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	SPONSORED PROGRAMS	GIFTS FOR RESEARCH
SCOPE	Specific research project	Project, topic, department, school
DOCUMENTATION	Proposal and legal agreement	Gift letter (no or light terms)
INDIRECT COSTS	yes	yes
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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ACCESS	yes	no

