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The Office of Research and Economic Development is pleased to announce awards received by UNC Charlotte Researchers in the month of November, 2018.

Total amount awarded for the month of November was \$1,014,692

Fiscal Year To Date Total: \$26,351,826

Award Title	Amount	Investigators	PI Dept.	Sponsors
3DDS: Study of Reactive Astrocytes-Derived Oxidative Stress and Microglial Neurodegenerative Inflammation in Alzheimer's Disease	\$200,000	Principal Investigator (PI): Cho, Hansang	Mechanical Engineering and Engineering Science	Sponsor: Cure Alzheimer's Fund
Breast Cancer for Young Women	\$50,050	Principal Investigator (PI): Matesich, Joseph	Deans Office College of Computing and Informatics	Sponsor: Carolinas HealthCare System
Computational Model for Spacecraft/Habitat Volume	\$20,000	Principal Investigator (PI): Hsiang, Simon Co-PI: Lim, Churlzu	Systems Engineering and Engineering Management	Sponsor: NASA Johnson Space Center
Electrochemical Mineralization of Perfluorooctanoic Acid and Perfluorooctanesulfonic Acid	\$5,000	Principal Investigator (PI): Sun, Mei	Civil and Environmental Engineering	Sponsor: NCSU Water Resources Research Institute (WRRI) Prime Sponsor: United States Geological Survey (USGS)
Focal Point Analysis for Trusting Machine Learning	\$39,000	Principal Investigator (PI): Dou, Wenwen	Computer Science	Sponsor: DOE Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (PNNL)
Healthy Rowan: Daily Mile Evaluation	\$8,000	Principal Investigator (PI): Hochwalt, Bridget Co-PI: Gavarkavich, Diane	Urban Institute	Sponsor: Novant Health Foundation
Loss of novel end joining factor with dysfunction of BRCA1 contributes to treatment resistance	\$75,349	Principal Investigator (PI): Tomida, Junya	Biological Sciences	Sponsor: National Institutes of Health (NIH)

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PANACEA: Personalized AutoNomous Agents Countering Social Engineering Attacks	\$171,221	Principal Investigator (PI): Shaikh, Samira Co-PI: Al-Shaer, Ehab	Computer Science	Sponsor: SUNY Research Foundation Prime Sponsor: DOD Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA)
Readiness for Cross-Sector Partnerships to Improve Behavioral Health Integration	\$25,000	Principal Investigator (PI): Scott, Victoria	Psychological Science	Sponsor: Finger Lakes Law and Social Policy Center, Inc. Prime Sponsor: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF)
SBIR: Phase II - Optical Boundary Characterization: Reflectivity and Scattering.	\$120,000	Principal Investigator (PI): Poutous, Menelaos	Physics and Optical Science	Sponsor: Nanohmics, Inc. Prime Sponsor: Department of Defense (DOD)
Technical Assistance to the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction in the Implementation of the Transportation Information Management System (TIMS) 2018-19	\$193,751	Principal Investigator (PI): Pressley, JoAnne Co-PI: York, Phillip	Urban Institute	Sponsor: North Carolina Department of Public Instruction (NCDPI)
The Mecklenburg Opioid System Response Plan	\$107,321	Principal Investigator (PI): Hatcher, Schnavia Co-PI: Mennicke, Annelise	School of Social Work	Sponsor: Mecklenburg County Criminal Justice Services Prime Sponsor: US Department of Justice (DOJ)