PROMOTING NON-VIOLENT PARTNERSHIPS

Associate Professor Moira Carmody, Social Justice and Social Change Research Centre (SJSC), has received funding to investigate and promote non-violent relationships of young women and men. This ARC Linkage project in partnership with the NSW Rape Crisis Centre, will target those aged 16-25 years in three rural and metropolitan sites.

‘The research will provide information on how young people negotiate intimate relationships and the impact of educational training on their ability to avoid abusive or violent relationships or encounters’ explained Professor Carmody.

An educational training programme will be developed based on the findings of young people’s experiences of sexual intimacy, sexuality and anti-violence education.

‘The findings of the research will inform policy makers, educators and community organisations working with young women and men’ said Professor Carmody.

**Project title:** Promoting ethical non-violent relationships of young women and men.

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