



Southern Nursing Research Society Board and Committee Report Form

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Annual Accomplishments:

1. Reviewed proposals and recommend funding for dissertation awards and small grant award. The 2009 recipients are: Small Grant Award, Dr. Heeok Park, "Effect of Music on Agitation in Patients with Dementia According to the Severity of Dementia"; STTI/SNRS Grant, Dr. Karen Rice, "A Mixed Methods Approach to Understanding Nurses' Clinical Reasoning in Recognizing Delirium in the Hospitalized Older Adult"; Dissertation Award, Martha Biddle (University of Kentucky, faculty advisor Deborah Moser), "A Dietary Lycopene Intervention in Patients with Heart Failure."; and CANS/SNRS Dissertation Award, Jada Brooks (Duke University, faculty advisor Dr. Diane Holditch-Davis), "Interactions between Mothers and their Premature American Indian Infants".
2. A second small grant opportunity was established in conjunction with STTI and offered for the first time in spring 2009.

Committee Goals:

1. Review applications and recommend recipients for 2010 SNRS Dissertation Grant (application deadline March 1, 2010).
2. Review applications and recommend recipients for 2010 CANS/SNRS Dissertation Grant (application deadline September 1, 2010).
3. Review applications and recommend recipients for 2010 SNRS Small Grant (application deadline Oct 1, 2010).
4. Coordinate with STTI for review of applications for 2010 SNRS Small Grant (applications deadline April 1, 2010).
5. Review system for review of applications and propose changes as necessary.