



**THE OFFICE OF RESEARCH ADMINISTRATION  
ACTIVITY REPORT – FISCAL YEAR 2015 THROUGH MAY**

Missouri State University faculty, staff, and students are involved in research, education, and service projects through the support of governmental, business, and philanthropic entities. This report summarizes key aspects of this activity and highlights awards received in FY 2015 through the month of May.

**PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS**

- **Diana Piccolo**, associate professor of childhood education and family studies, and **Patrick Sullivan**, assistant professor of mathematics, recently received a **\$134,442** award from the **U.S. Department of Education**. This grant will help fund their program “Getting it WRITE” in Math. Funds for this project were provided by a grant from the Title II, Part A, of the Improving Teacher Quality Grant administered by the **Missouri Department of Higher Education**. Eighty-two percent of the funding for the project was financed through federal funds (\$171,593.78) and eighteen percent (\$36,505) from non-governmental sources.
- **Rick Breault**, visiting professor of reading foundations and technology, recently received a **\$168,643** award from the **U.S. Department of Education**. This grant will help fund the “Migrant Summer School Math Matters 2015.” Funds came from the U.S. Department of Education via **Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education**.
- The music and media department in Meyer Library at Missouri State University received funding from the **State Library of Missouri** to send an employee to the Music Library Association national conference this year in Denver. This is a “Show Me Steps to Continuing Education” grant in the amount of **\$1,106**. The travel grant funded **Susanna Reichling**, library associate, to attend multiple conference sessions about digitization, copyright, archives, preservation and public services.

**RESULTS**

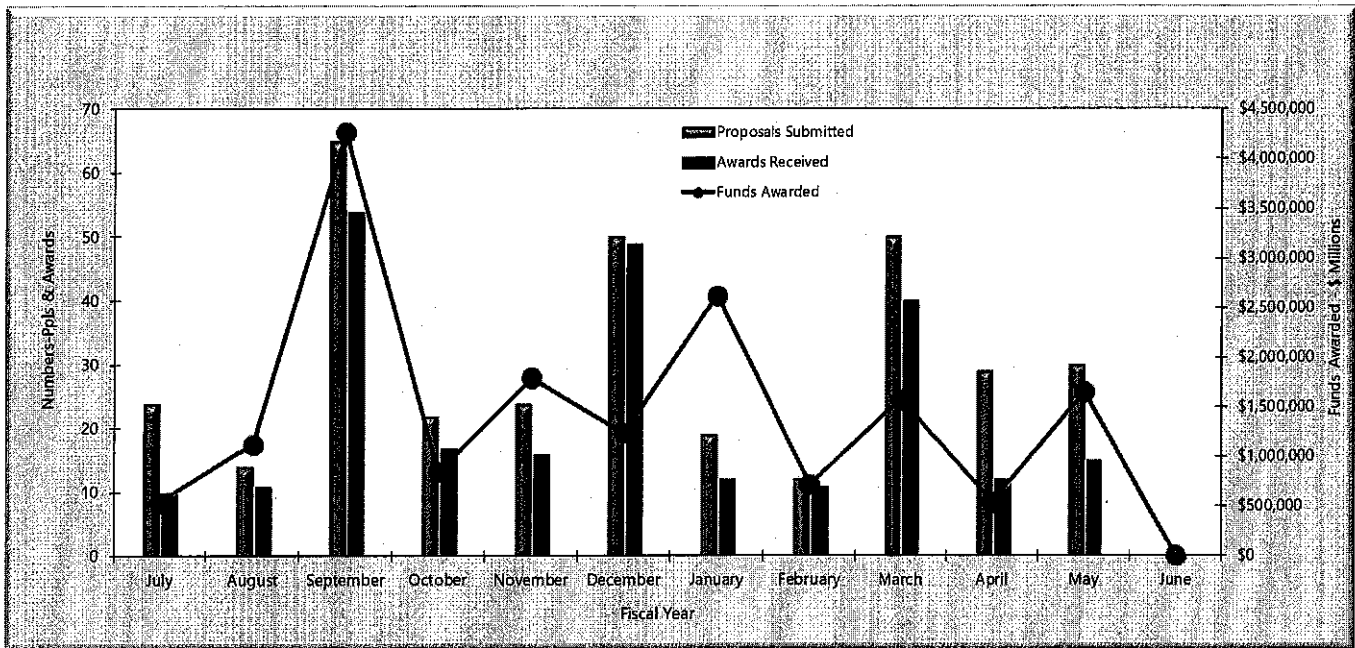
As of the end of May, the University has submitted 339 proposals for support of University-based projects. To date, 247 awards have been received – some of which are from proposals submitted during the previous fiscal year. The commitment of funds in these grants and contracts to date is \$16.9 million. It should be noted that some of these awards are for projects that extend over more than one year, but the formal commitment for funds is only for the current project year.

Key Indicators	Activity for FY 2015	% Change from FY 2014
Proposals Submitted	339	21%
Funds Requested	\$47,491,845	53%
Named Investigators	104	-17%
Grants & Contracts Awarded	247	4%
Funds Awarded	\$16,928,182	-9%

The following is a monthly breakdown of the external funding activity so far in FY 2015:

Sponsored Program Activity FY 2015

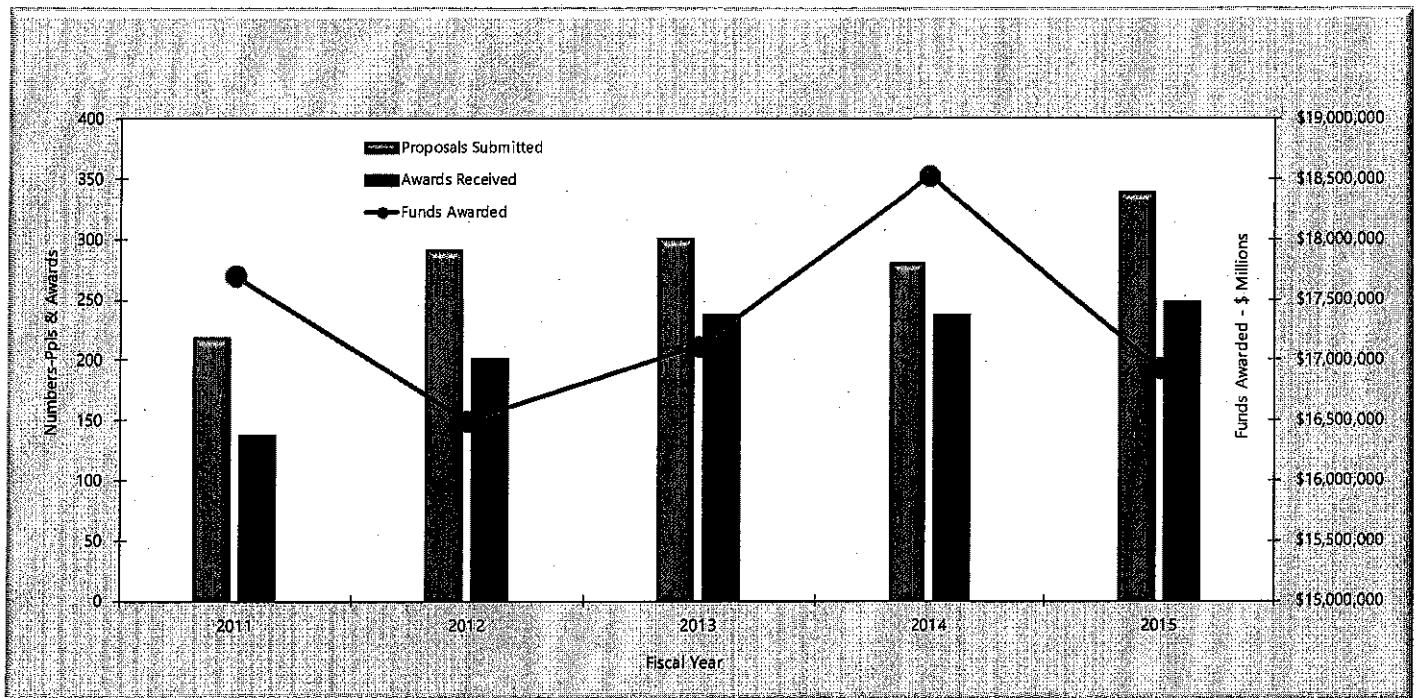
Month	Proposals Submitted	Total Awards	Dollars Awarded
July	24	10	\$541,552
August	14	11	\$1,126,778
September	65	54	\$4,265,965
October	22	17	\$848,906
November	24	16	\$1,795,272
December	50	49	\$1,236,735
January	19	12	\$2,627,571
February	12	11	\$717,286
March	50	40	\$1,577,517
April	29	12	\$542,972
May	30	15	\$1,647,628
June	0	0	\$0



The following is a comparison of activity over the last five years:

Cumulative Sponsored Program Activity Through the Month of May (FY 2011 - FY 2015)

Fiscal Year	Proposals Submitted	Number of Awards					Ttl Awds	\$Millions	
		Education	Equipment	Facilities & Infrastructure	Research	Service		Requested	Awarded
2011	219	38	4	3	40	52	137	\$ 62,008,502	\$ 17,694,596
2012	291	44	2	3	32	119	200	\$ 36,099,910	\$ 16,491,798
2013	301	54	2	4	45	132	237	\$ 27,574,402	\$ 17,115,824
2014	281	40	1	8	52	136	237	\$ 31,103,842	\$ 18,525,783
2015	339	57	0	6	39	146	247	\$ 47,491,845	\$ 16,928,182



The following is the grant and contract activity for FY 2015, through May, by University Unit.

**Missouri State University  
FY 15 Grant/Contract Activity by Unit**

Unit	Proposals				Credit Share*			Actual**		
	Submitted	Approved	Accepted	Rejected	Count	Amount	Count	Amount	Count	Amount
Admin & Info Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
College of Arts & Letters	1	6	1	5	18	17	12	\$ 697,683	11	\$ 697,683
Center for Dispute Resolution	0	1	0	1	5	4	5	\$ 69,539	4	\$ 69,539
College of Business	0	2	0	2	6	6	6	\$ 2,581,083	6	\$ 2,581,083
Center for Project Innovation & Management	0	1	0	1	2	2	2	\$ 600	2	\$ 600
College of Education	3	11	4	9	34	33	27	\$ 1,158,314	25	\$ 1,031,152
Institute for Play Therapy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$ -	0	\$ -
Institute for School Improvement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$ -	0	\$ -
Southwest Regional Professional Development Center	2	0	1	1	7	7	7	\$ 1,537,909	7	\$ 1,537,909
College of Health & Human Services	4	26	1	17	64	36	41	\$ 1,181,161	27	\$ 1,176,095
Center for Research & Service	0	2	0	2	3	3	3	\$ 7,874	3	\$ 7,874
College of Humanities & Public Affairs	0	4	0	2	8	2	7	\$ 307,500	2	\$ 307,500
Center for Archaeological Research	2	1	1	1	19	9	12	\$ 273,704	6	\$ 273,704
Center for Economic Research	0	0	0	1	2	2	2	\$ 15,565	2	\$ 15,565
Center for Social Science & Public Policy Research	0	1	0	1	2	2	2	\$ 5,451	2	\$ 5,451
College of Natural & Applied Sciences	0	39	0	14	94	29	58	\$ 824,701	28	\$ 958,290
Bull Shoals Field Station	2	2	2	1	8	5	6	\$ 67,953	5	\$ 67,953
Center for Resource Planning & Management	2	1	3	1	19	15	11	\$ 648,615	9	\$ 648,616
Center for Scientific Research & Education	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$ -	0	\$ -
Ozark Environmental Water Research Institute	1	1	1	1	9	7	5	\$ 84,962	4	\$ 84,962
Diversity & Inclusion	1	0	1	0	1	2	1	\$ 530,405	2	\$ 530,405
Graduate College	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$ -	0	\$ -
Library	1	3	0	4	5	5	5	\$ 61,171	4	\$ 61,171
President	3	0	3	0	4	4	3	\$ 14,316	3	\$ 14,316
Provost	3	2	2	1	8	5	8	\$ 1,109,639	5	\$ 1,109,639
Ozarks Public Health Institute	0	1	0	1	8	7	8	\$ 311,314	7	\$ 311,314
Research & Economic Development	6	0	6	0	21	20	17	\$ 1,666,174	15	\$ 1,526,174
Center for Applied Science & Engineering	6	0	4	0	26	12	12	\$ 161,895	8	\$ 161,895
Center for Biomedical & Life Sciences	0	1	0	1	14	11	14	\$ 215,889	11	\$ 215,889
Community & Social Issues Institute	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$ -	0	\$ -
International Leadership & Training Center	1	0	1	0	7	7	7	\$ 1,579,350	7	\$ 1,579,350
Jordan Valley Innovation Center	1	0	1	0	7	7	7	\$ 448,387	8	\$ 588,387
Small Business Development & Technology Center	1	0	1	0	9	8	9	\$ 252,434	8	\$ 252,433
Southwest Missouri Area Health Education Center	1	0	1	0	6	7	6	\$ 219,954	7	\$ 219,954
School of Agriculture	2	8	0	3	21	13	17	\$ 181,671	13	\$ 181,671
Center for Grapevine Biotechnology	0	1	1	1	3	4	3	\$ 73,429	3	\$ 73,429
Mid-America Viticulture & Enology Center	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$ -	0	\$ -
Student Affairs	2	0	1	0	2	1	2	\$ 25,000	1	\$ 25,000
West Plains	7	6	2	0	15	3	14	\$ 614,541	2	\$ 613,180

\* Credit Share - divides the proposals/awards between the PI's, therefore proposals/awards may be reflected in the totals more than once.

\*\* Actual - proposals/awards will only be shown in the originating unit.