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Dr. Tami Wyatt and Dr. Xueping Li Funded

Dr. Li and Dr. Wyatt have received a Small Business Innovation Research award from the National Science Foundation. They recognized the urgent need for a better understanding of the usability of electronic health record (EHR) systems and to train health care professionals to use (EHRs). The primary goal of their project is to develop a systematic methodology for testing the usability of academic EHR systems to guide the development of *iCare*, an academic EHR clinical simulation tool.

They hope to give undergraduate and graduate students nationwide experience in utilizing EHRs. Through focus groups, they will determine the feasibility and usability of *iCare*, a system they developed. Congratulations from the College of Nursing!

Dr. Mary Gunther's Work Recognized

Dr. Mary Gunther has been invited to present her work on deferred empathy at the EPS Global International Forum on Aging in Hangzhou, China. The organizers said about Dr. Gunther's work, "This is one of the high profile and interesting studies we wish to invite to our meeting." As if this is not enough, Nova Publishers has invited Dr. Gunther to write chapter for an upcoming book on the psychology of empathy.

Dr. Maureen Nalle

Dr. Maureen Nalle was elected as a member of the American Nurses' Association Congress on Nursing Practice and Economics at the ANA House of Delegates Meeting in Washington, DC. The CNPE focuses on establishing nursing's approach to emerging trends in the healthcare industry and making recommendations to the ANA Board of Directors.

New Books in the Center for Health Science Research Faculty Library

- Sage Encyclopedia of Qualitative Research
- Encyclopedia of Research Design
- Encyclopedia of Measurement and Statistics
- Logic Model Guidebook
- Research Synthesis and Meta-analysis
- Best Practices in Quantitative Methods
- Online Interviews in Real Time
- The Grant Application Writer's Workbook
- Winning Strategies for Developing Proposals and Managing Grants (3rd ed)



Dr. Jan Brown

Timothy A. Howell, Chief Executive Officer of the Senior Citizens Home Assistance Program, announced that his organization has received a \$20,000 grant from the Thompson Charitable Foundation. He gives credit to Dr. Brown for her assistance in that proposal. Howell said of Dr. Brown, "Your data gathering methods were key in help us get this funding.

Jan and her husband, Mike, attended a 50's themed birthday party recently. Now you have to admit -- they are a great looking couple.

Recent Publications*

* These publications were downloaded from PubMed. Please let me know if any of your papers that are in print were missed.

Beebe, L. H. & Myers, C. R. (2010). Essentials of nursing law and ethics. *Issues in Mental Health Nursing*, 31, 496.

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Paulus, T. M., Myers, C. R., Mixer, S. J., Wyatt, T. H., Lee, D. S., & Lee, J. L. (2010). For faculty, by faculty: a case study of learning to teach online. *International Journal of Nursing Education Scholarship*, 7, Article 13.

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