

**FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY DIVISION OF RESEARCH
OFFICE OF SPONSORED RESEARCH
NOVEMBER AWARDS OVERVIEW**

Florida International University researchers were awarded **\$9,456,403** in November 2007. Listed below is a summary of awards received for *\$50,000 or more* during the month of November.

PI: Luis Salas
Center for Administration of Justice
AWARDING SPONSOR: United States Agency for International Development
TITLE: *Colombia Justice Reform and Modernization Program* **AWARD:** \$ 2,500,000

PI: Mario De La Rosa
School of Social Work
AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institutes of Health
TITLE: *Center for Substance use and AIDS Research on Latinos
In the United States* **AWARD:** \$ 1,303,329

PI: Shahid Hamid
International Hurricane Research Center
AWARDING SPONSOR: Florida Office of Insurance Regulation DFS
TITLE: *Hurricane Loss Projection Model* **AWARD:** \$ 909,953

PI: Michael McClain
Latin American and Caribbean Center
AWARDING SPONSOR: United States Agency for International Development
TITLE: *Transboundary Water for Biodiversity in the Mara River Basin, Kenya
And Tanzania* **AWARD:** \$ 705,000

PI: Robert M. Malow
Public Health
AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism
TITLE: *Intervening with HIV + Alcohol Abusers: Influence of Neuro-
Behavioral Factors* **AWARD:** \$ 659,378

PI: Robert M. Malow
Public Health
AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institute on Drug Abuse
TITLE: *HIV Prevention Groups for AOD using SMI Women* **AWARD:** \$ 573,554

PI: Allan Rosenbaum
Institute for Public Management and Community Service
AWARDING SPONSOR: Florida Office of the Governor
TITLE: *State of Florida Conference on Good Governance and
Democracy* **AWARD:** \$ 420,000

PI: Cathy Leff
 The Wolfsonian
AWARDING SPONSOR: Department of Cultural Affairs
TITLE: *FY 2007-2008 MD county Major Cultural Institutions* **AWARD:** \$ 296,092

PI: James Jaccard
 Psychology
AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institute of Health
TITLE: *Parenting and Latino Adolescent Sexual Risk Taking* **AWARD:** \$ 242,876

PI: Shu-Ching Chen
 School of Computing and Information Sciences
AWARDING SPONSOR: Florida Office of Insurance Regulation DFS
TITLE: *Hurricane Loss Projection Model* **AWARD:** \$ 221,694

PI: Louis Manfra
 Department of Curriculum and Instruction
AWARDING SPONSOR: The Children's Trust
TITLE: *Long-Term Follow-up of School Success in Grades 3 through 5 for Children Attending Different Childhood Programs in Miami Dade* **AWARD:** \$ 180,204

PI: Marianna K. Baum
 Dietetics and Nutrition
AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institute on Drug Abuse
TITLE: *HIV Disease, Drug Abuse and Nutrient Therapy in Botswana* **AWARD:** \$ 99,356

PI: Gary Rand
 Southeast Environmental Research Center
AWARDING SPONSOR: National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration
TITLE: *Ecotoxicology Studies with Fish Fry and Potential Harmful Materials Found in the St. Lucie Estuarine System* **AWARD:** \$ 99,000

PI: Maria Ilcheva
 Metropolitan Research Center
AWARDING SPONSOR: Miami-Dade County Aviation Department
TITLE: *Quality Assurance Shops for MIA* **AWARD:** \$ 93,500

PI: Kenneth Furton
 Chemistry
AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institute of Justice
TITLE: *The Scientific Working Group on Dog and Orthogonal Detector Guidelines (SWFDOG)* **AWARD:** \$ 92,999

PI: Margaret Maisel Clinical Programs AWARDING SPONSOR: Florida Immigrant Advocacy Center, Inc. TITLE: <i>Children's Legal Project Partnership</i>	AWARD: \$ 90,669
PI: Alexander Mebel Chemistry AWARDING SPONSOR: Department of Energy TITLE: <i>Theoretical Studies of Chemical Reactions Related to the Formation and Growth of PAH</i>	AWARD: \$ 79,282
PI: Norman Munroe Mechanical and Materials Engineering AWARDING SPONSOR: VTEQE, Inc. Environmental Specialists TITLE: <i>OrganiCide-Colloidal Remediation System, Related Catalysts And Methodology of Operation</i>	AWARD: \$ 75,420
PI: Jaie Laplante External Relations AWARDING SPONSOR: Department of Cultural Affairs TITLE: <i>2008 South Beach Wine & Food Festival</i>	AWARD: \$ 72,620
PI: Richard Burton Applied Research Center AWARDING SPONSOR: Montgomery Watson TITLE: <i>MWH-GEMTECH Support</i>	AWARD: \$ 67,510
PI: Yong Cai Southeast Environmental Research Center AWARDING SPONSOR: National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences TITLE: <i>Advanced Research Cooperation in Environmental Health (ARCH) Facility Core</i>	AWARD: \$ 59,500