

EACL DOCTORAL NEWSLETTER

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- Women's Studies Annual Conference - Delta College
- Academic Motherhood Workshop at CMU
- Summer Fellowship in Research at Princeton
- Dissertation Research Support Program

STATE SUPERINTENDENT'S PK-16 INSTITUTE

SERVICE-LEARNING AND CITIZENSHIP

Madison Marriott West

Madison, Wisconsin

February 2, 2006

8:00 a.m.— 4:00 p.m.

The Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction is holding its 3rd annual 2006 Institute on Service-Learning & Citizenship in conjunction with the Dialogues with Democracy Conference Thursday, Feb. 2, 2006 in Madison, WI.

Julie Rodriguez Chavez, granddaughter of late civil rights and farm labor leader, Cesar Chavez, will deliver the keynote presentation. Like her grandfather, she seeks to empower

others to improve themselves and their respective communities through education and service.

This year's conference will encourage participants to examine service-learning through the lens of developing a participatory democracy.

Workshops will highlight practical tools and resources to help you integrate service-learning methodology into school and/or district programs.

Other featured speakers include Alan Melchior, Deputy Director and Senior Research Associate at CYC ; Susan Vermeer Lopez, program director for the Arts in Education initia-

tive; and Min Cho, Associate Director of Florida Learn and Serve.

Registration of \$50.00 per person includes: participation in both conferences, lunch, and conference materials.

Register online at:

<http://www.dpi.wi.gov/fscp/slupdate.html>

For additional information, phone Teri Dary, Education Consultant : (608) 261-7494



EACL DECEMBER 2005 DOCTORAL GRADUATES

Congratulations to our newest doctoral graduates—Mark Francisco and Hosep Torossian!

Mark Francisco, Cohort II, is the Director of Fine Arts at Midland Public

Schools. Mark received a B.A. from the University of Michigan and a M.A. from Central Michigan University prior to receiving his Ed.D. in Dec. 2005.

Hosep Torossian, Cohort

IV, is the interim principal at Manoogian School. Hosep received a B.A. from the University of Toronto, and a M.A. from Central Michigan University prior to receiving his Ed.D. in Dec. 2005.

WOMEN'S STUDIES ASSOCIATION ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2006

Delta College

March 24-25, 2006

The conference theme, *Women: Builders of Community—Past, Present and Future* encompasses the various ways that women have participated in "building community." Proposals for paper presentations, symposia, panels, and workshops are invited on the conference theme or other topics. Proposals may be submitted by faculty, students, or community members

and must be accompanied by registration. For forms and detailed information:

www.delta.edu/mwsa

Deadline for proposal submissions and registration:

January 27, 2006 by 4:00 p.m.



Tentative luncheon speaker—
Senator Debbie Stabenow

An evening reception and a "Women's History Alive" performance called *Kate's Pants* will be presented by Sandra Hansen on Friday, March 24. Concurrent sessions at the Delta College Planetarium & Learning Center will be hosted on Saturday, March 25, 2006.

E-mail additional questions/concerns to mwsa@delta.edu

or you may call (989) 892-1136 or (989) 686-9466.

ACADEMIC MOTHERHOOD: MANAGING COMPLEX ROLES - WORKSHOP

Central Michigan University

March 2, 2006

A workshop entitled *Academic Motherhood: Managing Complex Roles* is being offered at C.M.U. on March 2, 2006.

The keynote speakers will be Kelly Ward, Ph.D. from Washington State University and Lisa Wolf-Wendel, Ph.D. from the University of Kansas.

Beginning at 10:00 a.m., there will be

a Graduate Student forum regarding faculty careers. A presentation focusing on policy review and dilemmas will be held from 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Roundtables with group conversations will begin at 2:30 with Table 1 consisting of ACE representatives, Table 2 New Faculty, and Table 3 Department Chairs /Administrators.

For further information contact:

Dr. Pamela Eddy at (989) 774-1162 or pamela.eddy@cmich.edu



DOCTORAL STUDENT DEFENDS DISSERTATION

Barbara Appold—Cohort V

Barb Appold gave her oral defense on December 13, 2005 entitled *A Case Study of the Impact of Teachers with Awareness of the PCM Model on Student Achievement*. Barb studied the Process Communication Model (PCM) in a class offered through Dr. Michael

Gilbert, her committee chair. She worked with the Pauley's and Dr. Gilbert on the study.

Barb is an English secondary education teacher at Bangor Township Schools in Bay City, Michigan. A word of advice from Barb concerning the writing of the dissertation: "Don't

save things with similar names—always put a date on the copy you save."



SUMMER PROGRAM IN RESEARCH FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS

This program provides an opportunity for graduate students to participate in research under the guidance of a senior Educational Testing Service (ETS) staff member in areas such as: education, ed. technology, minority issues, teaching, testing issues, and learning.

A program goal is to increase the number of women and underrepresented minority professionals conducting research.

Applicants must currently be enrolled

in a doctoral program and have completed at least two years of full-time graduate study in a program emphasizing one of the areas mentioned above.

Submission Deadline -Feb. 1, 2006

Submit an electronic application, statement of interest of 500 words, original transcripts, and two letters of recommendation from individuals who are familiar with your work.

Award duration: June 5—July 28, 2006

Stipend of \$5,000, \$1,000 housing allowance, and travel reimbursement to Princeton, N.J.

Arrange to have your university **send** academic **transcripts** directly to:

ETS
Fellowship Programs—MS-09R
Rosedale Road
Princeton, NJ 08541-0001

For more information, contact ETS via e-mail or at 1-609-734-5543.

GRANTS: CONGRESSIONAL RESEARCH AWARDS

The Dirksen Congressional Center invites applications for grants totaling \$30,000 in 2006 to fund research on congressional leadership and the U.S. Congress.

The competition is open to individuals with a serious interest in studying Congress. Scholars of public administration are eligible. Research teams of two or more individuals are eligible.

There is no standard application form. Applicants are responsible for showing the relationship between their work and the awards program guidelines.

Application materials must be received by:

February 1, 2006

Complete information may be found at The Center's Web site: <http://www.dirksencenter.org/>

[print_grants_CRAs.htm](#)

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PUBLICATION BY EAEL DOCTORAL STUDENT

Joanne E. Hopper—Cohort VII

Joanne Hopper recently published an article entitled *Small Staff, Big Results: Creating Systemic Solutions for Delivering General Education Services* in the Fall 2005 Volume 11 issue, pp. 51-59 of *Perspectives*.

The article addressed the context of “community” within Sanilac ISD. Discovering ways to build a culture of collaboration, the leadership and energy of a few became the catalysts for significant changes that are leading the way to restructuring and improved student achievement.



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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

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.

Employment Bulletin

K-12 ADMINISTRATION:

In-State

Baldwin Community Schools-

Elem Principal. DL: Feb. 1, 2006.

Apply to: Randall Howes, Superintendent of Schools, 525 Fourth St., Baldwin, MI 49304.

Jonesville Community Schools-

Superintendent. DL: March 17, 2006. Apply to: Education Associates of MI, LLC, P.O. Box 114, Jonesville, MI 49250-0114. Website:

www.education-associates.com

Out-of-State

Indian Creek School District 425,

Shabbona, IL-Superintendent. DL: Jan. 20, 2006. Send application to: Screening Committee-Indian Creek CUSD 425, IL Association of School Boards, One Imperial Place, 1 East 22nd St., Suite 20, Lombard, IL 60148.

HIGHER ED. : Out-of-State

Assistant/Associate Professor- Educational Leadership

For additional information-
www.higheredjobs.com

Auburn U.-Auburn, AL

Bridgewater State College-
Bridgewater, MA

Central Missouri State U.-
Warrensburg, MO

Cleveland State U.-Cleveland, OH

Duquesne U.-Pittsburgh, PA

Henderson State U.-Arkadelphia,
AR

Indiana U.-South Bend, IN

Old Dominion U.-Norfolk, VA

Sacred Heart U.-Fairfield, CT

Southeastern LA U.-Hammond, LA

In the state of California: CA
State U.-L.A. & Turlock; San Jose
State U.-San Jose

In the state of Georgia: Mercer U.-
Atlanta; U. of West GA-Carrollton

In the state of Illinois: Benedictine
U.-Lisle; Western Illinois U.-
Macomb

In the state of New Jersey: Mont-
clair State U.-Montclair; Rider U.-
Lawrenceville

In the state of New York: Hofstra
U.-Hempstead; State U. of New
York-Cortland

In the state of Oklahoma: Okla-
homa State U.-Stillwater; U. of Cen-
tral OK-Edmond

In the state of Texas: Lamar U.-
Beaumont; Sam Houston State U.-
Huntsville; U. of Texas-Tyler; Texas
A&M-Kingsville; U. of N. Texas-
Denton; U. of Houston-Houston

In the state of Tennessee: Austin
Peay State U.-Clarksville; Middle
Tennessee State U.-Murfreesboro