The Southern Nursing Research Society is pleased to announce:

**New SNRS/NLN Joint Doctoral Dissertation Award**

The Southern Nursing Research Society (SNRS) and the National League for Nursing (NLN) have a strong and mutual interest in promoting nursing education research conducted by doctoral nursing students and have agreed to offer a joint award focused on the following goals:

- Select and award a meritorious nursing research dissertation proposal,
- Increase the quality and quantity of nursing education focused research, and
- Support the advancement of the science of nursing education.

**Funding:**

This is an annual award of $5,000 to support completion of one nursing student's dissertation work. Funds for this award are provided by the SNRS and NLN. The recipient also receives a one-year student membership from the NLN.

**Eligibility:**

- Applicants for this award must be current members of SNRS (student or regular) and must be enrolled in a research-focused doctoral nursing program (DNS, EdD, and PhD) in the southern region
- Applicants must provide evidence that they have successfully completed the dissertation proposal process and obtained IRB approval, where applicable
- Proposed studies must be clearly focused on nursing education research and must relate to one or more of the NLN Priorities for Research in Nursing Education.

Proposals are due in February of each cycle. A link to the online submission system for the 2016 cycle will become available in October 2015.

For more information, visit [http://www.snrs.org/research-grants-funding-program](http://www.snrs.org/research-grants-funding-program)