

REMOTE & AUSTERE CANDITIONS

GRAND CHALLENGE

We are pleased to announce the second annual Remote & Austere Conditions (RAC) Grand Challenge, a research competition that invites teams to propose innovative solutions to problems confronting populations operating in remote and austere environments. This year, seventeen teams are competing for a share of \$1 million set aside by University of Utah President Taylor Randall and the Vice President for Research.

This year's Grand Challenge will be held on March 7th, 2025, at the Cleone Peterson Eccles Alumni House!





March 7th, 2025: RAC Pitch Competition

Seventeen teams will present research projects designed to solve real world problems associated with operating in remote and austere environments.

17 RESEARCH TEAMS / LIVE PITCHES / 12+ JUDGES \$1 MILLION IN AWARDS / SOLVING PROBLEMS



