

SC EPSCoR/IDeA Program Update

May 31, 2018

Administer the MADE in SC Project (\$20M)

- Manage the Sub-awards with eight South Carolina academic institutions that involve

60 Faculty Members

34 Graduate Students

30 Undergraduate Students

- Manage Solicitations, External Review and Award Execution of Seed Funding Programs

Program	Purpose	Amount per Proposal	Proposals Received	Awards Made	Total Amount
GEAR	Research, single PI	\$50,000	21	5	\$250,000
GEAR-CRP	Research, PI + at least one Co-PI	\$60,000	9	5	\$300,000
SAN	Diversity	\$10,000	10	9	\$90,000
Phase-0	Small Business	\$6,000	N/A	TBD	TBD

- Manage Project Communications and PR (Biweekly Newsletter, brochures, science café, etc.)
- Coordinate Meetings, Conference and Workshop. The Annual State Conference on April 7, 2018 had the largest attendance to date:

75 Faculty Members

43 Graduate Students

34 Undergraduate Students

9 Postdoctoral Fellows

7 Industry/Organizational Representative

13 Academic Staff

- Manage the Reporting Portal for Collection Project Information to Report to NSF. Annual Report Due on June 2, 2018.

Other Activities

- Manage the four Stimulus Research Program projects (\$600,000) that started during the Spring of 2018 involving 8 academic institutions.
- Manage the 2017/2018 Phase-0 and REU Awards