

Grant Highlights

Fiscal Year 2021 - 2022



- » Southeastern Louisiana University's **College of Education** has received a five-year \$5 million federal grant to strengthen the recruitment and preparation of new teachers, including increasing the number of teachers from underrepresented populations. The project is titled Building Rigorous Induction and Development for Growing all Educators or BRIDGE.
- » **Dr. Eileen Creel (Nursing)** -- Awarded \$1,499,902 by the Department of Labor for a three year grant titled The Louisiana Digital Health Divide (LDHI). The vision for the LDHI includes shaping the future of digital health through interprofessional collaboration, exploration, and training. The grant aims to educate and train health professionals to use digital tools and technologies to engage consumers in managing their health and wellness.
- » **Dr. Ann Carruth (Nursing)** – Awarded \$748,514 by the Louisiana Board of Regents for building a hospital at Home Multidisciplinary Simulation Center.
- » **Dr. Mohammad Saadeh (Engineering Technology)** -- Awarded \$498,592 by the Louisiana Board of Regents for the Connect2Success Initiative. Connect2Success is Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance's (LOSFA) newest outreach program designed to increase post-secondary enrollment, by exposing middle and high school students to the link between academics and careers.
- » **Dr. Teague O'Mara (Biology)** – Received \$497,632 from National Science Foundation (NSF) for the BRC-BIO: Powering Dynamic Social Networks project, which will be used to build energy landscapes to understand social relationships and foraging decisions with bats.
- » **Chevonne Neal (Director: Veterans Upward Bound Program)** - Awarded \$414,908 by the Department of Education for the Veterans Upward Bound.
- » **Dr. Bonnie Achee (Computer Science)** -- Awarded \$136,793 from National Security Agency (NSA) for Lions Code Cyber Gen Teacher Professional Development Program.
- » **Dr. Brandi Decoux (Kinesiology)** -- Awarded \$122,396 by the Louisiana Board of Regents for enhancing student experiences through the use of human movement analyses in the Kinesiology and Health Science Biomechanics and Motor Behavior Laboratory.

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