

Grand Challenges: Voices for Economic Opportunity Frequently Asked Questions

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Please check back in, as we will add more responses to FAQs as we receive them.

Q: How long is the duration of the grant?

A: The project term is 16 months, including reporting.

Q: Are multiple proposals allowed from one institution?

A: Multiple submissions from an institution are allowed if the Primary Investigator is unique to each application. Each individual applicant who registers with the application system is limited to only one submission per round.

Q: Can I get feedback on my idea?

A: Due to the high volume of inquiries, we are not able to provide individual guidance on ideas either before or after submission. To help ensure that we do not lose innovative ideas at the application stage, we ask that you do your best to consider the challenge statement and especially the sections on what we are and what we are not looking for.

Q: Can I apply if I'm an individual without an organization?

A: For this Challenge, we are accepting applications from individuals. In the Profile section, put your address in the 'Organization Address' and please identify your 'Organization Type' as 'Other'.

Q: Does my work have to be based in the United States?

A: Yes. Projects focused outside of the United States will not be considered.

Q: If I am in a U.S. territory can I apply?

A: Yes, applicants based in the U.S. territories are eligible to apply.