DO MY PROPOSED RESEARCH ACTIVITIES QUALIFY AS FUNDAMENTAL RESEARCH?

- Is the equipment, software, or technology involved in my research designed for, or can it be modified for military use or for use in outer space; or could it reasonably be used in the development of weapons of mass destruction?
  - NO
  - YES

  - Does my research involve equipment, software or technology covered by ITAR (USML) or EAR (CCL)?
    - NO
    - YES

  - Does my research involve providing technical information or instructions concerning equipment, software or technology listed on the USML or CCL?
    - NO
    - YES

  - Is there reason to believe that information or software released by my research will be used in the development of a weapon of mass destruction?
    - NO
    - YES

  - Are the results of my research restricted for proprietary reasons (other than limited sponsor prepublication review to insure intellectual property or patent rights); or pursuant to specific U.S. Government access and dissemination controls?
    - NO
    - YES

  - Are the results of my research published and generally accessible or available to the public through public venues, (i.e., conferences, libraries)?
    - NO
    - YES

Fundamental Research Exclusion applies - proceed & remain vigilant!

- Export Control Regulations apply - contact the Office of Grants and Contracts for assistance ASAP!

2Commerce Control List (Export Administration Regulations (EAR)) available online at: http://www.bis.doc.gov/index.php/regulations/export-administration-regulations-ear

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