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Hillary S. Riposo is the Program Coordinator for the HERS Institute at Wellesley College. She attended the Institute in 1989-1990 when serving as Assistant Dean of the College in the Office of Academic Affairs at Brandeis University.

Ms. Riposo earned her B.A. in Zoology and Psychology at the University of New Hampshire and her Ed. M. at Harvard University Graduate School of Education in Administration, Planning and Social Policy. She has held positions in higher education administration at Harvard University Graduate School of Business Administration, Brandeis University, and most recently Tufts University School of Veterinary Medicine. While at Tufts Ms. Riposo created and directed the Adventures in Veterinary Medicine (AVM) program. AVM is a career-exploration program designed to introduce middle school, high school, and college students as well as career changing adults to the profession of veterinary medicine.

Ms. Riposo is also a trained mediator and was an active mediator with Mediation Works, Inc. in Boston, MA, for several years. She participated in the small claims court mediation program at Plymouth District Court, where she mediated a variety of consumer, landlord-tenant, interpersonal, and business disputes. At the Probate and Family Court in Boston she also mediated divorce cases.

In addition, she works together with her husband Philip A. Riposo as Director of Marketing & Client Relations for Riposo Asset Management.

Rejoining the HERS Institute in 2008, 18 years later, is fulfilling her personal goal of assisting other women in higher education to reach their full potential and achieve their career goals.