



**College of Graduate Studies**  
**GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH**  
**SPRING, 2009 AWARDEES**

GRADUATE STUDENT NAME/MAJOR	TITLE OF RESEARCH	AMOUNT AWARDED
Breer, Andrew Military History	American Acquisition of Artillery during the Great War	\$ 800.00
Duke, Tianita Biology	Taxonomy, Ecology, and Distribution of Unusual Populations of <i>Lysimachia Hybrida</i> (Myrsinaceae) from Tennessee and Alabama	\$1,000.00
Eison, Dereck Biology	Assessing Biological Integrity and Fish Assemblages of Two Watersheds Located within a Karst Agricultural Plain, Logan County, Kentucky	\$1,000.00
Kay, Jillian Biology	Determining Plasmid Content Needed for <i>Borrelia Burgdorferi</i> to Survive in Different Animal Sera to Better Understand its Ecology and Human Lyme Disease	\$1,000.00
Kurz, Morgan Biology	The Species Richness, Population Densities, and Site Fidelity Behaviors of the Cave-dwelling Bates at Dunbar Cave State Natural Area Located in Clarksville, Montgomery County, Tennessee	\$1,000.00
Martz, Ronald Military History	Ethical Implications of Embedded Journalists in Combat Operations	\$ 902.00
Medina, Jose Biology	Northern Bobwhite ( <i>Colinus Virginianus</i> ) Relocation Project at Fort Campbell Military Reservation, Kentucky and Tennessee	\$1,000.00
Russell, Christina Biology	Preliminary Data Describing a Novel Antimicrobial Agent to Combat MRSA Infections	\$1,000.00
Smith, Nathalie Biology	Seasonal Activity and Movements of Western Cottonmouths along the Cumberland River Bicentennial Trail	\$ 778.00
Whitley, Amanda Biology	Effects of Coal Mining Operations by Assessment of Macroinvertebrates in Scott, Anderson, and Campbell Counties, Tennessee	\$ 729.00
<b>TOTAL AWARD AMOUNT</b>		<b>\$9,209.00</b>

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