

Title: AAUW Research Award

Part I:

- Other community groups** involved, if any (list):(5 points)
- Number of members involved in planning or putting on the program** (5 points) Board - 7
- Number of nonmembers involved** in the program (5 points)
- Number of members who attended or benefitted** (5 points) 25
- Number of nonmembers** who attended or benefitted (5 points) 5
- Number of new members** who joined (if any)(5 points) 2

Part II:

Describe your project/ program/ event in 75-150 **words**. Be sure to include:

- how the project addressed **AAUW's mission** (15 points)
- branch goals** in doing this program (10 points)
- specific action steps** in planning this program (15 points)
- steps taken for **community visibility** (Attach newsletter and newspaper articles.)(10 points)
- measurable **impact on the community** (10 points)
- lessons learned** for future programs/ projects/ events (10 points)

Attach copies of newsletter and newspaper articles about this project/ program/ event.

(No more than 4 pages maximum)

Mail or email the original of your entire application with supporting materials to:

- Peggy Kelland, AAUW-NYS Program Vice President
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Education: AAUW Research Award

The AAUW-St. Lawrence County Branch AAUW Research Award is given annually to a woman in St. Lawrence County who contributes significantly to academic research. This award not only recognized academic excellent locally, but directly reflects our mission to advance equity for women and girls through advocacy, education and make AAUW a visible leader in education through research and demonstrates measurable change in critical areas impacting the lives of women and girls.

The Branch award recognizes research at the undergraduate, graduate and professional level. The 2009 AAUW Research Award went to Rebecca Jewell, currently completing a SUNY Potsdam's Masters of Arts degree in English and Communication, an interdisciplinary program comprised of literature, composition, and communication. Her scholarly research paper, "Suffrage in St. Lawrence County: As Reported in the Local Newspapers," won the second annual second Researching the North Country Writing Competition in May sponsored by the NNY Library Network.

The Board chooses the recipient; her award is given at the Branch Fall Membership meeting. In every case, the woman honored has joined the branch.



AWARD RECIPIENT [The text in this section is extremely faint and illegible. It appears to be a paragraph of text describing the award recipient and the award itself.]

AAUW Research Award Going To Rebecca Jewell

CANTON — The AAUW-St. Lawrence County Branch will present the 2009 AAUW SUNY Plattsburgh Graduate Student Research Award to Rebecca Jewell at the 100th annual fall meeting on Sept. 24 in Canton.

The AAUW Research Award is presented annually to a student at St. Lawrence County with a thesis or dissertation that is outstanding in the field. The AAUW branch also expects to award the award to a graduate student at St. Lawrence County who has completed a thesis or dissertation that is outstanding in the field of women's issues.

Ms. Jewell is currently completing her SUNY Plattsburgh Master of Arts degree in English and is currently a graduate research assistant at the university.

Her research interests include the history of women's education in the United States.

Her scholarly research



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will be presented at the AAUW-St. Lawrence County Branch meeting at the local New York University campus. The award is presented to the graduate student who has completed a thesis or dissertation that is outstanding in the field of women's issues.

For more information, contact Rebecca Jewell at <http://rebecca.jewell@stlaw.edu>.

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Rebecca Jewell at rebecca.jewell@stlaw.edu or the AAUW-St. Lawrence County Branch at www.aauw.org. Ms. Jewell is currently a graduate student at the University of Plattsburgh, Plattsburgh, N.Y. She is currently completing her Master of Arts degree in English and is currently a graduate research assistant at the university. Her research interests include the history of women's education in the United States.

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