## IU Bloomington Research Space Guidelines

## **KEY PRINCIPLES**



Research space **belongs to the institution** 



Space is **assigned to activities**, not individuals



Space allocation based on

programmatic needs



Space allocation considers future research productivity



**Interdisciplinary research** should be promoted



**Develop metrics** for research space utilization



Vacant or underutilized space **should** 

be repurposed

## RECOMMENDATIONS

Create **advisory committees** for interdisciplinary buildings

Form a **research space** subcommittee

Design **flexible** research spaces

Provide centralized research storage

Maintain and review

space records

Review **space guidelines** regularly



## RESEARCH SPACE ALLOCATION PROCESS

Deans; Chair; Directors

Assess space needs and productivity

Vice President for Research

Collaborates with Deans; Chairs; Directors

Research Space Subcommittee

Assesses space needs for research

**Campus Space Committee** 

Coordinates space planning across campus