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Upcoming Events

January 2016 Issue

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January 2016

- ◆ **January 4 through 7, TBD, International Mathematics Conference in Partial Differential Equations, Complex Analysis and Related Topics**
- ◆ **January 6, 1 to 2 pm, AHC2 #170, Secrets of the Cancer Genome**, presented by [Douglas Levine](#)
- ◆ **January 8, 2 to 3 pm, ECS 241, Toward a Theory of Humanly Computable Protocols**, presented by [Manuel Blum](#)
- ◆ **January 20, 1 to 2 pm, AHC2 #170, Translating Laboratory Findings Towards Assessment of Tobacco-Related Cancer Risk in Populations and Individuals**, presented by [David Hein](#)
- ◆ **January 22, 9 to 10 am, EC 2300, Imaging of the Brain in Stroke Survivors**, presented by [Brian Schmit](#)
- ◆ **January 29, 9 to 10 am, EC 2300**, presentation by [Cecilia Giachelli](#)

Awards Received—November 2015

FIU researchers were awarded \$6,521,463 in November 2015. Below is a listing of awards received.

PI: Jose R Almirall

CHEMISTRY

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: CTTSO Technical Support Working Group

TITLE: Heroin Origin Determination

AWARD: \$

127,747

PI: Atorod Azizinamini

CIVIL AND ENVIRON ENGINEERING

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: U.S. DOT Federal Highway Administration

TITLE: National Accelerated Bridge Conference— 12/2015 **AWARD:** \$

58,597

PI: Shekhar Bhansali

ELEC AND COMPUTER ENG

Award Action Type: Pre-Award

AWARDING SPONSOR: North Carolina State University

TITLE: ASSIST

AWARD: \$

6,943

PI: Shekhar Bhansali

ELEC AND COMPUTER ENG

Award Action Type: Pre-Award

AWARDING SPONSOR: North Carolina State University

TITLE: ASSIST

AWARD: \$

8,527

Awards Received—November 2015

Continued

PI: Mahadev G Bhat

EARTH AND ENVIRONMENT

Award Action Type: Continuation

AWARDING SPONSOR: University of Miami

TITLE: Pulley Ridge Fisheries Bio-economic Modeling Project

AWARD: \$ 62,283

PI: Eric Bishop-Von Wettberg

BIOLOGY

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: University of California Davis

TITLE: A reverse-introgression and community genomics strategy

AWARD: \$ 93,907

PI: Henry Briceno

SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: National Science Foundation

TITLE: LTER: FCE LTER III - Coastal Oligotrophic Ecosystems Research

AWARD: \$ 66,760

PI: Zhe Cheng

MECHANICAL AND MAT ENGINEERING

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Energy

TITLE: Nanocrystalline High Temperature and Ultrahigh Temperature

AWARD: \$ 249,970

PI: Todd Crowl

SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: University of New Hampshire

TITLE: Luquillo CZO: the role of hot spots and hot moments

AWARD: \$ 15,720

PI: Anthony De Caprio

CHEMISTRY

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institute of Justice

TITLE: Novel Blood Protein Modification Assay for Retrospective Detection

AWARD: \$ 195,710

PI: Timothy Dean

COLLEGE ACCESS

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Education

TITLE: Florida International University Upward Bound

AWARD: \$ 101,655

PI: Timothy Dean

COLLEGE ACCESS

Award Action Type: Continuation

AWARDING SPONSOR: Florida Department of Agriculture and Co

TITLE: Summer Food Summer Program food services for low income

AWARD: \$ 10,530

PI: Timothy Dean

COLLEGE ACCESS

Award Action Type: Continuation

AWARDING SPONSOR: Florida Department of Agriculture and Co

TITLE: Summer Food Summer Program food services for low income

AWARD: \$ 2,622

PI: Laura H Dinehart

COE LEADERSHIP AND PROF STU

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: Business & Leadership Inst Early Learning

TITLE: The Business & Leadership Institute 2015-2016 Coordinating

AWARD: \$ 40,340

PI: Jacqueline Evans

PSYCHOLOGY

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: Federal Bureau of Investigation

TITLE: Confirmation bias among interpreters in an interrogative setting

AWARD: \$ 102,444

PI: Brian Fonseca

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Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: Centro de Altos Estudios Nacionales

TITLE: FIU In-Residence Global Security Seminar

AWARD: \$ 43,483

PI: James Fourqurean

BIOLOGY

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: Ball Aerospace and Technologies

TITLE: Ball Aerospace participation in NEEMO XX Aquarius Mission

AWARD: \$ 35,000

PI: Karen S Fuller

MUSIC

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: Miami-Dade County Cultural Affairs

TITLE: FIU School of Music Concert Season

AWARD: \$ 40,000

PI: Evelyn Gaiser

SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: National Science Foundation

TITLE: LTER: FCE LTER III - Coastal Oligotrophic Ecosystems Research

AWARD: \$ 533,279

PI: Evelyn Gaiser

SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: National Science Foundation

TITLE: LTER: FCE LTER III - Coastal Oligotrophic Ecosystems Research

AWARD: \$ 16,000

PI: Nazife E Ganapati

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Justice

TITLE: Understanding the organizational factors that impact

AWARD: \$ 149,793

PI: Daniel Gann

LIBRARY OPERATIONS

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

TITLE: Monitoring of Tree Island Condition in the Southern Everglades

AWARD: \$ 17,234

PI: Gueo V Grantcharov

MATH AND STATISTICAL SCIENCES

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: Simons Foundation

TITLE: Geometry of Complex Non-Kaehler Manifolds

AWARD: \$ 7,000

PI: Lei Guo

PHYSICS

Award Action Type: Continuation

AWARDING SPONSOR: Jefferson Lab

TITLE: Hadron Spectroscopy at Jefferson Lab

AWARD: \$ 8,955

PI: Mohammed A Hadi

CIVIL AND ENVIRON ENGINEERING

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: Gannett Fleming Inc

TITLE: Evaluation of Video Analytic Technologies

AWARD: \$ 24,994

PI: Shahid Hamid

INTERNATIONAL HURRICANE CENTER

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: State Board Administration of Florida

TITLE: Hurricane Catastrophe Fund 2015-2020

AWARD: \$ 8,040

PI: Mary Helen Hayden

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: University of Central Florida

TITLE: FIU Child Welfare Education Program

AWARD: \$ 204,858

PI: Michael Heithaus

SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: National Science Foundation

TITLE: LTER: FCE LTER III - Coastal Oligotrophic Ecosystems Research

AWARD: \$ 69,558

PI: Gladys E Ibanez

EPIDEMIOLOGY

Award Action Type: Supplemental

AWARDING SPONSOR: University of Florida

TITLE: Southern HIV and Alcohol Research Consortium - SHARC

AWARD: \$ 7,410

PI: Rudolf Jaffe

SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: National Science Foundation

TITLE: LTER: FCE LTER III - Coastal Oligotrophic Ecosystems Research

AWARD: \$ 70,947

PI: Konstantinos Kavallieratos CHEMISTRY Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission TITLE: FIU Nuclear Research Fellowships Growing the Opportunities	AWARD: \$	70,030
PI: Konstantinos Kavallieratos CHEMISTRY Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission TITLE: FIU Nuclear Research Fellowships Growing the Opportunities	AWARD: \$	213,355
PI: John Kominoski SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR Award Action Type: Increase AWARDING SPONSOR: National Science Foundation TITLE: LTER: FCE LTER III - Coastal Oligotrophic Ecosystems Research	AWARD: \$	71,350
PI: Kenneth J Lipartito HISTORY Award Action Type: Continuation AWARDING SPONSOR: City of Miami Beach TITLE: Miami Beach Archives Digitalization Project	AWARD: \$	78,543
PI: Yuan Liu CHEMISTRY Award Action Type: Increase AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institutes of Health TITLE: Trinucleotide Repeat Instability via DNA Damage and Repair	AWARD: \$	321,734
PI: Bruce Mc Cord CHEMISTRY Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: U.S. Department of Justice TITLE: Ultrahigh speed Direct PCR. A method for obtaining STR based	AWARD: \$	400,265
PI: Bruce Mc Cord CHEMISTRY Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institute of Justice TITLE: The Application of Gold Nanoparticles for the Trace Detection	AWARD: \$	333,582
PI: Maria Jose Miguez Perez SISH Award Action Type: Supplemental AWARDING SPONSOR: University of Florida TITLE: Southern HIV and Alcohol Research Consortium - SHARC	AWARD: \$	114,960
PI: Maria Jose Miguez Perez SISH Award Action Type: Continuation AWARDING SPONSOR: University of Florida TITLE: Pharmacotherapy for alcohol consumption in HIV Positive Women	AWARD: \$	136,514

PI: Maria Jose Miguez Perez SISH	Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: Brown University TITLE: Alcohol and HIV: Biobehavioral Interactions and Intervention	AWARD: \$ 69,798
PI: Jordana Pomeroy FROST ART MUSEUM	Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: Miami-Dade County Cultural Affairs TITLE: Major Cultural Institutions 2015-2016	AWARD: \$ 159,205
PI: Miriam Potocky SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK	Award Action Type: Continuation AWARDING SPONSOR: New York Community Trust TITLE: Project MIRACLE	AWARD: \$ 18,886
PI: Rene Price SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR	Award Action Type: Increase AWARDING SPONSOR: National Science Foundation TITLE: LTER: FCE LTER III - Coastal Oligotrophic Ecosystems Research	AWARD: \$ 74,926
PI: Sean Antonio Prospect COE COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT	Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: FIU Foundation TITLE: Project PREPARE (FIU After School All-Stars) 2015-2016	AWARD: \$ 15,225
PI: Joseph Raiker Jr PSYCHOLOGY	Award Action Type: Increase AWARDING SPONSOR: Brain and Behavior Research Foundation TITLE: The Utility of Cognitive Subgroups in Predicting Treatment Response	AWARD: \$ 35,000
PI: Andrea D Raymond COM IMMUNOLOGY	Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: University of Miami TITLE: Nef+ Exosomes: Neurotoxin, biomarker, and theragnostic	AWARD: \$ 36,000
PI: Jennifer Rehage SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR	Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: South Florida Water Management District TITLE: Habitat selection & movement of everglades fishes in	AWARD: \$ 30,000
PI: David F Roelant ARC APPLIED RESEARCH CENTER	Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: EnergySolutions TITLE: FIU Testing of 2D Sonar performance for imaging surrogate	AWARD: \$ 62,000

PI: Barry Philip Rosen COM CELL BIOLOGY AND PHARM Award Action Type: Increase AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institutes of Health TITLE: The Human Arsenic Methylation Pathway	AWARD: \$ 322,297
PI: Jay Sah SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR Award Action Type: Increase AWARDING SPONSOR: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers TITLE: Monitoring of Tree Island Condition in the Southern Everglades	AWARD: \$ 75,433
PI: Arif Islam Sarwat ELEC AND COMPUTER ENG Award Action Type: Increase AWARDING SPONSOR: Florida Power and Light TITLE: Smart Grid: Game Changer for Lifestyle Elevation	AWARD: \$ 70,000
PI: Arif Islam Sarwat ELEC AND COMPUTER ENG Award Action Type: Increase AWARDING SPONSOR: Florida Power and Light TITLE: Electric Power Reliability & Analytics Center (EPRAC)	AWARD: \$ 365,600
PI: Casey Steadman THE WOLFSONIAN Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: Florida Division of Cultural Affairs TITLE: FL DCA General Support	AWARD: \$ 67,782
PI: Casey Steadman THE WOLFSONIAN Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: Miami-Dade County Cultural Affairs TITLE: Miami Dade County MCI General Operating Support	AWARD: \$ 281,536
PI: Casey Steadman THE WOLFSONIAN Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: Miami-Dade County Cultural Affairs TITLE: Enhanced Audio-Visual Environment for Public Programs	AWARD: \$ 6,539
PI: Casey Steadman THE WOLFSONIAN Award Action Type: Initial AWARDING SPONSOR: City of Miami Beach TITLE: General Operating Support	AWARD: \$ 30,314
PI: Matthew T Sutherland PSYCHOLOGY Award Action Type: Increase AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institutes of Health TITLE: Impact of HIV and cannabis on brain function	AWARD: \$ 34,515

PI: Berrin Tansel

CIVIL AND ENVIRON ENGINEERING

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: Miami-Dade County Water and Sewer

TITLE: CD 2.16 CDWWTP Dewatering Building (Central District)

AWARD: \$ 50,750

PI: Berrin Tansel

CIVIL AND ENVIRON ENGINEERING

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: Miami-Dade County Water and Sewer

TITLE: CD 1.08 CDWWTP- Dewatering Facility (South District)

AWARD: \$ 50,750

PI: Markus L Thiel

SIPA

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: European Commission

TITLE: Outreach Projects with the Scientific and Business Miami Communities

AWARD: \$ 30,758

PI: Tiffany Troxler

SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: National Science Foundation

TITLE: LTER: FCE LTER III - Coastal Oligotrophic Ecosystems Research

AWARD: \$ 77,180

PI: Tiffany Troxler

SOUTHEAST ENV RESEARCH CTR

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: U.S. Geological Survey

TITLE: Linking Satellite and Soil Data to Validate Coastal Wetland

AWARD: \$ 24,133

PI: Arif Selcuk Uluagac

ELEC AND COMPUTER ENG

Award Action Type: Initial

AWARDING SPONSOR: Griffiss Institute Inc

TITLE: Fingerprinting IoT Wearables for Mission Security

AWARD: \$ 10,000

PI: Feion Villodas

CENTER FOR CHILDREN AND FAM

Award Action Type: Pre-Award

AWARDING SPONSOR: Children's Trust

TITLE: After-school support program for youth at-risk for behavior problems

AWARD: \$ 22,545

PI: Eric Wagner

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: University of California San Diego

TITLE: Facilitating Self-Change for Adolescent Alcohol Problems

AWARD: \$ 78,648

PI: Changwon Yoo

BIOSTATISTICS

Award Action Type: Increase

AWARDING SPONSOR: Seoul National University Hospital

TITLE: Developing a computer diagnosis system for Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia

AWARD: \$ 13,696

PI: Keqi Zhang**INTERNATIONAL HURRICANE CENTER****Award Action Type:** Initial**AWARDING SPONSOR:** University of Miami**TITLE:** Development of an Integrated Coastal Inundation Forecast**AWARD:** \$ 287,309

Funding Opportunities

The funding opportunities are in a separate excel file, which includes a filter for agency, date and opportunity number.

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