

A PRIMER ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY CLAUSES IN NON-FEDERAL AWARDS

OUTLINE

1. What is Intellectual Property?
 - a. Data
 - b. Copyrights
 - c. Inventions/Patents
2. Overview of the Technology Transfer Process
3. Evaluation of the Project/ Preparing for the Negotiation
4. IP Clauses: Industry Sponsored Research Agreements
 - a. Data Rights
 - i. Ownership vs. Access
 - b. Patent Rights
 - i. Ownership
 - ii. Scope of Inventions
 - iii. Scope of Licensing Rights
 - iv. Election/Negotiation Periods
 - v. Patent Costs
 - vi. Background Rights/Improvements
 - vii. Hints on Government-University-Industry Collaborations
 - viii. Hints on MTAs
 - ix. Hints on Non-Profit Sponsors
 - c. Copyrights
 - i. Ownership/Institutional Policies
 - ii. Scope of Commercial Rights