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The NEA is the largest annual national funder of the arts in the United States. Since its inception, the NEA has awarded more than 135,000 grants, including early support for the Vietnam Veterans Memorial design competition, the Sundance Film Festival, Spoleto Festival USA, and PBS's *Great Performances* series. For more than four decades, the Arts Endowment has encouraged creativity through support of performances, exhibitions, festivals, artist residencies, and other arts projects throughout the country in a number of different disciplines/ fields, including Artist Communities, Arts Education, Dance, Design, Folk and Traditional Arts, Literature, Local Arts Agencies, Media Arts, Museums, Music, Musical Theater, Opera, Presenting, Theater, and Visual Arts. The NEA also extends its impact through partnerships with federal agencies, state organizations, and other public and private organizations. For more information, visit arts.gov or check out the National Endowment for the Arts on Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube.



Avon Offers Small Grants for Campus Violence Prevention

Through its m.powerment by mark Healthy Relationships College Program, the Avon Foundation for Women is offering 25 grants of \$5,000 each for prevention and awareness programs to prevent dating abuse, sexual assault, and stalking on college and university campuses. Applications are due by January 11, 2013.

Prior to submitting a proposal, submitters are encouraged to review "Guidelines for Preventing and Responding to Gender-Based Violence in Higher Education," a joint report by the Avon Foundation and Futures without Violence, and an online submission tutorial. Direct specific questions to Christine Jaworsky, grant and programs manager, at Christine.Jaworsky@avonfoundation.org.

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Mission Statement

The Office of Sponsored Research and Programs works with faculty, staff, and students to promote externally funded research, instruction, public service, academic and institutional support, and scholarship/fellowship projects at Southeastern Louisiana University, External finding supports strategic priorities of Vision 2017 Mission and enhances the educational, economic, and cultural development of southeast Louisiana.



2012-2013 LA BoR Enhancement Submissions

October 24, 2012

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P. I. Name	College	Project Title	Amount Requested
Arceneaux-Sutton, Tasheka	Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences	Interactive and Environmental Design	\$ 92,032
Boulton, Ken	Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences	Enhancement of Music Media Piano Lab	\$ 38,151
Boulton, Ken	Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences	Exploring the History of Music for Film: A New Course	\$ 13,811
Burke, Mary and Riddle, Kristie	Nursing and Health Sciences	Incorporating Realism into Simulation Experiences	\$ 85,820
Carruth, Ann	Nursing and Health Sciences	eLearning Together: Collaboration in Health Sciences to Promote Campus Health	\$173,571
Creel, Eileen and- Carruth, Ann	Nursing and Health Sciences	Train and Sustain Distance Education to Faculty to Achieve Student Excellence	\$168,171
Fazio-Griffith Laura	Education and Hu- man Development	Enhancement of Practice Techniques, Methods Prof. Health Care Providers	\$ 8,740
Sirikul, Bovorn	Nursing and Health Sciences	Equipment and technology upgrades in kinesiology and health studies	\$ 88,775
Valentino, John	Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences	Southeastern New Media + Animation and Bayou FX: An Effects Partnership	\$103,421



2012-2013 LA BoR Research Submissions

November 7, 2012

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P. I. Name	College	Project Title	Amount Requested
Fotie, Jean	Science and Technology	Synthesis of N,N-linked Hetero-Bicyclics and Substituted Hydrazine Derivatives Through a Silver(I) Catalyzed Cou- pling of their Corresponding Secondary Amines Resulting in a Direct Intermolecular N _c N Bond Formation.	\$153,263
Guendouzi, Jackie	Nursing and Health Sciences	The influence of temperament, locus of control and social styles on reported communication satisfaction and speaker accommodation in the context of dementia or aphasia.	\$125,791
Li, Zhengrong	Science and Technology	Sonochemical Synthesis of Graphene and Hybrid Nonosheets	\$116,105
Ma, Junkun	Science and Technology	Finite Element Analysis of Microwave Assisted Spark Plasma Sintering of Dielectric Materials	\$ 58,386
Mitra, Rana	Science and Technology	Solidification Processing and Material Properties Charac- terization in Thin Strip Casting of Aluminum Alloys	\$ 88,331
Reeves, Gregory	Nursing and Health Sciences	The acute and long term effects of partial vascular occlu- sion resistance exercise on inflammatory cytokine immune function	\$ 39,500
Saadeh, Mohammad	Science and Technology	Wrist-Splint Assistive Device for Braille Reading	\$199,848