

“We’re bringing together all kinds of scientists who work on plants and animals and people. Between the two sides of the building, we’re going to have about 60 to 70 faculty. It will be an incredible aggregation of intellectual firepower.”

Dr. Kenneth Berns, director of the UF Genetics Institute



“Nanoscale Science and Technology holds significant promise for innovation in virtually every sector of society including health, electronics, transportation, communications, energy, the environment, and national security. The Nanoscale Research Facility provides the tools necessary for pursuing NS&T opportunities. The understandings and methods developed through nanotechnologies today will transition into the tools and techniques needed tomorrow.”

Dr. Bill Appleton, director of the Nanoscale Institute for Medical & Engineering Technology



OFFICE OF RESEARCH BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE

It takes many elements for the University of Florida’s research enterprise to succeed, including outstanding faculty, ambitious graduate students and dedicated staff. But it also takes a physical infrastructure that provides our researchers with the tools they need to pursue science in the 21st century.

In recent years, UF has undergone something of a building renaissance, focusing on new interdisciplinary facilities that reflect the changing nature of science. We now have more than \$750 million in facilities built or planned that will add more than a half million square feet of research space to our campus when complete.

As science has become more interdisciplinary, so too have our buildings. Today, we have less need for buildings devoted strictly to agriculture, medicine or engineering, and more need for facilities devoted to solving problems that cut across these traditional academic

boundaries. That’s what our new buildings provide.

The new Cancer & Genetics Research Complex, for example, is designed to maximize collaborations and to convert scientific ideas into innovative cancer therapies and other beneficial technologies.

The Nanoscale Research Facility will provide imaging and fabrication facilities to more than 80 faculty and staff in physics, chemistry, biology, medicine, engineering and materials science.

The Pathogens Research Facility will enable researchers from medicine, veterinary medicine, agriculture and liberal arts to collaboratively pursue research initiatives that will focus not only on human diseases, but plant and animal pathogens that could directly or indirectly impact human health as well.

The Biomedical Sciences Building will include a biological imaging center, brain research labs and the Department of Biomedical Engineering.



“Florida has laid the groundwork for a world-class institute in this critically important area, and created a setting in which we can form the multidisciplinary teams that are essential to deal with new infectious agents. The new building for the Emerging Pathogens Institute will provide a focus for ongoing interdisciplinary research into mechanisms underlying emergence of new pathogens, and their impact on human, animal and plant health.”

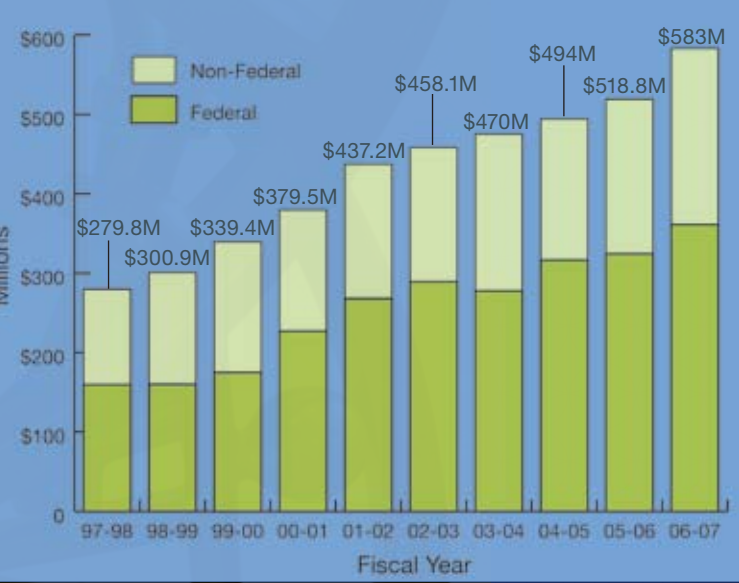
Dr. J. Glenn Morris, director of the Emerging Pathogens Institute

“The physical and cultural integration of the Biosciences, Medicine and Biomedical Engineering in the Biomedical Sciences Building will provide synergistic and collaborative environments that will establish UF as a leader in inter-disciplinary biomedical science, engineering, technology, translational research and technology transfer.”

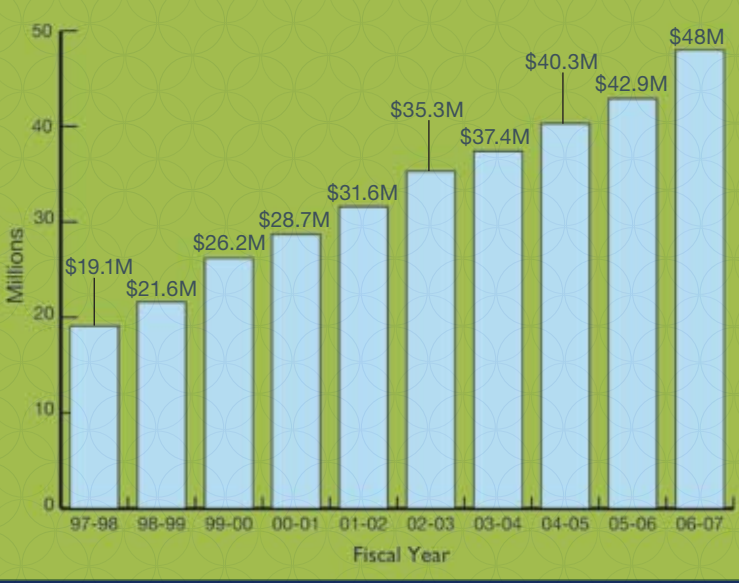
Dr. Bruce Kone, dean of the College of Medicine



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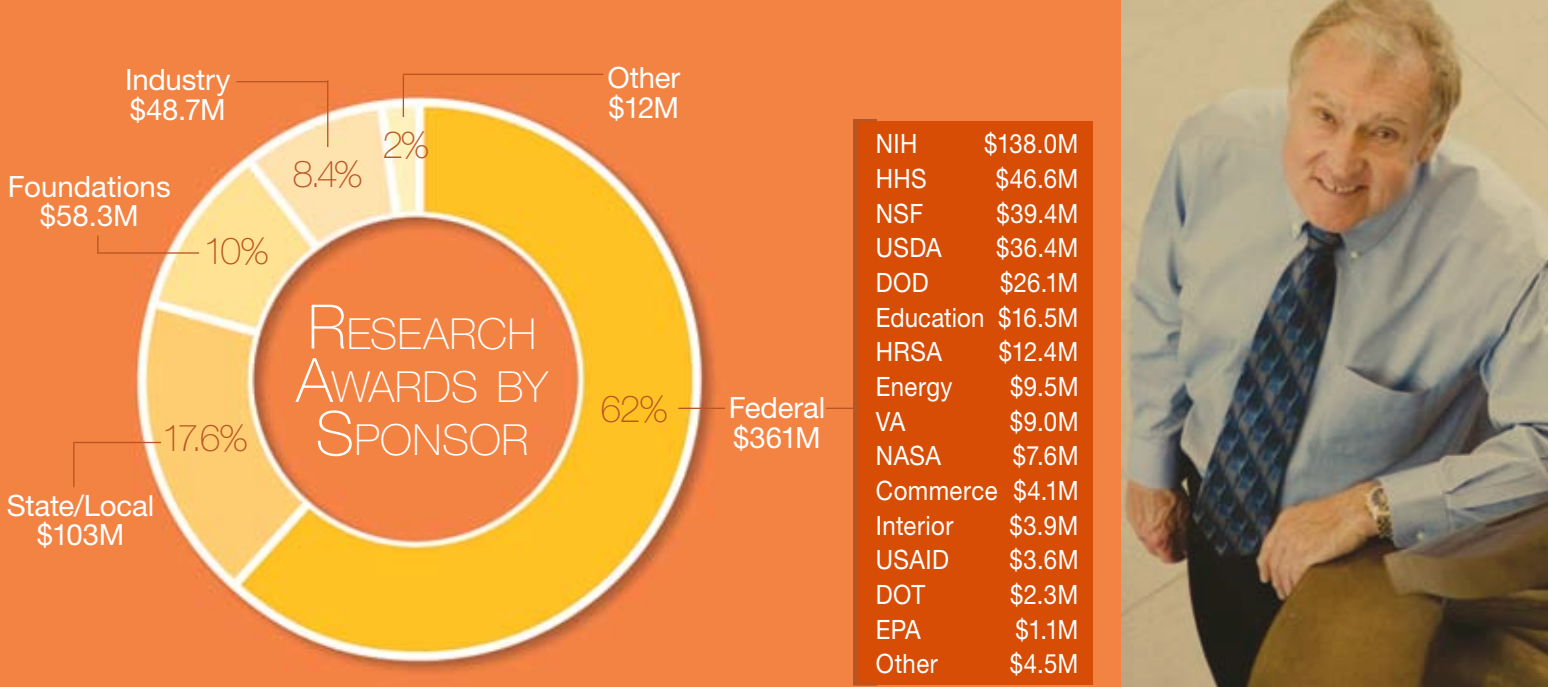
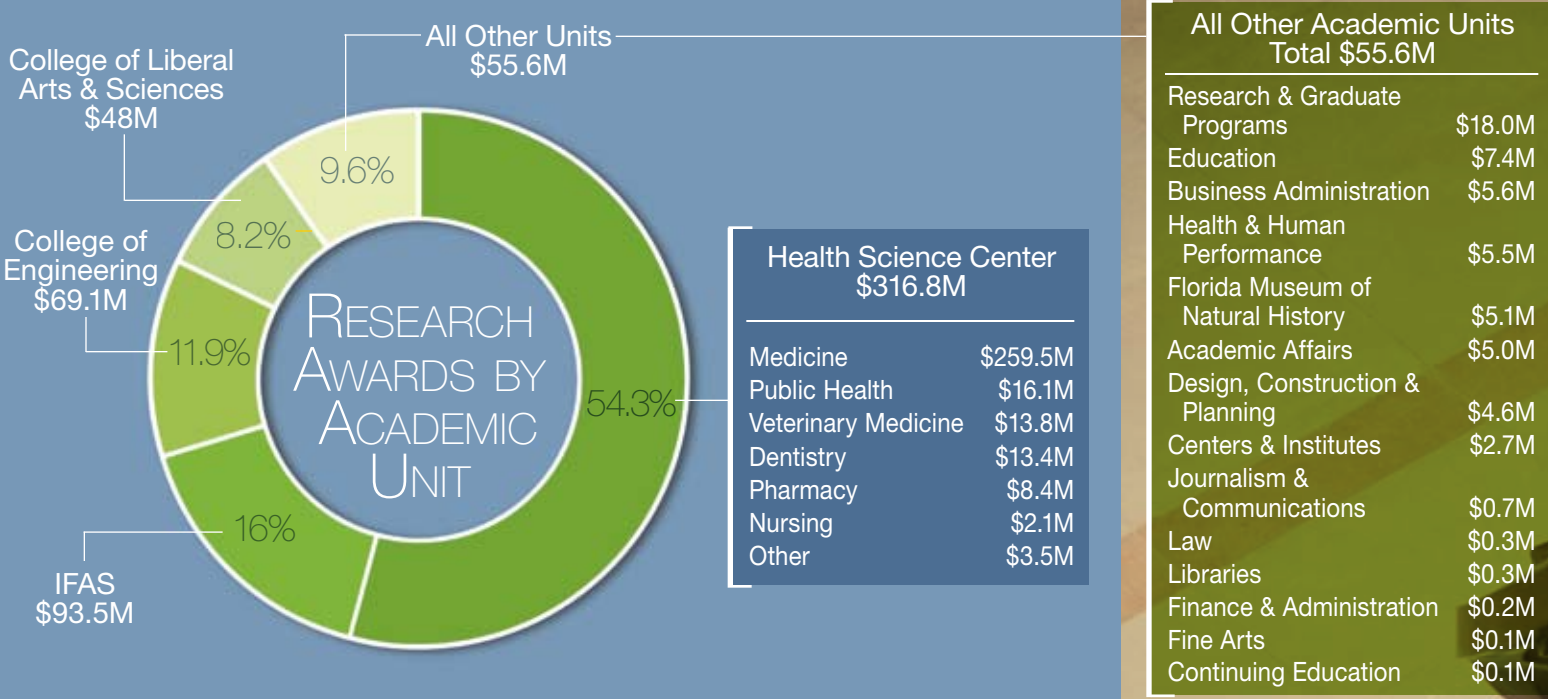
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Dr. Win Phillips
Vice President for Research

SUMMARY OF SPONSORED RESEARCH ACTIVITY

Proposals Submitted	5,185
Awards Received	5,962
New Awards Received	2,295
Continuations or Supplementals	3,667
Grant and Contract Dollars Awarded	\$575,449,910
Gifts for Research	\$7,595,978
Total Sponsored Research Funding	\$583,045,888
Projects Active During the Fiscal Year	6,422
Faculty Receiving Awards	1,872
Sponsors	976

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