

# Unpacking US Department of Education Grant Opportunities

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## Discretionary Grants Information

### Eligibility and Forecasts

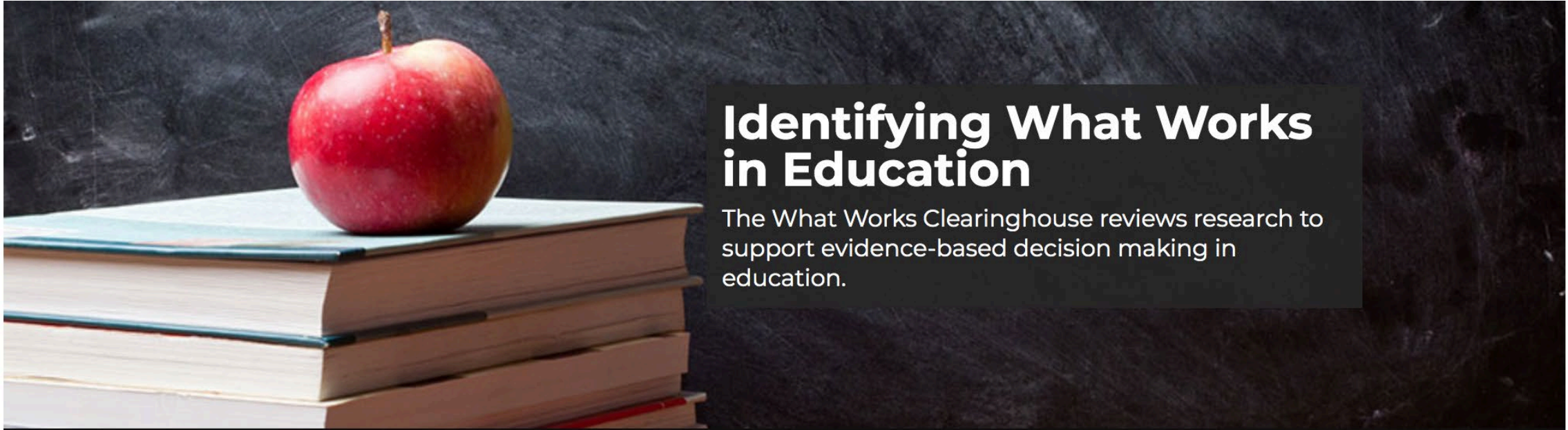
- **Find Grant Programs by Eligibility:** who can apply for what
- **ED grants forecast:** competitions opening soon

### Application Information

- **Federal Register Notices:** competitions and other announcements
- **Apply:** Deadlines, amounts, applications, more
- **Forms**

### Online Applications

- **Grants.gov:** Application packages for ED programs
- **G5:** Application packages on ED's online grants system
- **EDPubs:** list of downloadable application packages



## Identifying What Works in Education

The What Works Clearinghouse reviews research to support evidence-based decision making in education.

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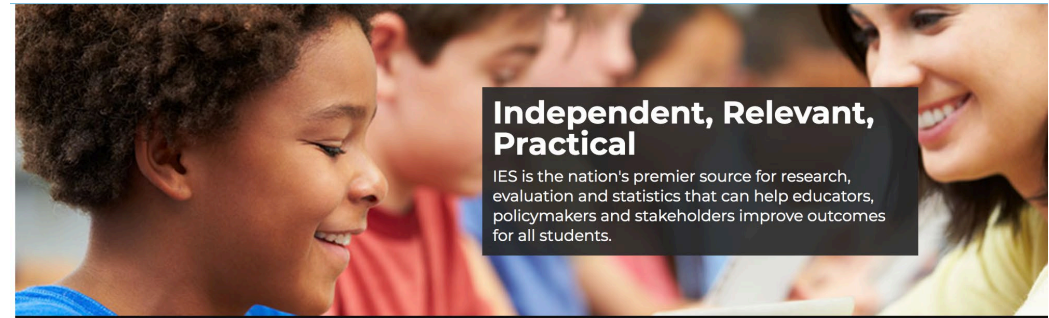
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# IES Grants

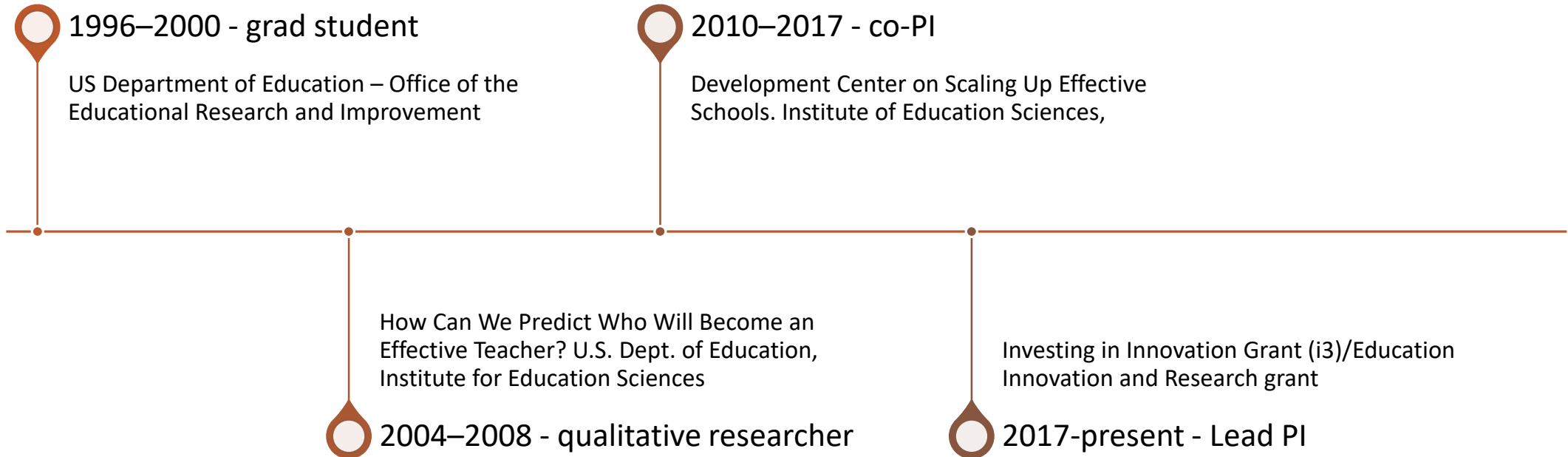
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- Aimed at exploring large problems in the educational system
- Responsive to state of the field
- Highly collaborative
- Interdisciplinary
- Often aimed at researchers who use quantitative methods, but there are also some mixed methods studies.



# My own experience

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# Reflections on US DOE Grants

- Collaborative

- Tailored to concerns in the field and system – respond to calls

- Interdisciplinary

- Multi-method

- Different points of entry

- Build on each other



Questions?

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