**Research Funding**

**Awards by Agency FY2020**

- Federal: 66%
- Industry: 14%
- Foundation: 9%
- Subcontract: 6%
- Other: 3%

**Invention Disclosures FY2020**

- 198

**US Patents FY2020**

- 56

**Major Licenses FY2020**

- 73

**Startup Companies FY2020**

- 14

**Federal Research Funding**

- $401M

**University Employees Paid Through Research Projects**

- 5,445

**Trainees Supported by Extramural Research Awards**

- >300 Post Doctoral Fellows
- >1500 Graduate

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*Office of Sponsored Projects as reported to the Board of Trustees (FY 2020)*

**Campus Stats**

- 963,000 ft² Research Space
- 18 Colleges
- 120+ Centers & Institutes
- 100 Fields of Study
- 35 Interdisciplinary Programs
The University of Utah is committed to excellence, innovation, and diversity in conducting transformative, high-quality research. Recognized as a Top-Tier 1 research university (Carnegie Classification of Institutions in Higher Education) – the U continues to develop groundbreaking research on a local, national, and international level. The university’s distinguished research community is cultivated through its 18 colleges, 35 interdisciplinary programs, 100 academic departments/divisions, and 120 centers/bureaus on campus. The U has a wide-range of advanced studies including, but are not limited to:

- Opioid addiction and chronic pain
- Cancer research and infectious diseases
- Environmental studies and sustainability
- Humanities, communication and education
- Military health and suicide prevention
- Science computing, technology and engineering
- Human genetics and precision medicine
- Dance, art and game design for health

In addition to the U’s diverse research portfolio, the institution is also a catalyst for economic growth and innovation, creating over 300 spin-out companies—and 16,000 jobs—from the university’s inventions and technologies (BEBR Report, 2011). With the determination and support of our research community, the University of Utah will continue to develop cutting-edge research to enhance the lives of current and future generations to come.

**VISION STATEMENT**

The university’s research vision is to cultivate a national and international leading research community through excellence, innovation, and interdisciplinary research at the University of Utah.

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**NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENTS**

- World’s First Artificial Heart Transplant
- Top 25 Public Research Universities in the Nation (2017 MUP Report)
- 14 American Academy of Arts and Sciences
- Nation’s First National Institute of Health Grant
- 1 Nobel Prize in Medicine
- 16 John Simon Guggenheim Fellows