

Name	Dissertation topic	Year Defended	Chair
	The perceived undergraduate classroom experiences of African-American women in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM)	2013	Fries-Britt
	A different world: African American, first generation college women at a selective university	2013	Fries-Britt
	An exploratory examination of the factors contributing to the increasing presence of women presidents in Maryland community colleges	2013	O'Meara
	Faculty agency: Departmental contexts that matter in faculty careers	2012	O'Meara
	Mexican American first-generation students' perceptions of siblings and additional factors influencing their college choice process	2012	Fries-Britt/Cabrera
	Depressive symptoms among college students: An assessment of the influence of environmental factors on retention outcomes	2012	Titus
	School and individual factors that contribute to the achievement gap in college admissions tests in Chile	2012	Cabrera
	A tale of two groups: Differences between minority students		

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