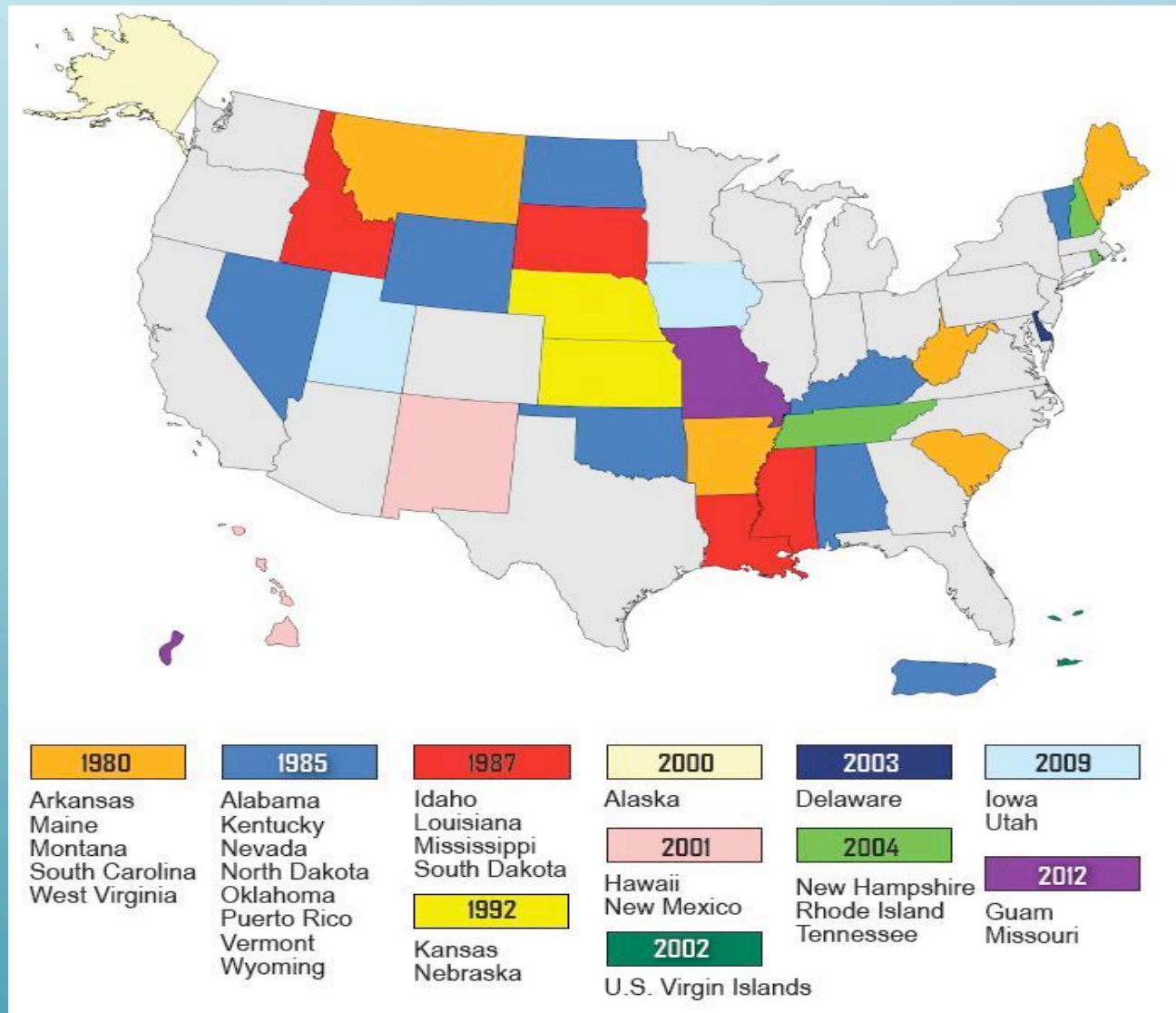


EPSCoR Jurisdictions



- States and territories awarded less than 0.75% of NSF funding - DE is .53%
- EPSCoR funding represents ~2.7% of NSF's overall research support



NSF EPSCoR Goals



CATALYZE

EDUCATE

BROADEN
PARTICIPATION

ENGAGE

IMPACT OVER
TIME

Delaware EPSCoR Pre-Proposal Guidelines



- Must build capacity and capability in state
- Must broaden participation
- Must align with state interests
- Must contain specific sections: Research and Education, Workforce Development, Diversity Planning, Partnerships and Collaborations, Communications and Dissemination, Sustainability, Innovation, Economic Development and Evaluation and Assessment

Administrative and Project Guidelines



- The Delaware EPSCoR State Office, located at the UD, will administer the project. UD will serve as the fiscal agent for the project.
- PI/PD must be an employee of the fiscal agent.
- The Project PI must have significant experience in leading and managing large, multi-investigator, interdisciplinary federal projects.
- Projects are not designed for a single institution of higher education, small groups of faculty, or single faculty.
- The project must involve a network of collaboration among the participating Institutions of Higher Education (IHE) – Over 300 in current network including 72 funded faculty

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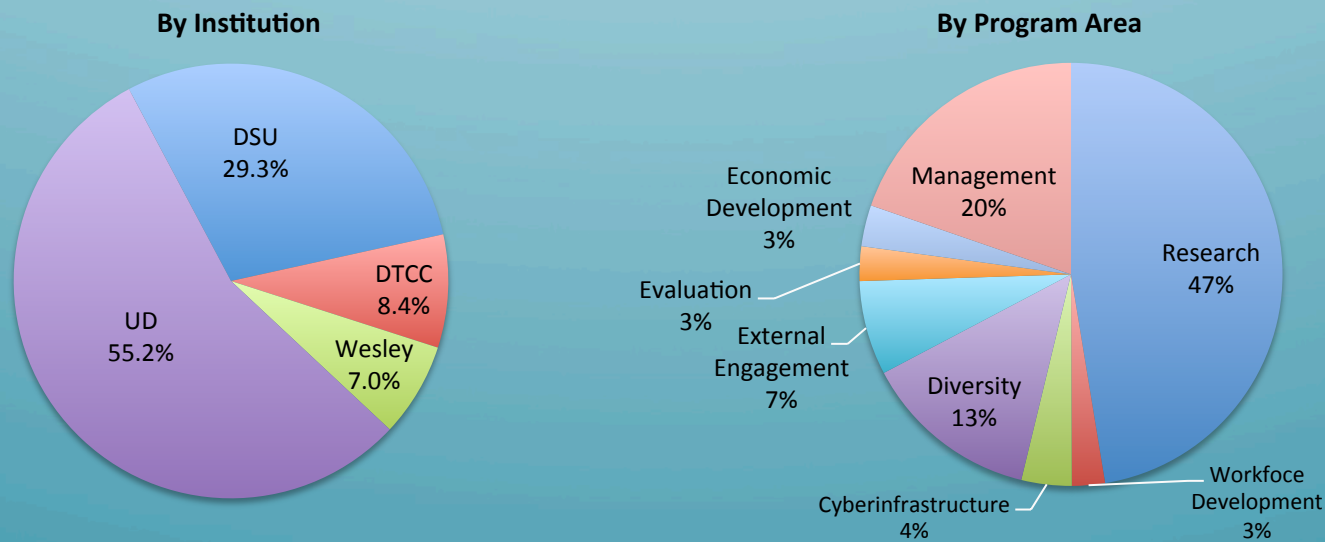
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Fiscal Information



- The project must involve a network of collaboration among the participating Institutions of Higher Education (IHE) who will share in the budget – state and federal - Over 300 in current network including 72 funded faculty

Current EPSCoR Funding Distribution



Pre-Proposal Timeline



May 11, 2016	Request for pre-proposal released on EPSCoR website – epscor.udel.edu
July 15, 2016	Letter of intent due to EPSCoR State Office by 5:00 p.m (als@udel.edu)
September 1, 2016	Pre-proposal due to EPSCoR State Office by 5:00 p.m. EST (als@udel.edu)
December 1, 2016	Notification to pre-proposal teams selected to make a 20-minute presentation to the EPSCoR State Committee
December 2016/January 2017	Team presentations to EPSCoR State Committee
January/February 2017	Team selected to represent Delaware EPSCoR in the NSF competition by State Committee
August 2017	Full proposal due to the National Science Foundation

Questions?