

Executive Summary

Nuclear Workforce Development Scholarships and Enhancement Program

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Total Project Period (Two Years) Funding Request: \$187,668.00

Summary

The Texas A&M University Corpus Christi (TAMUCC) proposes this two-year request to fund five Nuclear Workforce Development Scholarships of \$6,000.00 per semester for specially selected, highly motivated mechanical engineering and engineering technology students who are pursuing an educational emphasis in nuclear power and who desire to contribute to the nuclear-related national workforce. This Nuclear Workforce Development and Enhancement Program will by design assist in TAMUCC's (a Hispanic Serving Institution) ongoing programs of recruiting students, who include traditionally underrepresented minorities, into nuclear power and science. A small fraction of the proposal also covers summer support for faculty and costs to cover administration, mentoring and marketing.