



## Privilege doesn't predict STEM success

Researchers and educators have long tried to encourage young women to consider science, technology, engineering and mathematics, or STEM, as career fields in an effort to address the shortage of females in those areas. Two KU professors have published a study showing that ability alone isn't enough for women to excel in the STEM fields, and that how far women are from privilege makes a much bigger difference.

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#### \$100K for medical scholarship

University of Kansas and KUMC alumnus Dr. Hugo Zee and his wife, Nora Dougherty Zee, of Atlanta, gave \$100,000 to KU Endowment to create an endowed scholarship for medical students. The scholarship states a preference for African-American students.

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#### Hawk Week student leaders sought

A newly created student position will provide leadership experience for returning KU students and help welcome new students to KU during Hawk Week. Applications are due March 12.

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### KUDOS

#### KU TV, radio ads win awards

The Office of University Relations won two gold awards and a Best of Show recognition in the 27th annual Educational Advertising Awards sponsored by Higher Education Marketing Report.

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#### LECTURE

#### Frontiers in Research on Attitudes among and about Gay People

Monday, March 5, 2012

4 p.m.

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#### TWITTER

[@KSGeology](#): Of the 16 new Kansas oil fields from February, 4 were discovered through horizontal drilling.

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#### FEATURED MULTIMEDIA



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#### KU Buddy System flash mob

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#### KU IN THE NEWS

New York Times Magazine (March 4, 2012)  
[KU alumna Nikki Glaser: 'You Had](#)

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