BROAD AGENCY ANNOUNCEMENT 2019 FOR RAILROAD RESEARCH

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HUMAN FACTORS 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 the 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. The submissions will then undergo evaluation and selection by the Office of Research, Development & Technology.

The 2019 BAA provides a listing for multiple topics organized by FRA's four research areas:

- Track
- Rolling Stock and Equipment
- Train Control
- Human Factors

For more information about each BAA, including program guidelines, specific research topics under consideration, and submission deadlines, visit: <u>https://www.fra.dot.gov/Page/P0506</u>



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