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## CLOSEOUT MEMORANDUM

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### Closeout Memorandum

Based on information developed during a proactive review, we investigated an allegation that a PI at an awardee university failed to disclose outside employment and affiliations in proposals submitted to NSF. Our investigation did not substantiate the allegation. We reviewed the professor's award documents, travel records, and university grant records. We also interviewed the PI and a representative from the university. During his interview, the PI confirmed his affiliation with international institutions as a consultant and foreign expert. However, the PI disclosed his outside affiliations to the university and made partial disclosures regarding those affiliations in NSF proposals. We found no evidence that the PI received undisclosed research funding.

This investigation warrants no further investigative activity. This case is closed.