# Guiding Principles of Nonprofit Funder and Research Institution Partnerships

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#### Goal

To establish a framework that encourages long-term nonprofit funder and research institution collaborations

### **Background**

- Adapted from University Industry Demonstration Partnership Principles
- Outline principles to foster a productive relationship
- Missions define the scope of potential collaborations

# 3 Guiding Principles

## **Guiding Principle 1**

Collaborative efforts and activities should focus on fostering effective long-term partnerships based on mutual trust.

#### **Guiding Principle 2**

A successful collaboration supports both missions and recognizes and appreciates the partner's differences and respective constraints.

## **Guiding Principle 3**

Focus on the benefits that will result from efficient and effective collaborations.

#### **Current Initiatives**

- Streamlining Administrative Requirements
- Research Operating Costs
- Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer