Types of awards

- A. **Contract** The principal purpose of the relationship is the acquisition of property or service. Contracts may have one of the following forms:
 - Request for Proposal/Request for Quote (RFP/RFQ) A sponsoring agency requests
 performance of a specific research objective and outlines the terms and conditions for the
 resulting award.
 - **Subcontracts** Funds are transferred from a primary funding agency, through another agency, industry, or university to Purdue.
 - Purchase Order A common form of procurement agreement often used by industrial concerns.
 - Industrial Sponsored Research Agreement A standard contract prepared by PRF/Industrial Contracting and routinely included with proposals to industrial concerns. From Purdue's standpoint, highly preferred to a purchase order.
 - **Testing Agreement** An agreement for a clinical trial, or other study where the protocol is provided by the sponsor.
- B. **Grant** The principal purpose of the relationship is the transfer of funds to accomplish a public purpose. There is no substantial involvement between the grantor and the grantee.
- C. **Cooperative Agreement** The principal purpose of the relationship is the transfer of funds to accomplish a public purpose. There is substantial involvement between the grantor and the grantee.