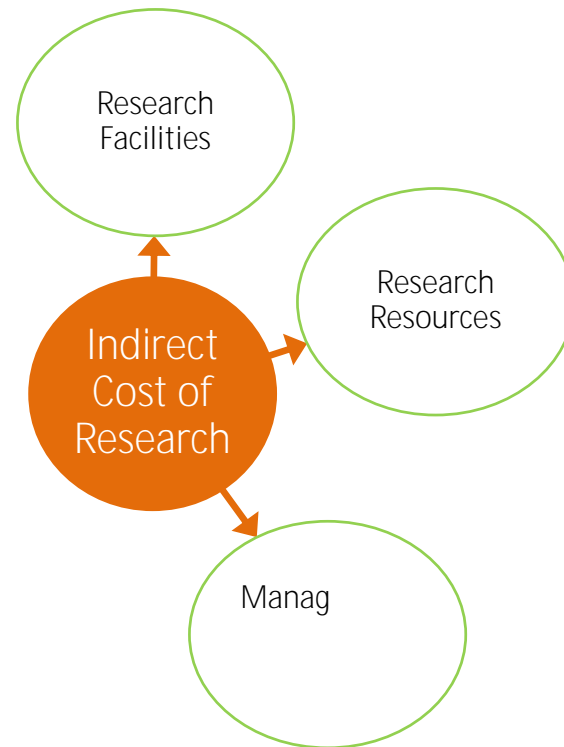


Cape Breton University

Research Support Fund 2018-2019

What is the Research Support Fund Program?

The Research Support Fund (RSF) program is funded by the Government of Canada to assist Canadian post-secondary institutions with the costs associated with managing their research enterprise and helping universities and colleges to maintain a world-class research environment. This permanent program provides Canadian universities and colleges with an annual grant to help pay for a portion of their indirect costs of research. See <http://www.rs-fsr.gc.ca/home> for more information about the program.



What are the Indirect Costs of Research?

The term “indirect costs” refers to the central and departmental administrative costs that institutions incur to support research which are not attributable to specific research projects. In other words, the costs institutions must cover to allow research activities to take place. Indirect costs can be divided into five general categories.

Questions about the RSF should be directed towards CBU’s Major Research Projects Officer

How is the Research Support Fund Calculated?

How did CBU use the Institutional Allocation?

**Total CBU Allocation of Research Support Fund in
2018-2019: \$446,681**

Expenditures incurred in 2018-2019:

11.1% Research Facilities

\$49,661 towards support for research