



What are Some Resources for Proposal Writing

Additional Resources

1. Sample Proposal and Tips for a Successful Proposal Submission (<https://cnm.anl.gov/pages/proposal-samples-and-tips-for-writing-a-successful-proposal>): find suggestions and guidance based on the input provided by previous peer review panels.
2. Proposal Form Worksheet (<https://cnm.anl.gov/pages/fact-sheets-and-other-resources#user-proposal-form>): Download a pdf of a CNM proposal as a job aid to prepare information for entering in the electronic proposal.
3. Tools and Capabilities List (<https://cnm.anl.gov/instruments>): A complete list of tools and capabilities that can be requested at the CNM. There is also a downloadable pdf of the list on the page.
4. Scientific Contacts (<https://cnm.anl.gov/pages/scientific-contacts>): A list of CNM staff and their related expertise. A downloadable pdf is also available on the page. We recommend contacting staff to discuss your proposal and feasibility prior to submission.
5. User Proposal Review and Evaluation Process (<https://cnm.anl.gov/pages/proposal-review-and-evaluation-process>): Learn more about how the review panels are directed to evaluate the criteria and score proposals.

Tips:

- Request input from our CNM staff prior to submitting your proposal. Our staff can offer insight as to the recommended tools and usage amounts.
- Review panels are advised to evaluate what is written in the proposal. Be sure to include enough detail for any panelist to follow.
- If this is a continuation of a previous proposal, be sure to include anything you have learned as well as any publications that have resulted from your previous work.
- If a similar proposal was not allocated during a previous proposal call, be sure to address the review panel's comments and suggestions in your new proposal submission.

Troubleshooting:

- Contact the CNM user office with any questions (cnm_useroffice@anl.gov, 630-252-6952).

