



Pending:

1, NIAID R21 proposal 07/01/2017 – 06/30/2019  
**Genome mining of *Actinokineospora* spp., targeted identification of natural products and biosynthetic pathways**

Role: PI

2, NIEHS/NSF P01 Proposal 4/1/2018 – 3/31/2023

## **Center for Oceans and Human Health: Addressing the impacts of climate change on the health of Florida coastal ecosystems and communities**

#### Role: Co-I

## PRESENTATIONS

- 2, **Invited talk.** Targeting new marine natural products by the activation of cryptic gene clusters. 2016 Florida Annual Meeting and Exposition (FAME), Tampa, FL, 05/05/2016-05/07/2016.

1, Identifying the biosynthesis of a potent cytotoxic agent Lasonolide A. 2016 Marine Natural Products, the Gordon Research Conference, Ventura, CA, 03/06/2016-03/11/2016.

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