

# **PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS**

# **2021**

The professional achievements listed are those reported by faculty and staff in response to surveys distributed during the spring. They encompass achievements during June 1, 2020, to May 31, 2021. There may have been notable achievements that were unreported and thus unlisted.

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In these challenging times, it is especially important for us to celebrate one another's accomplishments. Despite the many difficulties presented by the COVID-19 pandemic in academic year 2020-2021, FSU's faculty made notable contributions to their fields through their research, scholarship and creative endeavors. They also performed valuable service in their fields and in the community. Congratulations to our colleagues for their outstanding achievements!

**Dr. Traki Taylor**  
**Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs**

## MESSAGES FROM THE DEANS

### COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Warm greetings from the College of Business (COB)! This message is written against the backdrop of yet another extraordinary academic year! For us, this past year has been a story of adaptability, resilience, validation and triumph as the College joined the University community to respond to the challenges of the pandemic and emerge stronger on the other side.

Foremost, the College hosted its five-year AACSB reaffirmation visit in October 2020, wherein we were able to offer a compelling account of the striking accomplishments of the faculty, staff, students and alumni of COB over the past five years. The cumulative efforts of our preparation resulted in the [reaffirmation of accreditation](#) of all business programs for another five years, with the next visit scheduled to occur in 2025-26. Notably, several "assets" and distinctive features of the College were lauded by the visiting team – principally, a highly engaged Advisory Board that is devoted to student success; the College's intentional investment in experiential learning within the classroom and without; a high-touch, collegial and familial working environment among faculty, staff and students and the College's extended stakeholder group; and support for international students and the attendant benefits to diversity and global awareness. And the beat goes on, as we enter a new cycle of innovation!

Moreover, despite budgetary and travel constraints, College faculty persisted in their scholarly engagement in Academic Year 2020-21, continuing to publish in peer-reviewed journals and making research presentations at a variety of national and international conferences in virtual settings. Of particular note is the presentation by Dr. Suranjana Nabar-Bhaduri of her topical and recently acclaimed publication, "The Economic Consequences of COVID-19: The Great Shutdown and the Rethinking of Economic Policy," at a global academic webinar co-hosted by the *International Journal of Political Economy* and *The Review of Political Economy* in the spring semester. Likewise, in support of the pedagogical emphasis on teaching and learning at the institution, Dr. Suzanne McCoskey introduced a significant innovation to her students that also involved large numbers of administrators and faculty from COB and the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences with the introduction of a role-playing game under the rubric of [Reacting to the Past](#), titled "Mr. Firestone: What Are you Up To?" This game sought to analyze the economic, political, social and historical ramifications of the investment the Firestone Tire & Rubber Company made in the West African country of Liberia in 1926.

Additionally, in fulfillment of COB's tradition of celebration of excellence in its faculty and staff, Dr. Ali Ashraf was honored with the 2021 College of Business Excellence Award for Service. In addition to excellence in teaching and research, Dr. Ashraf's record in service at all levels of the institution is exemplary, with contributions that are deep and enduring. Also, resoundingly, for the first time in its history, three COB faculty were honored with the 2021 prestigious University-level [Faculty Achievement Awards](#) as follows:

- Dr. Ali Ashraf, associate professor of finance, in the area of Teaching
- Dr. Evan Offstein, professor of management, in the area of Academic Achievement
- Dr. Lei (Lilly) Ye, associate professor of marketing, in the area of University and Community Service

The College's strategic efforts to expand opportunities for international education for its students and faculty continued as noted below:

- In continued fulfillment of the cooperative partnership between FSU and the Hunan University of Technology and Business (HUTB), a total of 17 courses was delivered successfully at the HUTB campus in Changsha, China, to three cohorts of students during the fall and summer terms, 2020-21. Professor Nicholas DeMichele, Dr. Zifeng



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Feng, Professor Cleo Kluegel, Dr. Karl Kluegel, Dr. Dan Mizak, Dr. Jill Morris, Dr. Menahem Prywes, the late Professor Asif Rehman, Dr. Ali Ashraf and Dr. Chiulien Venezia taught about 120 students per cohort in virtual modality. As in the past, faculty and student feedback continued to be reliably positive.

- Seventy-eight students from the first cohort of HUTB students entering in 2016 graduated in August 2020, and 83 members of the second, 2017, cohort are slated for graduation in August 2021. Based on partner institution reporting, graduating students enjoy successful placement within industry in China, with many alternatively pursuing graduate education both in China and across several globally recognized international educational institutions, including in the United States.
- The College was instrumental in the significant resetting of the terms, as well as the successful extension of the partnership, with HUTB in November 2020 by another five years.
- In support of the ongoing partnership agreement with DHBW, Bad Mergentheim campus in Germany, several members of the COB faculty – Dr. Kenneth Levitt, Dr. Jeffrey McClellan, Dr. Michael Monahan, Dr. Amit Shah and I – successfully delivered instruction over compressed class schedules in virtual modality.

Salient programmatic and other stateside innovations occurred in the form of:

- Four stackable, credit-bearing Upper-Division Certificate programs slated for launch in the fall 2021 semester, the offerings being 12 to 15 credits in length, in virtual modality, and developed around interest areas in Manufacturing Leadership, Nonprofit Management, Retail Management and Small Business Resource Management. These offerings meet the short-term training- and skills-enhancement needs of the regional population around the University System of Maryland at Hagerstown. The University System of Maryland views these programmatic offerings as critically important in meeting the regional workforce needs and, to that end, has awarded annual enhancement funds of \$125,000 in support of these programs. A new suite of offerings that meet the emergent needs of the region and state continue to be developed and are expected to be launched in fall 2022.
- The Business Administration Major with Concentration in Human Resource Management program was recognized by the Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) in March as aligned with its curriculum guidelines. As a SHRM academically aligned program, the College joins a community of academic institutions dedicated to preparing the next generation of HR professionals, conferring significant prestige and an amplified set of career development opportunities for its students.

In closing, I would like to sincerely acknowledge all members of the executive leadership team at FSU – President Ronald Nowaczyk, Interim Provost Michael Mathias, Mr. John Short, Mr. Alan Walker, Mr. Albert Delia and my fellow deans, Dr. Kim Hixson and Dr. Boyce Williams – for their unceasing generosity and unflinching support in helping the College meet its educational mission this past year. And the contributions of our valued alumni and members of our Advisory Board in all forms sustain COB as it continues to endeavor in crafting its narrative for the future.

**Dr. Sudhir Singh**  
**Dean of the College of Business**

## **COLLEGE OF EDUCATION**

The College of Education (COE) is recognized for providing experientially based learning opportunities. Its distinctive and distinguished programs contribute to the reputation of FSU as the premier educational and cultural center for the region and for serving as a catalyst for economic development. Despite the challenges due to the pandemic, faculty overcame the obstacles and contributed to the profession and their professional learning. As a member of the Council of Higher Education, which reviews and recognized the standards for regional and specialized accreditors, I am pleased that COE maintains excellence through meeting professional organization standards for each of the programs in both the departments of Educational Professions and Kinesiology and Recreation. The Master of Science Athletic Training received accreditation from the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education.

COE continues to develop exciting initiatives through grant opportunities that are facilitated by the administration and faculty in the College. Faculty members in the Department of Educational Professions are implementing the second year of a \$4.1 million grant for an accelerated residency program. The first cohort of teacher



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residents graduated in May 2021 from the Master of Arts in Teaching Elementary program and have entered Frederick County and Garrett County public schools as first-year teachers and teaching fellows. A new cohort of teacher residents began in May with the addition of the MAT Secondary program students participating in the grant. Faculty are continuing community-based partnership grants that provide learning opportunities in the areas of reading, early childhood, professional learning and open educational resources.

Faculty members demonstrate their dedication to students and the community. The Children's Literature Centre (CLC) hosted several virtual events throughout the year. CLC offered a totally online Pirate's Ahoy in summer 2020 and a virtual Children's Literature Festival in April 2021. Kinesiology and Recreation faculty mentored an innovation team, which reached the final four of the NCAA Next Generation Innovation Challenge.

Virtual events and presentations highlight the achievements of faculty members in COE. Faculty presented at Focus Frostburg, the American Educational Research Association, 2021 M.O.S.T. State Summit and Maryland Higher Education Commission-Faculty Advisory Council. Articles were published in *Research in the Teaching of English*, *Academic Advising Today* and *English Education*. The doctoral program director published a book, *"It's Harder to Do It Here": Learning to Teach Social Justice in a Rural English Education Course*. Beyond these highlighted areas, I take pride in the faculty who constantly share their expertise in many venues.

**Dr. Boyce C. Williams**  
**Dean of the College of Education**

## **COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES**

One of the critical core values of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (CLAS) is "a high standard of excellence in teaching, service, research and other professional endeavors." Despite the challenges we faced with COVID-19 during the past year, our faculty demonstrated triumphs and extraordinary achievements, as evidenced by the number and quality of faculty publications, presentations, performances, reviews, creative works and exhibits, as well as the many hours faculty have spent in academic, community and professional service. And this impressive list only touches on the contributions, many unreported, made by our faculty. Confirmation of the quality of this work is provided by the number of awards, funded grants, honors and other distinctions bestowed on the faculty. The first annual CLAS Awards Ceremony was held outside during the spring of 2021 to recognize faculty and staff achievements.

The College continues its commitment to serve the regional community through the many cultural opportunities provided this year, including concerts, theatrical performances and artistic showcases. Many productions were done virtually and with creative programming during the pandemic. The new approaches to serving the community required "thinking outside of the box." Mountain City Traditional Arts, in downtown Frostburg, offered folklore and folklife events. The 15th annual regional Appalachian Festival was held virtually in September. Additionally, the Frostburg Center for Literary Arts provided several workshops and outreach activities for students and professional writers.

In support of our mission to serve as a catalyst for economic development, academic programs within the STEM fields continue to grow, particularly in health sciences. For instance, the FSU nursing programs continue to grow, and plans are under way for additional programs. The new Physician Assistant Program commenced in the summer of 2019, and a site visit was conducted by the Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant (ARC-PA) in spring of 2021. Also, the Life Cycle Facilities Management Program was launched, and a coordinator for the program was hired.

Faculty throughout the College continue to be heavily engaged in educational outreach programs. Even during the pandemic, some outreach programs to schools were provided, and planetarium programs were done virtually. Moreover, Focus Frostburg was held online in the spring semester of 2021.

CLAS faculty and staff continue to provide experientially based learning opportunities for FSU students. On April 7, a Dean's Colloquium was held online for 18 students nominated from nine CLAS programs to discuss research, professional activities and creative work done in collaboration with faculty and staff mentors. Other engagement opportunities for FSU students included virtual Town Hall meetings and the Undergraduate Research Symposium.

Additional College program accomplishments can be viewed on our website at [www.frostburg.edu/colleges/clas/index.htm](http://www.frostburg.edu/colleges/clas/index.htm). The College will continue to place the highest priority on lifelong learning



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and professional development for faculty, as stated in our CLAS Strategic Plan. For it is through example that faculty will instill this same commitment to lifelong learning in our students.

**Dr. Kim Hixson**  
**Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences**



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## BOOKS

### BOOKS PUBLISHED

**Andy Duncan**, English and Foreign Languages

*An Agent of Utopia* (audiobook of 2018 collection), Recorded Books, October 2020.

**Jamison A. Odone**, Visual Arts

*The Man in the Painter's Room*, Black Panel Press, Toronto, January 2021.

### SHORTER PUBLICATIONS

#### ARTICLES OR EXCERPTS

**Dr. D. Alan Bensley**, Psychology

"Assessment of Unsubstantiated Beliefs," with S.O. Lilienfeld, *Scholarship of Teaching and Learning in Psychology*, Vol. 6, No. 3, pp. 198-211, September 2020.

**Dr. D. Alan Bensley** and **Dr. Christopher M. Masciocchi**, Psychology

"A Comprehensive Assessment of Explicit Critical Thinking Instruction on Recognition of Thinking Errors and Psychological Misconceptions," with K.A. Rowan, *Scholarship of Teaching and Learning in Psychology* (advance online publication), <https://doi.org/10.1037/stl0000188>, 2021.

**Dr. Jennifer L. Bishoff**, Educational Professions

"Lab Safety Teaching Resources for the Chemistry Classroom," *Chemistry Solutions*, September 2020.

**David J. Bunnell**, Physician Assistant Medicine

*CardioVISION: The Publication of the Association of Physician Assistants in Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery*.

"Transitions in Leadership," <http://multibriefs.com/briefs/APACVS>, April 2021

"G.R.O.W.ing Your Team: Leadership Lessons From Business Coaches," <http://multibriefs.com/briefs/APACVS>, January 2021

"Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery PA Scholarship at a Crossroads" (editorial), *Journal of the Association of Physician Assistants in Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery*, Vol. 3, Issue 1, Spring 2021.

**Dr. Seniz Celimli-Aksoy**, Educational Professions

"Developmental Outcomes of Children Served in a Part C Early Intervention Program," with Dr. Batya Elbaum, *Infants and Young Children*, July 2021.

**Peggy E. Daw**, Nursing

"The Maryland Nurse Support Program II: A Program Evaluation of Faculty Workforce Initiative," with M.E. Mills and L.A. Seldomridge, *Nursing Economics*, Vol. 39, Issue 2, pp. 78-89, March-April 2021.

**Andy Duncan**, English and Foreign Languages

"Afterword to 'Nine Hundred Grandmothers'" (essay), *The Best of R.A. Lafferty*, Jonathan Strahan, editor, Tor, February 2021 (first U.S. edition of the 2019 book).

"Channeling Voices" (essay), *Pocket Workshop: Essays on Living as a Writer*, Tod McCoy and M. Huw Evans, editors, Hydra House, February 2021.

"James Gunn" (essay), *Locus Online*, February 2021.

"Santa Cruz: A True Story" (short story), *Genius Loci: Tales of the Spirit of Place*, Jaym Gates, editor, Outland Entertainment, January 2021 (second edition of the 2016 book).

"The Weirdest Thing: A Writing Prompt" (essay). *The Seventh Week* (Clarion West Writers Workshop newsletter), Fall 2020.

"An Agent of Utopia" (reprint of 2018 novelette), *Nebula Awards Showcase 54*, Nibedita Sen, editor, Science Fiction and Fantasy Writers of America, November 2020.

"Gahan Wilson (1930-2019)" (essay), *World Fantasy Convention Souvenir Book*, Patrick Swenson, editor, November 2020.

"A Diorama of the Infernal Regions, or The Devil's Ninth Question" (reprint of 2008 novelette), *Devil's Ways*, Anna Kashina and J.M. Sidorova, editors, Dragonwell Publishing, August 2020.

"The All Go Hungry Hash House" (short story), *Galactic Stew*, David B. Coe and Joshua Palmatier, editors, *Zombies Need Brains*, June 2020.

**Dr. Justin R. Dunmyre**, Mathematics

*PRIMUS*, forthcoming:

“Reinventing the Salty Tank Through Guided Inquiry,” with L. Oremland and N. Fortune, 2021 (online)

“Mastery Grading Build-a-Syllabus Workshop,” with E. Cili-Turner, T. Mahoney and C. Wiley, 2020 (online)

**Nancy A. Frost, Randall A. Lowe and Emily A. Zumbun**, Ort Library

“The Evolution of E-Resources Management in a Small Academic Library – Paraprofessional Staff and Librarian Perspectives,” *Journal of Electronic Resources Librarianship*, Vol. 32, No. 3, pp. 221-228, 2020, and *Taylor & Francis Online* at <https://doi.org/10.1080/1941126X.2020.1791439>, September 2020.

**Dr. Franklin P. Hughes**, Biology

*Journal of Contemporary Chiropractic*:

“Chiropractic and Oral Surgical Co-management of Acute Anterior Temporomandibular Disc Displacement Without Reduction Due to Sports-Related Trauma in a Pediatric Patient – A Case Study and Review of the Literature,” Vol. 4, No. 2, pp. 26-34, March 2021

“Reduction of Cortisol Levels and Perceived Anxiety in a Patient Undergoing Chiropractic Management for Neck Pain and Headache: A Case Report and Review of the Literature,” Vol. 3, No. 1, pp. 14-20, February 2020

**Dr. Heather L. Hurst**, Educational Professions

“‘Bullying Always Seemed Less Complicated Before I Read’: Developing Adolescents’ Critical Understanding of the Social Architecture of Bullying Through a YAL Book Club,” with Eibhlín Ryan, *Research in the Teaching of English*, May 2021.

“‘It’s Harder to Do It Here’: Learning to Teach for Social Justice in a Rural English Education Course,” in *Teaching Toward Social Justice: Critical Pedagogies From the Commission on Social Justice in Teacher Education*, November 2020.

**Dr. Thomas D. Lambert**, Biology

“Influence of Off-Road Vehicle Trails on Small Mammal Community Structure in Western Maryland,” with E.L. Thady, E.K. Harlan and S. Edwards, *Journal of the Pennsylvania Academy of Science*, forthcoming.

**Dr. Haiyun Ma**, History

*ThinkChina* (Singapore’s think tank):

“Battling Atheist China: U.S. Highlights Xinjiang Issue and Religious Freedom in Indo-Pacific Region,”

<https://www.thinkchina.sg/battling-atheist-china-us-highlights-xinjiang-issue-and-religious-freedom-indo-pacific-region>

“Biden May Need China’s Help in Afghanistan,” <https://www.thinkchina.sg/biden-may-need-chinas-help-afghanistan>

“Deepening China-Iran Relations Could Change Global Geopolitics,” <https://www.thinkchina.sg/deepening-china-iran-relations-could-change-global-geopolitics>

“Shifting Alliances in the Middle East: Countering the China Threat With an Indian Ocean Triangle,”

<https://www.thinkchina.sg/shifting-alliances-middle-east-countering-china-threat-indian-ocean-triangle>

“Xinjiang – The New Palestinian Issue?” <https://www.thinkchina.sg/xinjiang-new-palestinian-issue>

**Dr. Suranjana Nabar-Bhaduri**, Economics

“Liquidity Preference” (book chapter), *The Encyclopedia of Post-Keynesian Economics*, Louis-Philippe Rochon and Sergio Rossi, editors, Edward Elgar Publishing, Cheltenham, U.K., forthcoming.

“The Economic Consequences of COVID-19: The Great Shutdown and the Rethinking of Economic Policy,” with Matías Vernengo, *The International Journal of Political Economy*, Vol. 49, Issue 4 (special issue titled “What Have We Learned From the COVID-19 Crisis? Domestic and International Dimensions and Policy Options for a Post-Coronavirus World”), pp. 265-277, Winter 2020, January 2021 (online).

**Dr. Benjamin N. Norris**, Chemistry

“Promising Practices: A Faculty Advisor on Appreciative Advising and Virtual Advising Strategies” (blog post), *NACADA Region 2 Promising Practices Blog*, <http://nacada-region2.blogspot.com/2020/12/promising-practices-faculty-advisor-on.html>, 2020.

**Dr. John F. Raucci**, English and Foreign Languages

“A Replication Agenda for Composition Studies,” *College Composition and Communication*, Vol. 72, No. 3, February 2021.



**Dr. Scott E. Rieker**, Music

"COVID and the Choral Educator: Preparedness, Perceptions, Attitudes and a Way Forward," with Irene Apanovitch-Leites, *Choral Journal*, pp. 46-60, February 2021.

**Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski**, Communication

"Communication for Development Through Dialogue, Deliberation and Civic Media: How Deliberative Democracy and Civic Capital Support Social Justice," with Justin Reedy and Laura W. Black, *Handbook of Communication and Development*, Srinivas Raj Melkote and Arvind Singha, editors, August 2021.

"From Suffrage to Social Justice: The Mind-Body Performative Role of Women Athletes in the United States," with Dorene Ciletti, *Pennsylvania Communication Annual* (special issue celebrating the centennial of women's right to vote), 2020.

**Dr. Thomas L. Serfass**, Biology

*Small Carnivores: Evolution, Ecology, Behaviour and Conservation*, E.D.L. San, J. Sato, J. Belant and M. Somers, editors, John Wiley & Sons, Ltd., West Sussex, United Kingdom, forthcoming:

"Conservation Status of the North American River Otter in the United States and Canada: Assessing Management Practices and Public Perceptions," with E.A. Bricker, Z.L. Hanley, S.S. Stevens, K.J. Pearce and J.A. Bohrman

"Addendum: Conservation Status of the North American River Otter – An Update," with E.A. Bricker and Z.L. Hanley

*Southeastern Naturalist*, 20 (special issue), forthcoming:

"Den-Site Selection by Eastern Spotted Skunks in the Central Appalachian Mountains of West Virginia," with K.N. Hassler, C.D. Waggy, R.M. Spínola, K.J. Oxenrider, R.E. Rogers and K.J. Pearce

"Genetic Confirmation of Predation of an Adult Female Eastern Spotted Skunk by a Barred Owl," with K.N. Hassler, B.E. Kessinger, C.E. Harms, L.E. Price, E.P. Barton, K.J. Oxenrider, R.E. Rogers, K.J. Pearce and A.B. Welsh

"River Crossings by Two Male Eastern Spotted Skunks in West Virginia," with K.N. Hassler, C.D. Waggy, K.J. Oxenrider, R.E. Rogers and K.J. Pearce

"Status and Distribution of the Eastern Spotted Skunk in Maryland: A Historic Review and Recent Assessment," with K.J. Pearce, J. M. McCann and D.J. Feller, *Southeastern Naturalist*, forthcoming.

"The Prevalence of the Raccoon Roundworm, *Baylisascaris procyonis*, in Allegheny Woodrat Habitat in the Mid-Atlantic region, USA," with J. Wolfkill, M.E. Bejarano, G. Turner, S. Brosi, D. Feller and C. Mahan, *American Midland Naturalist*, Vol. 185, No. 1, pp. 145-147, January 2021.

"Mesopredator Community Dynamics Along a Gradient of Landscape Disturbance in Riparian Corridors of Central Pennsylvania, USA," with A.T. Townsend, J.A. Bishop and R.P. Brooks, *Canadian Wildlife Biology and Management*, Vol. 9, No. 2, pp. 88-106, December 2020.

"Monthly Patterns of Scat Marking by River Otters (*Lontra canadensis*) at Latrines Along Pine Creek in Northcentral Pennsylvania, USA," with R.P. Brooks and K.J. Pearce, *Otter Specialist Group Bulletin*, 36(A), pp. 21-27, December 2020.

"Updating the AIHTS Trapping Standards to Improve Animal Welfare and Capture Efficiency and Selectivity," with G. Proulx, M. Cattet and S. Baker, *Animals*, Vol. 10, Issue 8, DOI: 10.3390/ani100812621262, July 2020.

**Dr. Thomas L. Serfass** and **Dr. Maggie D. Triska**, Biology

"Fisher (*Pekania pennanti*) Distribution in Riparian Forest Patches of Northeastern North Dakota: Habitat Plasticity or a Short-Term Aberration?" with S.L. Loughry, *Canadian Wildlife Biology and Management*, Vol. 9, No. 2, pp. 68-80, December 2020.

**Dr. Rebekah T. Taylor**, Biology

"Inside the Undergraduate Immunology Classroom: Current Practices That Provide a Framework for Curriculum Consensus: Curricular Emphasis in Undergraduate Immunology," with Heather A. Bruns, Brian D. Wisenden, Thiru Vanniasinkam, Samantha L. Elliott, Rebecca L. Sparks-Thissen, Louis B. Justement and Sumali Pandey, *Journal of Microbiology and Biology Education*, forthcoming.

**Dr. Keith E. Terry**, Assistant Dean, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

"Moonshining in Holt County, Nebraska," *Great Plains Quarterly*, Spring 2021.

**Dr. Chiulien Chuang Venezia**, Accounting

"Does Auditor Supply Chain Specialization Affect Audit Opinion?" with Y. Yeh, M. Sun and F. Skypeck, *Journal of Finance and Accountancy*, Vol. 28, pp. 62-81, May 2021.

"Corporate Diversification and CEO Compensation: Evidence From the Moderating Effect of Stock Ownership," with H.C. Wang, Y. Lou and N. Buzzetto-Hollywood, *eFinanse: Financial Internet Quarterly*, Vol. 15, No. 4, pp. 83-92, 2020.

**Dr. William A. Wetherholt**, Geography

"Teaching Critical Cartography in the Introductory Classroom," with R. Briwa, *The Geography Teacher*, Vol. 17, No. 4, pp. 162-168, 2020.

**Dr. Lei "Lilly" Ye**, Marketing and Finance

"The Role of Consumers' Consciousness in Building Brand Perceptions: A Cross-Cultural Perspective," with Mousumi Bose, *Academy of Marketing Science Proceedings*, 2021.

**Dr. Yiming Zhuang**, Management

"Social Capital and Organizational Ambidexterity: The Moderating Effect of Absorptive Capacity," with Younggeun Lee, Andres Felipe Cortes and Pol Herrmann, *International Journal of Emerging Markets*, August 2020.

## BOOK REVIEWS

**Dr. Martin Barrett**, Kinesiology and Recreation

*Cricket, Kirikiti and Imperialism in Samoa, 1879-1939* by Benjamin Sacks, *Journal of Sport History*, Vol. 47, No. 3, pp. 311-312, Fall 2020.

**Andy Duncan**, English and Foreign Languages

*Astounding: John W. Campbell, Isaac Asimov, Robert A. Heinlein, L. Ron Hubbard and the Golden Age of Science Fiction* by Alec Nevala-Lee, *Science Fiction Research Association Review*, Vol. 50, Nos. 2-3, pp. 194-196, September 2020.

**Lisa A. Hartman**, Ort Library

*The Oxford Handbook of Deaf Studies in Learning and Cognition*, Mark Marschark and Harry Knoors, editors, *Choice Reviews*, February 2021.

**Dr. William A. Wetherholt**, Geography

*Across the Continent: The Union Pacific Photographs of Andrew J. Russell* by Daniel Davis, University of Utah Press and Utah State Historical Society, Salt Lake City, 2018, *Great Plains Quarterly*, Vol. 40, No. 2, pp. 174-175, 2020.

**Dr. Gregory J. Wood**, History

*Smoke 'Em if You Got 'Em: The Rise and Fall of the Military Cigarette Ration*, by Joel R. Bius, *American Historical Review*, Vol. 125, No. 2, pp. 668-669, April 2020.

## PAPERS/PRESENTATIONS

**Dr. Eftihia V. Arkoudis**, Music

"Transform Your Chamber Music Credit Into a Career" (guest speaker), Music Business and Entrepreneurship Class (virtual), University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla., November 2020.

**Dr. Ali Ashraf**, Marketing and Finance

"Failed Bank Loan Sales Discount: A Puzzle Unraveled," with M.K. Hassan and Y. Zhang, Southwestern Finance Association Conference, Houston, March 2021.

**Dr. Martin Barrett**, Kinesiology and Recreation

"Teamwork Makes the Net-Work: Participant-Governed Networks and Athletics Sustainability Collaboration," with G.J. Jones and K.S. Bunds, Applied Sport Management Conference (virtual), Kerville, Texas, February 2021.

**Dr. D. Alan Bensley**, **Dr. Jennifer A. Flinn** and **Dr. Kimberly M. James**, Psychology

"Assessing Knowledge of Developmental Psychology and Misconceptions" (poster presentation), with C.T. Watkins and C.M. Woodson, 32nd Annual Meeting of the Association for Psychological Science (virtual), June 2020.

**David J. Bunnell**, Physician Assistant Medicine

"Building a PA Telehealth Curriculum," with K.L. Gordes, American Academy of Physician Assistants National Conference, Philadelphia, May 2021.

"Healthcare Disparities in Surgery: What the Pandemic Told Us That We Should Have Known," Association of PAs in Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery National Conference (virtual), May 2021.

"Building an Advanced Practice Team: Creating a Space Where Good Things Can Happen," Advanced Practice Providers Executives Leadership Conference (virtual), December 2020.

**Dr. Thomas Cadenazzi**, Life-Cycle Facilities Management

"Case Study of GFRP-RC Seawall Cap Design and Economic Assessment Using Life Cycle Cost," with Roberto Rodriguez and Antonio Nanni, American Concrete Institute, March-April 2021.

"Case Study of FRP Application: The Halls River Bridge," with Alvaro Ruiz Empananza and Antonio Nanni, Eighth Euro-American Congress on Construction Pathology, Rehabilitation Technology and Heritage Management, September 2020.

**Dr. Seniz Celimli-Aksoy**, Educational Professions

"Multidimensional Item Response Theory Application: The Validity of Internal Structure of a Developmental Measure," with Dr. Batya Elbaum and Dr. Jue Wang, Society for Research in Child Development Virtual Biennial Meeting, April 2021.

**Andy Duncan**, English and Foreign Languages

"The Gunn Center for the Study of Science Fiction" (moderator), Asimov Collection Symposium (virtual), West Virginia University, October 2020.

"Amal, Cadwell and Andy in Conversation" (moderator), with Amal El-Mohtar and Cadwell Turnbull, Locus Awards Weekend (virtual), Locus Foundation, Oakland, Calif., June 2020.

**Tracy L. Edwards**, Geography

"Integrating UN Sustainable Development Goals in Human and Physical Geography Courses," National Council for Geographic Education Conference (virtual), December 2020.

**Dr. Travis W. English**, Visual Arts

"Gerhard Richter and the Mural, From Socialist Realism to Deutsche Bank," SECAC, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, Va., November-December 2020.

**Audra J. Houser**, Nursing

"Nocturia," Nurse Practitioners Association of Maryland, October 2020.

**Dr. Chung-Chi "Edwin" Huang**, Computer Science and Information Technologies

"Facilitating Research Article Writing: Contextual Considerations," EuroCALL Conference (virtual).

**Dr. Franklin P. Hughes**, Biology

"Perceived Anxiety and Salivary Cortisol Levels in Students Challenged With a Testing Stressor and Their Effects on Performance" (poster presentation), with Nathnael Tessema, Undergraduate Research Symposium, FSU, May 2021.

"Chest Radiography: A Systematic Approach to Interpretation," North Central West Virginia Chiropractic Doctors Meeting, April 2020.

**Dr. Heather L. Hurst**, Educational Professions

"Accepting Responsibility for White Supremacy Culture in a Methods Course Framed by Social Justice Pedagogy," with B. Asmus, American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting (virtual), April 2021.

"Analyzing and Writing Policy Through the Lens of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion," with S. Spencer, Regional Conference on Teaching, Learning and Scholarship, FSU, January 2021.

National Council of Teachers of English Annual Conference (canceled), Denver, November 2020:

The Day After: Maintaining a Social Justice Stance in the Shadow of Political Upheaval," with B. Asmus

"You Don't Know What They'll Say: Leading Socially Just Political Discussions in English Classes"

**Dr. Haiyun Ma**, History

"Presentation by Dr. Haiyun Ma, Associate Professor of History, FSU," Institute of Strategic Studies of Islamabad, Pakistan, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ll2lKc5mL-0>, January 2020.

**Dr. Michael L. Monahan**, Management

"Twin Dangers for Rural Communities: Higher Minimum Wage and Recovery From COVID-19," AIMS International (virtual), March 2021.

**Dr. Anne M. Murtagh**, Psychology

"Introducing Mindfulness to Students: The Mindful Check-in," with D. Twigg, Society for the Teaching of Psychology's 19th Annual Conference on Teaching (canceled), Pittsburgh, October 2020.

"Undergraduates Teaching Mindfulness to Kindergarteners: A Pilot Study," with T.H. Mah'Moud and A.A. Lemus-Montoya, Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association (canceled), Washington, D.C., August 2020.

**Dr. Anne M. Murtagh, Dr. Jennifer A. Flinn, Dr. Kimberly M. James and Dr. Trina Redmond-Matz**, Psychology

"Lessons Learned for 'The Great Shift' of Spring 2020: Going Online During a Pandemic," Society for the Teaching of Psychology's 19th Annual Conference on Teaching (canceled), Pittsburgh, October 2020.

**Dr. Michael P. Murtagh, Dr. D. Alan Bensley and Dr. Christopher M. Masciocchi**, Psychology

"Teaching and Assessing the Ability to Reject Unsubstantiated Claims: Symposium," Society for the Teaching of Psychology's 19th Annual Conference on Teaching (canceled), Pittsburgh, October 2020.

"Development of the Scientific Skepticism Scale," with C.T. Watkins and S.O. Lilienfeld, 32nd Annual Meeting of the Association for Psychological Science (virtual), June 2020.

**Dr. Michael P. Murtagh, Dr. Kimberly M. James and Dr. D. Alan Bensley**, Psychology

"Improving the Critical Writing of General Psychology Students in a Single Class Period," with K. Grubb, C.T. Watkins and K.A. Rowan, 125th Annual Meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association (virtual), June 2020.

**Dr. Michael P. Murtagh, Dr. D. Alan Bensley, Dr. Anne M. Murtagh, Dr. Kimberly M. James, Dr. Jennifer A. Flinn and Dr. Trina Redmond-Matz**, Psychology

"A Comprehensive, Scientific Approach to Student Learning Assessment in Master Programs," Society for the Teaching of Psychology's 19th Annual Conference on Teaching (canceled), Pittsburgh, October 2020.

**Dr. Suranjana Nabar-Bhaduri**, Economics

"The Economic Consequences of COVID-19: The Great Shutdown and the Rethinking of Economic Policy," global academic webinar co-hosted by *International Journal of Political Economy* and *The Review of Political Economy*, March 2021.

"Upward Mobility or Downward Plunge? An Analysis of the Ground Realities of Job Creation in India," Eastern Economic Association Conference (virtual), February 2021.

**Dr. Benjamin N. Norris**, Chemistry, and **Dr. Jay Hegeman**, Registrar's Office

"Excellence in Academic Advising: Evidence-Based Advising Transformation," with J. Brown, S. Campbell, S. Kraft-Terry, V. McGillin and K. Sindt:

NACADA Regional Conferences (virtual), March-April 2021

NACADA Annual Conference (virtual), October 2020

**Dr. Kara N. Platt**, Nursing

"Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Students in the Online Setting," Nuts and Bolts Nursing Education Conference, August 2020.

**Dr. Kara N. Platt and Lindsey M. Stagers-Gardner**, Nursing

"Findings From BSN Collaborative Model," Maryland Action Coalition Summit, May 2020.

**Dr. David P. Puthoff**, Biology

Annual Mid-Atlantic Plant Molecular Biology Symposium, August 2020:

"Cloning ospA for Plant (*Arabidopsis*) Expression," with Eleanor Browne

"Hemp (*Cannabis sativa L.*) Strains Genetic Composition and Chemical Production," with Janai Heise and Abigail Hunker

**Dr. Scott E. Rieker**, Music

"COVID and the Choral Educator: Preparedness, Perceptions, Attitudes and a Way Forward," Pandemic Pedagogy Research Symposium, Duke University (virtual), May 2021.

"Building a Bigger Table: Intentionally Diverse Choral Repertoire," Maryland Music Educators Association Annual Professional Development Conference (virtual), April 2021.

"The Purpose of Music," *The Reggie Segment*, April 2021.

"Work-Life Balance," FSU Student Chapter of the National Association for Music Education, April 2021.

"Men's Choirs: Standard of Awesomeness," Williamsport High School Men's Choirs (virtual), September 2020.

"Representation in Choral Music," Williamsport High School Chamber Singers (virtual), September 2020.

"Women in Choral Music," Williamsport High School Women's Choir (virtual), September 2020.

"Strategies to Teach Music in a Pandemic," Allegany County Public Schools, August 2020.

**Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski**, Communication

Presented a teaching strategy as part of "Activism and Social Justice Pedagogy Party," National Communication Association Convention, November 2020.

"Leadership and Followership Development Communication," Emerging African Leaders Program, Center for Social Awareness, Advocacy and Ethics, October 2020.

**Dr. James C. Saku**, Geography

"The Path to Poverty Reduction in Ghana," Applied Geography Conference (virtual), October 2020.

"Nunavut Land Claim Agreement: 20-Year Anniversary," Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (virtual), April 2020.

**Dr. Thomas L. Serfass**, Biology

Virtual Allegheny Woodrat Symposium, April 2020:

"Notes on Camera-Trapping Woodrats in Maryland," with K.J. Pearce, D.J. Feller and S.L. Brosi

"Population Dynamics of Allegheny Woodrats in Maryland," with K.J. Pearce, D.J. Feller and S.L. Brosi

**Dr. Kate L. Sheehan**, Biology

"Amassing and Use of the Consumed Plastics and Parasites Database for Waterbird Systems," The Waterbird Society Annual Meeting, November 2020.

**Dr. Rebekah T. Taylor**, Biology

"What It's Like to Work at a Primarily Undergraduate Teaching Institution" (presentation to graduate students), Careers in Science, Mayo Clinic, October 2020.

"Undergraduate Immunology Fundamental Statements and Skills: Development of Undergraduate Curriculum Guidelines for Teaching Immunology Using Vision and Change as a Framework," with Justine S. Liepkalns, Adam Kleinschmit, Heather Bruns, Danielle Condry, Glenn Dorsam, Samantha Elliott, David Freier, Lou Justement, Archana Lal, Phil Mixer, Timothy Paustian, Rachel Pritchard, Sarah Sletten, Becky Sparks-Thissen, Thiru Vanniasinkam, Brian Wisenden and Sumali Pandey, Society for the Advancement of Biology Education Research Annual Meeting, July 2020.

**Dr. Jamelyn C. Tobery-Nystrom**, Educational Professions

"Field-Based Teacher Educator Self-Efficacy," Association of Teacher Educators Summer Conference, August 2020.

**Dr. Chiulien Chuang Venezia**, Accounting

"Corporate Diversification and CEO Compensation: Evidence From the Moderating Effect of Firm Performance," with H.C. Wang, Y. Lou, M. Slaubarugh and C.C. Fang, American Accounting Association Annual Meeting (virtual), August 2020.

**Dr. William A. Wetherholt**, Geography

"Integrating OSM Into an Undergraduate Cartography Curriculum," OpenStreetMap Mapping USA Event (virtual), May 2021.

**Dr. Yiming Zhuang**, Management

"The Impact of Regulatory Pressure on a Firm's Adoption of Environmental Practices," Production and Operations Management Society 31st Annual Conference (virtual), May 2021.

"Blockchain Technology and Sustainability," Focus Frostburg (virtual), April 2021.

"CEO Overconfidence and Sustainability Performance," Northeast Decision Sciences Institute Annual Conference" (virtual), March 2021.

"Exploring Heterogeneous Effect of Sustainable Supply Chain Information Disclosures: A Multimethod Approach," Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals Annual Meeting (virtual), September 2020.

## WORKSHOPS, DISCUSSIONS LED

### **Dr. Eftihia V. Arkoudis**, Music

"A Guide to Extended Flute Techniques for Kids" (virtual workshop), Baltimore Symphony Orchestra OrchKids (an after-school program designed to create social change in Baltimore City), March 2021.

"Flute Performance Masterclass With the ISU Undergraduate Flutists," Indiana State University, Terre Haute, Ind., March 2021.

"Four-Way Coordination: Performance and Rehearsal Strategies for Chamber Music Ensembles," BETA Quartet Workshop, Tara Rozinski Flute Studio, October 2020.

### **Dr. Ali Ashraf**, Marketing and Finance

"Mr. Firestone: What Are You Up To?" an online Reacting to the Past (RTTP) immersive game for students, organized by the FSU Center of Teacher Excellence and College of Business, Zoom, Gamestop, April 2021.

"Game Development Workshop: Concept to Prototype" (RTTP program), Zoom, March 2021.

### **Andy Duncan**, English and Foreign Languages

"Write Now Series" (virtual writers' group), FSU Center for Literary Arts, October 2020.

"Performing Your Work" (Summer Craft Talk Series sponsored by Clarion West in Seattle), YouTube, June 2020.

### **Dr. Justin R. Dunmyre**, Mathematics

"Mastery Grading Build-a-Syllabus Workshop," with E. Cilli-Turner, T. Mahoney and C. Wiley, Mathematical Association of America Webinar Series.

### **Robert M. Hein**, Visual Arts

"Seventh Annual Gallery Walk and Talk," Allegany National Photography Competition and Exhibition.

### **Dr. Zhen Liu**, Physics and Engineering

"Smart Composite Materials Session for the Materials Engineering and Sciences Division Program," Annual Meeting, American Institute of Chemical Engineers, October 2020.

### **Dr. Michael L. Monahan**, Management

"The Business Etiquette Experience," Allegany Rising! Through Leadership Allegany (virtual), January 2021.

### **Dr. Anne M. Murtagh**, Psychology

"Calming Our Busy Minds – A Mindfulness Practice," FSU Human Resources Professional Development Conference (virtual, through Zoom), March 2021.

"An Introduction to Mindfulness" (free, online course offered to FSU faculty, staff and students in five weekly, 75-minute sessions through Webex), June-July 2020.

### **Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski**, Communication

"Community Healing and Hope" (session for local branch 7007 of NAACP), <https://bit.ly/3cILLpy>, December 2020.

Two discussions on "Healing Democracy's Heart During a Divisive Election Year," <https://bit.ly/3a5Z4U1> and <https://bit.ly/3jbKtvm>, October and November 2020.

Appalachian Festival, FSU, September 2020:

"How Should Communities Reduce Violence? A Deliberative Community Discussion About Safety and Justice," <https://bit.ly/3cgZ9YB>

Virtual "Creating a Community Café" Session, <https://bit.ly/3r3shH4>

### **Dr. Chiulien Chuang Venezia**, Accounting

"Income Tax Workshop for International Students," FSU, March 2021.

### **Dr. Lei "Lilly" Ye**, Marketing and Finance

"Diversity in Marketing," Association of Collegiate Marketing Educators Conference (virtual), March 2021.



## EXHIBITS

### **Jacqueline H. Brown**, Visual Arts

*Faculty Exhibition*, Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery, FSU, February 2021.

*Small Wonders National Juried Exhibition*, Maryland Federation for the Arts, Annapolis, Md., December 2020.

### **Judith A. Dieruf**, Visual Arts

*Faculty Exhibition*, Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery, FSU, February 2021.

14 Watercolors for Film Promotion and Posters for Amazon Movie, *Dracula Meets Frankenstein*.

Watercolor, *6x6 International Exhibition*, Rochester Contemporary Art Center, Rochester N.Y.

### **Dr. Travis W. English**, Visual Arts

Three Paintings, *Faculty Exhibition*, Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery, FSU, February 2021.

### **Robert M. Hein**, Visual Arts

Selected work accepted into *PhotoSpiva '21*, Joplin, Mo.

Selected work accepted into *58th Annual National Exhibit*, Masur Museum of Art, Monroe, La.

## PERFORMANCES

### **Andy Duncan**, English and Foreign Languages

42nd International Conference on the Fantastic in the Arts (virtual), March 2021:

Acting Ensemble, *Date Night* by Joe Haldeman and *Lockdown* by Laura Goodin, Flash Play Festival

Fiction Reading

Fiction Readings:

Capclave (virtual conference), October 2020

Confluence (virtual conference), October 2020

World Fantasy Convention (virtual conference), October 2020

Summer Reading Series (virtual, sponsored by Clarion West in Seattle), YouTube, June 2020

### **Dr. Scott E. Rieker**, Music

Director, "Eleven From Heaven," Emmanuel Episcopal Choir, Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Cumberland, May 2021.

Director (second half of concert), "Prayers and Percussion," Percussion Ensemble and Choral Artists Second Spring Livestreamed Joint Concert, Pealer Recital Hall, FSU, April 2021.

Director, Wind Ensemble and Troubadours Tenor-Bass Choir, Pealer Recital Hall, FSU, April 2021.

Conductor, "L'Chaim – To Life! A Jewish Composers Showcase" (featuring the music of well- and little-known Jewish composers from the last 500 years), with the FSU Chamber Singers, University Chorale and Troubadours Tenor-Bass Choir, Pealer Recital Hall, FSU, March 2021.

Composer and Director, "Some Fruits of COVID" (a concert of 10 works written during the first 10 months of the pandemic), Faculty-Guest Artist Series, Pealer Recital Hall, FSU, February 2021.

Director, "Dedicating for Another Century of Service," Emmanuel Episcopal Bell Choir and FSU Brass, Cumberland, November 2020.

Director, "Lux Aeterna," Emmanuel Episcopal Choir, Emmanuel Episcopal Parish, Cumberland, November 2020.

Director, "To Those Who Serve," November 2020:

Troubadours Tenor-Bass Choir, FSU's Pealer Recital Hall, FSU

Troubadours Tenor-Bass Choir and Flight 93 Memorial Chorus, Mann's Choice Church of God, Mann's Choice, Pa.

Director, "Each New Day," October 2020:

FSU Choral Artists, Pealer Recital Hall, FSU

FSU Choral Artists, St. Ann's Catholic Church, Grantsville, Md.

### **Dr. William A. Wetherholt**, Geography

AP Human Geography Reading, 2020.

## GRANTS

**Dr. Paul C. Bernhardt**, Psychology

Maryland Open Source Textbook (M.O.S.T.) Initiative Adapt Grant to support conversion of an open source course to use a new statistical analysis application, jamovi, for PSYC 301 Statistical Methods in Psychology.

**Dr. Jennifer L. Bishoff**, Educational Professions

\$4.1 Million, Maryland Accelerates grant to create teacher residencies for preservice educators.

**Dr. Jennifer L. Bishoff**, Educational Professions, and **Dr. Michael B. Flinn**, Computer Science and Information Technologies

\$100,000, Rounds 1 and 2 of Maryland Center for Computing Education Grants, which create a computer science pathway in the MAT Secondary program (round 1), as well as train Educational Professions Department faculty in computational thinking for implementation in the P-9 program.

**David J. Bunnell**, Physician Assistant Medicine

\$50,000, PA Leadership and Learning Academy administered through University of Maryland, Baltimore, Co-investigator, "Building a Regional Center of Excellence for Optimizing Clinical Education: A Randomized-Controlled Crossover Study of an Innovative Telehealth Model for PA Programs (The BRITE Study) 2020-2021," PA Education Association Faculty-Generated Research Grant.

**Dr. Stefanie E. Hay**, Nursing

\$450,000, Maryland Higher Education Commission – Nurse Support Program, Cohen Scholars Grant.

**Dr. Karen L. Keller**, Biology

FSU Foundation Opportunity Grants:

"CLAS Undergraduate Research Fund"

"FSU Undergraduate Research Symposium"

**Dr. John C. McMullen**, Sociology

\$1,000, Maryland Open Source Textbook (M.O.S.T.) "Adopt" Grant, 2020-2021.

**Dr. Kumudini A. Munasinghe**, Biology

FSU Faculty Development Fund:

"Molecular Characterization of Bacteria"

"Next Generation Gene Sequencing"

**Dr. Kara N. Platt**, Nursing

\$220,714, Maryland Higher Education Commission – Nurse Support Program, "Planning for the Future: Expanding Pre-licensure Capacity."

**Dr. David P. Puthoff**, Biology

FSU Foundation Opportunity Grant, "DNA Profiling of Hemp."

Maryland Agricultural Education and Rural Development Assistance Fund, Senior Personnel, Mountain Maryland Hemp Alliance.

**Dr. Richard L. Raesly**, Biology

Maryland Department of Natural Resources, Wildlife and Heritage Service, "Monitoring of Hellbenders."

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service/Maryland Department of Natural Resources, "Maryland Darter Survey Study."

**Dr. Scott E. Rieker**, Music

FSU Foundation:

\$2,000, Fund travel for composer Morten Lauridsen to visit FSU

\$521, Fund the purchase of two Piano Lifesaver Systems to control humidity in the Music Department's two Steinway grand pianos

\$319, Fund professional development for faculty on Dorico music notation software

**Dr. William L. Seddon**, Biology

FSU Foundation Opportunity Grant, "Nanodrop Lite Spectrophotometer."



**Dr. Thomas L. Serfass**, Biology

National Park Service:

\$20,000, "Identify and Map At-Risk Plants in Harpers Ferry, W.Va.," 2020-2021

\$19,987, "Assess Occurrence and Diversity of Mammals of Conservation Concern Along the C&O Canal in Western Maryland," 2019-2021

West Virginia Department of Natural Resources, "Habitat Use by Spotted Skunks in West Virginia."

**Dr. Kate L. Sheehan**, Biology

FSU Faculty Development Summer Stipend Grant, "Assessing for Plastic Consumption in Passerines That Have Struck Windows in Urban and Rural Areas."

FSU Incentive Grant, "Influence of Parasites on Trophic Relationships in Marine Food Webs."

**Dr. Jamelyn C. Tobery-Nystrom**, Educational Professions

Maryland State Department of Education, Division of Early Intervention and Special Education Services, Individuals With Disabilities Education Act Discretionary Part B Grants, FY 2021:

\$113,809, "The HUB: Shifts and Connections to Build Family Engagement"

\$11,191, "Building Capacity Through an Accessible and Equitable Education Community of Learning Using Evidence-Based Practice"

## AWARDS, HONORS AND OTHER DISTINCTIONS

**Dr. Ali Ashraf**, Marketing and Finance

Faculty Achievement Award, Teaching, FSU, 2021.

Faculty Excellence Award in Service, College of Business, 2021.

**Judith A. Dieruf**, Visual Arts

Nominated for Maryland Women Leaders.

**Dr. Justin R. Dunmyre**, Mathematics

Faculty Achievement Award, Academic Achievement, FSU, 2021.

**Dr. Michael B. Flinn**, Computer Science and Information Technologies

Faculty Achievement Award, University and Community Service, FSU, 2021.

**Dr. Molly S. Hartzog**, English and Foreign Languages

Faculty Achievement Award, Teaching, FSU, 2021.

**Dr. Stefanie E. Hay**, Nursing

CLAS Teaching Excellence Online.

**Robert M. Hein**, Visual Arts

Honorable mention cash award for selected work accepted into *PhotoSpiva '21*, Joplin, Mo.

**Audra J. Houser**, Nursing

Maryland New Nurse Faculty Fellowship Award.

**Dr. Michael P. Murtagh**, Psychology

Dean's Merit Award.

**Dr. Evan H. Offstein**, Management

Faculty Achievement Award, Academic Achievement, FSU, 2021.

**Dr. Kara N. Platt**, Nursing

Academic Nurse Educator Certification Award, Maryland Higher Education Commission.

Maryland Nurse Faculty Recognition Award.

**Dr. Scott E. Rieker**, Music

FSU Greek Organization Faculty Sponsor of the Year.

His composition, "Ted Kooser Suite" (a five-movement musical work for SATB choir, speaker, piano, string quartet and trumpet, based on five texts by former U.S. Poet Laureate Ted Kooser), was named a semi-finalist in the American Prize in Composition, Choral Music Division.

His composition, "'Famous' Last Words" (a humorous send-up of the elegy genre, setting rather ignominious last words for SATB choir and piano), was a winner of the Missoula Community Chorus's "The Way Through" Composition Contest.

**Dr. James C. Saku**, Geography  
Membership, FSU Chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, May 2020.  
**Branden D. Taylor**, Nursing  
Maryland New Nurse Faculty Fellowship Award.  
**Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas**, Sociology  
Recognized as an Appalachian Regional Commission Teaching Fellow.  
**Dr. Chiulien Chuang Venezia**, Accounting  
Member, Beta Gamma Sigma.  
**Dr. Lei "Lilly" Ye**, Marketing and Finance  
Faculty Achievement Award, Community and University Service, FSU, 2021.

## OFFICES AND SERVICES

### OFFICES HELD IN ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

**Dr. Ali Ashraf**, Marketing and Finance  
Associate Editor, *Journal of Economic Cooperation and Development*  
Program Chair, Southwestern Society of Economist 2022 Conference  
**Dr. Jennifer L. Bishoff**, Educational Professions  
Chair, Education Subcommittee, Committee on Chemical Safety, American Chemical Society  
**David J. Bunnell**, Physician Assistant Medicine  
Chair, Governance Commission, American Academy of PAs  
Editor-in-Chief, *Journal of the Association of PAs in Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery*  
President, Association of PAs in Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery  
**Dr. Jill S. Buterbaugh**, Nursing  
Treasurer:  
Maryland Nurses Association  
Pennsylvania State Nurses Association  
**Dr. Scott E. Rieker**, Music  
President, Mid-Atlantic Southern Intercollegiate Choral Association  
**Jaime A. Striplin**, Nursing  
Deputy Chair, Maryland Nurses Association Convention Planning  
President, Maryland Nurses Association District 1  
**Dr. Lei "Lilly" Ye**, Marketing and Finance  
Vice President, Association of Collegiate Marketing Educators

### OFFICES HELD IN COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

**Dr. Martin Barrett**, Kinesiology and Recreation  
Registrar/Referee Administrator, Frostburg Rangers American Youth Soccer Organization  
**Dr. Michael L. Monahan**, Management  
Chair, Finance Committee, Divine Mercy Parish  
**Dr. Benjamin N. Norris**, Chemistry  
Secretary, Frostburg Arion Band  
**Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski**, Communication  
Vice Chair, Western Maryland Advisory Council for the Maryland Commission on Civil Rights

## SERVICE PERFORMED (ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS)

**Dr. Ali Ashraf**, Marketing and Finance

Member, Editorial Board:

*Global Journal of Accounting and Finance*

*Journal of Economic Cooperation and Development*

Panelist, Robert Morris University 32nd Annual Teaching Economics Conference (Zoom), February 2021

**Dr. D. Alan Bensley**, Psychology

Grant Reviewer, Swiss government granting agency

Manuscript Reviewer, *Metacognition and Learning*

**Dr. Paul C. Bernhardt**, Psychology

Maryland Open Source Textbook (M.O.S.T.) Teaching Fellow, participating in a Lumen Learning Open Source Materials

Circle of educators from around the nation, Fall 2020

**Dr. Jennifer L. Bishoff**, Educational Professions

Member:

American Association of Chemistry Teachers

ChemMatters Advisory Board, American Chemical Society

Committee on Chemical Safety, American Chemical Society

Preservice Teacher Preparation Committee, National Science Teaching Organization

Task Force to revise ACS Chemical Safety Contract for high school students

**David J. Bunnell**, Physician Assistant Medicine

Chief Delegate, Association of PAs in Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery to American Academy of PAs House of

Delegates

Panelist:

"Culture of Well-Being: Medicine Is a Team Sport," American College of Cardiology, Heart House Conversation With Experts (virtual meeting sponsored by the Clinician Well-Being Task Force), March 2021

"Becoming a PA Academic" (virtual presentation), PA Leadership and Learning Academy, University of Maryland, Baltimore, April 2021

Peer Reviewer (expertise in cardiothoracic and vascular surgery, cardiology, electrophysiology):

*Journal of the American Academy of PAs*

Poster Presentations, American Academy of Physician Assistants National Conference, Philadelphia

**Dr. Thomas Cadenazzi**, Life-Cycle Facilities Management

Reviewer (two articles), *Journal of Cleaner Production*, 2020-2021

**Andy Duncan**, English and Foreign Languages

Contest Judge, Texas Intercollegiate Press Association

Member:

Advisory Council, Gunn Center for the Study of Science Fiction, University of Kansas

Communication Committee, College Media Association

Workshop Culture Committee, Clarion West, Seattle

News-Clipping Contributor, *Fortean Times* magazine, London

Panelist, Capclave (virtual conference), October 2020:

"Best Fiction of 2020"

"Ethics of Big Data"

Panelist, World Fantasy Convention (virtual conference), October 2020:

"Is Fantasy Essential?"

"Tell Me a Story: Audiobooks"

"There's Comedy in My Fantasy!"

**Tracy L. Edwards**, Geography

Regional Councilor, Middle Atlantic Division of the Association of American Geographers, 2020-2023

**Dr. Travis W. English**, Visual Arts

Reviewer, Select chapters of a forthcoming global modern art textbook for Oxford University Press

**Lisa A. Hartman**, Ort Library

Member, Technology Committee, Government Documents Roundtable, American Library Association

**Robert M. Hein**, Visual Arts

Juror, National Photography Exhibit *PHOTO21*, Berkeley Arts Council

**Dr. Joyce H. Henderson**, Educational Professions

Member:

American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education

American School Counselor Association

Association for School Curriculum Development

Kappa Delta Pi

Maryland School Counselor Association

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Phi Delta Kappa

**Dr. Chung-Chi “Edwin” Huang**, Computer Science and Information Technologies

Program Committee Member:

Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing Conference

European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics – Building Educational Applications Workshop

Reviewer:

Annual Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics

Association for Computational Linguistics Conference

Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing Conference

European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics – Building Educational Applications Workshop

**Dr. Franklin P. Hughes**, Biology

Textbook Reviewer, Chapter 7, “The Nervous System,” of *Anatomy and Physiology Essentials*, 2nd edition, by S. Hall, M.

Provost-Craig and W. Rose, Goodheart-Willcox, Tinley Park, Ill., 2021

**Dr. Hongqi Li**, Biology

Manuscript Reviewer:

*China Geology*

*Historical Biology*

*Palaeoentomology*

**Dr. Zhen Liu**, Physics and Engineering

Member, Journal Editorial Board:

*Advanced Composites and Hybrid Materials*, Springer Nature

*SF Journal of Material and Chemical Engineering*, Science Forecast Publications

**Dr. Michael L. Monahan**, Management

Reviewer for two academic journals

**Dr. Daniel L. Moorehead**, Sociology

Participant:

"Faculty-Led Discussion About Assessments and Hybrid Teaching," Center for Teaching Excellence, FSU, December 2020

"Developing Activities to Engage Your Learners," Quality Matters Web Conference, Course Code 080320\_DAEL\_27\_USMD (U-15733), August 2020

"Rethinking Assessments for Application and Engagement," Quality Matters Web Conference, Course Code 080420\_WCRA\_27\_USMD (U-15508), August 2020

"Adaptive Tools for High-Enrollment Online Courses," University System of Maryland OnTrack Summit, USM's William E. Kirwan Center and the Association of Public and Land-Grant Universities, July 2020

"Opioid Public Health Crisis" (online webinar), Maryland Rural Opioid Technical Assistance Network, University of Maryland Extension, April 2020

Ninth Annual Regional Conference on Teaching, Learning and Scholarship, Center for Teaching Excellence, FSU, January 2020

**Dr. Anne M. Murtagh**, Psychology, and **Dr. Amy Branam Armiento**, English and Foreign Languages

Panelists, "Activities for Engaging Students Online," Center for Teaching Excellence 10th Annual Regional Conference on Teaching, Learning and Scholarship (virtual), FSU, January 2021

**Dr. Suranjana Nabar-Bhaduri**, Economics

Referee:

*International Review of Economics and Finance*

*Review of Keynesian Economics*

*Review of Political Economy*

**Dr. Benjamin N. Norris**, Chemistry

Member, NACADA (National Academic Advising Association) Region 2 Communications Committee

**Dr. David P. Puthoff**, Biology

Conference Organization, Mid-Atlantic Plant Molecular Biology Society, August 2020

**Dr. Scott E. Rieker**, Music

Maryland Music Educators Association:

Member, Strategic Planning Committee

Western Maryland Representative

**Dr. James C. Saku**, Geography

Manuscript Reviewer, *Sage Open*.

"Shifting the Goalposts: Post-colonial Africa and the West in the Global 'Two Publics,'" March 2021

"Poverty and Youth Migration in Nigeria: Enthronement of Neo-slavery," February 2021

"Modelling Demographic Strategies of the Russian Rural Population: Intersubjective Nonlinearity Versus Economic Viability," October 2020

Manuscript Reviewer, Annual Conference of National Council for Science and the Environment, July 2020

Member, Editorial Board:

*Geography Research Forum* (an international geographic journal published in Israel)

*Journal of Interdisciplinary Research* (published by Eastern Washington University and International Academy of Business Disciplines)

Peer Evaluator, Middle States Commission on Higher Education

**Dr. Thomas L. Serfass**, Biology

North American and African Coordinator, Otter Specialist Group, International Union for the Conservation of Nature

**Dr. Kate L. Sheehan**, Biology

Conference Organization, The Waterbird Society 44th Annual Meeting, November-December 2020

Grant Review Panelist, Graduate Research Fellowship Program – Ecology, National Science Foundation

**Jaime A. Striplin**, Nursing

Member, Mind-Body Leadership Team, Allegany College of Maryland



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**Dr. Rebekah T. Taylor**, Biology

Grant Review Panelist, Graduate Research Fellowship Program – Cell Biology and Immunology, National Science Foundation

**Dr. Jamelyn C. Tobery-Nystrom**, Educational Professions

Member, Executive Board, Maryland Association of Teacher Educators

**Dr. Gregory J. Wood**, History

Labor Network Co-representative, Social Science History Association, 2018-present

Member, Research Committee, National Collegiate Honors Council, 2018-2020

**Dr. Lei “Lilly” Ye**, Marketing and Finance

Proceeding Editor, *Association of Collegiate Marketing Educator Conference Proceedings*, 2020-2021

**Dr. Yiming Zhuang**, Management

Ad hoc Reviewer:

*IEEE Transactions on Engineering Management*

*Journal of Management and Sustainability*

Member, Editorial Review Board, *Journal of Supply Chain Management*

### **SERVICE PERFORMED (COMMUNITY)**

**Stuart J. Albaugh**, Admissions

Announcer and Official Scorekeeper, Latrobe Little League, Latrobe, Pa.

Hearing Officer, Latrobe Zoning Hearing Board, City of Latrobe, 2018-2021

**Dr. Diane C. Blankenship**, Kinesiology and Recreation

Day Camp Resource Booklet, Recreation and Parks Department, City of Frostburg

**David J. Bunnell**, Physician Assistant Medicine

Member:

Allegany County Health Planning Coalition

Bedford County, Pa., Roundtable Committee on Recruiting Young Adult Healthcare Professionals, Next Gen

Bedford County

**Tracy L. Edwards**, Geography

Certified Ecobricks Trainer, Global Ecobrick Alliance, March 2021

Elections Judge, Garrett County, Md.

**Dr. Franklin P. Hughes**, Biology

Team Physician, Trinity Christian School Athletics

**Dr. Heather L. Hurst**, Educational Professions

Board Member, Horizon Goodwill Inc.

**Dr. Michael L. Monahan**, Management

Member, Finance Committee, Bishop Walsh School, Cumberland

Team Leader, Beautify the 'Burg

**Dr. Daniel L. Moorehead**, Sociology

Member, Governing Board, HART for Animals, Inc.

**Dr. Kara N. Platt**, Nursing

Member, Board of Directors, Court Appointed Special Advocates of Allegany County

**Dr. Scott E. Rieker**, Music

Coordinator, Internship, Divine Mercy Catholic Parish

Emmanuel Episcopal Church:

Coordinator, Sacred Music Internship

Music Director

Directed musicians at the Rev. Ryan Viands installation as pastor of St. Paul Lutheran Church, Cumberland, September 2020.



**Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski**, Communication

Assisted with planning and facilitation of book discussion sessions on “Stamped From the Beginning” organized by the Allegany County Library System, Fall 2020.

Coordinator, Mind-Body Sessions, with Elizabeth Stahlman, for a session with Dr. James Gordon of the Center for Mind-Body Medicine, Fall 2020

Member:

Allegany County Women’s Action Coalition

Allegany County Women’s Commission

Western Maryland Advisory Council for the Maryland Commission on Civil Rights

Member and Event Facilitator, Local Branch 7007 of NAACP

Member and Event Planner/Facilitator, Allegany County Community Café Exploratory Committee

Member and Focus Group Respondent, Western Maryland Food Council

Steering Committee Member and Event Planner/Facilitator, Allegany County Choose Civility Chapter

**Dr. James C. Saku**, Geography

Election Judge, Allegany County

Member, Ethics Commission, City of Frostburg

**Jaime A. Striplin**, Nursing

Member, Bridges to Opportunity Steering Committee

**Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas**, Sociology

Directed student participation in the Appalachian Teaching Project.

**Dr. Chiulien Chuang Venezia**, Accounting

Member, Our Lady of the Mountains Parish Finance Committee

**Dr. William A. Wetherholt**, Geography

Contributor, TeachOSM Mappy Hour events (e.g., Kenya village mapping; mapping sidewalks in Charlottesville, Va.; and presentations from student YouthMapper chapters around the world)

**Dr. Lei “Lilly” Ye**, Marketing and Finance

Speaker, Nature Education Forum hosted by Suzhou University, China, July 2020

**Dr. Yiming Zhuang**, Management

Engaged in applied business projects in the community as the supervising instructor in the course MGMT 625.

**SERVICE PERFORMED (UNIVERSITY)**

**Dr. Ali Ashraf**, Marketing and Finance

Chair:

Faculty Development Committee, College of Business

Finance Faculty Search Committee

Faculty Advisor:

Delta Sigma Pi (College of Business professional Greek fraternity)

Finance Club

Member:

Curriculum Review and Assurance of Learning Committee, College of Business

General Education Program Review Committee

Graduate Council

Senator, Faculty Senate

Vice President, Finance Search Committee

**Dr. Jennifer L. Bishoff**, Educational Professions

Member:

- Department Evaluation Committee (department)
- Graduate Council (university)
- Initial Certification Leadership Committee (department)
- PK-12 Advisory Committee (department)
- Teacher Performance Assessment (EdTPA) Committee (department)
- Unit Monitoring Committee (department)

**Dr. Diane C. Blankenship**, Kinesiology and Recreation

Program Coordinator, Undergraduate Program

Two Projects for Student and Community Involvement Office:

- Conflict Resolution Training Package (to be used with Lane Center staff)
- Recreational Participation and Marketing Trends for Generation Z

**David J. Bunnell**, Physician Assistant Medicine

Chair, Principal Faculty Search Committee, Department of Physician Assistant Medicine, CLAS, 2021

Member:

- Clinical Field Internship Placements Committee (addressing student field placement during the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic)
- Institutional Review Board
- Physician Assistant Program Director Search Committee, CLAS
- Principal Faculty Search Committee, Department of Physician Assistant Medicine, CLAS, 2020

**Dr. Seniz Celimli-Aksoy**, Educational Professions

Member, Institutional Priorities and Resources Committee, September 2020-Present

Senator, Faculty Senate, September 2020-Present

**Lisa A. Hartman**, Ort Library

Secretary, Faculty Handbook Subcommittee

**Dr. Joyce H. Henderson**, Educational Professions

Member, Advanced Program Leadership Committee

School Counseling (M.Ed.) Program Coordinator

**Dr. Franklin P. Hughes**, Biology

Member:

- Academic Advising Council
- Institutional Priorities and Resources Committee
- University Council on Retention

Senator, Faculty Senate

**Dr. Heather L. Hurst**, Educational Professions

Chair, Faculty Concerns Committee

Member:

- Graduate Council
- Institutional Review Board

Senator, Faculty Senate

**Dr. Michael L. Monahan**, Management

Faculty Athletic Representative

Leadership Cohort Presenter

Member, Search Committee for the Director of Advising



**Dr. Daniel L. Moorehead**, Sociology

Library Representative, Department of Sociology, 2008-Present

Member:

- CLAS Curriculum Committee, May 2018-Present
- Faculty Grievance Committee, May 2019-Present
- Student Conduct Hearing Panel, May 2019-Present

Senator, Faculty Senate, May 2019-May 2021

Vice Chair, Academic Affairs Committee, May 2019-May 2021

**Dr. Michael P. Murtagh**, Psychology

Chair:

- Academic Department Chairs Council
- Faculty Promotion and Tenure/Permanent Status Subcommittee

Co-chair, Mediation Committee (formerly Ombudsperson Committee)

Member:

- Academic Affairs Ad hoc Subcommittee: General Academic Affairs
- Advisory Committee of the Doctor of Educational Leadership Program
- Clinical Field Placement Committee
- Faculty Concerns Committee
- Faculty Senate Steering Committee
- Social Science Advisory Group

Senator, Faculty Senate

**Dr. Suranjana Nabar-Bhaduri**, Economics

Member, Curriculum/Assurance of Learning Committee, College of Business

**Dr. Benjamin N. Norris**, Chemistry

Chair, Chemistry Department Curriculum Committee

Co-chair:

- Director of Academic Advising Search Committee
- Excellence in Academic Advising Task Force
- Provost Search Committee

Ex-officio Member:

- Faculty Concerns Committee
- Faculty Workload and Compensation Subcommittee
- FSU Foundation Board
- Institutional Priorities and Resources Committee
- University Advisory Council

Member, CLAS Undergraduate Research Working Group

Secretary, Assessment and Institutional Effectiveness Council

**Dr. Scott E. Rieker**, Music

Designed and constructed piano storage cabinet.

Hosted potential music students in ensembles and classes.

Installed Piano Lifesaver System.

Performed comparative study of music education course offerings.

Recruited music students.

Staffed the FSU Music Department booth at the Maryland Music Educators Association Conference.

Member:

- Music Department Audition Committee
- Music Department Scholarship Committee

**Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas**, Sociology

Coordinator, Focus Frostburg

Director:

Folklore and Folklife Programming (as it became part of the newly formed Maryland Folklife Network)

Honors Program

Appalachian Festival (virtual), September 2020

**Dr. Chiulien Chuang Venezia**, Accounting

Member:

Graduate Policy Committee, College of Business

Institutional Review Board Committee

**Amanda A. VerMeulen**, Ort Library

Member, Honors Advisory Council

**Dr. William A. Wetherholt**, Geography

Contributor, General Education Program Outcome Assessment, Learning Objective No. 5 (Appreciation of Cultural Identities)

Faculty Advisor, FSU's Gamma Phi Chapter of Gamma Theta Upsilon (international geographical honor society)

Member, Honors Program Advisory Group

Primary Reviewer, Institutional Review Board

Secretary, Institutional Priorities and Resources

Senator, Faculty Senate

**Dr. Lei "Lilly" Ye**, Marketing and Finance

Program Coordinator, FSU-Hunan University of Technology and Business, Changsha, China

**Dr. Xinliang Zheng**, Computer Science and Information Technologies

Member:

Faculty Concerns Committee

Faculty Development and Sabbatical/Professional Research Leave Subcommittee

International Education Council

Various departmental committees

Senator, Faculty Senate

## OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

**Dr. Thomas Cadenazzi**, Life-Cycle Facilities Management

TV Interview for Episode 8, "Celebrating Earth Day," *The Bottom Line on Air*, April 2021

**Andy Duncan**, English and Foreign Languages

Interviewer, "Q&A With Alyssa Wong," Capclave (virtual conference), October 2020

Quoted as an expert on weirdness in "Are We Getting Weirder? Perhaps We're Simply Becoming Ourselves" by Allison Hope, CNN.com, January 2021.

**Dr. Haiyun Ma**, History

Interviews:

Interviewed by National Public Radio, <https://www.npr.org/2020/11/21/932169863/china-targets-muslim-scholars-and-writers-with-increasingly-harsh-restrictions>

Interviewed by *South China Morning Post*, <https://www.scmp.com/news/china/politics/article/3103253/tiny-muslim-community-chinas-far-south-becomes-latest-target>

Received several media interviews as a result of five short articles published on *ThinkChina* (Singapore's think tank)

**Dr. Daniel L. Moorehead**, Sociology

Completed Mindfulness Fundamentals (six-week online course offered by Mindful Schools), February-March 2020.

**Dr. Anne M. Murtagh**, Psychology

Mindfulness Meditation Teacher Certification Program (two-year online program sponsored by Sounds True, in partnership with the University of California, Berkeley's Greater Good Science Center), February 2019-January 2021.

**Dr. Scott E. Rieker**, Music

Arranged music for an upcoming ordination of a Western Maryland native to the Catholic priesthood in June 2021. Commissioned to arrange 40 minutes of music for Divine Mercy Parish and the Archdiocese of Baltimore.

**Dr. William A. Wetherholt**, Geography

Took travelogues from recent FSU grad Sam Thomas and his wife Jennifer, a recent ACM grad, as they hiked the Appalachian Trail and created a story map of those updates, which can be followed at <https://arcg.is/10jCKW>.