



## CALL FOR PROPOSALS Space Florida-Israel Innovation Partnership

## **Deadline for Submission: February 20, 2023 Focus on: Aerospace and related research projects**

# **INTRODUCTION**

The goal of the Florida – Israel program is to promote joint R&D collaboration amongst companies in the State of Florida and the State of Israel.

Proposals will be accepted in innovative aerospace, aviation, and related technological fields, including but not limited to, the following:

- Satellite Communication
- Small Satellite Technology and Small Launch Vehicles
- Space Research Related Sensor Technology (including bio-sensors)
- Nano-Materials and Coatings for Space Applications
- Electric Power Resources for Space Applications
- Microgravity Research related to Human Life Sciences
- Unmanned Aerial Systems
- Nano-, Flex- and Low-Power Electronics
- Micro- and Nano-Robotics
- 3D Printing
- Airborne Radiation Sensing
- Fuel Cells
- Bio-Ag & Water Issues research
- Cyber-Security
- And other Space and Aerospace-Related Technologies

Successful companies will receive funding directly from their country according to its regulations and procedures: companies from Israel will be funded by the Israel Innovation Authority, and companies from Florida will be funded by Space Florida.

## **MODE OF COLLABORATION**

To be eligible to apply for a grant, applicants must be a partnership consisting of at least one for-profit Florida company and one for-profit Israeli company. Companies are required to comply with the application requirements set forth and program conditions respective to each funding jurisdiction.

Participation of research institutions/universities is welcome as subcontractors in accordance with each jurisdiction's funding regulations.



<u>SCHEDULE</u>	
Item	Time and Date Due
Publication Date Call for Projects	September 19, 2022
Submittal of Required Application	February 20, 2023
Documents	** Applications in Israel should be submitted by noon, Israel time.
Evaluation Period	February 23, 2023- May 30, 2023
Awards	By the end of June 2023

## **Criteria, Application and Information:**

For Israeli companies, the preconditions and criteria for evaluation of by the Israel Innovation Authority, the application process and all other information are detailed in the incentive program for <u>Bilateral R&D and Pilots</u>.

For information related to companies in Florida, please visit the <u>Space Florida</u> <u>website</u>.

#### Funding

For Israeli companies, the Israel Innovation Authority provides grants of up to 50% of the company's project budget (with no set limit).

For Florida companies, Space Florida provides grants up to \$400K per proposal and up to \$1 million in total to all winning proposals, as detailed on the Space Florida website.

SPACE FLORIDA AND THE ISRAEL INNOVATION AUTHORITY HAVE FULL DISCRETION AND AUTHORITY TO DETERMINE (1) WHICH APPLICANTS, IF ANY, RECEIVES GRANTS UNDER THIS PROGRAM, (2) THE AMOUNTS OF SUCH GRANTS, AND (3) WHETHER MATERIAL CHANGES TO THE PROJECT AS DESCRIBED IN THE APPLICARTION SUBMITTAL DOCUMENTS ARE CAUSE FOR RESCISSION OF A PORTION OR THE ENTIRE GRANT AWARD. SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS DOES NOT GUARANTEE AN AWARD OR RECEIPT OF ANY GRANT UNDER THIS PROGRAM.

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