January 25, 2016

Colleagues,

The Office of the Vice President for Research is requesting e-mails of interest for the NSF, Cybersecurity Innovation for Cyberinfrastructure (CICI) funding opportunity. The funding agency limits the number of proposals per institution to two.

CICI comprises two Program Areas: 1. Secure and Resilient Architecture and 2. Regional Cybersecurity Collaboration. Secure and Resilient Architecture awards will be supported at up to \$1,000,000 total per award for up to three years. Regional Cybersecurity Collaboration awards will be supported at up to \$500,000 total per award for up to two years.

See the following link for further details:

http://nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=505159&org=NSF&sel_org=NSF&from=f und

If you are interested in submitting a proposal, please send a brief statement of interest with your name, department, and one sentence description of your proposed project idea via e-mail to <u>limited@unm.edu</u> by <u>noon, Tuesday, February 2, 2016</u>. Based on the e-mail responses received, the Limited Competition Management Team may announce a call for preproposals. Please distribute this notice to departments and individuals whom you believe would be interested.

The deadline for full proposals to the agency is April 19, 2016.

If you are affiliated with HSC, please contact Corey Ford at 272-6950 for more information.