



Lever for Change 2030 Climate Challenge (A John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Affiliate)

On April 29, 2020, Lever for Change launched a new funding opportunity called the "2030 Climate Challenge." For this competition, Lever for Change will award a single \$10 million grant for a project that will measurably reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the buildings, industry, and/or transportation sectors in the U.S. by 2030.

For more information about this opportunity, please visit the website:

https://www.leverforchange.org/what-we-do/explore-competitions/2030-climate-challenge/

While this is an unrestricted competition, Emory University will provide significant institutional support for up to three, individual research proposals that will be chosen and identified as the official Emory institutional submissions. Support will include: institutional endorsement; proposal development assistance; video production assistance; budget guidance; and other resources that will facilitate the creation of the strongest possible submissions.

If you are interested in pursuing this opportunity, please review the steps below to express your interest and compete for internal support.

Important Deadlines and Next Steps:

- Immediately: Interested faculty should speak with their deans to discuss project viability and opportunities for collaboration and development.
June 30, 2020: Attend the Informational Zoom Meeting at 11:00am, co-sponsored by the Provost's Office and the Office of Foundation Relations.
Register here: https://emory.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_0IJmb525Rd2OGit9TDeV1Q
July 13, 2020: Internal deadline for preliminary proposals.
July 20, 2020: Notice to the nominee(s) selected to represent Emory in this competition.
July 20-August 13, 2020: Proposal development with the assistance of the Office of Foundation Relations.
July 23, 2020: Online registration deadline for applicants via Lever for Change website.
August 20, 2020: Final proposals are due to the foundation.

For questions about the opportunity and the Emory process, please contact:

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