

EPSCoR Project Directors and Project
Administrators Meeting

**Partnerships to Advance Excellence
in Research and Education**

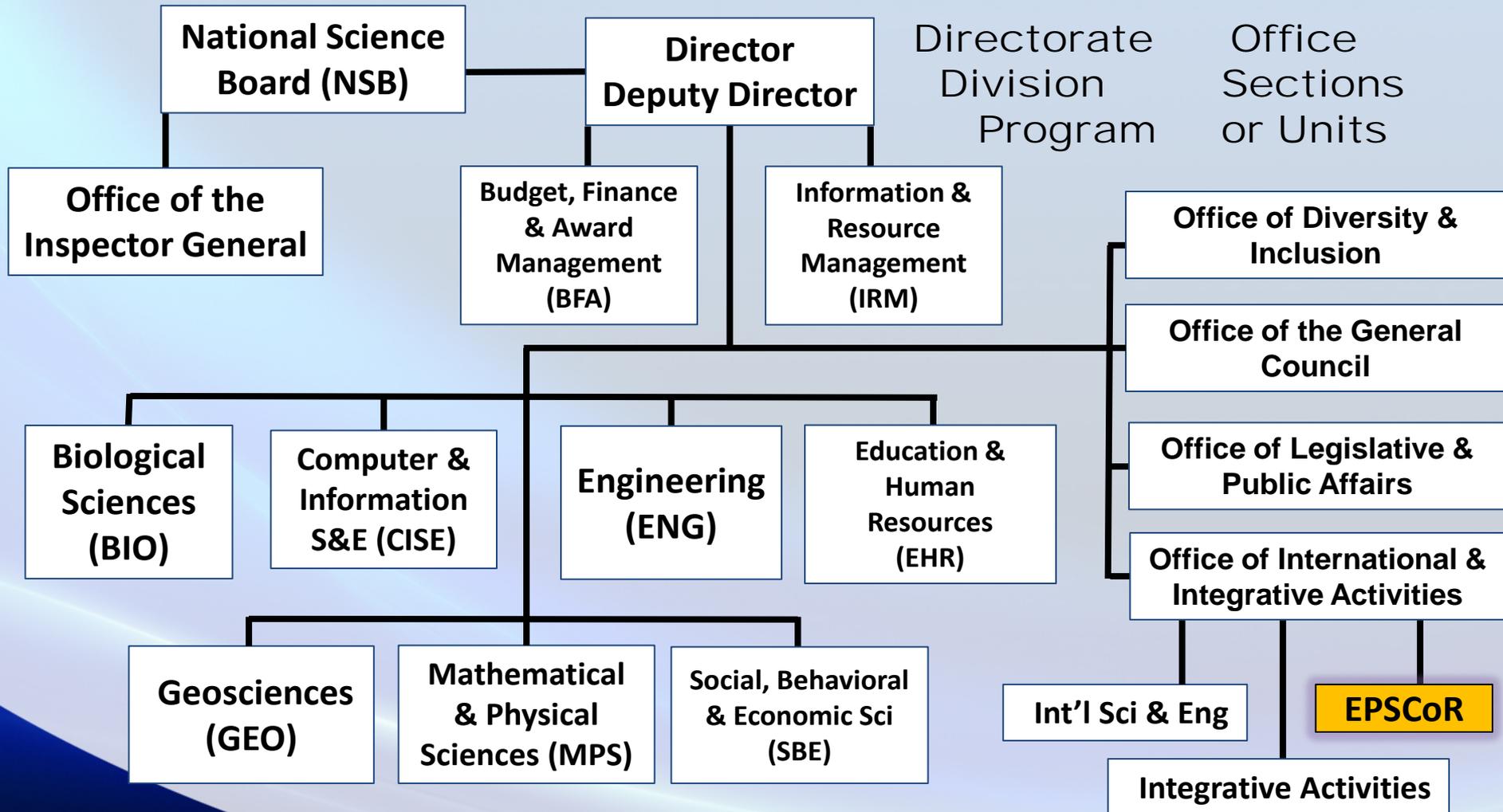
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EPSCoR Head

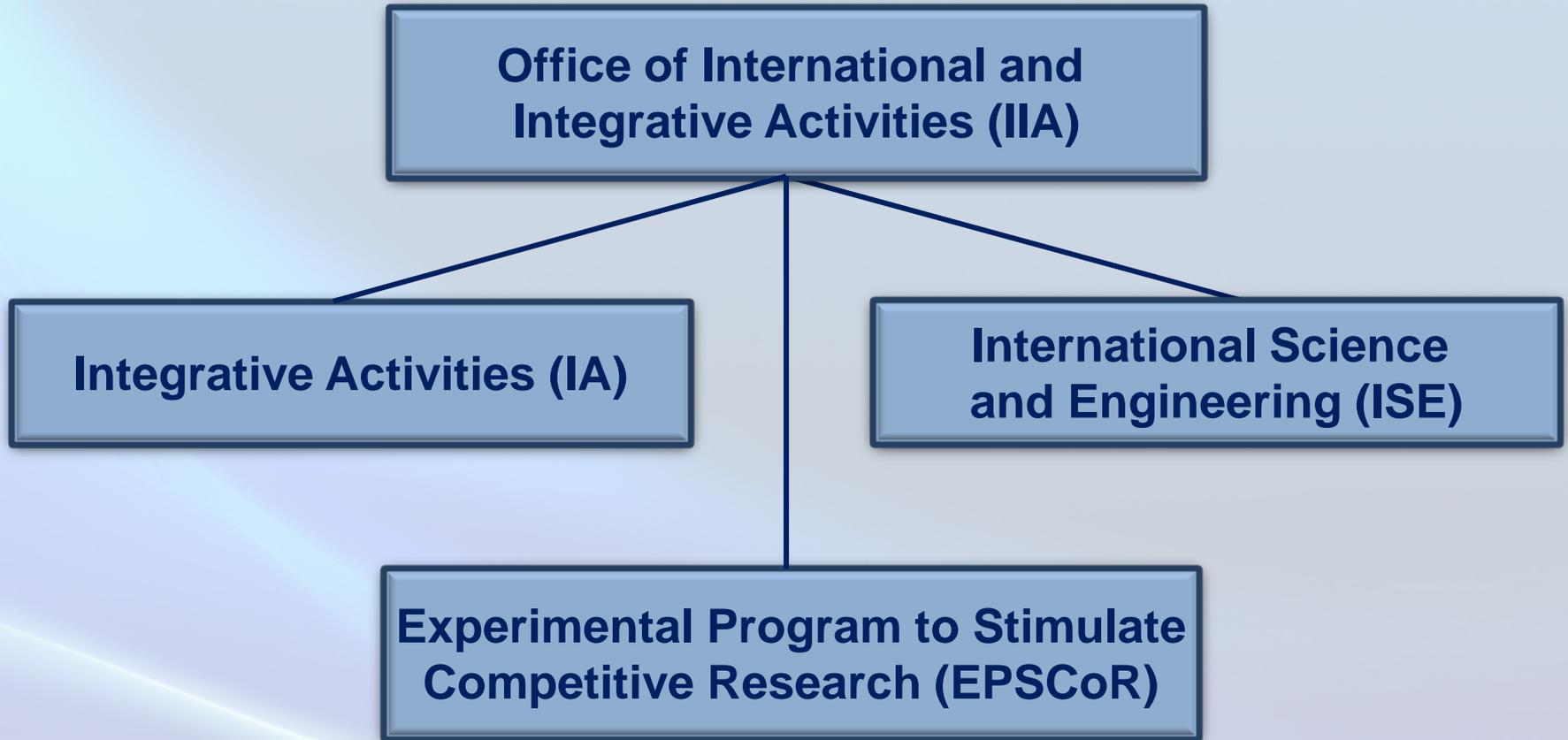
May 19-20, 2014



NSF Organization



IIA Organization



IIA Office divided into 3 sections



The EPSCoR Team



Jurisdictional Responsibilities

Sean Kennan	Kelvin Chu	Sian Mooney	Audrey Levine	Uma Venkats'n
Delaware	Alabama	Kentucky	Idaho	Alaska
Guam	Hawaii	Maine	Mississippi	Arkansas
Kansas	Iowa	Montana	New Hampshire	Nevada
Louisiana	Missouri	Nebraska	New Mexico	
S. Carolina	Puerto Rico	N. Dakota	Rhode Island	Co-funding
Utah	Tennessee	Oklahoma	S. Dakota	Outreach
Virgin Islands	W. Virginia	Vermont	Wyoming	Nat'l Conf.



EPSCoR FY14 Calendar of Events

October – November

- Track-1 Merit Review
- National Conference

January – March

- NSF Budget Rollout
- Directors Review Board

April – June

- Annual/Final reports
- RSV preparation
- PD/PA Meeting
- FY 2015 Track-1 solicitation

July – September

- Annual/Final reports
- RSVs
- RII Track-1 proposals due

Outreach, Co-funding, Other RII Tracks, RII Strategic Planning, External Evaluations



EPSCoR FY14 Target Dates

- Awards

- RII Track-1: Award target: June
- RII Track-2: Award target: August
- RII Track-3: December - February

- PD/PA Meeting: May 19-20 (3rd Mon, Tue of May)

- RSVs

- Sep. 15-16: Idaho, Oklahoma
- Sep. 17-18: Delaware, New Hampshire, Vermont
- Sep. 22-23: Iowa, Nevada, New Mexico



FY 14 RII Track-3 Awards

- **J. Monahan (AK), Engaging underserved students in environmental research through unmanned aerial vehicles**
 - Targets low-income, rural Alaskan natives at the high school level
- **M. Khonsari (LA), Promoting STEM through project-driven camps, workshops and competitions**
 - Provides professional development for high school teachers and engagement for URM students
- **M. Srivatsan (AR), Broadening STEM participation by creating an undergrad-doctoral bridge program in bio-sciences**
 - Engages females and AA in rural areas
- **A. Landers (AL), Training teachers to encourage students in science fair projects**
 - Engages URM at “high need” schools
- **M. Galindo (ID) Creating interdisciplinary courses combining western science with culturally relevant examples**
 - Targets Native Americans



EPSCoR Funding

Activity	FY09	FY10	FY11	FY12	FY13
RII	91.3	100.2	106.2	110.6	116.3
Co-Funding	41.1	45.4	39.4	38.8	30.8
Outreach & Workshops	0.5	1.5	1.2	1.5	0.5
Total	132.9	147.1	146.8	150.9	147.6



FY13 EPSCoR Co-Funding (\$M)

JD	#	EPSCoR	NSF Tot		JD	#	EPSCoR	NSF Tot
AK	4	0.60	1.56		KY	6	1.31	2.82
AL	11	1.85	4.28		LA	9	1.63	8.31
AR	7	1.02	2.26		ME	4	0.44	1.43
DE	6	1.11	2.75		MO	11	1.69	4.31
HI	8	0.73	1.62		MS	5	0.81	1.61
IA	9	1.37	2.91		MT	10	1.46	4.85
ID	9	1.26	2.72		ND	7	1.33	4.55
KS	4	0.51	1.06		NE	7	1.01	2.13

Guam did not receive any EPSCoR co-funding in FY13.



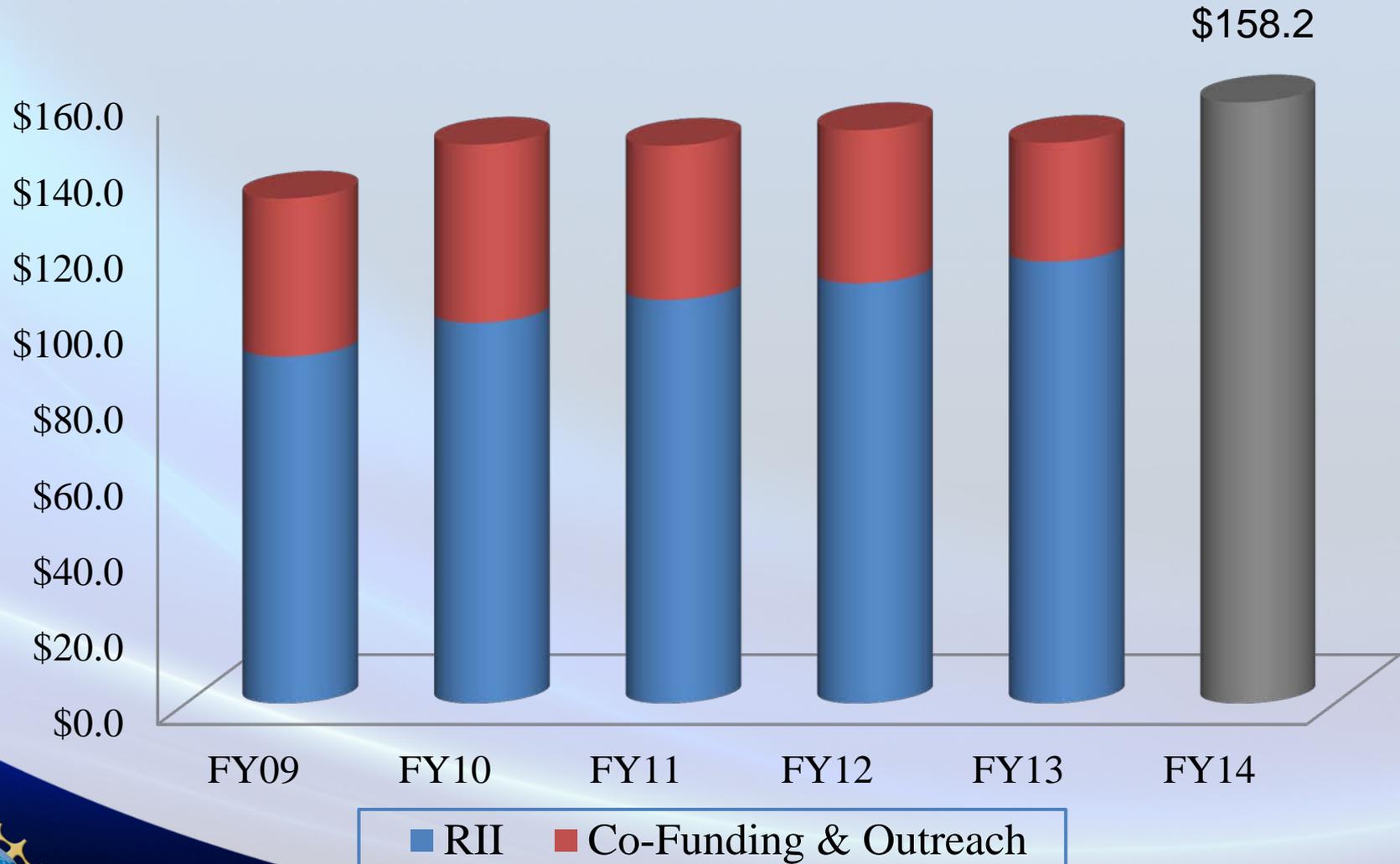
FY13 EPSCoR Co-Funding (\$M), *cont'd*

JD	#	EPSCoR	NSF Tot		JD	#	EPSCoR	NSF Tot
NH	5	0.68	1.56		SD	5	0.39	0.81
NM	11	1.57	3.50		TN	20	1.90	5.21
NV	5	0.44	1.13		UT	11	2.11	4.71
OK	8	1.01	2.43		VT	2	0.23	0.46
PR	2	0.23	0.50		WV	5	0.76	1.72
RI	2	0.45	1.40		WY	6	0.83	2.59
SC	13	1.66	4.12		Total	212	30.37	79.33

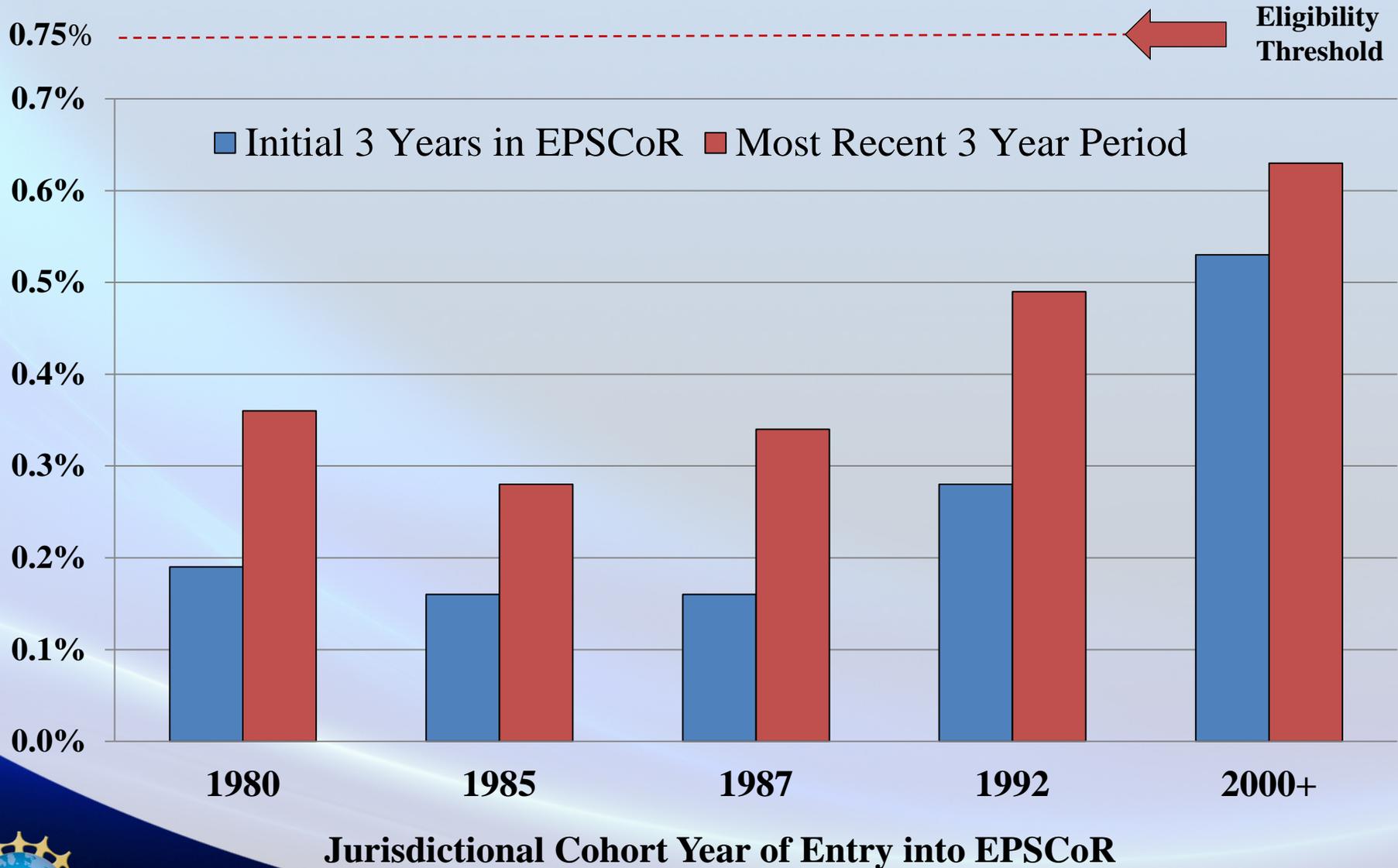
Virgin Islands did not receive any EPSCoR co-funding in FY13.



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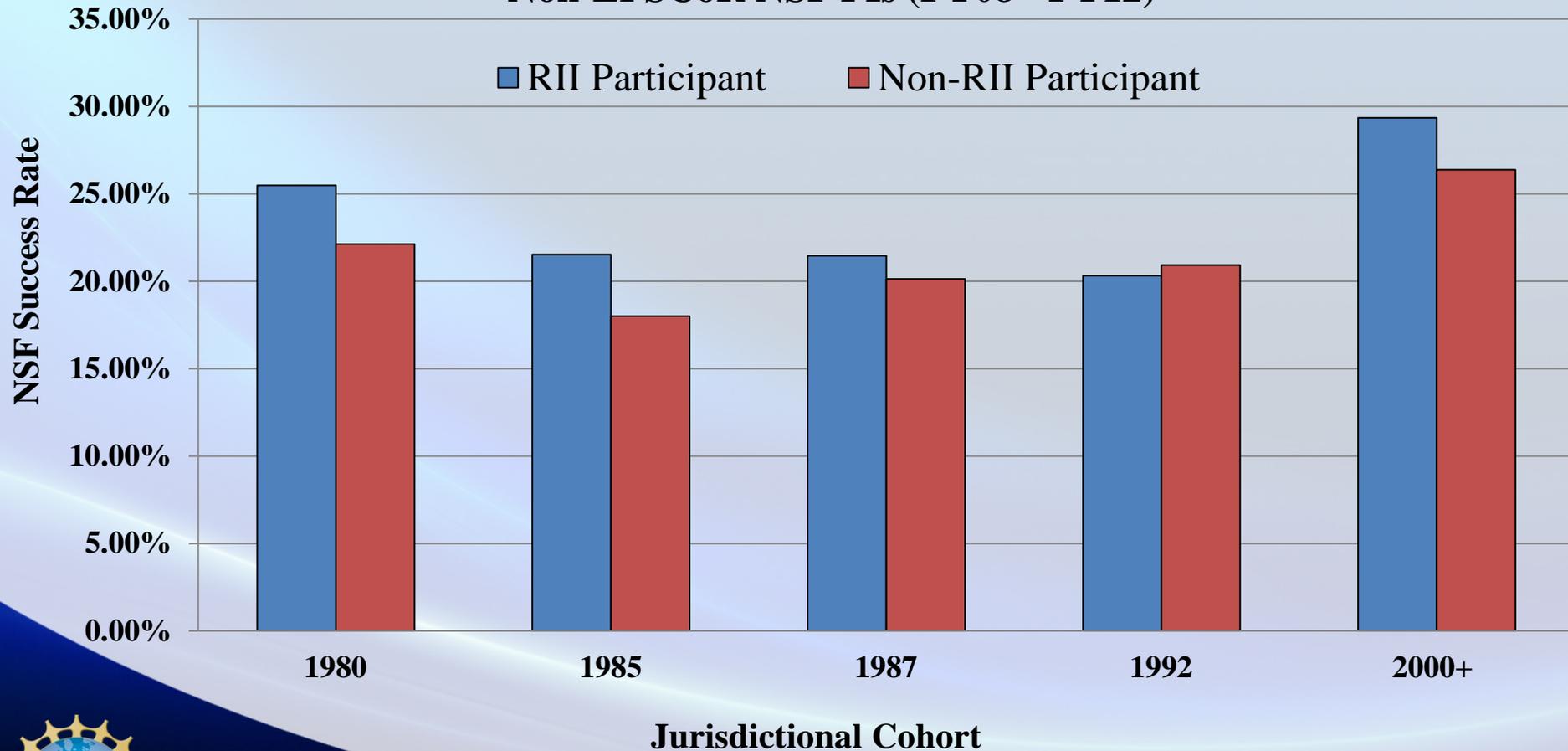


NSF Research Support Funding

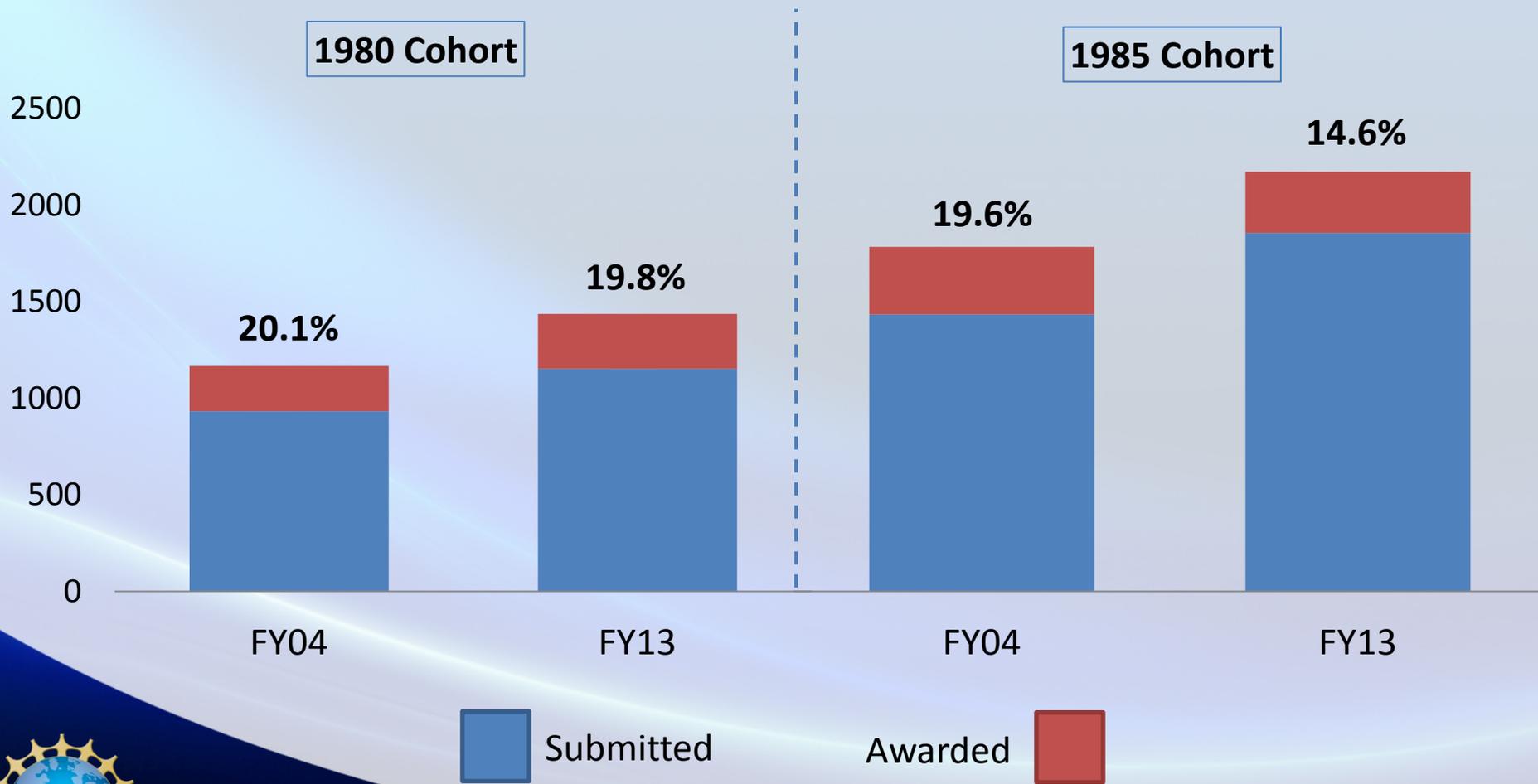


EPSCoR PIs are more successful than those not involved in EPSCoR

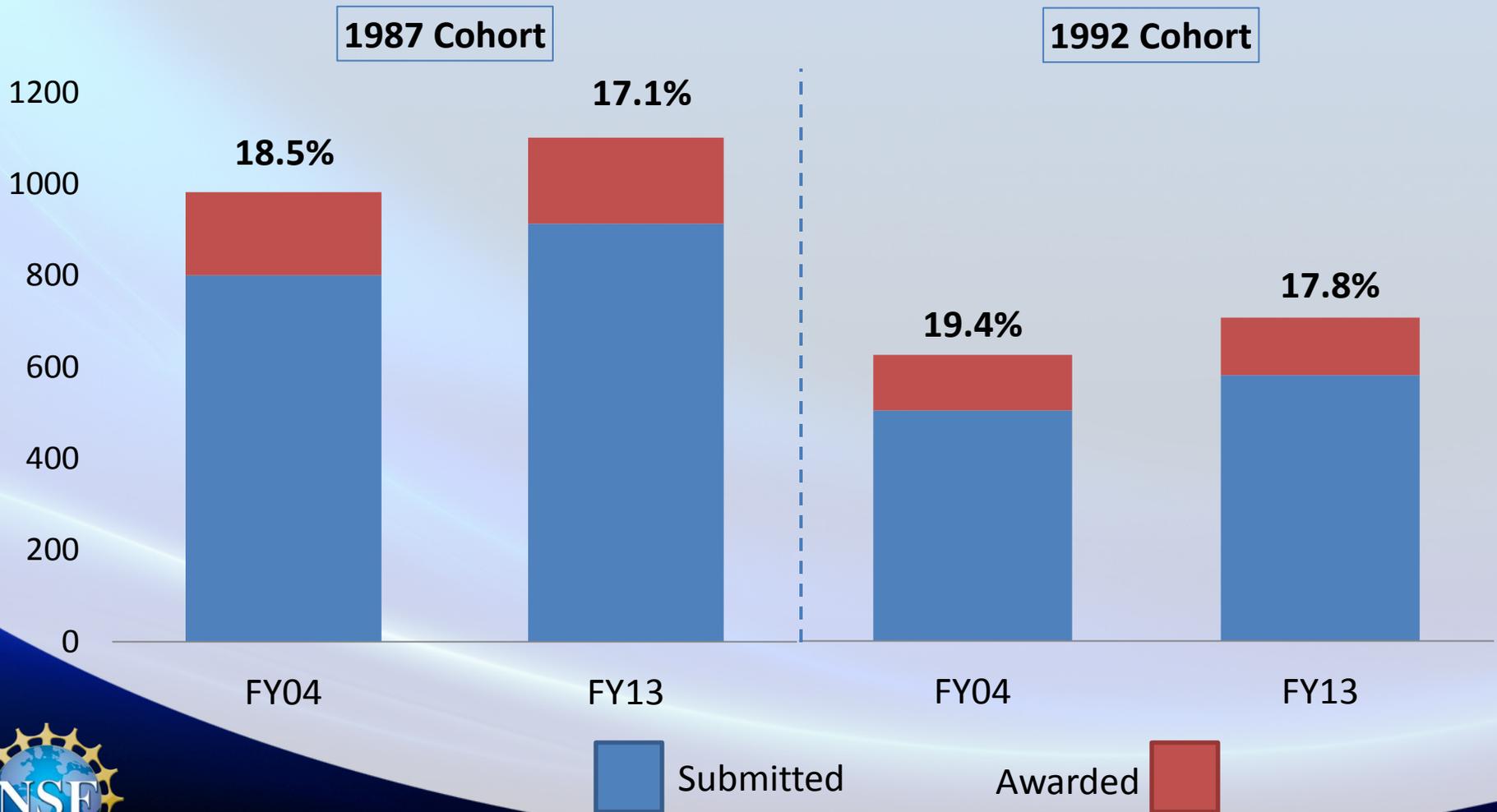
Comparison of Proposal Success Rates of EPSCoR Participants vs. Non-EPSCoR NSF PIs (FY08 - FY12)



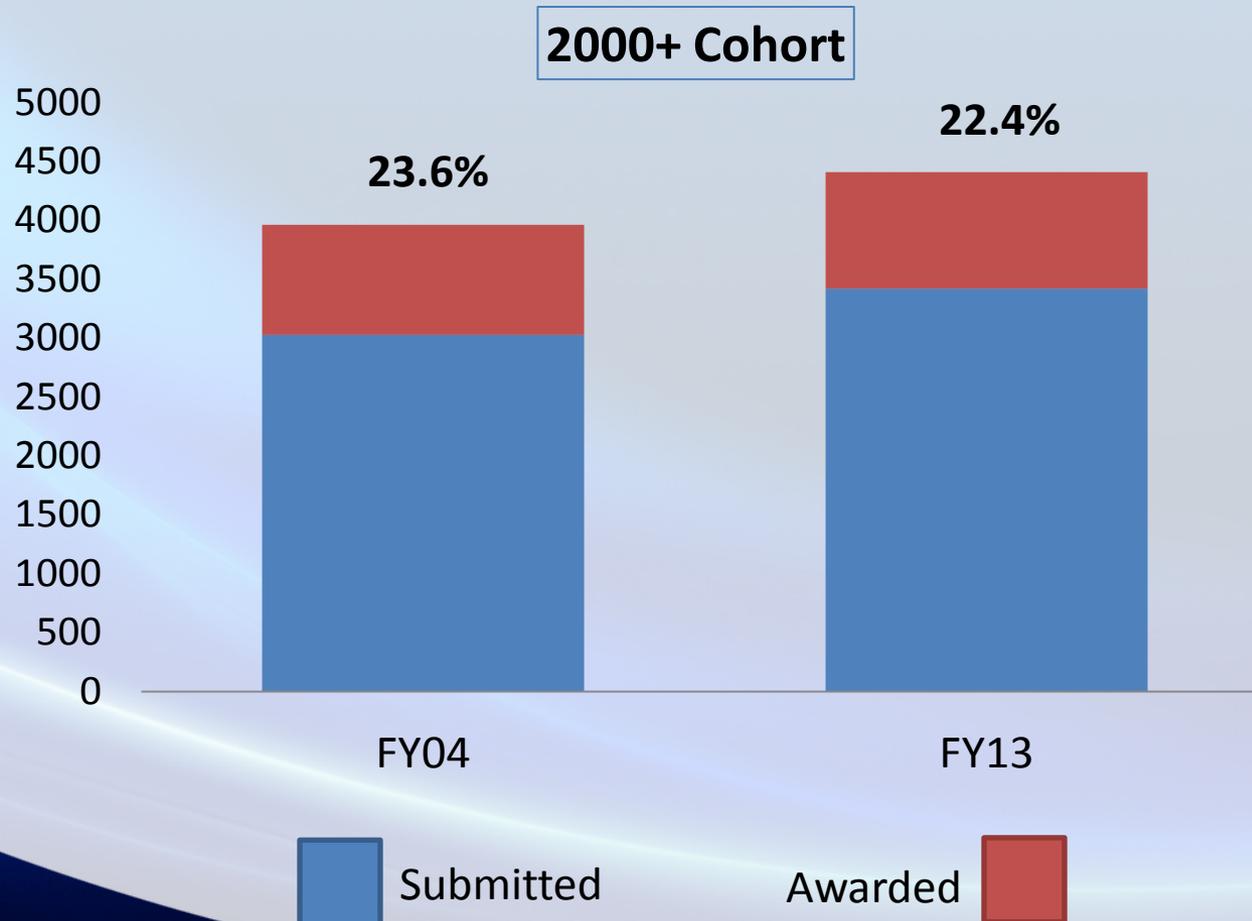
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Other Updates

- Nominations to National Science Board
- Dissemination to EPSCoR Community
 - EICC events
 - Webinars
 - XSEDE Opportunities
 - BP, Gender Summit
 - Policies, solicitations, procedures
- Developing NSF EPSCoR Strategic Plan
 - Crisper goals and objectives
- RII Track-2
 - Being Revised
 - Inter-jurisdiction collaboration will be retained



EPSCoR Branding

- Response to *EPSCoR 2030*
 - Research Impacts – quality of life
 - STEM Education Impacts
 - Economic Development
- Strongly encouraged to complete other messages
- Continue to provided resources
- Clear, concise communication of results is one priority of NSF Senior Leaders
- Piloting Tier II sessions – emphasis is delivery
 - Iowa: July
 - Mississippi: September



Thank You

