

## Congressman Cuellar's FY19 CJS Appropriations Language

1. NSF HSI STEM education program:

*“Hispanic Serving Institutions (HSIs).—* Hispanic Serving Institutions and the HSI grant program play an important role in increasing the recruitment, retention and graduation rates of Hispanic students pursuing STEM degrees. The Committee directs NSF to fund the HSI-specific program and demonstrate a \$50,000,000 investment no later than September 30, 2019.”

2. NSF cybersecurity research partnerships with HSIs:

*“Cybersecurity Research. –* The Committee encourages NSF to form partnerships with Hispanic Serving Institution and Historically Black Colleges and Universities with respect to cybersecurity research.”