

Dear Colleagues:

We, the Edmonds Community College research team, are offering you a great opportunity to share and be recognized for the work your institution is doing to recruit females to STEM programs.

We are conducting a [survey](#) as part of the study (NSF grant # 0501971) “Proven Practices for Recruiting Women to STEM Careers in ATE Programs.” Through this survey, your recruitment strategies will be incorporated into a database in order to produce a coherent list of “proven practices” for future use by institutions and NSF to recruit females into STEM fields. This information will not be linked to specific institutions in our reports. All responses must be completed before Friday, February 22, 2008.

We are sending this survey to Principal Investigators listed in NSF’s ATE award database. We would appreciate it if you could forward this email to any other key educational personnel at your partner institutions who are involved with your ATE project or center as well.

The [survey](#) should take approximately 10-20 minutes to complete. If you would like to receive more information about the results of the survey or about the study in general, please include your contact information in the last question. If you wish to have your institution recognized as a survey participant, please indicate that there as well.

We will make the results of the survey available as soon as the responses have been collected and the data has been analyzed. After the data has been posted, we will send a link to these results.

Once again, the recruitment survey is located [here](#) and must complete this survey before Friday, February 22, 2008.

Thank you so much for your support and participation.

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Survey Link:

http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=Rf1LW117vkLyxewzZdgWLw_3d_3d