

Dr. Kelley McGuire, Assistant Professor of Nursing and Dr. Angela Andrews, Assistant Professor of Nursing at Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, are the winners of the FY2021 Annette and Henry Baich Research Award from the SIUE Graduate School. The Baich Award is given annually to the most outstanding STEP grant proposal for basic research conducted within the parameters of the Sigma Xi Society. Disciplines include the physical sciences, life and medical sciences, earth science, engineering, psychology and mathematics.

Dr. McGuire joined SIUE in 2013. She received her B.S. in Nursing from Southern Illinois University, M.S. in Nursing Education from Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, and Ph.D. in Nursing from Saint Louis University. Her overall research interests lie at the intersection of stress, performance, and sleep.

Dr. Andrews is an Assistant Professor and has been faculty at SIUE since 2012. She received her B.S. in Nursing and M.S. in Nursing Education from Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, and Ph.D. in Nursing from the University of Missouri-Kansas City. Her overall research interests are in theory-based intervention work to support health behavior change.

Dr. McGuire and Dr. Andrew's award-winning proposal, titled "Exploration of Sleep Health & Behaviors among Undergraduate Nursing Students", was chosen from a competitive field of submissions.

Please join us in congratulating Dr. McGuire and Dr. Andrews on this significant recognition!