Request For Applications Multiple Awards for Central Region Distributed Education MSW Program

Questions Submitted by February 9, 2015 by 5pm

Question 1:

The sample contract in the RFA has an Intellectual Property clause which states:

“As a condition to provide services to CIBHS, consultant shall grant CIBHS the ongoing use of any intellectual property used to provide the contracted for services and developed by the consultant prior to this contract. “Intellectual Property” refers to works of authorship, including copyrights, copyright applications and copyright registrations; trade secrets, and other proprietary rights relating to intangible property (excluding trademarks, trade names and service marks).”

Neither the MSW Program or the University are agreeable to waiving Intellectual Property rights to the curriculum delivered in the MSW Program or to other items or materials related to the MSW degree program. We would need to retain all intellectual property rights if we are to pursue this proposal. I am contacting you to ask whether you would accept a proposal (and subsequent contract) that does not grant intellectual property rights to CIBHS.

Response to Question 1:

This requirement may be waived by CIBHS, if necessary.

No other questions were received.