



**Research, Grants  
and Contracts**

**GUIDANCE MEMO NO. 09-23**

**DATE:** January 5, 2023

**TO:** Research Faculty & Staff

**SUBJECT:** Funding Opportunities via SPIN Platform

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**Purpose:** This guidance provides information regarding the search for research funding opportunities utilizing the SPIN funding database which is available to all NKU faculty and staff. The RGC provides this resource free of charge to help research faculty and staff find relevant programs available to fund research projects across a spectrum of disciplines.

**Background:** The SPIN funding database is an online resource that tracks approximately 40,000 funding opportunities across thousands of governments, foundations, and commercial entities around the world. The database provides a powerful text searching tool coupled with filters to tailor searches specific to identified disciplines and program areas.

**Action Requested:** To access the SPIN platform, you will need to create an individual profile. Once the profile has been created, then you will be able to set a system password and will have access to the SPIN database.

The link to sign in and/or create your profile (new users) is:

<https://spin.infoedglobal.com/Authorize/Login>