

## North Pacific Research Board – Request for proposal

The North Pacific Research Board (NPRB) is requesting proposals for cooperative research designed to address pressing fishery management or marine ecosystem information needs through a competitive grant programme, using a portion of the interest earned from the Environmental Improvement and Restoration Fund. These funds must be used to conduct research activities on, or relating to, fisheries and marine ecosystems in the North Pacific Ocean, Bering Sea, Aleutian Islands, Gulf of Alaska, and the Arctic. The NPRB prioritises research that improves understanding of marine ecosystems and enhances effective fishery management and sustainable use of marine resources.

Research may be conducted within any of the large marine ecosystems relevant to Alaska (i.e., Gulf of Alaska, Bering Sea, Aleutian Islands, and Chukchi and Beaufort seas). There may be specific geographic focus for a given category or topic. Refer to current and previous related NPRB projects (<https://projects.nprb.org>) to avoid duplication.

Recipient organisations must have a DUNS number and must have an active registration in [www.sam.gov](http://www.sam.gov) before any award can be made.

Contact [@Eleanor van der Westhuizen](#) for the DUNS number. **The budget must be approved by [@Sugandren Moodley](#) and [@Lebohlang Mahlabe](#) before final submission.**

Please find attached:

- [Framework document with detailed information about this call.](#)
- [Request for Proposal document](#)