In March 2011 (FY 2011), the Office of Sponsored Programs recorded 13 grants for American University researchers. Below is a summary of these awards.

**PI:** Nancy Abramowitz  
**Washington College of Law - LITC**  
**Title:** 2011 Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic IRS  
**Sponsor:** Internal Revenue Service  
**Funds:** $17,200.00

**PI:** Richard Bennett  
**School of Public Affairs - Justice, Law, and Society**  
**Title:** ATA Executive Forum - Lebanon 2011-2012  
**Sponsor:** U.S. Department of State  
**Funds:** $62,641.56

**PI:** David Cartini  
**College of Arts and Sciences - Biology**  
**Title:** Evolutionary Genetics of Opsin Visual Pigment Genes in Cave and Surface Populations of the Freshwater Amphipod Gammarus minus  
**Sponsor:** Cave Conservancy of the Virginias  
**Funds:** $10,161.00

**PI:** Derrick Cogburn  
**School of International Service - International Communication**  
**Title:** Establishing and Operating the ASEAN Institute on Disability and Public Policy (IDPP)  
**Sponsor:** Nippon Foundation  
**Funds:** $1,999,900.00
PI: Douglas Fox
College of Arts and Sciences - Chemistry
Title: Reduced Polymer Flammability Using POSS-Modified Cellulose
Sponsor: National Institute of Standards and Technology
Funds: $96,143.00

PI: Robert Goldman
Washington College of Law - War Crimes Research Office
Title: International Criminal Court Legal Analysis and Education Project
Sponsor: Swiss Department of Foreign Affairs
Funds: $40,000.00

PI: Jonathan Gould
School of Public Affairs - Washington Institute for Public Affairs Research
Title: American Constitutional Society Evaluation
Sponsor: Open Society Institute
Funds: $117,806.00

PI: Sarah Irvine Belson
College of Arts and Sciences - School of Education, Teaching, and Health
Title: Jumpstart for Young Children Partnership Program
Sponsor: Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc.
Funds: $32,744.00
PI: Charles Lewis
School of Communication - Investigative Reporting Workshop
Title: Arming Mayhem
Sponsor: WGBH Foundation
Funds: $23,096.00

PI: Claudia Martin
Washington College of Law - Academy on Human Rights & Humanitarian Law
Title: Rights of Older and Ageing Persons in Empowering CSOs in Global and Regional Human Rights Systems
Sponsor: United Nations Population Fund
Funds: $50,000.00

PI: Sharon Metcalf
School of Communication
Title: AU SOC 2-Day Training Conference 2011: Political Polling Specialized Training
Sponsor: McCormick Foundation
Funds: $35,000.00

PI: Janice Schaffer
School of Communication
Title: J-Lab Knight Foundation Planning Grant
Sponsor: John S. and James L. Knight Foundation
Funds: $250,000.00
PI: Brett Williams

College of Arts and Sciences - Anthropology

Title: Doctoral Dissertation Research: Producers of the Sustainable Farmworker Labor and Health in Organic Agriculture

Sponsor: National Science Foundation

Funds: $10,179.00