



UConn (Storrs) Research 2015

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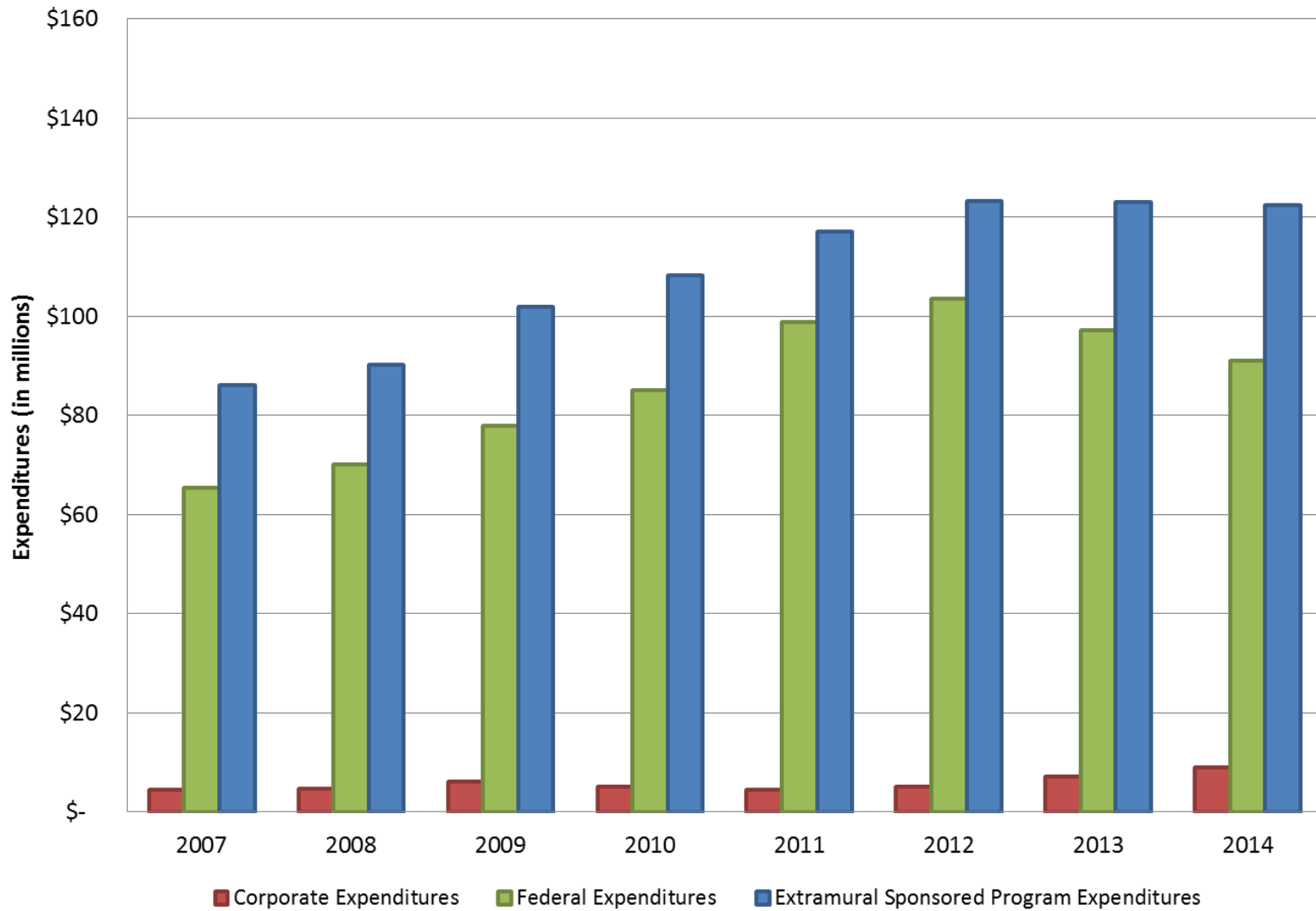
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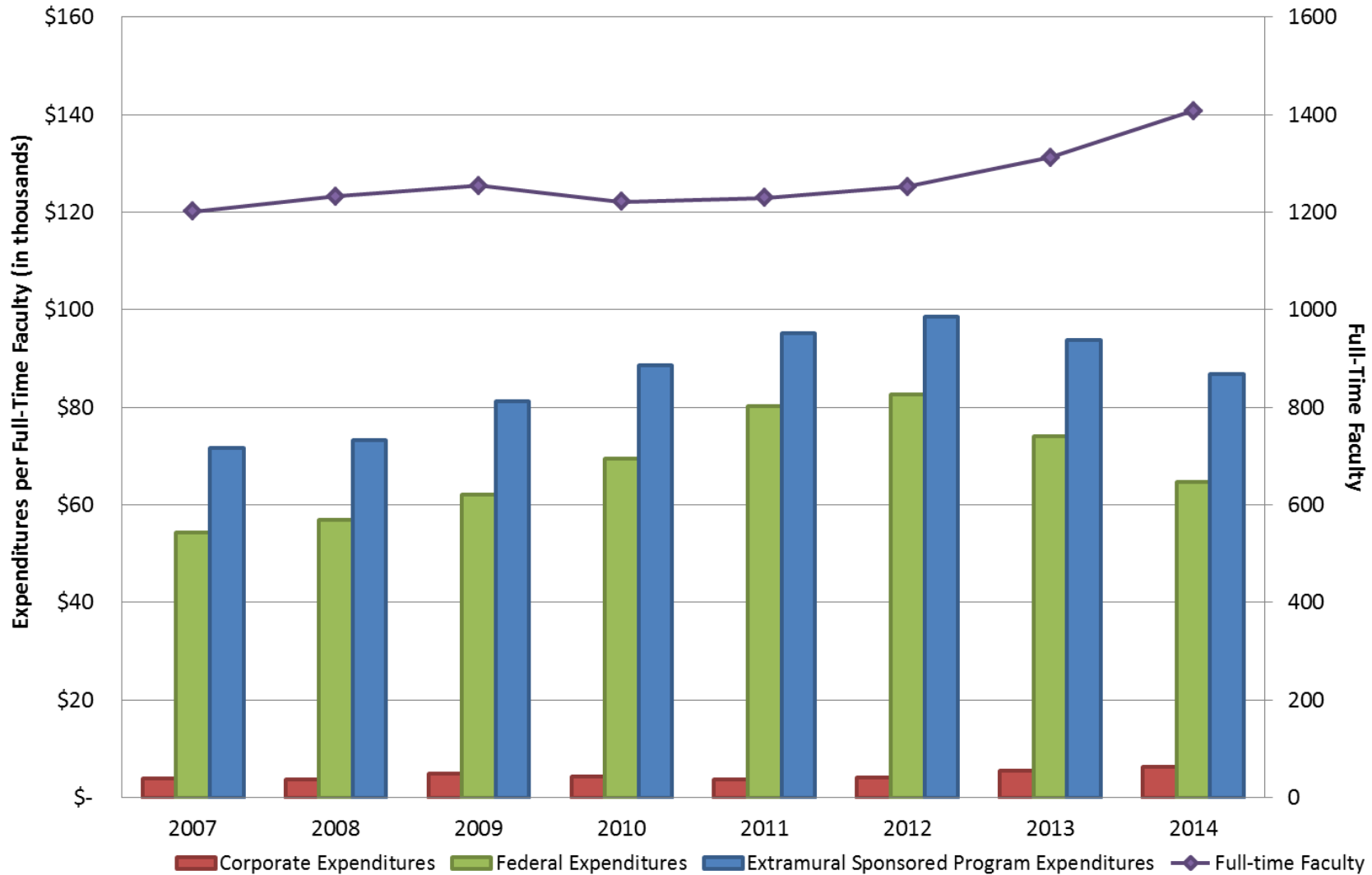
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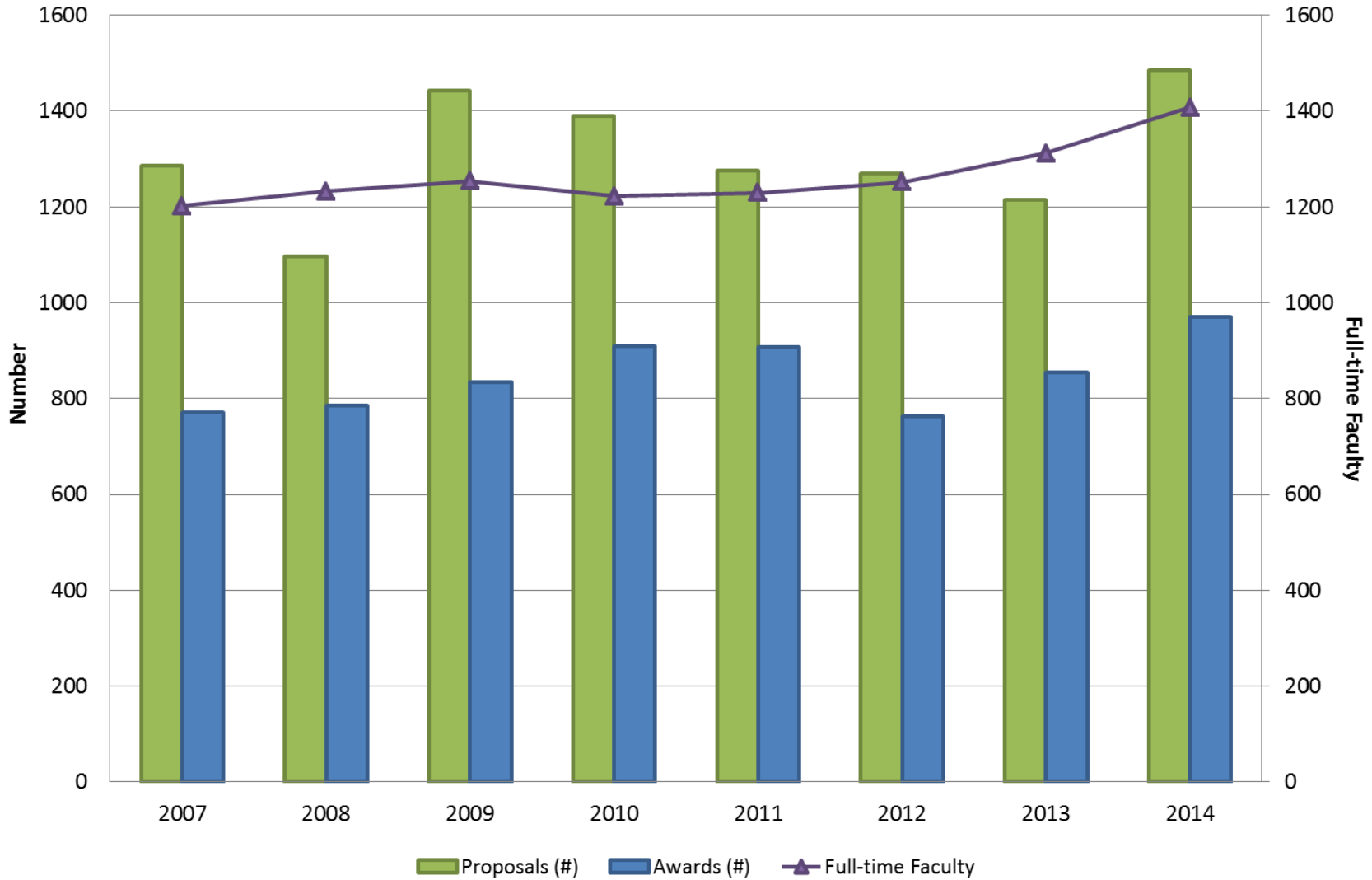
University of Connecticut Storrs Sponsored Program Expenditures, FY2007- FY2014



University of Connecticut Storrs Sponsored Program Expenditures per Full-Time Faculty, FY2007- FY2014

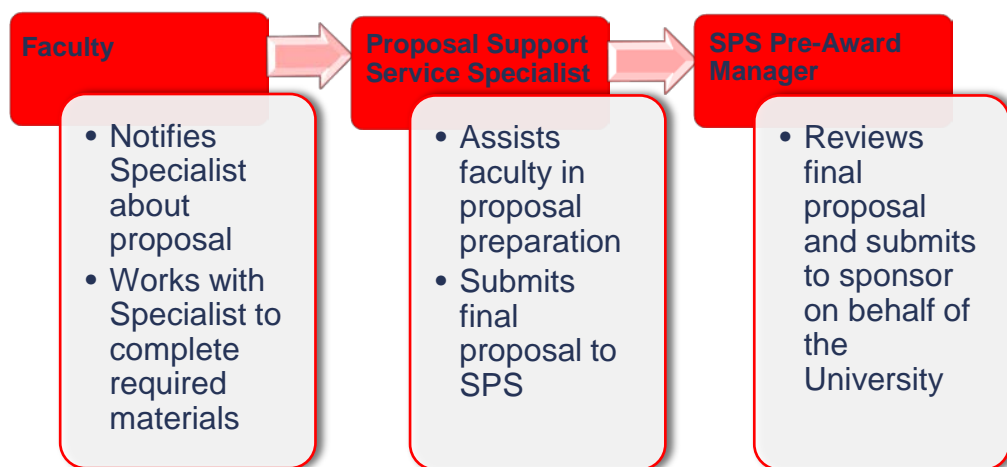


University of Connecticut Storrs Sponsored Program Proposals and Awards, FY2007- FY2014



OVPR Proposal Support Services

Goal: To support and grow the research enterprise by providing excellent, consistent proposal development support for University faculty



Proposal Support Services:

- Provides **exceptional administrative support** from proposal assembly to submission from expert resources
- Allows faculty to focus on the **scientific development** of the application
- A team of specialists ensures **support is always available** to faculty during University hours
- Helps faculty produce **higher quality proposals** in greater numbers

- Two units are currently supported
- Three additional units are in preparation for onboarding

OVPR Faculty Funding Programs FY15

- **Faculty Travel**
 - \$525,000 allocated
- **Research Excellence Program (REP)**
 - 108 proposals submitted
 - \$3.2 M in requested funding
 - \$1.0 M to be awarded 3/20/15
- **Scholarship Facilitation Fund (SFF)**
 - 62 applications; \$110,000 in requested funding
 - 55 funded; \$85,000 allocated
- **Bridge Funding & Match on Grants**
 - \$276,000 currently funded
 - \$1.1 M pending in support of submitted proposals

OVPR eResearch Support 2015

- **100G connectivity**
 - For intra-campus and inter-campus (Storrs-Farmington) collaborations
- **Electronic systems coming soon (Spring/Summer 2015)**
 - Financial Conflict of Interest – eFCOI (InfoEd)
 - Effort Reporting and Certification – eERC (Homegrown)
 - Environmental Health & Safety – eEHS – for staff training and facility inspections (Homegrown)
 - Animal protocol development, review, and management (Elements by Topaz Technologies)
 - Animal ordering and billing (Elements, Fall 2015)
 - Grant proposal routing and submission (InfoEd, Fall 2015)

OVPR Research Development Services FY15

- **Grant Writing Workshops**
 - March 2014 (All schools/colleges except SOM)
 - 2 workshops offered
 - 255 participants
 - March/April 2015 (All schools/colleges)
 - 5 workshops offered
 - Currently 282 registrants
- **Hanover Research**
 - External consultants to assist faculty with grant proposal development
 - Provide expert consultation, technical assistance, and institutional analyses
- **Funding Info Resources**

OVPR Funding Info Resources FY15

research.uconn.edu/funding

- **Extramural Sponsors**

- Federal Agencies
- New England Agencies
- Connecticut State Agencies
- Foundations & Corporations
- Student Funding
- Early Career Development
- Limited Submissions Guidelines

- **Current Funding Announcements**

- **RSS Feeds (NIH, NSF, STTI)**

- **University-Wide Access to Funding Databases**

- Foundation Directory Online (corporate, private, non-profit)
- Grants.gov
- Pivot (federal, state, public, private)