## Grant Recipient

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## Activities

- I participated in a three-day interactive workshop with researchers from diverse backgrounds (structures, wind, coastal engineering, geotechnical, etc.) with a focus on learning about NHERI facilities and how to successfully integrate these facilities into future proposals.

- In particular, I met with numerous NHERI site managers, the NHERI program manager from NSF, and numerous academicians (in particular from Purdue, University of Texas-Austin, and Florida International University).

## Proposal

- **NHERI Summer Institute, June 4-6, 2018, University of Texas – San Antonio Downtown Campus**

  - **Budget Request**
    - Roundtrip airfare: $400
    - Hotel – 4 nights: $500
    - Total: $900

  - Attending this workshop will introduce me to the opportunities offered by NHERI, and provide me with an opportunity to network with interdisciplinary researchers with interests that extend into the sensing realm.

## Outcomes

- I have already recommended consideration of two NHERI facilities to a current (collaborative) colleague.

- I have tentative skype calls with researchers from UT-Austin, Purdue, and Florida International University. Immediate follow-on plans include sending relevant papers to these new research contacts as a first step for moving forward with collaborative work.