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# 2014 CSRW Peggy Jean Connor Grant Winners

We are pleased to announce the **2014 CSRW Peggy Jean Connor Grant winners**. We had over 20 applications this year, and the applications were evaluated using a blind review process. These grants are awarded to support Southern Miss faculty, staff, or graduate students pursuing research or professional development activities directly focused on issues of importance to/for/about women. The grants are made possible through support of and funding by the administration of Southern Miss and are awarded every year during Women's History Month.

These winners will be presenting the results/progress of their research at the 2015 Women's History Brown Bag Lunch. Please join us for this year's Brown Bag Lunch on March 25<sup>th</sup> at noon in McCain, 203 to hear from the previous years' winners.

Special thanks to the CSRW Grant Committee—Melanie Leuty, Kate Greene, and Yen To—for the time and energy that it took to read over 90 pages of grant applications and fill out the evaluation forms.

Please congratulate the **2014 CSRW Peggy Jean Connor Grant winners** (in no particular order):

- Georgianna Martin—Assistant Professor from Education Research for “Exploring the College Experiences of Women from Low Socioeconomic Status Backgrounds.”
- Pamela Tyler—Associate Professor from History for “Poydras Home.”
- Jennifer Corie—Assistant Professor from Speech & Hearing Science & Kimberly Ward—Assistant Professor from Speech & Hearing Science for “Interview and Job Search Preparation for Female Speech Language Pathology and Audiology Students.”
- Claire Kimberly—Assistant Professor from Child & Family Studies, Amanda Williams—Assistant Professor from Child & Family Studies, and Stacy Creel—Assistant Professor from the School of Library & Information Science for “Women's Engagement with Online Erotica.”
- Kayla Moorer—Doctoral Student from Psychology for “Alcohol Use, Safe Drinking Behaviors, Risky Sexual Behavior, Sexual Victimization, and Sex-Related Alcohol Experiences among College Women.”
- Mary Evans—Assistant Professor from the School of Criminal Justice & Alan Thompson—Associate Professor from the School of Criminal Justice for “Exploring Women's Health Issues within the Correctional Context”

Keep us in mind for next year; the call for applications typically comes out in *early December and closes in early March*.