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The Helen Terry MacLeod Research Grant

The Pembroke Center for Teaching and Research on Women annually awards the Helen Terry MacLeod Research Grant to a student, from any field, in support of completion of an honors thesis on issues related to women and gender. Helen Terry MacLeod (1901-1994) was the paternal grandmother of Joan MacLeod Heminway '83. Although Helen Terry MacLeod did not have a college education, she contributed to the undergraduate, graduate, and professional school educations of her grandchildren, including that of her granddaughter, Joan, through (among other things) monetary gifts and loans. While she worked in the home and raised (single-handedly, at times) two boys, she also believed in the right and responsibility of young women to meet and exceed their educational goals. The Helen Terry MacLeod Research Grant honors her life as a whole, but particularly her support of, and commitment to, higher education for women.

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| 2007/2008 | Elisabeth A. Stelson, Education
“Saving Women from Suffrage: Women Antisuffragists in Illinois, 1897-1913” |
| 2008/2009 | Karen Dannemiller, Engineering
“Household formaldehyde detection device” |
| 2009/2010 | Joy Neumeyer, History
“Public Discourse, Private Lives: Love, Sex, and Family in Late Soviet Russia” |
| 2010/2011 | Taylor Lane, Comparative Literature
“Enterprise and Habit, or, How to Talk to Your Neighbor: Alcoholics Anonymous as a Social Model” |
| 2011/2012
<i>Co-recipients</i> | Ann Crawford-Roberts, Anthropology
“Conceptualization of stigma associated with HIV/AIDS in Botswana”

Emily Mepham, Gender and Sexuality Studies
“Working Mothers: Challenges and Barriers in the Perinatal Period” |
| 2012/2013 | Catharine Savage, History; Gender and Sexuality Studies
“The Personal is Academic: Women's Studies and Ethnic Studies at Brown University” |
| 2013/2014 | Lindsay Sovern, History; Gender and Sexuality Studies
“Gorbachev and Yeltsin's Masculine Rivalry” |
| 2014/2015 | Patricia Ekpo, American Studies; Gender and Sexuality Studies
“Everyday Utopia in Virtual Spaces: Tumblr, Depression, and Queer Futurity” |
| 2015/2016 | Christin Aucapino, Public Health
“Challenges on The Front Line: HIV Services Provided in Havana, Cuba” |

- 2016/17 Vi L. Mai, Latin American & Caribbean Studies; International Relations
“Contesting HIV/AIDS in Cuba: The Stories Behind the Headlines”
- 2017/18 Brigitte Dale, History
“Radical Actors: The WSPU’s Staging of the Suffrage Campaign”
- 2018/19 Marielle E. Burt, Gender and Sexuality Studies and Literary Arts
“Directing Towards Social Dialogue”