

NORTHWEST CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY (NCU)



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RECOGNIZING THE SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES OF STUDENTS

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PUBLICATIONS

Miller, Catherine. "Winter Tree" (collage). *Doxa: Undergraduate Literary Arts Journal*, Nebraska Christian College. Summer 2007, Volume 1.

CONFERENCES – PAPERS PRESENTED

Arrera, Jay. "Software Project Estimation Issues and a Proposed Modeling Solution." Presented at the 38th Annual Meeting of the Decision Sciences Institute (DSI), Phoenix, AZ. November 2007. Co-author – Tim Bergquist.

Arrera, Jay. "Quantitative Techniques for Estimating Resources in Software Projects." *Proceedings of the 38th Annual Meeting of the Decision Sciences Institute*, Phoenix, AZ, p 551-556. November 2007. Co-author – Tim Bergquist.

Eggleston, Anthony. "Exploring a Biblical Theology of Evangelism." Workshop presentation at the Oregon Regional Assembly for the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Eugene, OR. April 2008. Co-authors – Richard Helland and Dennis Lindsay

Helland, Richard. "Exploring a Biblical Theology of Evangelism." Workshop presentation at the Oregon Regional Assembly for the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Eugene, OR. April 2008. Co-authors – Anthony Eggleston and Dennis Lindsay

CONFERENCES – ATTENDED

Bower, Toby. 12th Annual Shakespeare Authorship Studies Conference. Concordia University, Portland, OR. April 2008.

PAPERS IN PROCESS

Canizares, Ruggiero (MBA student). "A Study of Service Trends in Physical Therapy Practices." Submitted for the 39th Annual Meeting of the Decision Sciences Institute (DSI), Baltimore, MD. March 2008. Co-Author – Tim Bergquist.

Sharma, Perkin (MBA student). "Modeling Consumer Software Decisions Using Utility Analysis." Submitted for the 39th Annual Meeting of the Decision Sciences Institute (DSI), Baltimore, MD. March 2008. Co-author – Tim Bergquist.

CAPSTONE PROJECTS/PRESENTATIONS - UNDERGRADUATE

Case, Nicholas. *The Role of Substance and Divine Energy (An Ontological Argument for the Postmodern Mind)*. PHL 499, April 2008. Advisor – Mick Bollenbaugh.

Christensen, Jessica. *Mixed Messages: What Disney Films are Telling our Children*. COMM 499, December 2007. Advisor – Doyle Srader.

Dickerson, Carmen. *Constructing a Church Plant Team*. CM 499, April 2008. Advisor – Mary Ellen Pereira.

Edmunds, Weston. *Reaching the PostModernist: How to Preach to a New Generation*. CM 499, April 2008. Advisor – Mary Ellen Pereira.

Eggleston, Anthony. *The Homosexuality Crisis in the Church*. CM 499, December 2007. Advisor – Mary Ellen Pereira.

Fisher, Jenelle. Senior Music Showcase. April 2008. Advisor – John Hakes.

Fritts, Kirsten. *Local Media Coverage of Jenessa Nicole Byers' Struggle Against Cancer*. COMM 499, December 2007. Advisor – Doyle Srader.

Hinkle, Dustin. *Ethical Leadership in the Management of Mass Media Outlets*. COMM 499, December 2007. Advisor – Doyle Srader.

Ino, T. J.. Senior Music Showcase. April 2008. Advisor – John Hakes.

Jarrett, Joshua. *Communication in Business and Life*. COMM 499, December 2007. Advisor – Doyle Srader.

Lewkowicz, Skyeler. *Why the Younger Men are Leaving the Church (And What We Can Do About It)*. CM 499, April 2008. Advisor – Mary Ellen Pereira.

McAlister, Bethany. *Impetus for Ethical and Unethical Behavior in Adolescents*. COMM 499, April 2008. Advisor – Doyle Srader.

McCool, Jared. *The Influence of Films on Teenagers' Views of Christianity and Character*. CM 499, April 2008. Advisor – Mary Ellen Pereira.

Szcesniak, Daniel. *Poetic Pedantry or Pastoral Passion*. BTH 499, May 2008. Advisor – Loren Crow.

Watkins, Dan. *Helping Teens Deal with the Stresses of Recreational Activity*. CM 499, April 2008. Advisor – Mary Ellen Pereira.

Whitling, Keith. *Prison Blues: The Psychological Impact of Incarceration*. CM 499, April 2008. Advisor – Mary Ellen Pereira.

Wilkinson, Daryl. *Nominalism and Realism: A Comparative Study of Thomas Aquinas and William of Ockham*. PHL 499, April 2008. Advisor – Mick Bollenbaugh.

THESIS – MBA

Brooke, Douglas. *The Business Case for Sustainability: Mitigating Risks, Creating Opportunities for Value and Best Sustainability Management Practices*. May 2008. Thesis Chair – Anne Maggs.

Dahlvig, Chris. *A Review of the Objectives of the Northwest Christian College Endowment*. August 2007. Thesis Chair – Michael Kennedy.

Dellinger, Darcy. *Does Birth Order Matter?: Birth Order's Effect on Personality Development and Career Choice and Success*. April 2008. Thesis Chair – Allen Belcher.

Ellis, Lori. *The Organizational Culture of ASPIRE and its Effect on Helping Students Prepare for Life Beyond High School*. November 2007. Thesis Chair – Allen Belcher.

Meyer, Jordan. *Farmers Insurance Company and the creation of Service Power into a Brand*. May 2008. Thesis Chair – Michael Kennedy.

Middleton, Marcy. *Community, Culture, and Tradition: Best Practices for Developing Today's Native American Entrepreneurs*. May 2008. Thesis Chair – Anne Maggs.

Nam, Yunseung. *Exploring Entry Strategies for Multi-national Corporations to Access the Chinese Semiconductor Manufacturing Industry*. December 2007. Thesis Chair – Anne Maggs.

Schuck, Tim. *Production Planning Process in the Semiconductor Industry: A Case Study for Best Practices and Methods for Implementation*. March 2008. Thesis Chair – Tim Bergquist.

Teague, Tucker. *Global Supply Chains and the Commandment To Love One's Neighbor as Oneself*. May 2008. Thesis Chair – Michael Kennedy.

THESIS – PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING

Cohen, Carole D. *Counseling Christian Women Through Divorce*. August 2007. Thesis Chair – Amy Ford.

Crenshaw, Deborah A. *Victims of Female Sexual Abuse: A Review of the Literature*. December 2007. Thesis Chair – Paula Belcher.

Emery, Teresa L. *Humor Integration in the Psychotherapy Process: A Review*. December 2007. Thesis Chair – Gene James.

Fraze, David B. *The Role of Hopelessness in the Development of Depression in Adults with Autism: An Application of the Hopelessness Diathesis Stress Model of Depression*. August 2007. Thesis Chair – Amy Ford.

Green, Heather M. *Birth Order Effects on Conflict Resolution in Marital Relationships*. November 2007. Thesis Chair – Amy Ford.

Russell, Jeremy K. *Rites of Passage and Self-Esteem in Adolescence: A Study*. December 2007. Thesis Chair – Amy Ford.

Stancil, Linda C. *Neurobiology of Attachment Disorders and Treatment Considerations*. December 2007. Thesis Chair – Gene James.

Thompson, Lacie A. *Spiritual Intelligence: Connecting Science and Spirituality in the Counseling Process*. December 2007. Thesis Chair – Amy Ford.

CAPSTONE – SCHOOL COUNSELING

Augustadt, Terry. *Careers and Curbs: The Channel Guide, Action Research*. April 2008. Advisor – Vivian Moen.

Bailey, Amanda. *Multicultural Exploration Between Meadow Larks English and Spanish Students, Action Research*. April 2008. Advisor – Vivian Moen.

Campbell, Kristi. *Respecting Individual Differences and Positive Reinforcement, Action Research*. April 2008. Advisor – Vivian Moen.

Cross, Gail. *Study Skills and Self Management, Action Research*. April 2008. Advisor – Vivian Moen.

Dire, Gina. *Rainier Jr/Sr High School Parent Night, Action Research and Development*. April 2008. Advisor – Vivian Moen.

Ferdig, Sandy. *Second Steps, Action Research*. April 2008. Advisor – Vivian Moen.

Hoffman, Rex. *Social and Personal Development for Elementary Students, Action Research*. April 2008. Advisor – Vivian Moen.

Seavey, Erik. *Academic Solutions, Action Research*. April 2008. Advisor – Vivian Moen.

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