

Research Administration Forum

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Research Compliance Officer

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Export Compliance Snapshot and What's Ahead

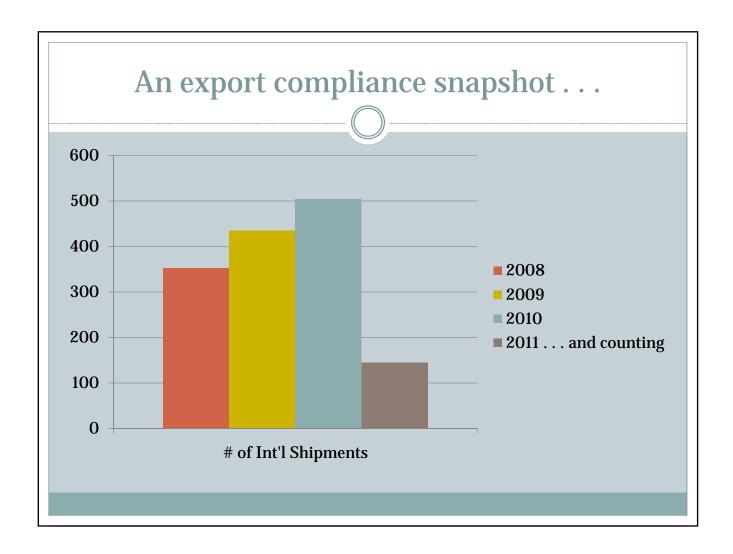
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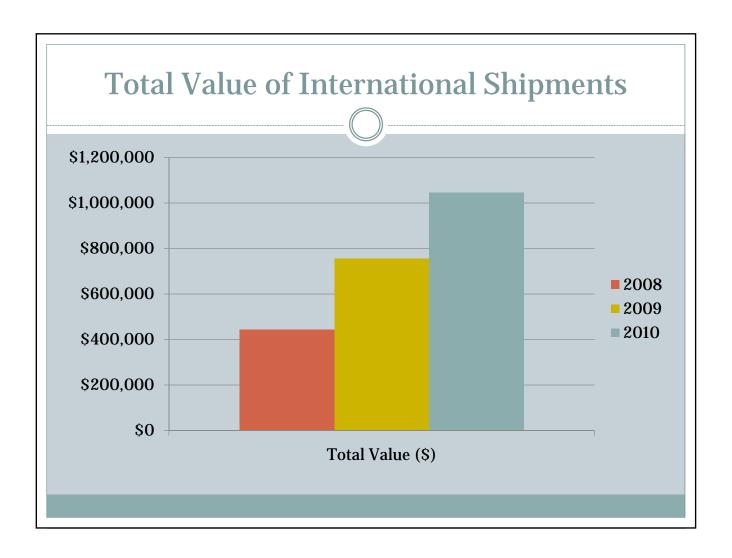
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Adilia's Presentation

Export Compliance

AN EXPORT COMPLIANCE SNAPSHOT &
AND WHAT'S AHEAD?







2011 International Shipments

- 145 shipments ... counting
 - All exported without a problem
 - Average process time: 1 day
- WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW:
 - An item could NOT be subject to export controls, but might require an IMPORT PERMIT from Caltech or from the foreign entity.
- WHAT CAN YOU DO?
 - Check with the foreign entity to make sure they have all the necessary permits and regulatory documents to allow them to receive and clear the shipment with their local customs officials.
 - Provide us with sufficient information to make a review and to help customs clear your shipment without a review.
- REVIEWER: Jennifer Wong x2558

Examples of what works and what doesn't!

• Example of an incomplete description:

<u>Item Name</u>: Bad crystal<u>Manufacturer</u>: Onyx Optics

Website: noneTech specs: none

• Example of complete description:

- o <u>Item</u>: FC Input Biased Si Photodetector
- Model #: DET02AFC/M
- Reason for export: Item is being donated to another university for research purposes.
- Manufacturer: Thorlabs
- Website w/tech specs: www.anycompany.com

I-129s -- Export Review Effective 2/1/2011

- # of I-129s reviewed since 2/1/2011: 46
- # of days in Export's review: average of 2 days
- HOW CAN YOU HELP?
 - Please answer all the questions don't skip any
 - Provide complete and detailed answers for the questions
 - Incomplete forms and/or vague answers might delay the process!
- Reviewer: Chris Catherasoo x3679

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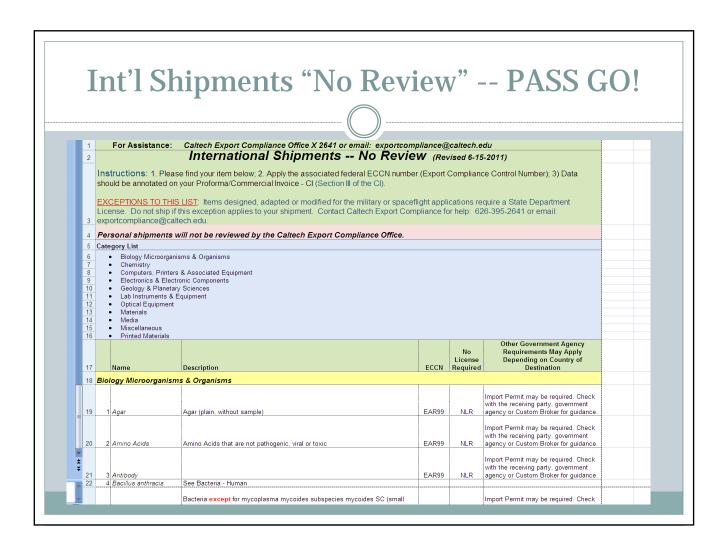
- Q 2. Please describe the work and/or activities to be performed by the beneficiary:
- Example of an inadequate description:
 - **▼** The beneficiary will perform experiments, write scientific articles and attend weekly lab meetings.
- Example of good description:
 - ▼ The beneficiary will perform biological experiments to visualize and quantify the sub-cellular mechanisms using fluorescence microscopy, to determine the up-regulation of receptors by the stimulant.

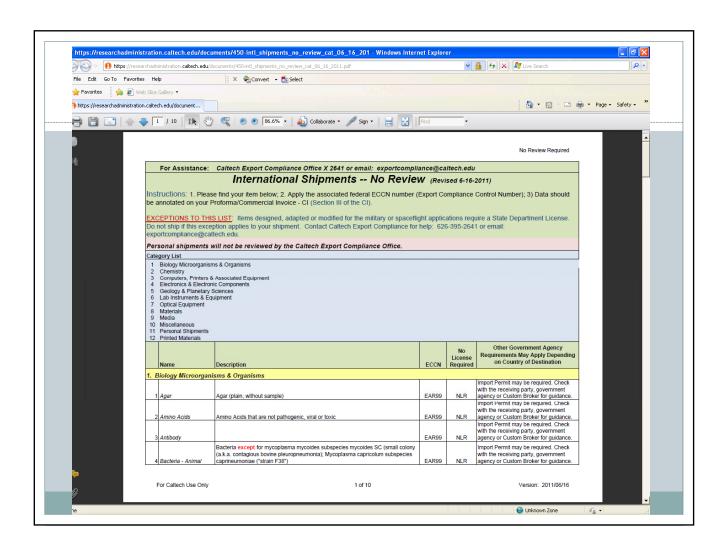
2011 JPL IAs

- JPL IAs reviewed: 38 and counting . . .
- JPL IAs that are export controlled: 5
 - These are subject to safeguarding requirements and require a Technology Control Plan in place to prevent transfers to unauthorized Foreign Persons
 - O Provost's Approval
 - Export implications for PI and researchers
 - Option: Don't bring third party export-controlled items, software or data to campus; access it at their site.

What's new?

- New on-line list of pre-cleared items for export.
- No export control review required.
- For "Caltech Internal Use Only"
- Personal Shipments are the responsibility of the Shipper not Caltech
- WHERE CAN YOU FIND IT?
 - Caltech website:
 https://researchadministration.caltech.edu/export/international
 - Hardcopy at all shipping sites
 - Periodically updated





"No Review" Shipments: Recordkeeping

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO:

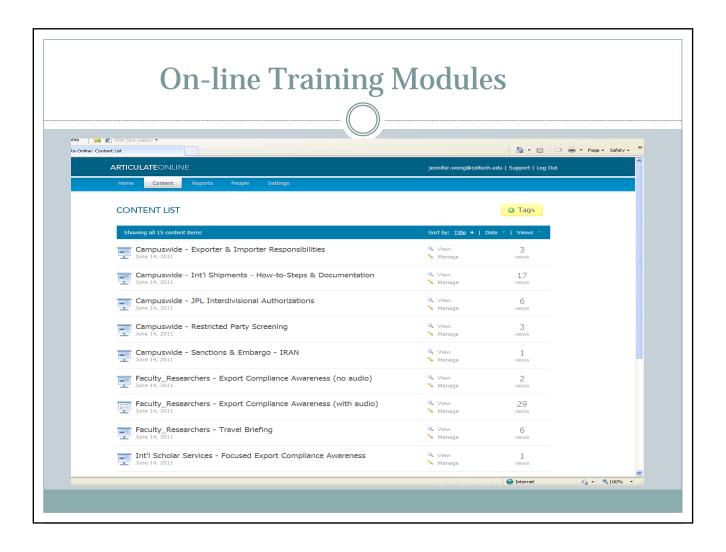
- You can add the designated ECCN on the proforma invoice in the column labeled ECCN in Section III and license determination: "NLR"
- Conduct a Restricted Party Screening on the US Gov't Consolidated
 Screening List at: http://www.export.gov/ecr/eg_main_023148.asp
- Send us a copy of the signed proforma invoice with the ECCN for our files & to help track the shipment in case of a problem

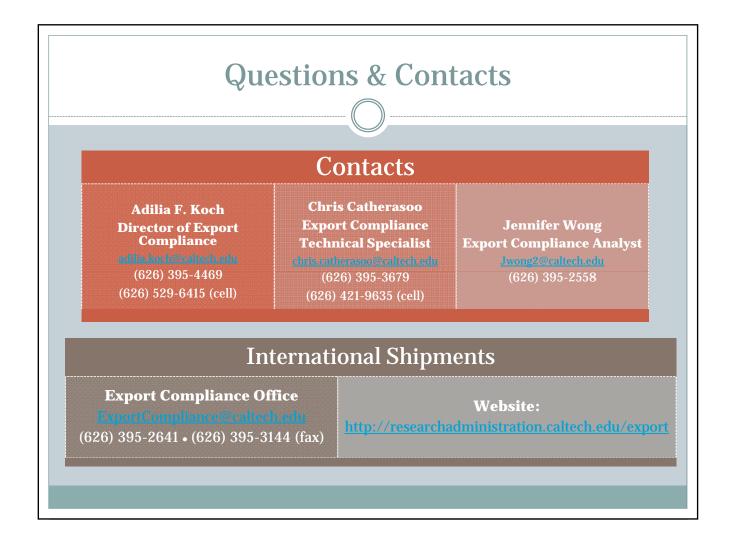
WHEN SHOULD YOU CONTACT CEC?:

- If you get an RPS hit. Don't ship the package if you think you have a potential "hit"!
- We will help you verify the potential hit and clear it. 9-10 not a hit.

What's ahead?

- On-line training modules for Staff
 - Overview
 - How to complete an I-129?
 - How to complete an Int'l Shipping Form?
- On-line training for Faculty
 - Overview
 - Sanctioned Countries
 - Travel Briefing
- On-line Focused Training modules based on roles and responsibilities
 - Shipping & Mailing
 - Procurement
 - o OSR
 - o OTT
 - Gifts





Genomic Array Costs

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Urmila's Presentation

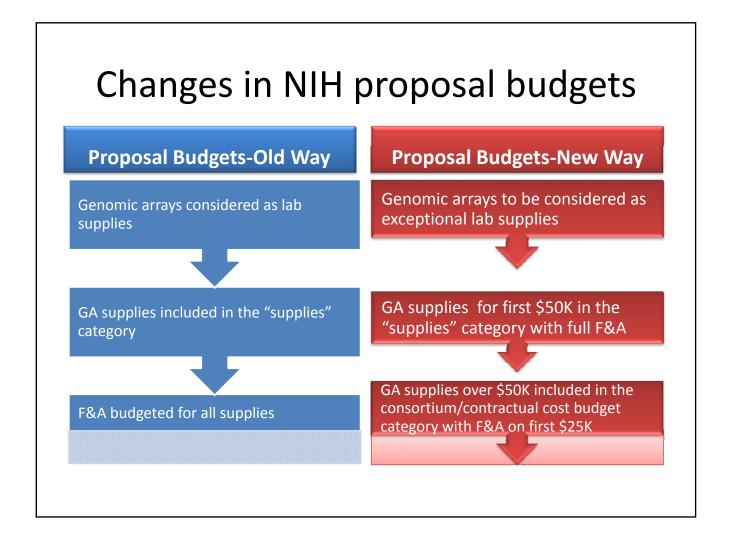
Genomic Array Costs

Presented By: Urmila Bajaj

Background

NIH Notice: NOT-OD-10-097, released May 13, 2010

- Separates highly specialized supplies from routine supplies
- Addresses application of cost principles and reimbursement policy for "high-throughput biomedical research" requiring purchasing of supply "Genomic Arrays"
- Microarrays or bead arrays have relatively high unit cost when procured from commercial sources and are often utilized in large numbers
- F&A recovered on high volumes of purchases of genomic arrays are often disproportionate to the actual administrative burden
- NIH based this policy on regulatory terminology cited in 2 CFR 220 OMB Circular A-21
- http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/notice-files/NOT-OD-10-097.html



Changes in actual costs

Old Way

Purchase orders set up for the entire amount under M&S

F&A assessed based on the PTA burden schedule

New Way

When total purchases for GA exceed \$50K per year in any year of the project

Purchase Order for:

*first \$75K assesses F&A

*over \$75K exempt from F&A

Budgeting and reimbursement of GA costs at Caltech

New Expenditure Category

Genom Array Costs

New Expenditure Types

- Geno Array-1st \$75K
- Geno Array-Over \$75K

DoD Cap on Indirect Cost Recovery

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DoD Cap on Indirect Cost Recovery

- FY2008 DoD appropriation included cap on recovery of F&A for basic research
- Applied to new and renewal awards, and continuations of those awards
- Capped at 35% TC (53.8% TDC)
- Included in FY2009 and FY2010
- NOT included in FY2011 appropriation will not apply to new awards or continuations of ongoing awards issued in FY2011

Recovery Act – Where Are We And What's Next?

Recovery Act

- Enacted in February 2009
- Last awards issued September 2010
- Caltech received 106 awards totaling \$44.8M
- Requires quarterly reporting separate from technical and financial reports
- ARRA reporting is managed by OSR, including submission each quarter.

Recovery Act (cont.)

- Quarterly reports require input of PI:
 - Project Status (% completed)
 - Quarterly Activities Statement originally NSF, now all sponsors require it.
- Report cannot be submitted without Quarterly Activities Statement

Recovery Act (cont.)

- Caltech must submit quarterly reports for each award until:
 - PI marks "completed" within CART; and
 - Final FSR is submitted (may occur 1 or more quarters after PI marks "complete").
 - PI input not required after marking "complete"
- This quarter CART data must be entered by Sunday, June 26th – Oracle down June 27th
- Will send out multiple reminders this week, but only to PIs for whom data is missing

Fabrications and Proposals

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- Although not required, OSR recommends obtaining Property Services review of fabrications before inclusion in a proposal
- If PI disagrees with Property Services assessment, Property Services will forward to VP-Research for evaluation

Fabrications and Proposals

- In anticipation of resolution, PI can submit proposal, but OSR recommends including F&A

 budget can always be revised downward later on.
- If PI does not include F&A and VP-Research does not approve, then PI will have to come up F&A from discretionary funds or request waiver from Provost

Questions?	