

BROAD AGENCY ANNOUNCEMENT 2020 FOR RAILROAD RESEARCH



FRA's Office of Research, Development & Technology is dedicated to conducting research that improves railroad safety, promotes innovation, and supports national rail transportation policy. These efforts further U.S. Department of Transportation strategic goals, FRA's mission, and the rail industry as a whole.

FRA is releasing the Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) to solicit proposals on a variety of research topic areas that will have a direct impact on the safety and efficiency of freight and passenger rail operations in the United States. Submissions will undergo evaluation and selection by the Office of Research, Development & Technology.

The 2020 General BAA provides opportunities to conduct applied technology research in FRA's four research areas:

- Track
- Rolling Stock
- Train Control & Communication
- Human Factors

For more information about the BAA, including program guidelines, specific research topics under consideration, and submission deadlines, visit: <https://railroads.dot.gov/program-areas/research-and-development-funding/broad-agency-announcement>



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