



## Annual Report 2011

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**Officer or Board position:** Grants Committee

### For Officers and Board members with committees:

#### Committee members:

- Lenora Campbell, Professor, Winston Salem State University
- Patricia Cowan, Associate Prof, University of Tennessee Health Science Center
- Angela Green, Arkansas Children's Hospital
- Daurice Grossniklaus, CDC and Emory University
- Laura Kimble, Professor, Georgia Baptist College of Nursing, Mercer University
- Susan Letvak Associate Prof, University of North Carolina Greensville
- Julie Meaux, Associate Prof, University of Central Arkansas
- Linda Moneyham, Professor, University of Alabama at Birmingham
- Jeanne Salyer, Professor, Virginia Commonwealth University of Kentucky
- Jeanne Marie Stacciarini, Assistant Prof, University of Florida
- Pao-feng Tsai, Associate Prof, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences
- Mary Umlauf, Professor, Capstone College University of Alabama

#### Committee goals:

1. Review applications and recommend recipients for 2011 SNRS Dissertation Grant (application deadline March 1, 2011).
2. Review applications and recommend recipients for 2011 CANS/SNRS Dissertation Grant (application deadline September 1, 2011).
3. Review applications and recommend recipients for 2011 SNRS Research Grant (application deadline Oct 1, 2011).
4. Coordinate with STTI for review of applications for 2011 STTI/SNRS Research Grant (applications deadline April 1, 2011).
5. Review system for review of applications and propose changes as necessary.

#### Committee activities and accomplishments:

1. 2011 SNRS Dissertation Grant (March 1 deadline): Twelve proposals were received. Erin Poe Ferranti (Emory University, faculty advisor Dr. Sandra Dunbar) received the grant for her project, "Dietary Quality and Cardiometabolic Risk after Gestational Diabetes."

2. 2011 CANS/SNRS Dissertation Grant (September 1 deadline): Four proposals were received. Yui Matsuda (Virginia Commonwealth University, faculty advisor Dr. Jacqueline McGrath) received the grant for her project, "Predictors of Communication and Sexual Decision Making among Latino Couples."
3. 2011 SNRS Research Grant (October 1 deadline): Ten proposals were received Mary Cazzell, RN, PhD, Assistant Professor at University of Texas at Arlington College of Nursing, received the grant for her proposal "Identifying Neural Correlates of Risky Behavior in Older Adults: A Functional Near Infrared Spectroscopy (fNIRS) Study. "
4. 2011 STTI/SNRS Research Grant (April 1 deadline): Reviews were administratively handled by STTI. Four SNRS members served on the review panel: Mona Shattell, UNC Greensboro; Ann Malecha, Texas Womens University; Pao-Feng Tsai, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences; and Patricia Cowan, University of Tennessee Health Science Center. Jeanne B. Jenkins, PhD, MBA, received the grant for the proposal "Symptom Clusters of Older Adults with Osteoarthritis of the Knee."

**Current or upcoming issues and challenges:**

The Board voted to increase the amount of funding per grant for the 2012 grant cycle (funded from the 2012 operating budget), with recommended increase in research grants to \$7,500 and dissertation grants to \$5,000.