

# American University – Office of Sponsored Programs

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## October Awards Overview

In October 2015 (FY 2016), the Office of Sponsored Programs recorded the following grants for American University researchers.

**PI:** Sibel Kusimba

College of Arts and Sciences - Anthropology

**Title:** Group versus Individual Strategies: Dynamic Social Networks of Mobile Money among Women in Western Kenya

**Sponsor:** University of California at Irvine

**Funding Source:** Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

**Funds:** \$11,375.00

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**PI:** Caty Borum Chattoo

School of Communication - Center for Social Media

**Title:** The Role of Comedy in Social Change

**Sponsor:** Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

**Funds:** \$115,855.00

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**PI:** Robin Broad

School of International Service - International Development

**Title:** From National Responsible Gold-Mining to Global Investment & Trade Policy

**Sponsor:** Voices for a Sustainable Future

**Funds:** \$24,668.00

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**PI:** Lynn Addington

School of Public Affairs - Justice, Law & Criminology

**Title:** Intimate Partner Violence, Stalking and Sexual Violence Among Non-College Attending Emerging Adults: Exploring the Prevalence of the Problem and Utilization of Victim Services

**Sponsor:** U.S. Department of Justice - National Institute of Justice

**Funds:** \$39,958.00

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**PI:** Juan Mendez

Washington College of Law - Center for Human Rights & Humanitarian Law

**Title:** Anti-Torture Initiative Gender and Torture Project

**Sponsor:** Institute of International Education

**Funding Source:** Ford Foundation

**Funds:** \$15,000.00