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Federated States of Micronesia has been awarded \$663,863 grants to support 19 projects, including but not limited to, 4 research and/or education projects, 5 professional development projects and 8 producer-led projects. Federated States of Micronesia has also received additional SARE support through multi-state projects.

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RESEARCH AND EDUCATION GRANTS

Project #	Project Title	SARE support	Project Leaders
SW05-00C	Preservation of Traditional and Medicinal Plants in Micronesia	\$36,115	Jim Currie College of Micronesia-FSM
SW05-053	Research and Demonstration on Banana production Technologies in Micronesia	\$83,992	Aurora Del Rosario Palau Community College
SW01-010	Utilization of Local Feedstuffs for Swine Feeding in the American Pacific	\$73,890	Engly Ioanis College of Micronesia Dr. Manuel Duguies Cooperative Extension Service
SW99-015	Sustainable Marketing Strategy in Micronesia	\$27,564	Aurora Del Rosario Palau Community College

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM GRANTS

Project #	Project Title	SARE support	Project Leaders
EW18-006	Training and Outreach for Extension Professionals in Sustainable Capture-based Cage Farming and Hatchery Rearing Methods, of Siganids (Rabbitfishes)	\$70,447	Simon Ellis MERIP
EW12-036	Training toward Transition of Subsistence Farmers to the Market Economy	\$60,000	Jim Currie College of Micronesia-FSM
EW11-001	Training in Marine Ornamental Farming for Extension Professionals in Micronesia	\$51,050	Simon Ellis MERIP
EW05-004	Training on On-Farm Implementation of Sustainable Management Systems for Tropical Atoll Agriculture in the Marshall Islands	\$37,362	Nacanieli Tuivavalagi College of the Marshall Islands

EW99-010	Development through "Seeing is Believing", and "Learning by Doing"	\$50,762	Robert Bishop
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FARMER/RANCHER GRANTS

Project #	Project Title	SARE support	Project Leaders
FW09-302	On-Farm Implementation and Demonstration of Integrated Sustainable Agriculture and Livestock Production Systems for Small-Scale Farmers in Micronesia	\$38,220	Dr.Virendra M. Verma College of Micronesia-FSM
FW09-312	Utilization of the Tilapia Invasive Species as a Low-Cost Protein Feed to Improve Egg Production	\$29,892	Steven Young-Uhk College of Micronesia-FSM
FW08-008	Overcoming the Constraints of Tropical Tomato Production Through Shade Netting and Other Methods	\$13,578	Robert Bishop
FW07-028	Sei Enterprise Inc. Farm Pohnpei Pepper	\$12,000	Sei Uemoto Sei Enterprises Inc.
FW06-307	Replacing Imported Energy Feeds by Storage of Excess Breadfruit as Out-of-season Pig Feed	\$16,712	Jim Currie College of Micronesia-FSM
FW04-311	Lamer Fishpond Pilot Test & Demonstration	\$6,572	Steven Young-Uhk College of Micronesia-FSM
FW01-028	Tu Eri Market Sakau Nursery (Recycling of Plant Discards and Animal Wastes)	\$4,160	Kalistus Marquez Tu Eri Market
FW99-079	Rehabilitation of Degraded Savannah Land	\$3,500	Kesewaol Bishop

ON FARM RESEARCH/PARTNERSHIP GRANTS

Project #	Project Title	SARE support	Project Leaders
OW13-138	Savor the Flavors of Palau! Crop & Enterprise Diversification	\$8,047	Dr.L. Robert (Bob) Barber, Jr. University of Guam Cooperative Extension Service

PDP STATE PROGRAM GRANTS

Project #	Project Title	SARE support	Project Leaders
WSP17-009	2018 College of Micronesia PDP Project	\$40,000	Jackson Phillip College of Micronesia

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