

# Center for Research on Rural Education

1981



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- ♦ CRRE Authorized by Montana Board of Regents

2016

- ♦ Launched Rural Colloquium
- ♦ Established MREA Scholarship
- ♦ Research Partnerships established with Australian rural ed. researchers

Grants  
Totaling  
**\$133,583**

2018

- ♦ Hosted International Symposium for Innovation in Rural Education
- ♦ Member, Rural School Community Partnership Research Consortium at William and Mary University
- ♦ Launched Emerging Rural Scholars



- ♦ Launched Rural Education International Research Alliance
- ♦ Conducted Montana Teacher Survey, Education Northwest
- ♦ Launched Rural Discovery, 6 participants, Broadus, MT

Grants  
Totaling  
**\$345,199**

2020

- ♦ Youth Aware of Mental Health joins CRRE, 331 student participants, 10 Schools

**YAM** YOUTH AWARE OF MENTAL HEALTH



2022

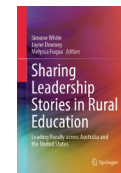
- ♦ YAM engaged 1,781 student participants, 19 schools
- ♦ Pathways participants- over 100 pre-service teachers & 25 rural partnerschools/districts
- ♦ Established Kremer-Lersbak Family Rural Education Fund
- ♦ Launched Rural Exploration, Gallatin County



Grants  
Totaling  
**\$4,210,000**

2024

- ♦ Published, Leading Rurality
- ♦ Pathways participants- over 50 rural school partners
- ♦ Doubled MentorMT capacity through partnership with OPI
- ♦ Expanded Pathways program to include Bridge to College [Future Rural Educators Club & Summer Camp]

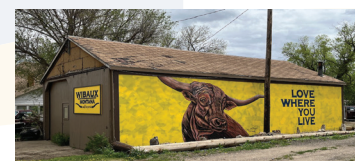


Ushering  
in a New  
Decade  
of Research  
and Service

2015

- ♦ CRRE established a renewed mission for rural education, research and service
- ♦ Executive Board, Montana Small Schools Alliance

Grants  
Totaling  
**\$52,910**



- ♦ Executive Board, National Rural Ed. Association
- ♦ Established Rural Student Teaching Scholarship

2017

- ♦ Established CRRE website
- ♦ Launched Rural Practicum, 13 participants, 7 Rural NE Montana Communities
- ♦ Executive Board, Society for Research on Rural Education
- ♦ Chief Editor Review, AIJRE



2019

- ♦ Executive Board, National Rural Education Association
- ♦ Launched Rural Mental Health Preparation/Practice Pathway to train 50 rural counselors



- ♦ Launched MentorMT for rural teachers, 40 participants annually
- ♦ Launched Montana Rural Teacher Project with MentorMT for rural teachers, 40 participants annually



Grants  
Totaling  
**\$5,466,006**

2021

- ♦ Published, Teaching in Rural Places
- ♦ Launched the ASPIRE project with funding from Margaret A. Cargill Philanthropies
- ♦ Expanded MentorMT to support 200 participants annually



- ♦ Published, Rural Education Around the World
- ♦ YAM engaged 2,026 student participants, 20 schools



Grants  
Totaling  
**\$1,881,966**

2023

- ♦ Pathways participants- over 250 pre-service teachers
- ♦ Launched Rural Student Teaching Pod
- ♦ YAM engaged 3,167 student participants, 18 schools
- ♦ Launched RMHP4 to train 50 rural counselors

Grants  
Totaling  
**\$4,508,972**

2025

- ♦ Pathways participants: over 600 high school/pre-service teachers
- ♦ MentorMT provided support for nearly 400 participants
- ♦ YAM engaged 1,303 student participants, 19 schools
- ♦ Launched Educator Development with Indigenous Nations of Montana Amskaapi Piikani Pilot
- ♦ Launched RSMHP2 to train 48 rural school counselors
- ♦ Engaged all 56 counties and 7 tribal nations in Montana

Grants  
Totaling  
**\$4,377,416**