CONGRATULATIONS
Congratulations to Cedric Harville, Department of Health Education and Behavior doctoral student, whose paper was recently named Student Paper of the Year for the Eta Sigma Gamma Student Monograph!

ANNOUNCEMENTS
Spring 2015 Course Evaluations
Course evaluations are open through Friday, April 24th at 11:59pm. Please complete a course evaluation for each class you are enrolled in for spring - https://evaluations.ufl.edu/evals/.

HHP Graduate Student Orientation 2015
Save the Date! The 2015 HHP Graduate Student Orientation is scheduled for the afternoon of Friday, August 21, 2015. Further information will be provided as it comes available.

RESEARCH/ SEMINARS
2015 Board of Education (BOE) Summer Fellowship Program
The BOE Summer Fellowship Program is open to US citizens or permanent residents who are newly accepted into a UF doctoral program and are underrepresented in their field of study, first generation, low-income status or ethnic or cultural minority. This year’s program is scheduled for June 24 - August 7, 2015. This six-week summer program is designed as an orientation to graduate education and promotes acclimation to the University of Florida. The goal of this program is to provide newly enrolled doctoral students with the groundwork for their graduate education by: (1) supplementing the student’s knowledge of the research process; (2) honing their research writing skills and (3) easing the transition into graduate level studies at the University of Florida.

Student receive:
- $3500 stipend to help with the transition to Gainesville
- Four credit hours of paid coursework in their respective departments
- $100 Gator Dining card for peer mentoring meetings
- Solid support system in the Office of Graduate Minority Programs

Students should apply via GIMS:
http://gradschool.ufl.edu/GimsPublic/OGMP/BOESummerFellowshipApp.aspx
Applications will be accepted **April 1st thru May 1, 2015.** Applications and additional information on the program can be found [HERE](#). If you have questions concerning the Board of Education (BOE) Summer Fellowship Program please contact OGMP at ogmp@ufl.edu or by phone at 352-392-6444. Sponsored by the Office of Graduate Minority Programs (OGMP).

**WORKSHOPS/PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

**Looking for a Collaborator in Communication and Health?**
Join the STEM Translational Communications Research and the CTSI teams on **Friday, April 24** from 2-4 p.m. for “Collaborating with Strangers in Communication and Health.” The workshop will be held in CTRB 3161/3162 in the Clinical and Translational Science Institute. The workshop connects students, faculty and researchers from across campus. You’ll walk away with more resources, solutions and creative ideas than you ever imagined. Open to all faculty and students with an interest in translational communication and health. To register, go to: [http://www.jou.ufl.edu/tcr/events](http://www.jou.ufl.edu/tcr/events) or email Lylly Rodriguez at lyllyr@jou.ufl.edu.  
*Submitted by Quenta Vettel, College of Journalism and Communications*

**The Student Health Advisory Board (SHAB)**
SHAB is looking for student members for the 2015-16 school year! The University of Florida SHAB, comprised of six faculty/staff and seven students, provides UF’s Senior Vice President for Health Affairs advice concerning policies and procedures of the Student Health Care Center (SHCC). SHAB regularly reviews the quality of care rendered at the SHCC, as well as recommending and approving policies, procedures, programs, financial status and both long- and short-range planning. SHAB meets once per month during the regular academic year (Fall & Spring). [http://shcc.ufl.edu/contact/uf-student-health-advisory-board-shab-application/](http://shcc.ufl.edu/contact/uf-student-health-advisory-board-shab-application/)  
Applications are due **May 15, 2015.** If you have any questions, feel free to contact Dr. Varnes – jrvarnes@ufl.edu for more information.

**2015 Team USA Career Development Forum**
The Business of Sport at the Colorado Springs Olympic Training Center from **May 25-27.** The forum is designed to help foster the next generation of leaders in the Olympic and Paralympic movements. Attendees will learn about topics like strategic planning, data-driven decisions, digital content, interviewing and resume-building. Attendees will also have the opportunity to network with representatives from the U.S. Olympic Committee, National Governing Bodies and other organizations at the Career and Internship Fair on May 27!  
Please email any questions to careerdevelopmentforum@usoc.org  
*USOC Business Development*

**VOLUNTEER/EMPLOYMENT**

**Volunteers Needed for Gainesville Sports Commission Event**
The Gainesville Sports Commission, Greater Gainesville Bowling Association, and Florida State Bowling Association are teaming up to host the 2015 Florida State Open Bowling Championships for the first time in Gainesville! This is an 11 weekend tournament in which over 900 teams and 5,000 bowlers will compete at two of Gainesville’s bowling centers—Splitz Bowling Center and Alley Gatorz Bowling Center. Volunteers are needed as Support Staff throughout the tournament. No prior bowling knowledge or experience is needed!

Please see the following dates for the tournament:

- April: 11-12, 18-19, 25-26
- May: 9-10, 16-17, 23-24, 30-31
- June: 6-7, 13-14, 20-21, 27-28

As Support Staff, your duties will include watching the bowling lanes and assistance competitors as needed. This can include helping with scoring changes and resetting pins to quickly getting the bowling center staff to help retrieve a ball that was not returned. Other duties include helping with check-in and updating brackets. Volunteers are needed each day from 8:00 AM-5:00 PM at each bowling center. While it is encouraged that volunteers help all day, a morning shift and afternoon shift can be provided. Spots will be filled on a first come-first serve basis. If you have any questions regarding volunteering for this event or want to sign up, please email ggbatourney@gmail.com or call 352.338.9300.

The Gainesville Sports Commission

**Sun N Fun Festival**

Tourism Skills Group will be conducting an onsite survey during the Sun N Fun Festival located in Lakeland, FL between **April 24-26, 2015** and they are looking for individuals to work shifts as survey collectors. If you are interested in one of these positions, please contact: Neville Bhada, 770-693-2988, neville@tourismskillsgroup.com

**Health Communications Intern Positions**

The American Institutes for Research is looking for two Health Communications Interns, one in Atlanta and one in Rockville. If you are interested, apply at [http://www.air.org](http://www.air.org). Click on “careers” and then look for the job listings - 8427 and 8428. [https://jobs-airdc.icims.com/jobs/search?ss=1&searchKeyword=&searchCategory=&searchCompany=33&searchZip=&searchRadius=20](https://jobs-airdc.icims.com/jobs/search?ss=1&searchKeyword=&searchCategory=&searchCompany=33&searchZip=&searchRadius=20)

**Health Promotion Coordinator at University of Texas at Austin**

University Health Services at The University of Texas at Austin is seeking a public health practitioner to develop and implement health promotion and prevention initiatives to address a number of priority health issues using universal, selected, and indicated prevention strategies, theory and evidence-informed practices, and environmental management strategies for The University of Texas at Austin community. Interested applicants are encouraged to review a complete job description and must apply online. Go to [www.utexas.edu/jobs](http://www.utexas.edu/jobs) and select “Job Search.” A job title search or keyword search will show complete application instructions. Posting # 15-04-20-01-1533
**Arizona Coyotes Inside Sales Position**
The Arizona Coyotes Hockey Club is currently seeking candidates for Inside Sales Positions. The Club is looking for applicants that are extremely positive, passionate, and hardworking. You don’t need years of experience in the sports world as they will help to prepare you toward becoming a successful sales executive. Over 75% of their current senior level executives started directly out of college and flourished quickly as Inside Sales Representatives. The Arizona Coyotes management team, along with sales trainers from the NHL and NBA, will assist you in daily training to make you the best possible Inside Sales Representative you can be. To apply: Submit a resume and cover letter via email to Jesse.Whalen@ArizonaCoyotes.com and apply online at [http://hockeyjobs.nhl.com/teamwork/r.cfm?i=80383](http://hockeyjobs.nhl.com/teamwork/r.cfm?i=80383).

**OPPORTUNITIES**

**Food Drive for UF Food Pantry**
The University of Florida is in the process of creating an on-campus Food Pantry. This will be a place where any Gator can go and receive food and supplies they need to live a prosperous life as a student at UF. They need your help to stock the Food Pantry! As you are cleaning out your dorms, apartments and living places for the summer please consider donating any of the items listed below for the food drive. Every donation counts!

- Non-perishable food items
- Unopened toiletry items
- Plastic bags, paper bags and reusable bags

Please drop off the items you have collected throughout the next two weeks at the Southwest Recreation Center on April 24 and May 1 from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. and from 1 to 4 p.m. There will also be boxes around campus, in residence halls and on the 3rd floor of the Reitz Union in the Student Government office where you can drop off your items during the week. For more information please visit: [https://www.facebook.com/events/463808487102674/](https://www.facebook.com/events/463808487102674/)

**Free comedy show! (Some Strings Attached)**
That’s the name of the show: Some Strings Attached. And it really is free. Generation Sketch Comedy will perform this **Saturday, April 25, at 8 p.m.** at the Reitz Union Cinema (in the Reitz Auditorium). Some Strings Attached is a sketch comedy show written by members of the group. Admission is free for UF students and the public. This is the 20th show presented by Generation Sketch Comedy, which was formed in 2006 and is the longest-running sketch comedy troupe in Gainesville.

A University of Florida student organization funded by Student Government, Generation Sketch Comedy performs a show each fall and spring semester. The group’s stated purpose is to “help members improve their writing and acting skills and give them the experience of putting on a comedy show, all while having fun and preparing a top-notch sketch comedy show.”

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