

# DER Update



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# DER Update



- **Personnel Update**
- **Human Placenta Project**
- **Contraceptive Research Review**
- **R35 Discussion**
- **Support for Training**
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# NICHD Personnel Update



**Nahida Chakhtoura**

- **MPID**



**Menachem Miodovnik**

- **PP**

# Human Placenta Project

## Department of Health and Human Services

### Part 1. Overview Information

#### Participating Organization(s)

National Institutes of Health ([NIH](#))

#### Components of Participating Organizations

*Eunice Kennedy Shriver* National Institute of Child Health and Human Development ([NICHD](#))

#### Funding Opportunity Title

**Novel Tools to Assess Human Placental Structure and Function**

RFA-HD-15-030, RFA-HD-15-031

R01, R21

Application due date: February 19, 2015



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## Scientists' New 'Human Placenta Project' Aims to Improve Health of Moms and Their Children

Posted: 12/05/2014 3:28 pm EST | Updated: 12/05/2014 3:59 pm EST



# Human Placenta Project

Next meeting

April 27 – 28, 2015  
Natcher Conference  
Center  
NIH Campus

<https://www.nichd.nih.gov/research/hpp>

Questions?

Comments?

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# NICHD CONTRACEPTIVE RESEARCH REVIEW



# Proposed Grant Mechanism

R35

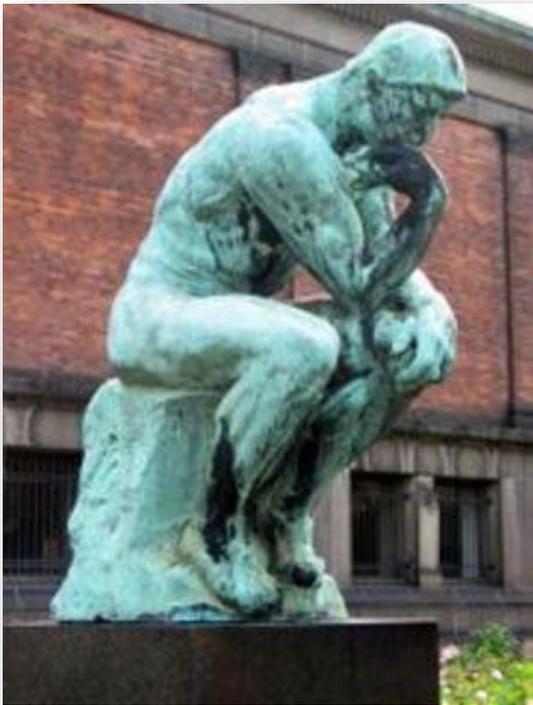
“People, not Projects”



**Full discussion to follow**

# NICHD

## Support for Training



- **Overarching goals**
- **Nature of support**
- **Trends in support**
- **Effectiveness**



# **SBIR/STTR POLICY UPDATES**

# Background – Reauthorization Act of 2011



SBIR/STTR  
Reauthorization  
Act of 2011.

## **DIVISION E—SBIR AND STTR REAUTHORIZATION**

### **TITLE L—SHORT TITLE; DEFINITIONS**

15 USC 631 note. **SEC. 5001. SHORT TITLE.**

This division may be cited as the “SBIR/STTR Reauthorization Act of 2011”.

**“...decrease delays between  
submission of the application and  
disbursal of funds.”**



- See [NOT-OD-15-038](#)

## Current SBIR/STTR Standard Due Dates

Cycle I Due Date	Cycle II Due Date	Cycle III Due Date
April 5	August 5	December 5

## New SBIR/STTR Standard Due Dates

**\* Effective September 5, 2015**

Cycle I Due Date	Cycle II Due Date	Cycle III Due Date
September 5	January 5	April 5

**No August 5, 2015 due date**



# Receipt Dates and Review Schedule

## Submission Dates\* Phase I & Phase II

## National Technical Merit Review

## Advisory Council/ Board Review

## Estimated Award Date

September 5

October/November

January/February

March

January 5

February/March

May/June

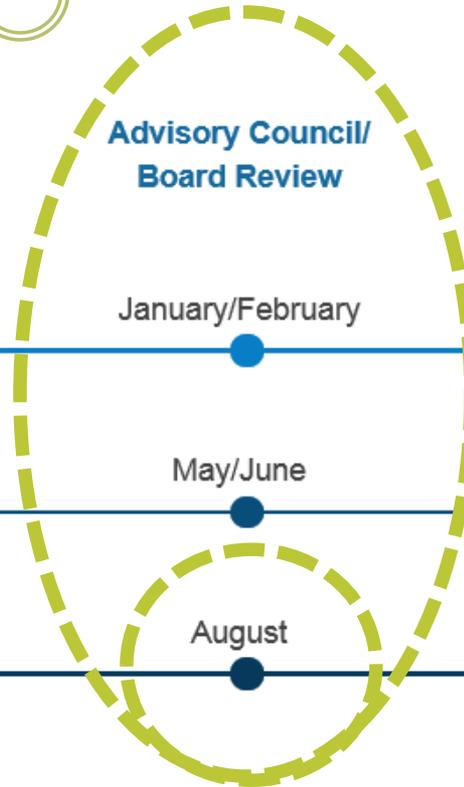
July

April 5

June/July

August

September or December



# Implementation of August Council



**Usually**



**Occasionally**

*Thank You!*



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