

Re: Huawei - Giannakis proposal and discussion

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The 11 a.m. call looks fine, and these look like the right questions to me. I'd add into the first one to have him explain IF the proposal and the award are meant to be the same why the title is different.

If they are talking about "cancelling a \$115K project" it doesn't sound like the intent is donative - but I'm sure Dr. Giannakis can explain more about the context here.

IF it looks like this will have to a sponsored project, we'll also want to talk about the budget (and need for F&A). But that can wait until we have better clarity on those first questions.

Pamela

On Wed, Oct 10, 2018 at 5:55 PM Andrea Nadel-Tikh <[nade0058@\[REDACTED\]](mailto:nade0058@[REDACTED])> wrote:
Hi Pamela,

Professor Giannakis called me this afternoon and relayed that he had been told by Huawei that if they did not have an update about moving ahead by the end of the day today that they were going to cancel the \$115k project. After discussing with Steve and Adam I responded to him and Jerry Tso (and added you and Raechelle in cc) to update that we had been identifying questions around the proposal as they affect the administration of the award, and that we would then discuss with Professor Giannakis to gain more clarity. I then sent a meeting invitation for me, Steve, Lynne, you, Raechelle and Georgios for a call at 11 am Thursday 10/11.

Ahead of that call, I want to confirm the questions that we wanted to ask were (as we discussed earlier this week). Please let me know if you have others to add:

1. Confirm the relationship between the proposal and the award letter
2. Confirm why there is a difference between the proposed amount and the amount in the award letter,
3. What is the context around the expected outcomes (Section c3) and what Huawei's expectations are re those outcomes (and would/could Dr. Giannakis remove Section c3)
4. If needed, ask if there are other Statement of Work-type documents between him and Huawei, and what deliverables they lay out

We had among this group at various times also discussed bringing Mos up to speed on these conversations as well - I can add him to the calendar event as well but please let me know if that feels appropriate.

Elizabeth, could you please confirm that we can use our conference line for the call?

Thank you,

Andrea Nadel-Tikh, MPP

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