

The Florida Senate
GOVERNOR'S VETO
OF PORTIONS OF THE 2017 GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT
SB 2500

SPECIFIC APPROPRIATION VETOED

Specific Appropriation 141
Pages 44 through 47

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| "Max Planck Scientific Fellowship Program..... | 1,050,000" |
| "Honors College (HB 2227)..... | 1,000,000" |

GOVERNOR'S VETO MESSAGE

“The [indicated project following Specific Appropriation 141] is vetoed because Florida Atlantic University received a total of \$282.1 million in Fiscal Year 2017-18 and has the ability to fund this initiative.

ANALYST COMMENT

FAU-Max Planck Scientific Fellowship Program

This appropriation provided \$1,050,000 in recurring general revenue to Florida Atlantic University for a fellowship partnership with the Max Planck Institute.

This initiative was recently funded as follows:

Fiscal Year 2014-2015: \$2 million in general revenue (\$500,000 recurring; \$1.5 million nonrecurring).

Fiscal Year 2015-2016: \$1.75 million in general revenue (\$1.05 million recurring; \$700,000 nonrecurring).

This initiative was funded in the Senate General Appropriations Bill and the House General Appropriations Bill.

FAU-Honors College

This appropriation provided \$1,000,000 in nonrecurring general revenue to Florida Atlantic University to start an honors college.

Appropriations Subcommittee on Education
Analyst: Elwell
June 6, 2017

This initiative was funded in the Senate General Appropriations Bill in the amount of \$386,538 in nonrecurring general revenue. The amount was increased to \$1,000,000 during the Appropriations Conference.