



**Environmental Protection Agency
Research Performance Progress Report (RPPR)
Implementation Plan
January 2011**

The Environmental Protection Agency's Office of Research and Development will initially implement the RPPR in paper format while at the same time exploring options for eventual electronic implementation. The RPPR will be used to collect progress report information on all research and related awards made to institutions of higher education, non-profit institutions, states and local governments, excluding fellowships and awards made under the People, Prosperity and the Planet (P3) program. The anticipated implementation date for use of the RPPR format is January 2012.