The Office of Research Administration will now accept and submit applications for sponsored projects where **Postdoctoral Researchers** serve in the role of Principal Investigator where the following criteria are met:

- 1. The program announcement/solicitation specifically states that postdoctoral researchers are eligible to be PI; and
- 2. The <u>Postdoctoral Fellow Intent to Serve as PI</u> form with all required signatures (Postdoc, Mentor and Department Chair/Division Chief) is submitted to ORA along with the proposal. The form can also be found on the ORA <u>Proposal & Applications: Forms and Templates</u> page.

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