

The NSF Research.gov Desktop

Begin exploring the Desktop *today!*

You are invited to try out the Research.gov Desktop. What's available on the Desktop currently is just a preview of what's to come – NSF needs your help to shape this workspace and the information and services that are offered! Please explore the Desktop and send your ideas and suggestions for how you would like to see it develop using either the online [Feedback Form](#) on the Desktop or by emailing feedback@research.gov.

See below for instructions to get started using the Desktop!

Accessing the Desktop

The Research.gov Desktop can be found at www.research.gov/desktop:

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NSF Staff Login

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Login by entering your NSF LAN ID and password. Please note in order to login, you must either be on the NSF internal network directly or you must be signed into your Remote Desktop through [AccessNSF](#).

Using the Desktop

From the Desktop homepage you can learn more about the Desktop and its services and tools. The first tool available on the Desktop, Find Reviewers, showcases the possibilities that exist in this environment for dynamic new tools and services and increased access to information. Ultimately, the goal for the Desktop is to provide staff with a single location to access the information and services needed to support their work – a seamless experience for completing a variety of mission functions.

About Find Reviewers

Find Reviewers helps staff find and identify qualified reviewers by marrying information from a variety of sources to give a comprehensive view of potential reviewers, including:

- Proposal information
- History of doing business with the Foundation as a PI or Reviewer
- Publication information

Use the Help link to answer questions on how to use the Desktop and its tools

Manage your profile, contact information, desktop links and more in My Profile

Check out Find Reviewers

Browse information about the Desktop and tools available to NSF staff

Provide your feedback and suggestions using the online feedback form

Add favorite links to customize your Desktop

The screenshot shows the Research.gov Beta Desktop homepage. At the top, the logo "Research.gov Beta" is displayed with the tagline "POWERING KNOWLEDGE AND INNOVATION". The navigation bar includes links for Home, Contact Us, and Help, and a user profile section with Welcom, My Profile, Logout, and the date March 08, 2010. The main content area is divided into several sections:

- MY DESKTOP:** A sidebar menu with "Research.Gov Services & Tools" (containing "Find Reviewers"), "NSF Services" (eJacket, PIMS, Inside FastLane), "What We Do", "Who We Are", "NSF Staff Services", and "FEEDBACK" (Tell Us What You Think).
- Plan Review Award Manage Results:** A large banner image featuring a group of diverse people.
- My Desktop:** A central text area with a heading "My Desktop" and a paragraph: "You are invited to preview the new Research.gov Desktop, an intuitive and flexible online workspace for NSF staff. Ultimately, the goal for the Desktop is to provide staff with a single location where they can access the information and services needed to support their work – no more going to multiple systems to complete business functions! The Desktop will provide easy, centralized access to the services, tools, and information you need, including:" followed by a bulleted list of features.
- My Links:** A sidebar menu with "Edit" and a list of links: "NSF Applications", "Inside NSF", "Inside FastLane", "Conference Room Scheduler", "SharePoint", "Fed Traveler", "NSF Resources", "NSF.gov", "eService (IT Help Central)", "InfoShare", "NSF Wiki", "Program Deadline Calendar", and "Find Reviewers".

Red circles and lines highlight specific elements: the "Help" link, "My Profile", "Find Reviewers", "Tell Us What You Think", and the "My Links" section.

