Spotlight- 2016-17 Accomplishments:

**Project I2: Prepares teachers in an ESE graduate program with a specialization in ASD**

PI: Cynthia L. Wilson  
2015-2020: $1.2 million  
USDOE  
- 27 active students  
- 16 program completers: (8 master’s and 8 ASD Endorsement)

**Mentor –Lead: Preparing the Next Generation of Leaders for Special Education Faculty Roles**

PI: Michael Brady  
2013-18: $250,00/year  
USDOE  
- 6 full-time doctoral students  
- 2 Ed.D. graduates  
- 7 refereed journal articles, 1 book chapter, 1 conference proceedings, 3 in press  
- 8 submitted, under review, under revision  
- 59 conference presentations

**FAU Academy for Community Inclusion**

College program for students with intellectual and developmental disabilities  
PI: Michael Brady; Project Coord: Mary Lou Duffy  
2015-2020: $1.8 mil: TAFT Foundation; CO-PIs: Brady & Duffy  
2017-2020: $300K, FL Center for Students w/Unique Abilities at UCF  
- **Academy for Community Inclusion**  
- 29 current students (age range 20-47)  
- 3 certificate programs  
- Students eligible for financial aid

**FAU CARD: A community-based program providing assistance and supports to people with ASD and related disabilities, their families, professionals serving them, employers, and the community**

Executive Director, Jack Scott  
$1,068,000  
FL Department of Education  
- One of three state organizations to receive a $100,000 grant from the FL DOE supporting projects addressing personal safety of persons with special needs (partnership with FAU College of Business and PBSO to review tracking devices for persons at risk)

**SELECTED ESE FACULTY ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

Michael Brady  
- 10 refereed articles published
- 2 publications in press
- 14 conference presentations

Sharon Darling
- 5 refereed articles published
- 2 conference presentations

Mary Lou Duffy
- 2 refereed articles published
- 1 refereed conference proceeding
- 7 refereed conference presentations
- Member, Jupiter Medical Center IRB

Lisa Finnegan
- 2 accepted refereed manuscripts
- 1 book chapter published
- 3 conference presentations

Jim Forgan
- 1 book published

Peggy Goldstein
- 1 refereed journal article published
- 1 book chapter published
- 1 encyclopedia publication
- 1 conference presentation

Katie Miller
- 2 refereed journal articles published
- 2 book chapters published

Neal Nguyen
- 3 refereed journal articles published
- 5 conference presentations

Jack Scott
- 1 refereed journal article published
- 10 conference presentations
- Additional Grants totaling $329K

Cynthia L. Wilson
- 4 refereed journal article publications
- 1 book chapter published
- Submitted IES grant application
- 6 conference presentations
- President, Higher Education Consortium for Special Educators
- Chair, COE & University P&T Committees

Rangasamy Ramasamy
- 2 manuscripts submitted
- 2 conference presentations
- Holmes Scholars Program Coordinator
- FTCE ESE Exam Validation Committee

10 faculty in the Department of Exceptional Student Education provided editorial service as Consulting Editors, Field Reviewers, or Guest Reviewers for 22 peer-reviewed journals.