The Impact of Sanctions in Response to Government of Russia’s Invasion of Ukraine on Research and University related Activities

As of February 21, 2022, the United States and its allies released sanctions and export control restrictions on Russia and entities supporting the Russian Government. These sanctions include the Luhansk People’s Republic (LNR) and Donetsk People’s Republic (DNR) regions of Ukraine.

These restrictions impact current and future University collaborations, agreements, and research projects.

Export Restrictions:
Items that previously did not require a license may now require government authorization. The export sanctions restrict high-level technologies that would advance Russia’s defense, maritime, and aviation growth. Many items and technologies subject to the Export Administration Regulations (EAR) are affected, including but not limited to computers, semiconductors, telecommunication, encryption security, lasers, sensors, navigation, avionics, propulsion, aerospace, and maritime technologies.

Check with the Office of Regulatory Compliance before shipping or transferring any item or technology to Russia.

Next Steps: Please contact Christine Ahearn (reg.compliance@cuanschtuz.edu) for guidance if you currently have or anticipate any activities involving individuals, colleagues, businesses, universities, etc. in Russia, LNR or DNR identified above, including (but not limited to):

- Collaborating on research or other projects
- Shipments
- Financial transactions
- Technology exchanges

Please visit the export control website for more information.

Useful links (subject to change):

- Department of Commerce
  BIS Russia Rule Fact Sheet
Imposition of Sanctions Against Belarus Under the Export Administration Regulation

• Wassenaar Arrangement
  
  Wassenaar Arrangement List

• White House Executive Orders
  
  Executive Order, February 21, 2022
  
  Executive Order, March 11, 2022

• Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC)
  
  OFAC SDN Readable List
  
  Link to OFAC Directive 3 under E.O. 14024

• Colorado Governor Jared Polis
  
  Executive Order