

# EACL DOCTORAL NEWSLETTER

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- Internship project results in video on FaCIT webpage
- EACL doctoral student recipient of President's Award
- 1st Research Symposium
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- Dissertation support
- Conferences and contests

## MAPEA 1st ANNUAL RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

Eastern Michigan University

John W. Porter Building  
Ypsilanti, MI.

April 7, 2006

8:00 a.m.—12:45 p.m.

The Michigan Association of Professors of Educational Administration (MAPEA) is holding its first annual symposium Friday, April 7th, in the John W. Porter Bldg. at E.M.U. from 8:00 — 12:45.

The goals of MAPEA are to generate and share ideas about programs, curricula, and teaching methodologies of ed. administration and to promote the work and research of faculty and students. This symposium is an opportunity to empha-

size the purpose and goals of the association.

Presentation methods may be face-to-face dialogue in roundtable discussions, formal 45 min. oral presentations, or informal poster session format sharing.

Registration is *free* for students. Continental Breakfast—\$3.00 per person.

Attach a hard copy of a 50-150 word abstract to the application. Use one-inch margins and single-space. Also send abstract as an e-mail attachment to:

Tamara Stevenson  
tamara.stevenson@emich.edu

**Deadline for submission:**  
**February 10, 2006**

PowerPoint submission must be turned in on CD-ROM or floppy disk to the above e-mail or mailed to:

Tamara N. Stevenson  
Eastern Mich. University  
Doctoral Fellow, Dept. of  
Leadership & Counseling  
John W. Porter Building  
Suite 304  
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**Additional Deadline for  
PowerPoint Submission:**  
**March 22, 2006**

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## EACL PRESENTERS AT ASHE 30th CONFERENCE

Drs. Pamela Eddy and Sarah Marshall, along with doctoral student Regina Mitchell (Cohort VII) presented at the 30th Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Higher Education held in Philadel-

phia Nov. 17-19, 2005.

The primary theme this year is "The Social Responsibility of Higher Education." The keynote and major addresses emphasize the theme of scholar-

ship that interweaves diversity and democracy.

**Regina Mitchell, Cohort VII**, led two sessions – *Adjuncts in the Academy: Orienting our Marginalized* (con'd on page 3)

## DOCTORAL STUDENT PRODUCES VIDEO AS PART OF INTERNSHIP

**Michael Gary Lorenzen, Cohort VII**, designed a video project during his internship that is practical and related to his job.

When Michael joined the staff at CMU in 2003 as Head of Reference Services, he was appointed "Plagiarism Expert" by Todd Zakrajsek, Director for Innovative Teaching. Todd, familiar with Michael's work on plagiarism from a Lilly North Conference, wanted Michael to share his knowledge with CMU faculty. Lorenzen developed

workshops to assist faculty in identifying plagiarism in students' work.

For staff unable to attend the workshops, Michael produced a video. It can be viewed at: <http://www.facit.cmich.edu/whats-on/default.htm>

The internship involved researching



the topic of plagiarism, writing the script, filming and editing the video, creating a website to accommodate the video, and finally presenting the video at the Lilly North Conference in Traverse City on Sept. 16, 2005.

Lorenzen has been involved in higher education for over 10 years. He received a B.A. in Philosophy from Bowling Green, M.A. in Ed. from Ohio University, M.A. in Library Science from Kent State, and Ed. Specialist from M.S.U. while working as the Library Instruction Coordinator.

Michael finds it ironic that as a former fellow student with Pam Eddy in Qualitative Research Methods at M.S.U., he now is a student in the same titled class at C.M.U. with Dr. Eddy as his professor!

## MAMSE 36th ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Petoskey, Michigan  
March 9-10, 2006

The Michigan Association of Middle School Educators (MAMSE) invites you to submit a proposal to present at the 2006 conference hosted by the Public Schools of Petoskey. The abstract is limited to 75 words. Give a summary of the content of your session as you would like it to appear in the program. Only the Lead Presenter (1 person) will receive a reduced conference fee

of \$45.00. This fee includes lunches and a MAMSE membership.

**Deadline for application—must be postmarked December 15, 2005**

Contact: Lynn Slanec  
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## Presentations & Site Study

### **Mark Francisco-Cohort II**

Mark gave a presentation on *Administrator Personality and Teacher Job Satisfaction in Michigan K-12 Public Schools* to an attentive gathering of curriculum directors in the Midland Public Schools October 14, 2005.

In addition, Mark is currently involved

with the *Legacy Center* (data compiled by Omnitech) in a site study of the effect of art education upon the success of incarcerated youth in Midland County.

### **Karen Brown-Cohort V**

Associate Dean of Instruction Karen Brown, R.N., Ed.D., is presenting her

work, *The First Year of an Online RN from LPN Program: Evaluation of Program and Student Outcomes*, at the ITC Network Audio-Web Conference, December 5, 2005.

### **Michael Gary Lorenzen-Cohort VII**

Michael presented *Growing the Next generation of Library Leaders* at the MI Library Association Annual Conference Oct. 26 in Grand Rapids, MI.

## DOCTORAL STUDENT TRACI GUINN RECIPIENT OF PRESIDENT'S AWARD

"It is not every day you'll find two people so dedicated to a cause" stated Anthony Orlando, staff reporter for *Central Michigan Life*. Both Robert Newby and Traci Guinn received the **President's Award for Diversity** in October, 2005.

Although President Rao doesn't actually select the individuals, the award represents an initiative to voice his strong support for diversity and inclusion.



Maureen Eke, associate vice president of Diversity & International Education, served as chair of the President's Equity/Advisory Council in

the selection process.

Traci Guinn, Cohort IV, is the director of Minority and Student Services at Central Michigan University. "Traci went above and beyond her regular

job duties to achieve diversity," Eke reports.

Robert Newby, the other award recipient, is a professor of sociology, anthropology, and social work.

Traci said that she felt honored. "I was very excited to hear that I was the recipient of the President's Diversity Excellence Award. You never do the work hoping that others take notice, you do the work in order to help and educate others."

## Con'd- EACL Presenters at ASHE Conference

*Faculty and Work / Life Balance.*

**Dr. Pamela Eddy**, Assistant Professor and Doctoral Program Director, was a presenter for *Methods and Issues in Higher Education Research* and *Re-Professionalizing Higher Education Scholarship: Interrogating ASHE's History*. Dr. Eddy was a leader in a roundtable entitled *Faculty Working in the Hinterlands: Different Experiences, Different Lives*. In addition, she took part in the poster session with the title

theme *Institutional Collaboration: Understanding Partnerships*.

**Dr. Sarah Marshall**, Assistant Professor, took part in the poster session called *Making it Work: Women Higher Education Administrators with Children and Their Strategies for Success*. Dr. Marshall also was a leader in a roundtable entitled *Academic Mothers: A Dialogue on Managing the Tenure Track and a Family*.

### S.R.A.C.E. EXHIBIT

Tues., Dec. 6, 2005

1:00—4:00 p.m.

Bovee Rotunda & Terrace Rooms  
The College of Education and Human Services is presenting the 2nd Annual Student Research & Creative Endeavors Exhibit.



## Doctoral Students Defend Dissertations

Three doctoral students recently have defended dissertations.

### Mark Francisco—Cohort II

Mark Francisco gave his oral defense Oct. 10, 2005 on the topic *Administrator Personality and Teacher Job Satisfaction in Michigan K-12 Public Schools*. Mark is the Art Curriculum Director at

Midland Public Schools.

### Dixie Pope—Cohort V

Dixie, Director of Business at Lakeview Community Schools, defended her work *A Case Study of Labor Relations Regarding K-12 Health Benefits through an Ethical Reasoning Lens* Nov. 9, 2005..

### Rod Rock—Cohort V

Rod Rock, Principal at Unionville-Sebewaing Area Schools defended his dissertation entitled *Teacher and Faculty Socialization Through Learning Communities: New Members' Perspectives* November 29, 2005.

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## Graduate Student Manuscript Contest

The 2006 International Journal of Leadership in Education (IJLE) Graduate Student Manuscript Competition is in search of Graduate Student Manuscript Submissions.

All work must be the student's original research on any aspect of education that incorporates a leadership perspective and must build upon any IJLE article published during 2001-2005 (see [www.tandf.co.uk/journals](http://www.tandf.co.uk/journals) for table of contents). Open to graduate students currently enrolled and who will not graduate before Spring, 2006. All manuscripts must be from student authors only.

**Manuscripts must be submitted by: January 9, 2006.**

Send manuscripts electronically to Dr. Michele Acker-Hocevar, of the International Journal of Leadership in Education at [macker@fau.edu](mailto:macker@fau.edu). Questions may be directed to that address or to Dr. Ira Bogotch, [ibogotch@fau.edu](mailto:ibogotch@fau.edu). Manuscripts will be subject to blind review and considered for publication. More notes can be retrieved from: [www.tandf.co.uk/journals/authors/teclauth.asp](http://www.tandf.co.uk/journals/authors/teclauth.asp)

**First prize:** \$500.00, a year's subscription to the IJLE, recognition at the IJLE's Editorial board meeting at AERA, 2006, San Fran and publication of the manuscript in the IJLE.

**Second Prize:** \$300.00, a year's subscription to the IJLE, recognition at the IJLE's Editorial board meeting at AERA, 2006, San Fran and possible publication of the manuscript.

**Third Prize:** A year's subscription to the IJLE and consideration of manuscript for publication.

## EMPLOYMENT BULLETIN

### K-12 ADMINISTRATION

**Salt Creek School District 48**, Villa Park, IL— Superintendent. Send to: Screening Com.-Salt Creek School District 48, IL Assoc. of School Boards, One Imperial Place, 1 East 22nd St., Suite 20, Lombard, IL 60148. Ph. (630) 629-3776.

**Worth School District 127**, Worth, IL— Superintendent. Send to: Screening Team-Worth School District 127, IL Assoc. of School Boards, 1 East 22nd St., Suite 20, Lombard, IL 60148.

**Grosse Pointe Public Schools—**Admin./Director. Must be a certified special education teacher, school psychologist, or social worker. Must meet State of Michigan CEU requirements. Send to: L. J. Lobert, Assist. Superintendent for Human Resources, Grosse Pointe Public School, 389 St. Clair, Grosse Pointe, MI 48230

### HIGHER ED. EMPLOYMENT

**Community College Ed. Program, Western Carolina University**, Dept. of Ed. Leadership— Tenure track faculty position. [www.wcu.edu](http://www.wcu.edu) for application. Sent to: Dr. K. Pennington, Community College Search Committee, Dept. of Ed. Leadership and Foundations, Western Carolina University, 250 Killian Bldg., Cullowhee, NC 28723.

**Univ. of AK**, Fayetteville— tenure track for Assist. Prof. in Higher Ed., Dept. of Ed. Leadership. Send to: Dr. Christopher J. Lucas, Chair, University of Arkansas, 216 Graduate Ed. Bldg., Fayetteville, AR 72701 [clucas@uark.edu](mailto:clucas@uark.edu)

**Western Washington University—** Assist. Professor of Ed. Admin. Nine month tenure track position with opportunity for summer employment. Required qualifications include recent leadership at level of Assist. Superintendent or Superintendent. Send to: Search #05 WCE-05, Ed. Admin. Program, Dept. of Ed. Leadership, Woodring College of Ed., Western Washington University, 516 High St., Bellingham, WA 98225-9087. Contact: Dr. Kristine McDuffy (360) 650-3708 or e-mail [Kristine.McDuffy@wwu.edu](mailto:Kristine.McDuffy@wwu.edu). Review begins Jan. 31, 2006.

**University of Western Georgia—** Tenure track Assist./Assoc. Professor. Experience in the practice of school leadership preferred. Apply to Dr. Linton Deck, College of Ed., 1601 Maple St., University of West Georgia, Carrollton, GA 30118-5000.

## **HIGHER EDUCATION JOB VACANCIES—continued**

**Eastern Kentucky University**— Chair of the Dept. of Ed. Leadership. Phone: (859) 622-3515  
Website: [coesearch@eku.edu](mailto:coesearch@eku.edu) Send application to:

Dr. Kathryn Polmanteer, Associate Dean  
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**Florida Atlantic University**— Associate Dean (Two positions) Twelve month position. For position description visit: <http://www.coe.fau.edu/main/positions/htm> Position #992434—Assoc. Dean of the Boca Campus; Position #992246—Assoc. Dean of the Northern Campuses Send application to:

Dr. Valerie J. Bristor, Search Chair  
College of Education  
Florida Atlantic University  
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**Texas A&M University**— Chair & Assoc. or Professor, Assist. Or Assoc. Professor, Assist/Assoc./Full Professor. College of Ed., Texas A&M University-Kingsville. For position description visit: [www.tamuk.edu/jobs](http://www.tamuk.edu/jobs)

### **SURVEYMONKEY WORKSHOP**

Do you use surveys in your research? Are you interested in learning how to create professional, online surveys? Human resources is hosting a one-hour workshop on Wednesday, Dec. 14, from 3:00-4:00 in Rowe Hall 110.

Please call 774-6447 (Mary Lou Morey, [moreyml@cmich.edu](mailto:moreyml@cmich.edu)) to register.



*Happy  
Holidays!*

### **DISSERTATION RESEARCH SUPPORT**

The Dissertation Research Support Program allows doctoral students to receive up to \$1500. Applications are available in 251 Foust Hall or

**[www.grad.cmich.edu/appsforms.htm](http://www.grad.cmich.edu/appsforms.htm)**

Doctoral candidates who have had their dissertation proposal approved by their committee may apply. Applicants must be current students.

Submit nine copies to the College of Graduate Studies by **5 p.m. March 3, 2006**. An application consists of a cover page (signed by the student and the chair) and a written proposal. Review your proposal with your advisor prior to submission.

If you have questions, call the College of Graduate Studies at (989) 774-GRAD.