**\*\*\* 2011 Graduate Research Symposium Award Winners \*\*\***

**Best Overall Research Presentation – Nathaniel Holly**"The Trees Moved Without Wind: An "Authentic" Look at the Cherokee Prophecies of 1811-1812 and their Role in the Negotiation of Power"
Sponsor:  Hunt Boulware

**Graduate Teaching Assistant Award – Rain Newcomb**"(in) Between Word and Image: Reading Comics"
Sponsor:  Marsha Lee Baker

**Karen Nicholson Best Thesis Award – Alan Socha**"Students' Assessment of Instruction: A Validation Study"
Sponsor:  David McCord

**Karen Nicholson Best Thesis Award – Josephine Falcone**"Comparisons of Arthropod and Avian Communities in Insecticide-Treated and Untreated Hemlock Stands in Great Smoky Mountains National Park"
Sponsor: Laura DeWald

**Awards in each of these categories:**

**Humanities
Adrienne Hollifield**"Folk Traditions as Identity in Their Eyes Are Watching God"
Sponsor:  Annette Debo

**Hilary Lindler**"Forget Me Not: Victorian Era Perceptions of Death in Photography, Religion, and Literature"
Sponsor:  Alexander Macaulay

**Education – Amy Jones, Christine Smith, and Heidi Von Dohlen**"Superintendents' Perceptions of Their Role in Developing Teacher Leadership"
Sponsor:  Sandra Tonnsen

**Health – Erica Edgington and Amelia Hinds**"What Pharmacologic Characteristics of Propofol Contribute to its Use as a Drug of Abuse?"
Sponsor:  Claire DeCristofaro

**Fine and Performing Arts – Maggie Jennings**"The Relationship of Aural Skills Training and Choral Intonation Practice"
Sponsor:  Annette Debo