



In the last year, UT Austin has experienced a major shift in how research is managed with the launch of the Agreements and IRB modules. UTRMS is already providing improved reporting capabilities for central offices and departments, more transparency throughout the submission process and increased efficiency due to the automation of task-heavy processes and record keeping.

In the coming year, campus will see greater capacity for the integration of research components across campus with the launch of the Grants, Funded-Agreements and COI modules. **UTRMS will replace our existing network of legacy systems, providing a cohesive suite of electronic research management solutions to help streamline administrative and compliance-related efforts.**

Today we celebrate one year since UTRMS launched. This year's progress was made possible by the ongoing efforts of numerous individuals, departments, centers, and offices across campus in collaboration with the Project Team. It has been our great privilege to work with the research community to provide world-class support for the world-class research conducted at UT Austin.

We invite you to celebrate this milestone with us! While we do our happy dance, check out the numbers since go-live.

THE NUMBERS SINCE GO-LIVE

Distribution of Users

1,745

System users
across campus

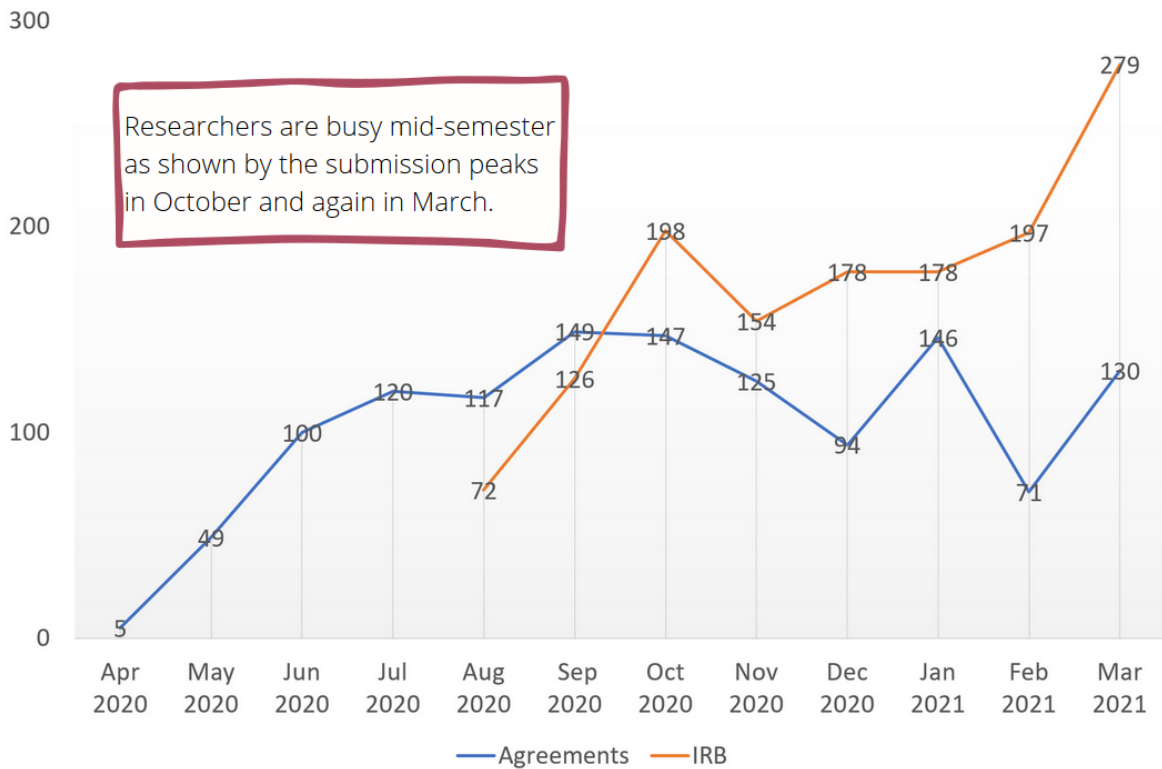


Research Support and Study Staff

PIs

Central Office

Total Submissions Per Month

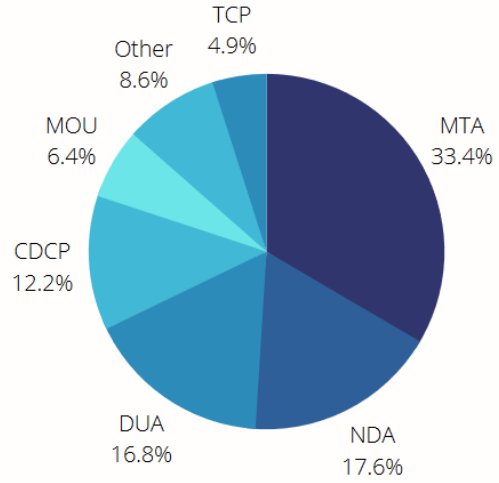


Total submissions include new agreements and studies plus modifications and continuing reviews
Agreements total submissions up to 4/1: 1,259; IRB total submissions up to 4/1: 1,382

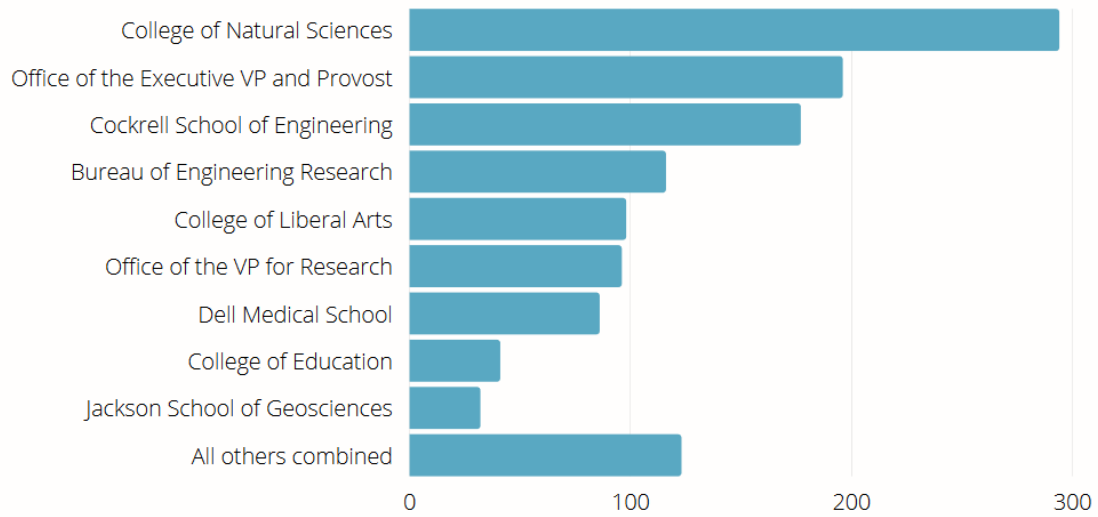
Agreements
Go-live: April 20, 2020

MTAs make up one-third of all active agreements at UT. CNS takes a clear lead as the organization with the most submissions in the Agreements module.

Active Agreements by Type



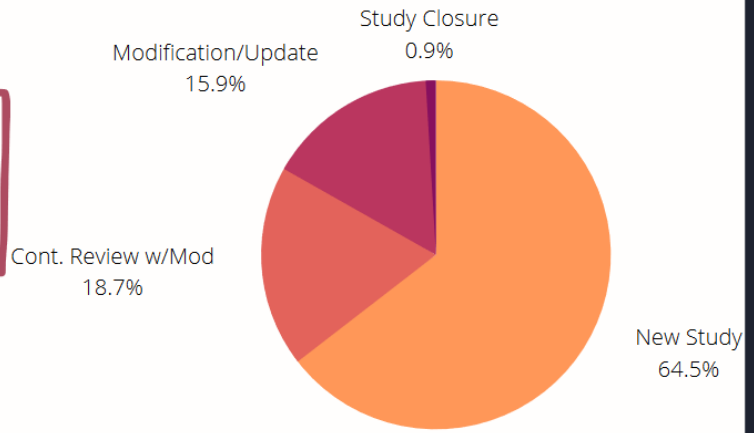
Total Agreements Submissions by Organization



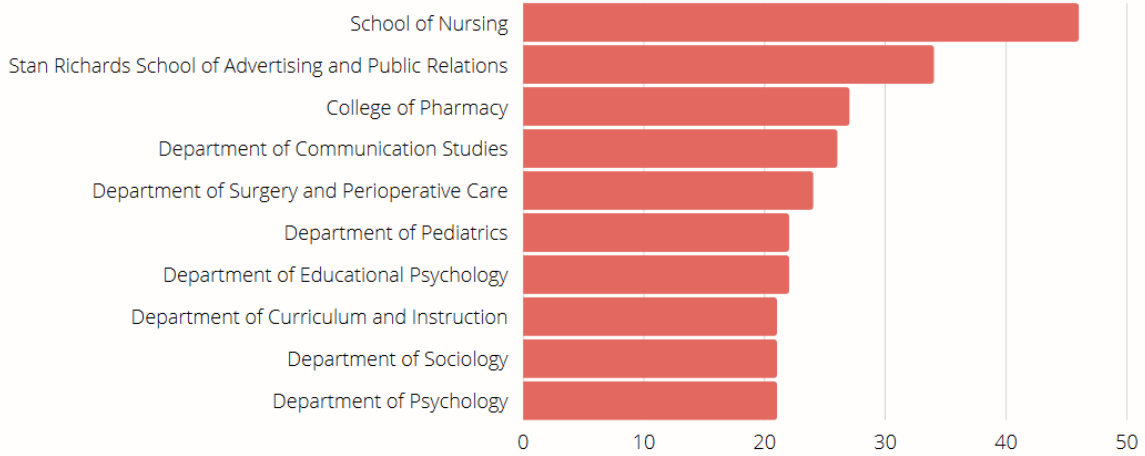
IRB
Go-live: August 11, 2020

IRB Submissions by Type

New study submissions make up two-thirds of IRB submissions. The School of Nursing has the most approved studies in UTRMS.



Top 10 Organizations for New Study Approvals



Total New Studies Approved up to 4/1 = 702

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR PRIZE WINNERS!

5 survey participants were chosen to receive a UTRMS Deluxe Swag Bag (including Yeti travel mug) and 5 will win a prize pack of their choice! *Prize winners will be contacted via email.*

A BIG THANK YOU to those who took the time to participate in our user survey! We are committed to serving the research community and will carefully consider every concern raised in your feedback. It's not too late if you would still like to provide your input. The survey will stay open until the end of April (click here to access).

Thank you for a great year!

-The Project Team



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