

# American University – Office of Sponsored Programs

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## August Awards Overview

In August 2017 (FY 2018), the Office of Sponsored Programs recorded the following grants for American University researchers.

**PI:** Vladimir Airapetian

College of Arts and Sciences - Physics

**Title:** *Prebiotic Chemistry of the Young Earth and Mars from Theoretical and Experimental Studies*

**Sponsor:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration

**Funds:** \$106,138.00

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**PI:** Laura Cutler

College of Arts and Sciences - Center for Israel Studies

**Title:** *Israel Institute Support 2017-2018*

**Sponsor:** Israel Institute

**Funds:** \$16,000.00

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**PI:** Douglas Fox

College of Arts and Sciences - Chemistry

**Title:** *Biomacromolecules as Flame Retardants for Wood-Based Construction Materials with Improved Weatherability*

**Sponsor:** National Institute of Standards and Technology

**Funds:** \$128,000.00

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**PI:** Gregory Harry

College of Arts and Sciences - Physics

**Title:** *Collaborative Research: LSC Center for Coatings Research*

**Sponsor:** National Science Foundation

**Funds:** \$92,407.00

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**PI:** Kiho Kim

College of Arts and Sciences - Environmental Science

**Title:** *Identifying Hotspots of Nitrogen Pollution in Saipan*

**Sponsor:** National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

**Funds:** \$62,736.00

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**PI:** Ethan Mereish

College of Arts and Sciences - School of Education

**Title:** *Minority Stress Reactivity and Hazardous Drinking*

**Sponsor:** National Institutes of Health

**Funds:** \$169,287.00

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**PI:** Benjamin Stokes

School of Communication - Dean's Office

**Title:** *Pokemon Go*

**Sponsor:** The Miami Foundation

**Funds:** \$18,500.00