

Office of Research & Sponsored Programs FY 2021 ANNUAL REPORT

Extramural Grant Awards, FY 11 -21 Scholarly Publications, 2020 - 2021 IRB Listing, FY 2021

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Letter from Vice Provost of Research & Sponsored Programs Dr. Rachael T. Leon Guerrero

Håfa Adai!



In FY2021, we continued to face considerable challenges resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic. Despite these challenges, the University of Guam continued to thrive, thanks to the dedicated and hardworking faculty and staff who remained focused and resilient.

Research is an integral part of our mission, as UOG is a land-grant university. UOG's researchers from the various research units, including the Marine Lab, the Water & Environmental Research Institute, the Western Pacific Tropical Research Center, the Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities Education, Research & Service, and the Micronesian Area Research Center, continue to support UOG's Para Hulo' strategic initiative of "being recognized as a RESEARCH UNIVERSITY centered in island wisdom." Through our diverse research portfolio – whether we are studying Karst geology, Guam's aquifer, childhood obesity, factors contributing to cancer health disparities, coral reef health, developmental disabilities, endangered plants, or invasive species – we are contributing to the knowledge and wisdom of our island residents.

Our University holds an impressive national standing for an institution of our size. In the latest data released from the National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics, UOG ranks in the top 43% of institutions for total grant-funded research and development expenditures. We are pleased to report that continued progress has been made in our research efforts, and this has been another great year for research and scholarly achievements here at the University of Guam.

In FY2021, UOG continued its ongoing grants, including the National Science Foundation-funded EPSCoR-GECCO grant, the National Cancer Institute-funded Pacific Island Partnership for Cancer Health Equity (U54-PIPCHE) grant, the National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration-funded Sea Grant, and CEDDERS funding. We also received new cycles of NASA EPSCoR Research Infrastructure Development funding and funding for the Pacific Islands Climate Adaptation Science Center.

Additionally, the University was extremely fortunate to be granted \$8.5 million from the U.S. Department of Commerce Economic Development Administration to help fund construction of two new buildings on campus. Federal funding to UOG in FY2020 and FY2021 was unusually high, as with most other universities across the country, due to CARES Act funding.

In FY2021, we continued to collaborate with multiple off-island scientists and institutions, provided employment to the local community, and offered students the opportunity to gain valuable research experience.

Many challenges lie ahead for us all, but I am confident in the abilities and commitment of our faculty and staff here at UOG who continue to remain competitive in securing extramural funding. The Office of Research & Sponsored Programs is here to serve our University family and community stakeholders, so please feel free to contact our office if you have any questions or need additional information.

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Rachael T. Leon Guerrero, PhD, RDN Professor of Nutrition Vice Provost of Research & Sponsored Programs

CHART 1 Annual Grant Funding 2011 - 2021

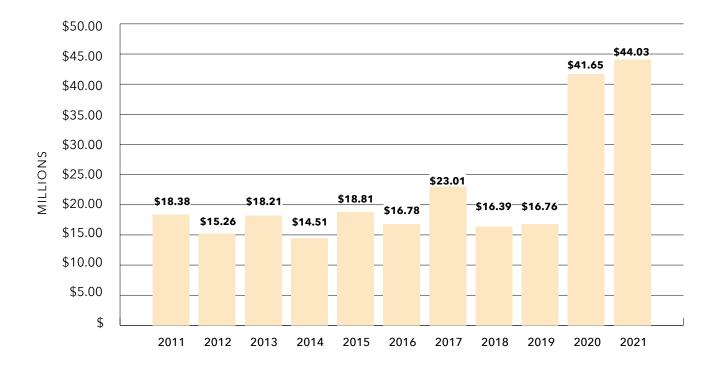


FIGURE 1 Annual Grant Funding 2011 - 2021

Fiscal Year	Grant Amount	Percentage
2011	\$18,378,089.44	7.54%
2012	\$15,255,443.64	6.26%
2013	\$18,208,542.37	7.47%
2014	\$14,514,119.70	5.95%
2015	\$18,811,616.03	7.72%
2016	\$16,781,813.93	6.88%
2017	\$23,014,396.47	9.44%
2018	\$16,390,953.73	6.72%
2019	\$16,757,653.78	6.87%
2020	\$41,652,197.66	17.08%
2021	\$44,030,995.89	18.06%
Grand Total	\$243,795,822.64	100.00%

\$50.00 \$43.38-\$45.00 \$41.01 \$40.00 \$35.00 MILLIONS \$30.00 \$25.00 \$21.21 \$18.04 \$17.56-\$20.00 \$17.68 \$16.01 \$15.88 \$16.05 \$14.22 \$14.03 \$15.00 \$10.00 \$5.00 \$1.81 \$0.82 \$1.03 \$0.53 \$0.49 \$0.77 \$0.73 \$0.39 \$0.88 \$0.64 \$0.65 \$ 2014 2011 2012 2013 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021

CHART 2 Federal vs. Non-Federal Awards by Year 2011 - 2021

FIGURE 2

Federal vs. Non-Federal Awards by Year

2011 - 2021

Fiscal Year	Federal	Non-Federal	Grand Total
2011	\$17,558,123.44	\$819,966.00	\$18,378,089.44
2012	\$14,224,680.27	\$1,030,763.37	\$15,255,443.64
2013	\$17,675,851.88	\$532,690.49	\$18,208,542.37
2014	\$14,026,350.70	\$487,769.00	\$14,514,119.70
2015	\$18,038,141.35	\$773,474.68	\$18,811,616.03
2016	\$16,047,216.93	\$734,597.00	\$16,781,813.93
2017	\$21,205,767.47	\$1,808,629.00	\$23,014,396.47
2018	\$16,005,945.73	\$385,008.00	\$16,390,953.73
2019	\$15,881,461.98	\$876,191.80	\$16,757,653.78
2020	\$41,011,256.66	\$640,941.00	\$41,652,197.66
2021	\$43,377,594.89	\$653,401.00	\$44,030,995.89
Grand Total	\$235,052,391.30	\$8,743,431.34	\$243,795,822.64

Non-Federal

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CHART 3 Number of Federal vs. Non-Federal Awards 2011 - 2021

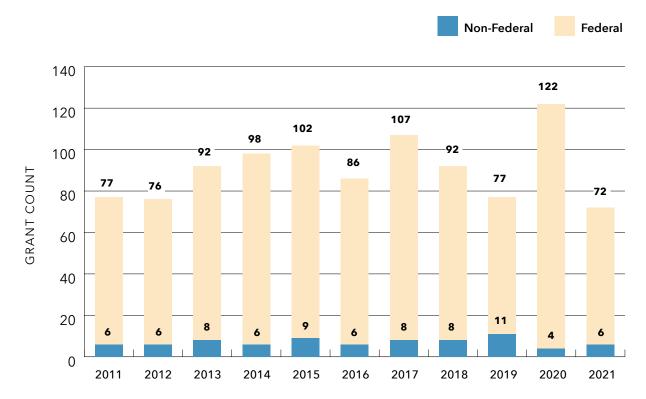


FIGURE 3 Number of Federal vs. Non-Federal Awards 2011 - 2021

Fiscal Year	Federal	Non-Federal	Grand Total
2011	77	6	83
2012	76	6	82
2013	92	8	100
2014	98	6	104
2015	102	9	111
2016	86	6	92
2017	107	8	115
2018	92	8	100
2019	77	11	88
2020	122	4	126
2021	72	6	78
Grand Total	1001	78	1079

FIGURE 4 Top Principal Investigators by Funding (≥ \$100K) 2021

Rank	Principal Investigator	Grant Amount	PI's Unit	Award Sponsor	Title
1	Cathleen Moore-Linn (PI), John Jenson (Co-PI), Margaret Hattori-Uchima (Co-PI), Rachael Leon Guerrero (Co-PI)	\$8,500,000.00	ORSP	DOC/EDA	UOG Scientific Education and Research Facilities Construction Project
2	Anita Enriquez	\$6,092,081.00	SVPP	USDOE	CARES Act ARP Student Aid Portion
3	Anita Enriquez	\$6,077,488.00	SVPP	USDOE	CARES Act ARP Institutional Portion
4	Terry Donaldson (PI), Bastian Bentlage (Co-PI), Austin Shelton (Co-PI), Rachael Leon Guerrero (Co-PI)	\$4,624,293.00	ORSP	NSF	EPSCoR GECCO Y2
5	Rachael Leon Guerrero (PI), Margaret Hattori- Uchima (Co-PI)	\$1,422,643.00	ORSP	NCI	U54 PIPCHE Y2
6	Else Demeulenaere	\$999,100.00	SG	DOI/DOAG	Islandwide Habitat
7	Glenn Dulla, Cathleen Moore-Linn	\$866,426.00	RCUOG (DOAg)	DOI/DOAG	Dog Detective
8	Annette Santos, Fred Granillo	\$755,556.00	SBPA	SBA	SBDC
9	Veronica Alave, Margaret Hattori-Uchima	\$749,538.00	SOH	HHS/HRSA/ BHW	Geriatrics Workforce Enhancement Program Y3
10	Carlos Taitano	\$589,764.00	GLE	HHS/DPHSS	COVID19 Vaccination Clinic & Outreach
11	June De Leon	\$577,449.00	CEDDERS	HHS/ACL	Guam CEDDERS - CORE Grant
12	Rowena Andrade	\$478,486.00	EMSS	ED	Upward Bound Main 21-22
13	Austin Shelton	\$475,000.00	ORSP	DOC/NOAA	Sea Grant
14	Myeong-Ho Yeo (PI), Yong Sang Kim (Co-PI)	\$443,105.00	WERI	DOD/DON (CESU)	Water Quality Monitoring on JRM Submerged Lands Guam
15	Lovelynn Mongami	\$409,407.00	EMSS	ED	Talent Search
16	James McConnell	\$396,162.00	CNAS	DOD/DON (CESU)	Cycads Monitoring at AAFB & Tinian MLA
17	Annette Santos, Boris Hertslet	\$393,992.00	SBPA	DOD/DLA	РТАС
18	June De Leon	\$361,534.00	CEDDERS	ED-GDOE	SSIP (State Systemic Improvement) GDOE
19	Chrislynn Takawo	\$335,111.00	EMSS	ED	Student Support 21-22
20	Austin Shelton	\$325,000.00	ORSP	DOC/NOAA	Sea Grant

Rank	Principal Investigator	Grant Amount	PI's Unit	Award Sponsor	Title
21	Carlos Taitano	\$310,000.00	GLE	HHS/BBMR	COVID CONT TRA/TNA PR Contact Tracing
22	Brett Taylor	\$279,786.00	MARI	DOC/NOAA	Fisheries/Dev/UTIL Fisheries Development and Utilization
23	June De Leon	\$275,000.00	CEDDERS	HHS/DPHSS	PDG B-5 PRESCHOOL DEVT GRANT
24	June De Leon	\$235,000.00	CEDDERS	HHS/HRSA	Ear-Hear
25	June De Leon	\$232,308.00	CEDDERS	ED/GDOE	GDOE Part B
26	Fran Castro	\$199,849.00	SG	USDA	Ugum Restoration
27	Leslie Aquino	\$173,796.00	ORSP	NASA	NASA RID
28	Shane Siers (UH), Cathleen Moore-Linn	\$168,622.00	RCUOG	HHS/DPHSS	No Wrong Door
29	June De Leon	\$163,601.00	CEDDERS	BBMR	COVID Response
30	Annette Santos	\$150,000.00	SBPA	BBMR	COVID Response
31	June De Leon	\$149,987.00	CEDDERS	ED/GDOE	GEIS Part C-4 GDOE Part C
32	Romina King	\$144,609.08	MARC	DOI/USGSUH	PICASC - Coral Reef Bleaching
33	Margaret Hattori-Uchima	\$142,479.00	SOH	NIH-PSU	EXITO RESEARCH CORE
34	June De Leon	\$142,297.00	CEDDERS	PW Ministry of Ed, Sp Ed	Palau Contract Part B
35	Glenn Dulla, Cathleen Moore-Linn	\$140,000.00	RCUOG (DOAg)	USDA	CRB Management
36	Romina King	\$140,000.00	MARC	DOI/USGSUH	Pacific Island Climate Science Center
37	Fran Castro, Peter Houk	\$134,665.00	CIS MARI	DOD/DON (CESU)	Coral Bleaching and Crown of Thorns (COTS) Monitoring on JRM Submerged lands
38	June De Leon	\$127,329.00	CEDDERS	HHS	ACT ATSG
39	Tanisha Aflague (PI), Rachael Leon Guerrero (Co-PI)	\$124,968.00	CNAS	USDA/NIFA-UH	CHL Center Children's Healthy Living 597,267 (9/1/21-8/3/26) 5YR
40	Rachael Leon Guerrero	\$111,903.00	ORSP	HHS/NIH/ UH - COVID RADx-UP	COVID RX-UP
41	June De Leon	\$100,000.00	CEDDERS	HHS/HRSA/ AMCHP	CARES ACT
42	June De Leon	\$100,000.00	CEDDERS	HHS/DPHSS	Guam's Early Childhood Home Visiting Program: Project Bisita I Familia

CHART 4 Grant Awards by College/Department 2021

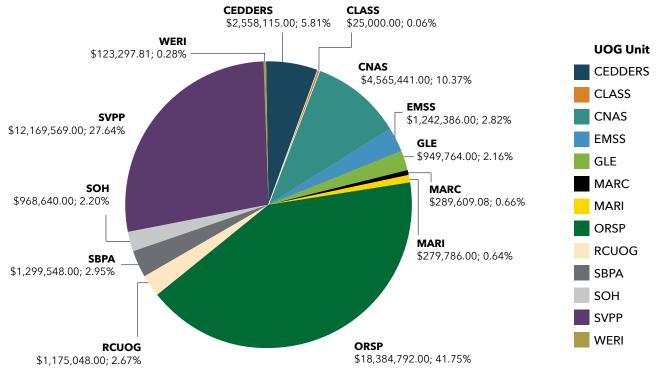


FIGURE 5 Grant Awards by College/Department 2021

Row Labels	Sum of Grant Amount	Percentage
Office of Research and Sponsored Programs (ORSP)	\$18,384,792.00	41.75%
Office of the Senior Vice President & Provost (SVPP)	\$12,169,569.00	27.64%
College of Natural & Applied Sciences (CNAS)	\$4,565,441.00	10.37%
Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities Education, Research & Service (CEDDERS)	\$2,558,115.00	5.81%
School of Business & Public Administration (SBPA)	\$1,299,548.00	2.95%
Enrollment Management & Student Success (EMSS)	\$1,242,386.00	2.82%
Research Corporation of the University of Guam (RCUOG)	\$1,175,048.00	2.67%
School of Health (SOH)	\$968,640.00	2.20%
Global Learning & Engagement (GLE)	\$949,764.00	2.16%
Micronesian Area Research Center (MARC)	\$289,609.08	0.66%
Marine Laboratory (MARI)	\$279,786.00	0.64%
Water & Environmental Research Institute (WERI)	\$123,297.81	0.28%
College of Liberal Arts & Social Sciences (CLASS)	\$25,000.00	0.06%
Grand Total	\$44,030,995.89	100.00%

CHART 5 ORSP Awards by Sponsor

2021

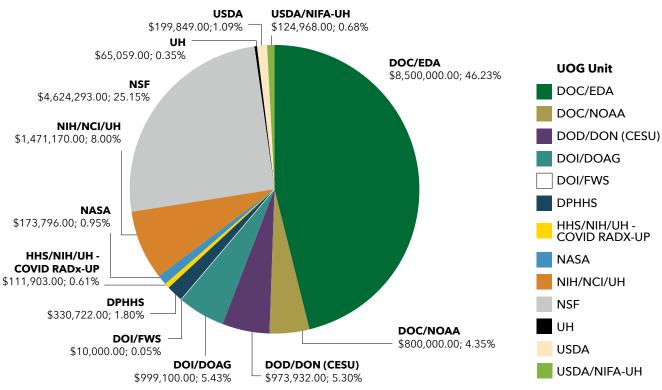


FIGURE 6 ORSP Awards by Sponsor 2021

Sponsor and Project	Sum of Grant Amount	Percentage
DOC/EDA WERI Building & Nursing Building Annex	\$8,500,000.00	46.23%
NSF EPSCoR GECCO	\$4,624,293.00	25.15%
NCI U54 PIPCHE Cancer Grant	\$1,471,170.00	8.00%
DOI/DOAG	\$999,100.00	5.43%
DOD/DON Cooperative Ecosystem Study Unit (CESU) Projects	\$973,932.00	5.30%
DOC/NOAA Sea Grant	\$800,000.00	4.35%
DPHHS Guam Cancer Registry	\$330,722.00	1.80%
USDA Sea Grant Ugum Restoration Project	\$199,849.00	1.09%
NASA EPSCoR RID (Research Infrastructure Development)	\$173,796.00	0.95%
USDA/NIFA-CHL Food System Project	\$124,968.00	0.68%
HHS/NIH/UH - COVID RADx-UP	\$111,903.00	0.61%
NIH/CDC RADX-Up COVID Grant	\$65,059.00	0.35%
DOI/FWS Atantano Reviving Historical and Biological Connections with the Land	\$10,000.00	0.05%
Grand Total	\$18,384,792.00	100.00%

FIGURE 7 Grant Funding by Sponsor

2011 - 2021

Sponsor	Number of Awards	Sum of Grant Amount	Sponsor	Number of Awards	Sum of Grant Amount
AECOM Tech Svc	2	\$194,049.29	DOI/COD	2	\$290,000.00
American Cancer	1	\$14,088.00	DOI/DOAG	4	\$1,907,950.00
Society			DOI/FWS	3	\$89,982.00
AmeriCorps	4	\$1,853,990.00	DOI/NPS	11	\$653,778.50
AUAS/DAN	1	\$10,000.00	DOI/OIA	3	\$453,681.00
BBMR	2	\$900,000.00	DOI/UH	1	\$72,000.00
Black Construction Corp	1	\$25,500.00	DOI/USGS	130	\$3,138,724.79
BSP	5	\$667,413.00	DOI/USGS/BSP	1	\$38,000.00
CHLA	1	\$30,000.00	DOI/USGS/GWA	1	\$531,300.00
CIS	1	\$377,956.00	DOI/USGS/RCUH	1	\$249,016.00
CNMI PSS	3	\$897,480.00	DOI/USGS/UH	9	\$1,379,931.46
DOAG	1	\$242,726.00	DOJ	1	\$300,000.00
DOC	1	\$16,201.00	DOJ/OVW	1	\$300,000.00
DOC/EDA	2	\$8,690,000.00	DON	1	\$209,804.00
DOC/NOAA	29	\$5,526,050.00	DOS	1	\$19,740.00
DOC/NOAA/BSP	20	\$2,446,590.68	DPHHS	11	\$2,461,694.00
DOC/NOAA/CRCP	1	\$71,216.00	DPHSS	1	\$123,915.00
DOC/NOAA/GVB	1	\$50,000.00	Duenas & Associate	1	\$65,018.00
DOC/NOAA/MCT	5	\$402,715.00	ED	49	\$39,646,718.00
DOC/NOAA/TNC	1	\$58,306.00	ED/GDOE	34	\$7,096,360.20
DOC/NOAA/UH	1	\$140,000.00	ED/GDOL ED/OCTAE/GCC	1	\$300,000.00
DOC/NOAA-BSP	1	\$50,000.00	ED/San Jose State	2	\$151,000.00
DOC/USCB/BSP	2	\$468,500.00	University (PT)	2	\$131,000.00
DOD/DLA	11	\$3,450,391.00	ED/UCORP	1	\$25,911.00
DOD/DON	3	\$1,249,652.97	ED/WestEd	1	\$55,000.00
DOD/DON (CESU)	44	\$14,594,981.69	EPA	4	\$331,359.00
DOD/DON/ONR	2	\$465,000.00	FEMA/GHS/OCD	1	\$419,025.00
DOD/GANG	1	\$23,865.00	FHCRC	1	\$8,000.00
DOD/OEA	1	\$405,166.00	Ford Motor	1	\$15,000.00
DOD/USACE/	1	\$743,867.00	CompanyW	1	¢E4704E27
CESU (Alaska)	1	\$440.7/2.00	FSM National DOE	6	\$567,045.37
DOE/GEO	1	\$460,762.00	FWS	3	\$388,731.00
DOI	18	\$6,937,698.00	GBHWC	1	\$19,382.00
DOI/BSP	12	\$671,160.00	GDOE	3	\$391,461.40

Sponsor	Number of Awards	Sum of Grant Amount	Sponsor	Number of Awards	Sum of Grant Amount
GEPA	3	\$183,996.00	Merrick &	1	\$186,480.00
GG	4	\$808,804.00	Company		
GovGuam	2	\$53,699.00	NARA/NHPRC	1	\$142,078.00
Granite-Obayashi	2	\$160,978.00	NASA	7	\$1,596,771.89
Construction (JV)			NASA/UH	1	\$249,999.25
GVB	1	\$5,000.00	NFWF	6	\$1,189,041.32
GWA	2	\$91,792.06	NIH/NCI/UH	10	\$7,525,154.00
Harvard	1	\$314.68	NIH/PSU	15	\$1,531,420.00
HHS	6	\$1,325,760.00	NIH/URI	1	\$25,903.00
HHS/ACL	21	\$7,313,271.71	NIH-Scripps	1	\$29,279.00
HHS/ACL/UCEDD	1	\$59,701.00	Research Institute		
HHS/ACYF/FYSB	2	\$151,982.00	NMHC	1	\$5,000.00
HHS/BBMR	1	\$310,000.00	NOAA	2	\$134,136.00
HHS/CDC	2	\$41,909.00	NOAA/BSP	4	\$112,948.00
HHS/CDC/AMCHP	3	\$30,000.00	NOAA/NFWF	1	\$69,769.00
HHS/CDC/AUCD	1	\$94,000.00	NOAA/RCUH	2	\$114,822.00
HHS/CDC/UH	2	\$177,237.00	NPS	1	\$56,587.00
HHS/DPHSS	27	\$3,701,103.40	NSF	15	\$17,863,336.00
HHS/HRSA	25	\$8,412,619.48	NSF/AU (PT)	1	\$39,000.00
HHS/HRSA/	1	\$100,000.00	NSF/BCS	1	\$274,312.00
AMCHP			NSF/MAA	3	\$86,374.00
HHS/HRSA/BHW	3	\$2,254,026.00	NSF/RIG	1	\$194,134.00
HHS/HRSA/EHDI	9	\$1,311,747.00	NSF/UH	6	\$304,923.00
HHS/MCH	2	\$126,336.25	NSF/UNH	1	\$43,446.00
HHS/NIH	6	\$5,947,574.46	ORSP/GCTF	1	\$32,130.00
HHS/NIH/NIMHD -	5	\$2,795,683.00	PFM Inc	1	\$218,843.00
U24 PICCAH			PIHOA	1	\$24,570.00
HHS/NIH/UH - COVID RADx-UP	2	\$115,159.00	PW Ministry of Ed, Sp Ed	10	\$1,174,739.00
HHS/UH	3	\$285,441.00	RCUH	1	\$8,342.35
HSS	1	\$243,440.00	SBA	83	\$9,654,234.00
HSS/DPHSS	4	\$197,014.00	SCS	1	\$25,260.00
IMLS	1	\$97,792.00	Sundance	2	\$72,543.00
IMLS/NLG-L	1	\$125,339.50	Tides Center	1	\$4,000.00
КАНА	8	\$47,000.00	TNC	1	\$33,773.76
MAA	3	\$15,400.00	UH	7	\$571,812.00
McRel Pacific	1	\$593,863.00	UH Sea Grant	1	\$40,000.00
МСТ	2	\$100,556.06	University of Otago (New Zealand)	1	\$22,645.00

Sponsor	Number of Awards	Sum of Grant Amount
UOG EF	1	\$45,000.00
UPEI	1	\$7,518.00
USDA	29	\$3,329,871.37
USDA/AMS/BBMR/ DOAG	1	\$203,840.63
USDA/AMS/DOAG	1	\$210,938.97
USDA/APHIS	21	\$1,467,012.00
USDA/APHIS/ DOAG (PT)	1	\$58,062.00
USDA/APHIS/PPQ	42	\$1,574,233.00
USDA/CSU	1	\$5,000.00
USDA/CTSA	1	\$12,800.00
USDA/DOAG	7	\$970,094.03
USDA/DPHSS	9	\$1,391,056.00
USDA/FS	16	\$1,809,110.74
USDA/Idaho	1	\$30,000.00
USDA/KSU	6	\$135,232.00
USDA/LSR/ GDOAG/FSRD	3	\$442,780.00
USDA/MCT	1	\$62,000.00
USDA/MSU	1	\$72,871.00
USDA/NASS	1	\$25,000.00
USDA/NIFA	73	\$31,369,816.00
USDA/NIFA/MSU	3	\$401,536.00
USDA/NIFA/UH	2	\$408,968.00
USDA/NIFA/USU	7	\$284,263.70
USDA/NMC	1	\$6,500.00
USDA/NRCS	2	\$149,961.00
USDA/OIA	1	\$63,816.00
USDA/UCDavis	3	\$104,315.00
USDA/UH	7	\$2,795,486.00
USDA/UOPR	2	\$255,500.00
USDA/UOVI	2	\$167,001.00
USDA/UW	6	\$112,002.00
USDA/WSU	1	\$44,999.00
USFWS	1	\$12,000.00
USGS	2	\$966,722.68
USGS/UH	1	\$169,320.00

GRAND TOTAL

Number of Awards: 1080

Sum of Grant Amonut: \$243,935,822.64

CHART 6

Number of Research and Scholarly Publications by College/Department 2020 - 2021

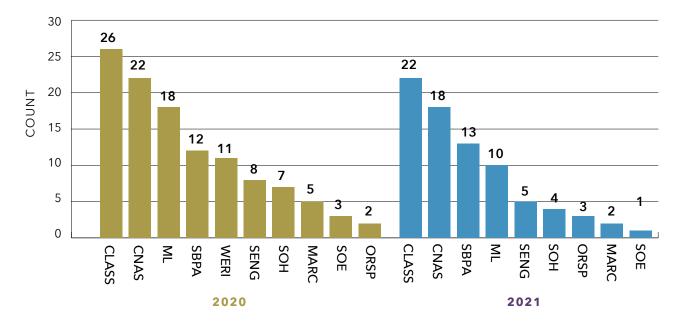


FIGURE 8

Number of Research and Scholarly Publications by College/Department 2020 - 2021

2020		2021	
Unit	Publications	Unit	Publications
College of Liberal Arts & Social Sciences (CLASS)	26	College of Liberal Arts & Social Sciences (CLASS)	22
College of Natural & Applied Sciences (CNAS)	22	College of Natural & Applied Sciences (CNAS)	18
Marine Laboratory (MARI)	18	School of Business & Public	13
School of Business & Public Administration (SBPA)	12	Administration (SBPA) Marine Laboratory (MARI)	10
Water & Environtmental Research	11	School of Engineering (SENG)	5
Institute (WER)I		School of Health (SOH)	4
School of Engineering (SENG)	8	Office of Research & Sponsored	
School of Health (SOH)	7	Program (ORSP)	3
Micronesian Area Research Center (MARC)	5	Micronesian Area Research Center (MARC)	2
School of Education (SOE)	3	School of Education (SOE)	1
Office of Research & Sponsored Program (ORSP)	2	Total	78
Total	114		

Research and Scholarly Publications 2021 - 2022

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List of IRB-Approved Projects 2021

FY2021 was a busy year for the UOG Committee on Human Research Subjects (CHRS/IRB). A total of 160 projects involving human subjects were submitted by UOG faculty, students, and other outside researchers. All projects were then reviewed and approved by the CHRS. The following is a comprehensive list of approved projects.

PROJECT TITLE	PRIMARY RESEARCHER (PI)	FACULTY ADVISOR (IF ANY)
A Millennial Girl in a Polarized World: An Analysis of Polarized behavior among Twitter users who interact with Cancel Culture and Stan accounts with Fandoms	Jasmin Marie Guerrero	Lilnabeth Somera
Heart but no Home Viewer Survey	Angelina-Marie C. Lape	Margaret Hattori-Uchima
#Fitspiration: a study on the parasocial relationships of Instagram fitness influencers and college students and how it affects their choice aimed at a healthier lifestyle	Kimberly Teves	Lilnabeth Somera
#VoteForMe: Local political candidates influence on young voters' political support using Twitter	Bradley Bartonico	Lilnabeth Somera
2021 Guåhan Survey: Identify, Community, and Future	Ngoc T. Phan Kevin Lujan Lee	
A Critical Ethnography of <i>CHamoru</i> Women Reporting Intimate Partner Violence in Guam	Seahara T. Cruz	Rita Sharma
A mediation model of acculturation, enculturation, and mental health among Asian American/ Pacific Islander immigrants on Guam	Jean Margarette Santos	Yoshito Kawabata
A Study of University Student's Attachment Styles, Loneliness Level and Virtual Communication in Guam	Chi Man Santos (Suki)	Paul F.J. Fleming
Access to Online-Based Psychotherapy During SAR-CoV-2 (COVID-19) Pandemic Among Adults on Guam	Sabrina Zhi	Angeline Ames

PROJECT TITLE	PRIMARY RESEARCHER (PI)	FACULTY ADVISOR (IF ANY)
Acculturation: Palauan Social Stigmas Towards Seeking Mental Health Services	Clint M. Ngemaes Jr.	Yoshito Kawabata
Aging and Disability Resource Center/No Wrong Door (NWD) Rapid Assessment of COVID-19 Pandemic Response	Michelle Aguigui Josephine Cruz Joseph Mendiola	
Agriculture on Guam: Challenges and Opportunities Ahead	Kuan-Ju Chen Jesse Bamba	
An Analysis of Seasonal Affective Disorder in Guam	Rochelle Alviz	Angeline Ames
An Evaluation of Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) Program in Guam: Perceived Barriers and Facilitators, Impact on Fruit and Vegetable Intake, and Feasibility in SNAP-Ed	Hope Evangelista	Tanisha Aflague
Analysis of the Social Vulnerability Index forum breakout session discussions	Yvette Paulino	
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