

Science Matters to Utah

Research Universities

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Federally Funded Research in Utah

Federal funding for scientific research reaches every state in the nation. See the impact of funding to organizations in Utah from three of the major government research agencies:

National Institutes of Health:

In FY2016, organizations in [Utah](#) received 455 awards from NIH, across all of its institutes, totaling \$185,147,981.

National Science Foundation:

In FY2016, organizations in [Utah](#) received 245 awards from NSF, across all of its programs, totaling \$63,235,000.

Department of Energy Office of Science:

In 2015, educational organizations in [Utah](#) received research awards from the DOE office of Science worth \$5,805,616.

Companies Created from Research in Utah

[Myriad Genetics](#), founded in 1991, was one of the first genomic companies dedicated to examining the role genes play in human disease. Focused on the development and marketing of transformative test and molecular diagnostic products, Myriad's discoveries include BRCA1 and BRCA2, the hereditary breast and ovarian cancer genes. The company's work stems from research begun by Professor Mark Skolnick of the University of Utah.

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