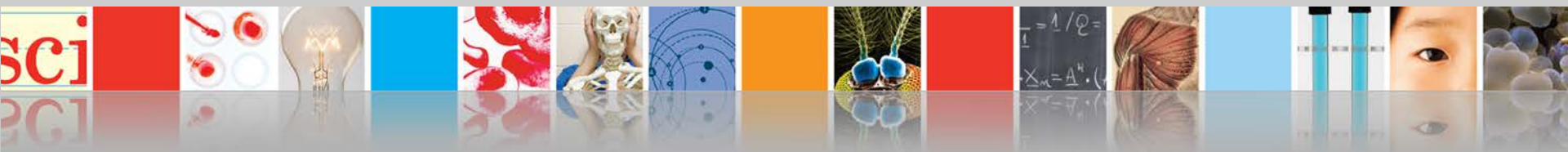






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# Allocation of Discovery Grants Budget Among 12 Evaluation Groups

- Industry Canada, on behalf of NSERC, requested CCA assessment in 2010
- CCA expert panel report: *Informing Research Choices; Indicators and Judgment* (July 2012)
- NSERC consultations on findings in CCA report (fall 2012 – winter 2013)



# Discovery Grants Program Evaluation

- 5 years since 2007 DG program evaluation and International Review
- Key question: is the program achieving its 3 objectives and outcomes given changes to peer review process?
- Multiple lines of evidence: surveys, consultations, interviews, bibliometric data analysis (winter-spring of 2013)
- International Committee to review findings (summer 2013)



# Major Resources Support Program

- NSERC placed a moratorium on the MRS program following the 2012 Federal Budget
- Grants from previous competitions that have not yet expired are being honoured









# New Research Portal

- End-to-end system
- Single point of entry (portal)
- Phased in gradually
- Discovery Grants and Subatomic Physics Notification of Intent launched in spring 2013



# Canadian Common CV (CCV)

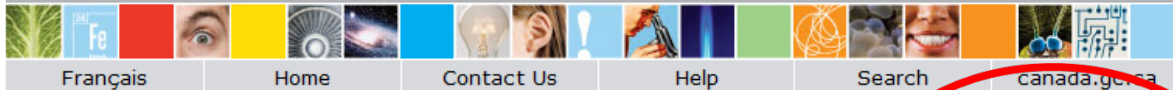
- NSERC CCV launched April 24, 2013
- NSERC will gradually migrate all its programs to the CCV by late 2015
- NSERC CCV to replace the Personal Data Form (Form 100)





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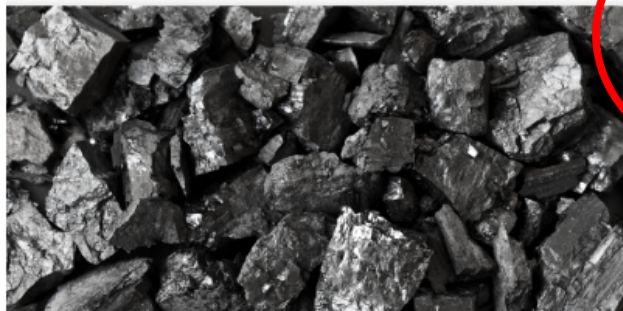
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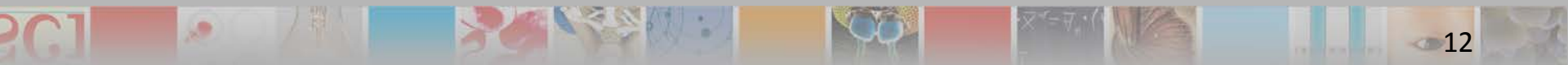
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# Changes in Application Process for Discovery Grants

- Notification of Intent to Apply (NOI) and full application must be submitted through NSERC's new [Research Portal](#).
- Applicants and co-applicants must complete and submit NSERC's version of the [Canadian Common CV \(CCV\)](#) at the NOI and application stages.
- Notification of Intent to Apply (NOI) must be submitted to NSERC by the deadline date of August 1, **20:00 Eastern**.
- No NOI by deadline = Not possible to submit a full application.



# Wrap-up

- Final questions and comments?
- Other suggestions, questions can be directed to [connect@nserc-crsng.gc.ca](mailto:connect@nserc-crsng.gc.ca)
- Thank you!

