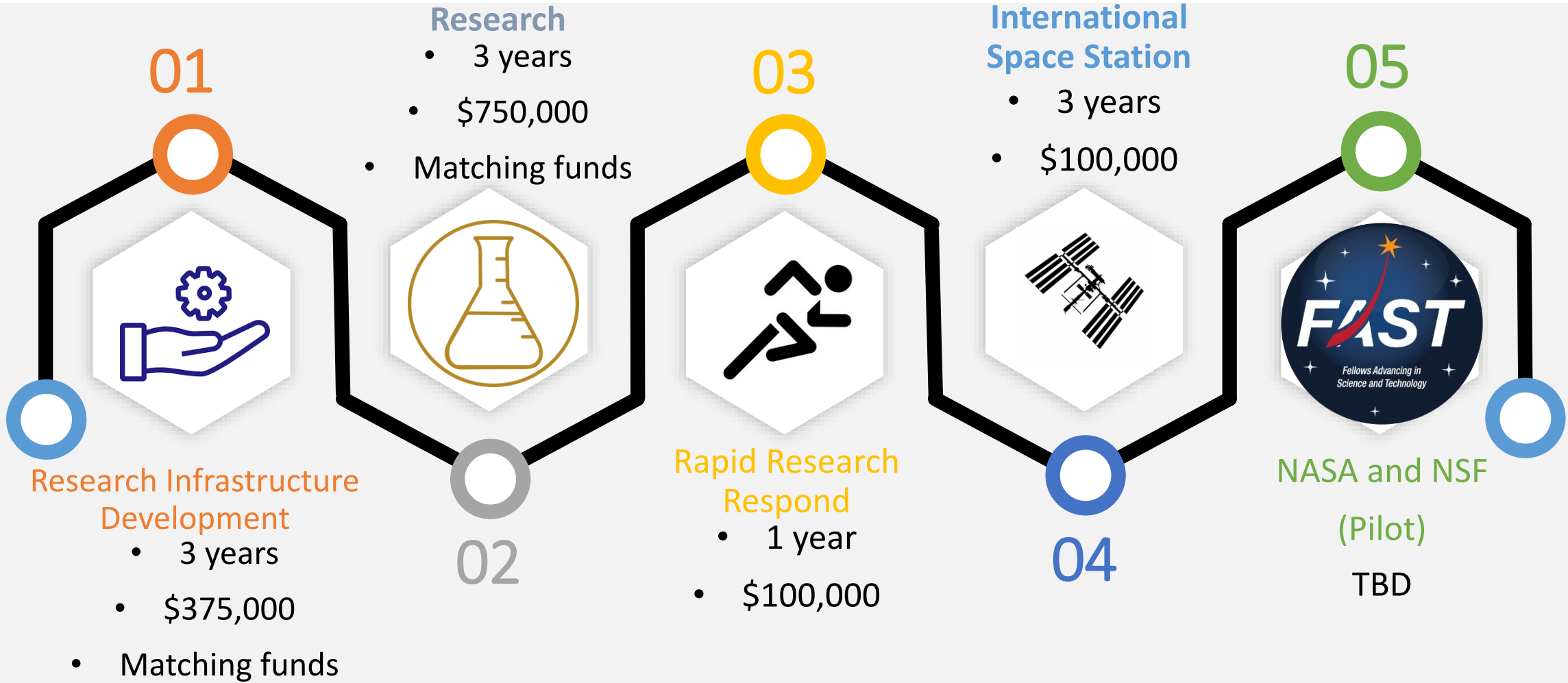


NASA's Core Values





NASA EPSCoR Research Competitiveness





Achieving Inclusion at the Jurisdictions

- Clear Communication
- Awareness
- Intentional Participation
- Intentional Collaborations
- Achieve a more inclusive portfolio





Increase Research Infrastructure



- Through NASA EPSCoR opportunities
- Share the opportunities with the entire Jurisdiction
- Intentional encouragement of participation
- Share the wealth with as many institutions as possible
- Make connections between institutions





Statistical Data on Jurisdictions

We looked at awards across the jurisdictions and the institutions who received them from 2015-2019



What did the data show?

We need to increase diversity of participating institutions across all NASA EPSCoR opportunities

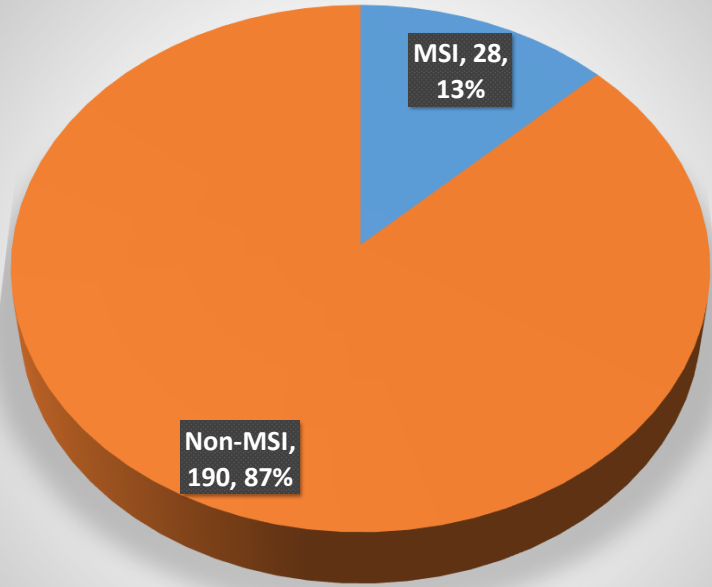


Projects from 2015-2019: 218



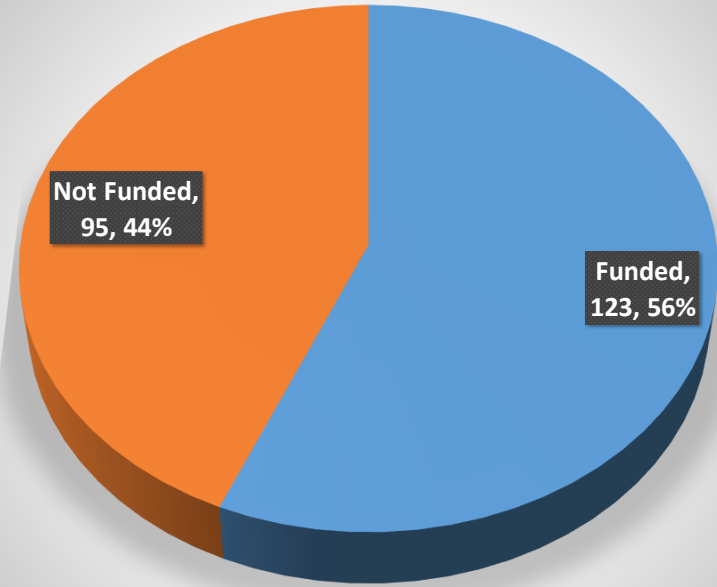
Example 1: MSI and Non-MSI

MSI & Non-MSI: 2015-2019



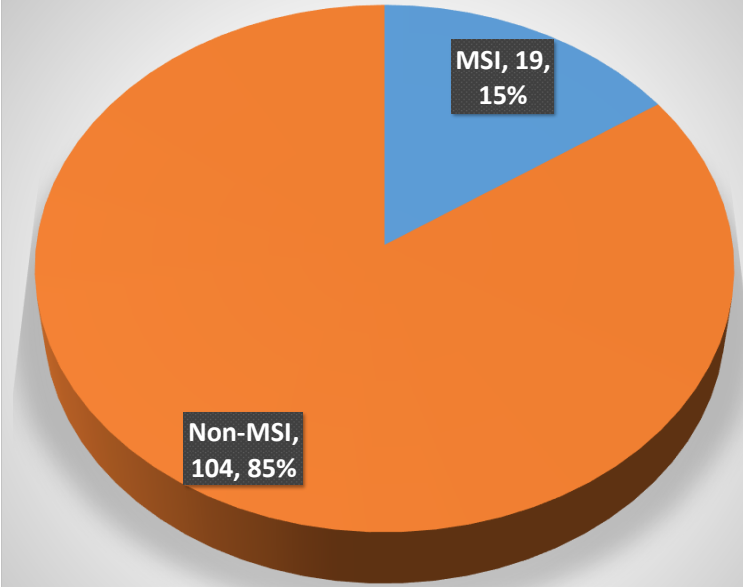
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Funded & Not Funded: 2015-2019



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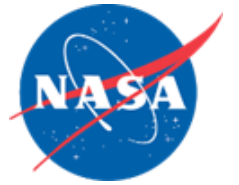
Funding MSI & Non-MSI (2015 - 2019)



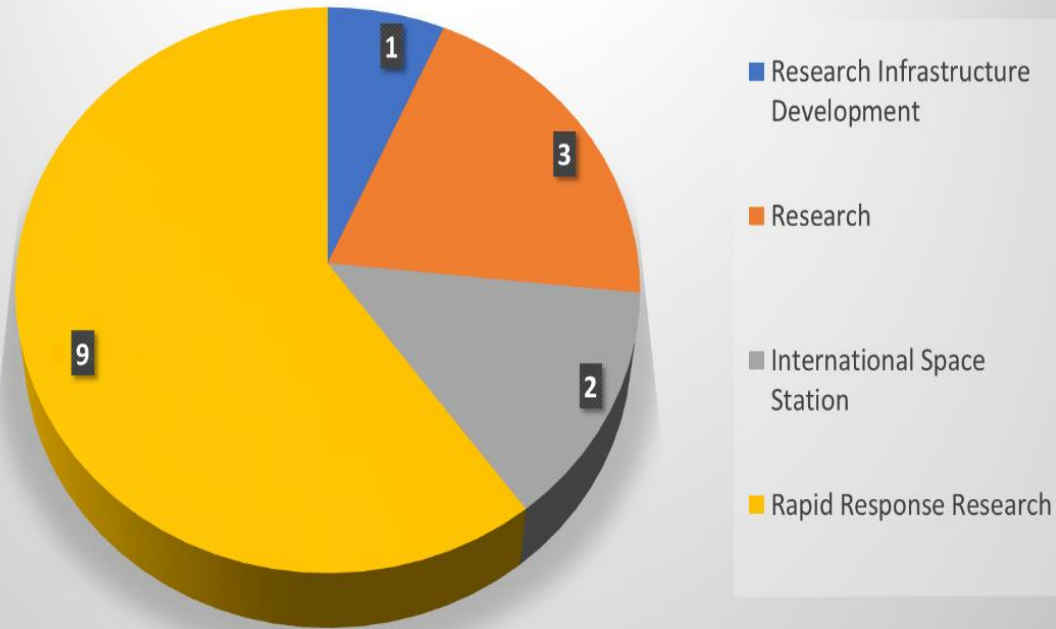
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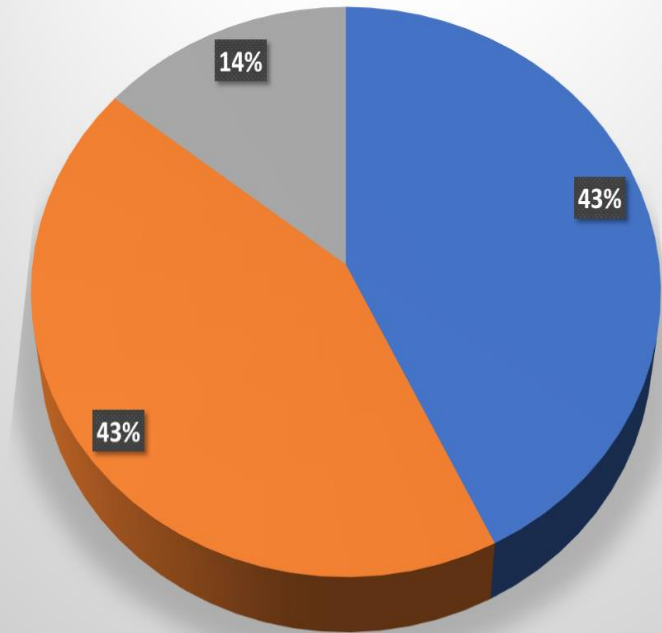
Example 2: Awards and Institutions



NASA EPSCoR Awards by Type (2014-2020):



NASA EPSCoR Awards by Institution(s) (2014-2020):



- Total funding: \$4.425 Million Dollars

- Institution #1 Main Campus \$1.902,750 Million (director sits)
 - Institution # 2 Same university different Campus \$1.902,750 Million
- Institution #3 \$619,500



Encourage Participation



- NASA Solicitation Website: <https://nspires.nasaprs.com/external/>
- Research Resources: <https://science.nasa.gov/researchers>
- Review Panel Volunteers: <https://science.nasa.gov/researchers/volunteer-review-panels>
- Technology Resources: <https://science.nasa.gov/technology>
- Flight Mission Resources: <https://soma.larc.nasa.gov>
- Student Resources: <https://science.nasa.gov/learners/learner-opportunities>
- NASA MSI Capability Gateway: <https://msigateway.larc.nasa.gov/>
- Summer Internships: <https://intern.nasa.gov>



What is next?

- Anticipation of the NSF and NASA EPSCoR joint solicitation to be released soon on the NSF side
- We are planning informational sessions for the Jurisdictions to provide guidance on how to participate

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