GrantsNOW Fusion Practices

The pre-awards solution you can configure to suit your institution's processes and terminology.

Typically, institutions and research administrators face several challenges when using existing pre-awards solutions

- Difficulty to configure admin console as per the organisation's needs
- Inability to change/modify configurations by themselves
- Complex cost configuration process
- Absence of role-based access to the admin console
- Dependence on their pre-award software provider to modify/add functionalities

GrantsNow makes configuration and institutional need-based changes a hassle free process

GrantsNow provides administrators' access to the admin console enabling them to configure everything from rates used to calculate costs, to defining drop-down lists included in the creation of proposal.

Configure costing related dependencies, such as institutional rates, staff and non-staff related cost configurations, cost and funding categories, indirect cost related configuration, and FX conversions amongst other things

Common configurations that cover other aspects such as lookup values associated with pre-awards

Configure funder related rules which is important for the 'pricing' of a proposal

TRAC related changes can be easily configured by the institution, a functionality not seen in other applications

Ability to apply rate changes at any time and for an effective date applied. This allows for accurate costing of a proposal in the past or the future

Admin Console page filters admin screens based on their functionalities. Sections include all configurations and are further classified into proposal, costing, pricing, and other common configurations

Screens appear based on the sections selected.

Proposal configuration includes approval/workflow setup screen, ethical questionnaires, and proposal status history

Role-based access enables admin users to use the admin console with screens for setup and configuration