

Research and Sponsored Programs Celebrates Research Success

Congratulations to faculty and staff who SUBMITTED proposals & received AWARDS for January 2024:

COLLEGE OF ALLIED HEALTH AND NURSING

Total Awards: \$90,316

- **Brigette Cooper** - "MN DOH Oral Health Pediatric Project"

Total Submissions: \$155,000

- **Sonika Masih** - "ADHA IOH Grant Healthier Smiles"
- **David Beimers** - "*Southern MN School Social Work Initiative*"

COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES, AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Total Awards: \$102,000

- **Chelsea Mead, Megan Heutmaker** - "*Minnesota Indian Teacher Training Program Grant*"
- **Dan Sachau** - "*F&G Employee Assessment System*" & "*MRCI Pulse Survey 2024-2025*"

Total Submissions: \$405,386

- **Dale Haefner**- "*Music Performance Series Support Grant*"
- **Dan Sachau** - "*MRCI Pulse Survey 2024-2025*"
- **Shawna Petersen-Brown, Kevin Filter, Chip Panhon, Allison Lundahl** - "*Student Support Personnel Workforce Pipeline Grant Opportunity - FY24 (School Psychology)*"

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COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Total Submissions: \$294,488

- **Tracy Peed, Laura Maki** - *"Diversifying the School Counselor Pipeline"*

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

Total Awards: \$89,884

- **Jinyuan Zhai, Xuanhui Wu** - "Thin Film Mechanical Engineering Contract 2024"
- **Xuanhui Wu, Puteri Megat-Hamari** - "Thin Film Electrical Engineering Contract 2024"

Total Submissions: \$1,815,450

- **Ryan Wersal** - *"Genetic characterization of curlyleaf pondweed in the United States and identification of genes responsible for turion production"*
- **Jinyuan Zhai, Xuanhui Wu** - "Thin Film Mechanical Engineering Contract 2024"
- **Xuanhui Wu, Puteri Megat-Hamari** - "Thin Film Electrical Engineering Contract 2024"
- **Jeremy Geske, Mriganka De, Mark Bowen, Mark Kaproth, Ryan Wersal** - *"Expanding Opportunities for Students in the School of Applied Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources Through a Partnership Between MSU Mankato and South Central College"*

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- **Ryan Wersal, Chris Ruhland** - *"A Comparative Analysis of the Ecophysiology Between the Invasive Macroalgae Starry Stonewort and the Native Macroalgae Chara to Predict Invasion Potential"*
- **Lauren Singelmann, Yuezhou Wang, Elizabeth Pluskwik, Darcie Christensen** - *"Utilizing Epistemic Network Analysis to Understand and Evaluate Practice-Based Engineering Learning"*
- **Jang Woo** - *"Long-term cognitive health consequences of environmental exposure to air pollution"*

STRATEGIC BUSINESS, EDUCATION AND REGIONAL PARTNERSHIPS

Total Submissions: \$420,649

- **Tammy Bohkle** - *"IFS MJSP Grant" & "Mayo Clinic MJSP Grant"*

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