

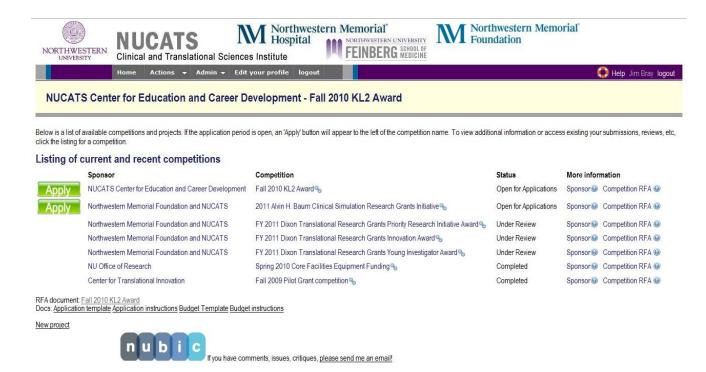
NUCATS ASSIST WEB SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Step 1: Log in. Go to https://grants.nubic.northwestern.edu and log in with your NU netID and password.

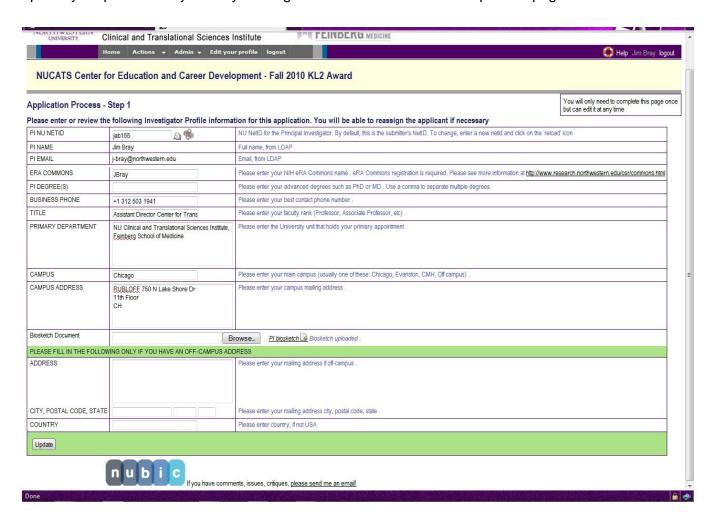


Step 2: Select an open competition. Upon successful log-in you will see the central projects page with all competitions listed and information about whether they are open or closed, as well as a list of your previous submissions to any competitions. Open competitions will have an "Apply" button next to them. Click this button to start a submission.

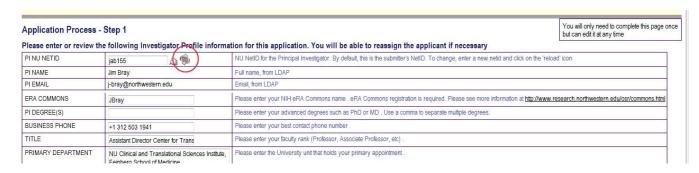
Note that you can return to the page displaying all competitions at any time by using the drop down menu at the top of the page. Click "Actions" and select "All competitions." The "Home" link in the menu bar will take you to the home page for the competition you have most recently selected.



Step 3: Update your profile. The first page you will see after clicking "apply" is your profile page (below). Your name, title and contact information will be pre-populated from the Northwestern directory. Please correct any inaccurate information and update blank fields. An NIH Commons ID may be required – click on the link to find directions about how to easily obtain an ID through NU OSR. Click on "update" to save your profile and move to the competition application page. You can come back and update your profile at any time by clicking the link in the menu at the top of the page.



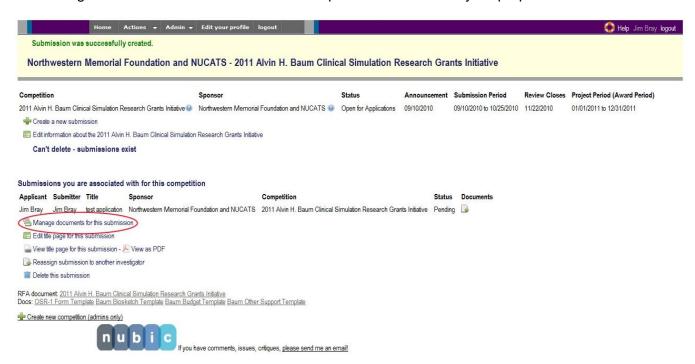
Note: You may also submit an application for someone else, which is useful for administrators. In this event, click on the directory lookup icon to look them up in the NU directory (you must be using a computer on the NU network or logged into the NU VPN to access full directory information). Once you know their netID, simply enter it into the box and hit the "refresh" button to fill out a profile page for the PI. You can also reassign the PI at a later date if necessary.



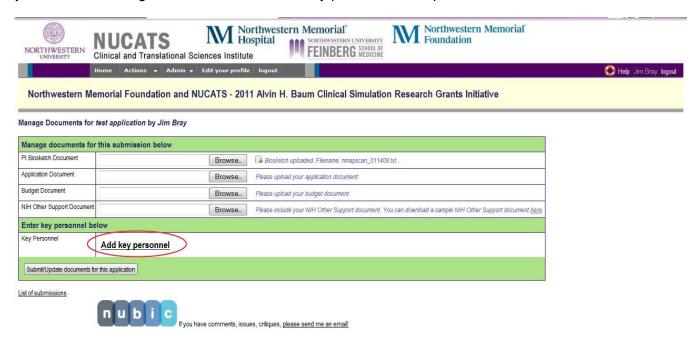
Step 4: Fill out the grant application title page. Please fill in all the requested information. Depending on the competition, your business or research administrator and cost-share approver netIDs may be required. Click on the directory lookup icon to look them up in the NU directory (you must be using a computer on the NU network or logged into the NU VPN to access full directory information). After completing the page click the "Save Application" button. You will be notified of errors on the page – you can correct these now or at a later time.

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Application Process - Step 2 Create the Title Page for this proposal Please fill in each of the following items and submit.		
TITLE OF PROJECT	81	Please make the title between 6 and 81 characters, including spaces and punctuation
PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR	Jim Bray	Go back to Principal Investigator form to edit Enter a submission for a different PI
ABSTRACT		Please include an abstract of your proposal, not to exceed 200 words.
Dates of the proposed period of support. From 2011-01-01 through 2011-12-31.		
Direct project cost		Please enter the Direct project cost requested for the proposed period of support. Amount should be between \$10000.0 and \$50000.0
Save Application		
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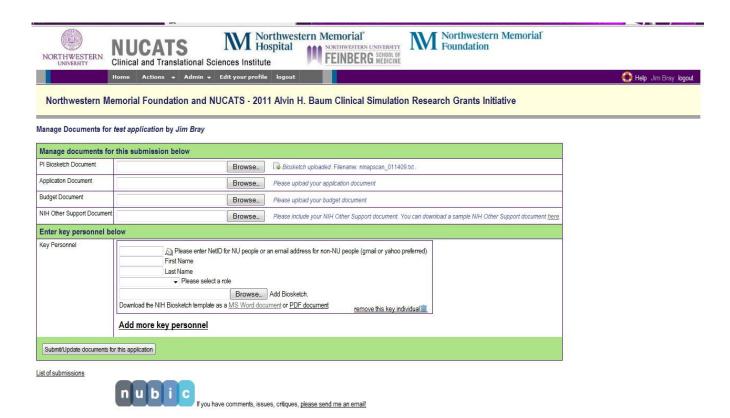
Step 5: Navigate to the document management page. After saving the application data, you will be taken to the main competition page, which now lists the submission you just created. From here click on "Manage documents for this submission" to upload documents for your proposal.



Step 6: Upload Documents. Here you can upload any required documents, which may include the narrative portion of your application and the budget. Please use any provided templates and carefully read instructions. Unless otherwise directed, all files should be uploaded as .pdf documents. Failure to follow instructions may delay review or be cause for rejection. From the documents management page you can also manage the biosketches for all key personnel, if required.



Note: Biosketches should be in the current NIH format and not exceed 4 pages.



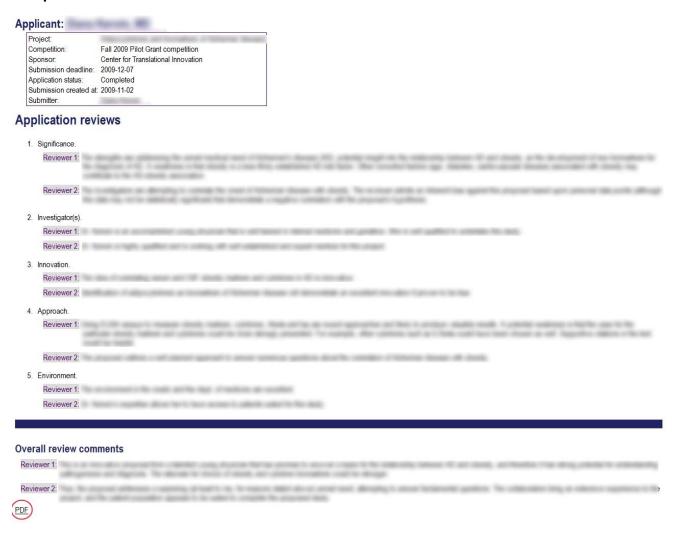
Step 7: Finalizing your application. Once the deadline for a competition has passed, your application is considered complete. You may be notified by the competition administrator of deficiencies in uploaded documents in the days following submission. If necessary you may be asked to provide corrections/updates.

Step 8: View reviewer comments. If the competition provides access to reviewer comments, you should receive an email notifying you when the review period is finished and you can view comments. After you log in you should see your submission listed. Click on "View Reviews for. . ." to be taken to the reviews page.



You will have the option of downloading a .pdf version of the reviewer comments to save for your records. Grant applications and reviewer comments will remain on the system until the user deletes them. NUCATS will provide ample advance notice to all users if this policy changes.

Sample review:



Please report any problems with the submission tool to Warren Kibbe at wakibbe@northwestern.edu.