NSF Biosketch and Current & Pending Support Summary and Links to Instructional Guides

All Senior Personnel on an NSF project will need to use the required NSF Biosketch and Current and Pending forms.

OCG strongly encourages PIs to do this through SciENcv. **Do not use the NSF fillable PDF**, as this will lead to problems down the road when you need to update them, along with some other issues like being unable to delete any unused pages, leading to multiples of blank pages in the final project. Please share this information with any Senior Persons on your project, both internally and externally.

How Do I Use SciENcv to Create an NSF Compliant Biosketch and Current & Pending?

1. Begin by updating your **ORCID** account, as this information can be used to feed into the SciENcv forms. As a CU professor or research professional, you likely already have an ORCID account which may already be populated.

   * Note that this is a CU recommendation; if you are sharing this with external Senior Persons, they do not have to do the ORCID part of the process, just the SciENcv.

2. The biosketch and C&P will be created through **SciENcv**, which is hosted on NCBI. Your ORCID information can be populated into SciENcv to make this a quicker process.

For detailed instructions on how to register for and use SciENcv and ORCID, visit the following links:

ORCID - https://www.colorado.edu/ocg/orcid-instructions

SciENcv - https://www.colorado.edu/ocg/sciencv-instructions

If your SciENcv account is already created, here is a direct link to the sign in page for NCBI: https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/account/nih-sciencv/?back_url=%2Fsciencv%2Fuse%2F