

Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)
Number: BAA-AFRL-RQKDA-2016-0001
STARBASE Wright-Patt

FEDERAL AGENCY NAME: Air Force Research Laboratory Education Outreach Office, AFRL/EN

BROAD AGENCY ANNOUNCEMENT TITLE: STARBASE Wright-Patt Academy

BROAD AGENCY ANNOUNCEMENT TYPE: This is a Notice of Contract Action (NOCA).

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This announcement does not request any proposals at this time. The following topic is for an anticipated requirement for AFRL/EN. The call requesting proposals for this topic is anticipated to be published in mid-November 2015.

The funding listed reflects the estimated requirement funding only. This estimate is not a promise of funding. Funding is uncertain and is subject to change. Changes in availability may occur as a result of the exercise of Government discretion.

Technical Description: The objective of this BAA is to invite proposals from educational agencies and school districts that can assist the Air Force in supporting the STARBASE Wright-Patt Program. STARBASE Wright-Patt is a Department of Defense (DoD) program which serves the local community youth by offering students an opportunity to participate in a variety of learning experiences designed to increase interest in and knowledge of math, science, and technology. A particular focus of this BAA is to:

- Provide a budget mechanism for hiring and paying STARBASE WRIGHT-PATT staff and such other financial transactions as agreed to by the parties.
- School districts within a 15 mile radius of Wright-Patterson Air Force Base are eligible to submit proposals.
- Funds for the Cooperative Agreement recipient will be provided as follows: For salary (including all benefits, FICA, Workman's Comp, etc.) Funds will be repaid for the applicable pay periods advanced by the Cooperative Agreement recipient.
- Ensure that all federal and state requirements for employees are met. All pay and benefits services for STARBASE Wright-Patt personnel, which include withholdings for retirement, FICA, federal and state taxes, health insurance, etc. will be made by the Cooperative Agreement recipient with funding provided by AFRL through the DoD that is subject to the availability of appropriated funds for the STARBASE Wright-Patt program.

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Type of Contract/Instrument: Assistance Instrument (Cooperative Agreement). Per FAR 35.003 "Policy", Grants or Cooperative Agreements should be used when the principal purpose of the transaction is to stimulate or support research and development for another public purpose.

Estimated Program Cost: Up to \$2.03M.

Anticipated Number of Awards: The Air Force anticipates awarding one Cooperative Agreement for this announcement.

It is anticipated that a Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) providing more details into this program will be released in mid-November 2015. Recipients will have 30 days to respond with a proposal. The BAA will be made available at www.fedbizopps.gov and www.grants.gov. Direct any questions to the Contracting or Technical points of contact identified in the announcement.

**THIS IS NOT A CALL FOR PROPOSALS.
DO NOT SUBMIT PROPOSALS AT THIS TIME.
ANY PROPOSALS RECEIVED WILL BE DISCARDED.**