



Research and Sponsored Programs “SpotLight”

External funding Submissions and Awards
January 2020

CONGRATULATIONS to the following faculty and staff:

College of Allied Health and Nursing

Dr. Brooke Burk – Recreation, Parks & Leisure Services
Camp Maverick Rec N’Read

Submitted to: Theresa Foundation for \$5,250

Dr. Brooke Burk – Recreation, Parks & Leisure Services And **Dr. Megan Mahowald** – Speech, Hearing & Rehabilitation Services
MN Department of Natural Resources – “***Camp Maverick Rec N’Read***”
Awarded: \$2,040

College of Science, Engineering & Technology

Dr. Melissa Huppert – Minnesota State Engineering Center of Excellence
Engineering Center Outreach Programming

Submitted to: Carl and Verna Schmidt Foundation for \$15,000

Kimberly Musser –And **Tyler Grupa** - Water Resources Center
ACPF Training

Submitted to: University of Minnesota for \$3,424

Dr. Basak Bektas – Mechanical and Civil Engineering
Wisconsin Highway Research Program – “***Protocols for Concrete Bridge Deck Protection and Treatments***”

Awarded: \$36,257

MN Department of Transportation – “***Use of Innovative Technology to Deter Bat Bridge Use Prior to and During Construction***”

Awarded: \$30,606

Sara Hausladen – Academic Advising And **Ken Adams** – Student Relations
National Science Foundation - “***North Star STEM Alliance***”

Awarded: \$39,881

Jeremy Geske – Institute for Regenerative Resources and AgriSciences
Minnesota Agricultural Education Leadership Council (MAELC) - “***Strategic Plan Development for the Institute for Regenerative Resources and AgriSciences***”

Awarded: \$22,300

Strategic Business, Education and Regional Partnerships

Dr. Robert Fleischman – Strategic Partnerships And **Dr. Sarah Kruse** –
Computer Information Science

Student Startups: Technology Innovation

Submitted to: MN Department of Employment and Economic Development for
\$180,060

Tammy Bohlke – Continuing and Professional Education

Partnership Grant: Oak Terrace Assisted Living

Submitted to: MN Department of Employment and Economic Development for
\$143,321

Partnership Grant: Jones Metal

Submitted to: MN Department of Employment and Economic Development for
\$189,351

Julie Nelson And **Mike Hahn** – Small Business Development Center

MN Department of Employment and Economic Development – **“State**

Technical Assistance Grant”

Awarded: \$135,155

College of Social and Behavioral Sciences

Dr. Kathleen Blue – Anthropology

Osteology Services for Statewide Cultural Resources Unit Project

Submitted to: MN Department of Transportation for \$25,000

Division of Academic Affairs

Dr. Thomas Norman – University Extended Education

Partnership Grant: Mayo Clinic Health Systems, SW Region

Submitted to: MN Department of Employment and Economic Development for
\$385,047

Dr. Laura Jacobi – Communication Studies

***The Missing Piece of the Triangle: Supporting Student Success through
Professional Development of MavPASS Faculty at MNSU***

Submitted to: Minnesota State Colleges and Universities for \$24,865

Margaret Hesser – TRIO

TRIO Student Services

Submitted to: Department of Education for \$370,377

Tammy Bohlke – Continuing and Professional Education

MN Department of Employment and Economic Development –

“Partnership Grant: Pro Fab”

Awarded: \$127,042

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College of Arts and Humanities

Dr. David Engen – Communication Studies

The Finding Your Place Podcast Part II – Expanding Reach

Submitted to: Minnesota State Colleges and Universities for \$10,000

Dr. Nancy Drescher – English

South Central College GA for Sheltered English Instruction

Submitted to: South Central College for \$9,892

Dale Haefner – Music

Performance Series Support Grant

Submitted to: Prairie Lakes Regional Arts Council for \$7,000

Shane Bowyer – Management

MinnState Ag Innovation Lab

Submitted to: Minnesota State Colleges and Universities for \$25,000

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