

### **NSF CAREER Application Checklist**

- Cover sheet (*available in the submission system*)
- Project Description (*15 pages including research project proposal with objectives, methods, an expected significance, educational activities, broader impacts*)
- References Cited (*no page limit*)
- PI Biosketch including both research and education activities (*use SciENCv*)
- Departmental Letter from Chair (*2 pages -- be sure to put the letter in the Supplementary Documents section, not the Single Copy Documents section*)
- Letters of collaboration, NOT letters of support or recommendation (*1 page each, should use NSF's single-sentence format*)
- Budget and budget justification (*maximum 5 pages*)
- Data management plan (*2 pages*)
- Post-doctoral mentoring plan, if applicable (*1 page*)
- Collaborators and Other Affiliations Information (*NSF Excel template*)
- Current and Pending Support (*use SciENCv*)