



Calling All Delirium Investigators!

Announcing the NIDUS Research Hub Challenge

**\$1000
Prize!**

Have you used the NIDUS Delirium Research Hub to further your delirium research program and/or build your collaborative connections? If so, we encourage you to submit what you have done for the **NIDUS Research Hub Challenge Prize**.

NIDUS is a collaborative, multidisciplinary network dedicated to the acceleration of scientific discovery in delirium research, through focused collaboration and creation of sustainable infrastructure to enhance innovative and high-quality research.

The NIDUS Human and Animal Research Hubs include meta-data on over 1500 delirium research studies, including information on whether data, biospecimens, and specialized data (neuroimaging, neurophysiology) are available for sharing and whether the study PI is open to collaboration. It is our hope that the Research Hub will facilitate collaboration, secondary data analyses, and pilot studies to advance delirium research.

Researchers who can demonstrate creative use of the NIDUS Research Hub to foster collaboration and/or solve a problem in delirium research are eligible to receive a prize of \$1000 for use towards initiating or expanding their work.

Use of the Hub may include but is not limited to the following uses:

- Identifying potential collaborators for a research project or grant
- Identify research studies that collected data/specimens of interest
- Compile meta-data for a review

To be considered for the NIDUS Research Hub Challenge Prize, please complete the attached 1 page form that includes:

- Your name, institution, and contact information
- Project title and brief description of your use of the Hub
- End results of Hub use—a published paper, grant application, scientific abstract, new collaboration evidenced by data use or specimen sharing agreement between institutions, etc.
- Future implications of your work
- Please also append your use of The Hub via screenshot(s) of the results of your search using either the NIDUS human or animal research hub webpage. This should include key words input to narrow down your search, the number of studies that met your search criteria, and a list of the first 3 studies that are displayed from your search.

All applications should be submitted to nidus@hsl.harvard.edu by September 29, 2023.

Winners will be announced via email and on the NIDUS website by November 3, 2023. We look forward to seeing the creative and innovative ways investigators use the Research Hub.

Please contact nidus@hsl.harvard.edu with any questions.



NIDUS
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Delirium: Unifying Scientists

NIDUS Research Hub Challenge Prize Application Form

Name(s) of Applicant:

Institution(s):

E-mail(s):

Phone Number (as backup):

Title of Project:

Brief Description of Project (one paragraph):

End Results of Hub Use:

- A product (e.g., abstract, grant application, paper), or
- Specific plan to advance ongoing work

Future Implications of your work:

Screen Shots (OK to use additional pages if needed):