

DIVISION OF GRADUATE COUNSELING

Changing the World Through Counseling Professions



THE YEAR
IN REVIEW

2013-14

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A Note from the Division Chair



I am now in my seventh year serving as Chair of the Division of Graduate Counseling at Indiana Wesleyan University. In the fall of 2007, the division offered four programs, enrolled approximately 90 students, and employed five full-time and four adjunct faculty persons. Today, we house five vibrant programs – Addictions Counseling, Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Marriage and Family Counseling/Therapy, School Counseling, and Student Development Administration, enroll over 220 students, and are blessed with ten full-time and twelve adjunct faculty, all of whom are well-trained, well-experienced, and teaching within their areas of expertise. In addition, we are in various stages of developing new initiatives, such as a Professional Coaching Certificate, an M.A. in Pastoral Counseling (in cooperation with the Division of Religion and Theology), and a Ph.D. program in Clinical Counseling. Furthermore, we have applied for the accreditation of our Marriage and Family Counseling/Therapy program with the Commission on Accreditation for Marriage and Family Therapy Education (COAMFTE).

The growth in programs and numbers mentioned above *might* be viewed as significant accomplishments. And in many ways, they are and we are remiss if we do not celebrate these as indicators of success. But, we are *not* about building kingdoms, certainly not ones of our own making here on earth. Bigger is not necessarily better. And, as my parents frequently reminded me, “If you cannot do it well, do not do it at all!”

We strive for excellence in all our academic programs. What exactly does that mean? How is it defined, measured, and accomplished within graduate counseling programs? It is only by peeling back the veneer that the actual quality can be determined. We have identified specific goals for our division, programs, and students and methods by which we can objectively determine the extent to which they are being achieved. I invite you to see how we are measuring up by reviewing our annual Program Assessment Report and most recent Alumni Survey. These are easily accessed by clicking on the following link: <http://www.indwes.edu/Adult-Graduate/MA-Counseling/Graduate-Counseling-Resources/>

This issue of *The 2013-2014 Annual Report* gives you a glimpse into the happenings and accomplishments of our students, faculty, and programs. You will see how character, scholarship, and leadership are being expressed in our students as they touch lives beyond the fortress of this institution. We are excited as we reflect on how God is working in and through us to accomplish His will and purposes.

We want to hear from you! Please let us know how we might better serve you – our students, alumni, constituents, and community. Thank you for your continued prayers and support.

— Mark Gerig, Ph.D.

Faculty and Students Present at ACA Conference in Honolulu



Five IWU graduate students traveled and presented at the 2014 ACA Conference and Expo held in Honolulu, HI. The students co-presented with faculty members on the student developed original research. MFC/T student Katherine Ruiz and Dr. Mark Gerig made a poster presentation of Katherine's thesis research on interracial couples titled "the Relationship between Management of Cultural Differences and Dyadic Satisfaction among Interracial Couples: An empirical study."

(L) Katherine Ruiz and Dr. Mark Gerig

MHC students Erin Davis, Ryan Davis, Keely King (April Graduate) and ADD student Wendy Waslowick presented with Dr. Nenetzin Reyes their original research "Let's Talk About Sex: Utilizing attachment theory to enhance psychoeducational groups on healthy sexuality" at the Chi Sigma Iota (CSI) Student Day. Both studies were funded by the IWU Lilly Scholarship Fund, and all five

(R) Dr. Nenetzin Reyes, Wendy Waswick, Keely King, Erin & Ryan Davis.



students and three faculty members in attendance (Dr. Jim Fuller) are current CSI Honor Society members.

Students and faculty took the opportunity to fellowship and enjoy the beauty of Honolulu by climbing Diamond Head (an inactive volcano), participating at a Luau, swimming and walking along the Waikiki beaches, and snorkeling.

(L) Dr. Mark Gerig, Katherine Ruiz, Keely King, Wendi Waswick, Josh Ruiz, and Dr. Jim Fuller.

Student Development Administration

The “SDA” program continued to expand in student enrollment and became a truly global program with our first students from outside the continental United States (Spain & Canada). One of the strengths of the SDA program is its diversity. Our students come from a variety of professional backgrounds, geographic locations, institutional employment and experience, as well as ethnic and racial heritage. Students are able to draw from their classmate’s perspectives, insights and experiences, which better prepares our students to address the challenges facing higher education. The 2013/2014 class continued this tradition of diversity.

April graduation welcomed the largest group of graduates ever, with six graduating, joining the three graduates this past December. The students represented a broad range of geographical locations, including New Orleans, San Diego, Detroit, Peoria, Cincinnati, and the main campus in Marion.

Adjunct Accomplishments

Megan Gilmore, who has shared academic advising duties for the SDA program as well as teaching a very popular course on Life Coaching earned additional professional certification in Life Coaching to go along with her Board Certified Coach certification.

Certified Professional CoActive Coach

Also advanced from Associate Certified Coach to Professional Certified Coach with the International Coach Federation (ICF).



Katie Wiggins published two articles in the journal, ***Life After Study Abroad***.

The Flower Pot Theory: When Home Doesn't Feel Like Home (Oct. 16, 2013)

Saying Goodbye: Your Guide to Reverse Cultural Shock (May 26, 2014)

Katie also took a position in the International Education Department of Ramapo College of New Jersey



Tiffany (LeFever) Snyder participated in the successful development of a grant to fund a career development internship program at Indiana Wesleyan. She also was promoted to Internship Coordinator for the grant program in the Office of Career Development.



Jackie Stancil (SP 14) presented two professional workshops during the 2013-2014 school year:

Presented a workshop at the **2013 NASPA-IV Regional Conference** in Chicago, entitled: “*Courage & Calling: Aiding the search for purpose & vocation.*”

Presented a workshop at Indiana University-Kokomo in April, 2014 entitled: “*Is Your GPA Enough? The importance of experiential learning/leadership for your future career.*”

Jackie also accepted the position of Director of Life Coaching at IWU.



Stephanie Smith ('12) accepted the position of School Counselor at Tirana International School in Tirana, Albania.



Emily Hathway ('14) was named Interim Director of the Office of Intercultural Student Services



LaShay Hunter ('13) took a position as Financial Aid Counselor at Wayne State University.



Michael Scott (SP 14) accepted the position of Student Coach and Counselor in the University College at Indiana University – East in Richmond,



Brittney Cannizzaro (SP 14) accepted the position of Resident Director at Abilene Christian University.



Amy Cherry: Resident Director at Grace College

— Submitted by Rob Thompson, Ph.D.

Director of Student Development Administration



School Counseling Program

Our program remains in complete compliance with IN DOE standards. The DOE IN frequently sends potential students our way for degree completion. According to the Indiana Department of Education, beginning with all students enrolled after August 31st, 2013 new school counselors must pass the new School Counseling Proficiency Exam to attain licensure in Indiana. Some of our students took the optional pilot exam and fared well. The exam was to be implemented by now, though it has not yet been solidified. When completed, this new requirement will give new school counselors a two-year provisional license while they receive mentorships. They will then receive full licensure upon successful completion of their two-year mentorship.

Beginning in the Fall of 2013, a major change occurred as our School Counseling Program moved to a hybrid format of teaching/learning. Courses were written and implemented using Blackboard Learning System. Online supervision used Google Hangouts to review videos for group and university supervision. The delivery moved from Blackboard to Pearson's Learning Studio beginning in May, 2014.

The online option for learning has shown significant increase in the number of students. While the curriculum has remained the same as our face-to-face program, the online delivery avails our program to many who would not otherwise be able to commute or travel to classes. This change has promoted a significant increase in the number of applicants with 29 new students enrolled for the Fall of 2014.

In the 2013-2014 academic year, Indiana Wesleyan University's School Counseling Program graduated four students and certified three Post Master's Certificates (PMC). Regarding the length of time for completion: The PMC alumni finished within the minimal time frame. One of the students in the standard program finished within the minimum five semesters while the other three completed the program at a part-time pace and took three to four years to finish. Of these seven students, five are employed as professional school counselors, one serves as a college financial aid counselor, and the other is actively seeking a school counseling position.

—Judith Justice, Ed.D., Director of School Counseling

Addictions Counseling Program

In fall of 2013 the Graduate Addictions Counseling Program (GACP) received a three year full accreditation status with the National Addictions Studies Accreditation Commission (NASAC) through 2016. Of the established GACP objectives and outcomes in measuring clinical assessment and treatment skills, 23 of 26 students achieved scores of 100%. In the past year, the program has grown by 19 new students in the online master's degree program and graduate certificate in addictions counseling

— Don Osborn, Ph.D., Director Addictions



Clinical Mental Health Counseling Program

The Clinical Mental Health program continued to grow during the 2013-2014 academic year. During this year, approximately 20 new students were admitted, slightly down from the previous year (2012-2013), but still significantly more than the 2011-2012 academic year. Ten mental health counseling students graduated during this academic year, whereas eight graduated during the previous year.

— Jim Fuller, Ph.D., Director Clinical Mental Health



Marriage and Family Therapy/Counseling

Exciting developments took place during the 2013/14 in the MFC/T program. The program has grown considerably which brings both challenges and rewards. New class sections, practicum and internship sections have been added to accommodate the growing enrollment. MFC/T students applied to become an IWU Student Association and have worked to bring first and second year students together through mentoring meetings and brown bag lunches with invited topical speakers.

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Sadly, the MFC/T program lost one of its own during the fall semester. **Danielle Garrison** was killed in a motorcycle accident on September 15. A group of MFC/T students held a graveside service to commemorate Danielle's life and impact she had on each of us.



The decision was made to pursue COAMFTE accreditation in 2013. There are several benefits to accreditation of the MFC/T program which include:

- Assurance that the program has undertaken extensive external evaluation, and meets standards established by the profession.

- A stimulus for self-evaluation and a cost-effective review mechanism which strengthens the reputation and credibility of a program.

- Eligibility for funding under several Federal grant programs.

- Students can be assured that the appropriate knowledge and skill areas will be included in their course of study and that the program demonstrates financial stability.

- An accredited degree assures a prospective employer that the student has undertaken a superior course of professional preparation.

- An accredited degree also allows students to apply for Clinical Membership in AAMFT through the accelerated Accredited Program Track in the absence of state licensure.

- Students applying for doctoral studies in MFT are on equal footing as students from other COAMFTE programs

The MFC/T program, in conjunction with full time faculty, began to process of updating the student learning outcomes, MFC/T program outcomes, and faculty outcomes and looking at assessment in preparation for the self-study and site visit. The self-study was submitted in May and the program looks forward to a site visit in the fall of 2014.

— *Barbara Riggs, Ph.D.*

Chi Sigma Iota Induction

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In September, IWU's graduate counseling honor society Iota Omega Upsilon welcomed 13 new members. Iota Omega Upsilon is the local chapter of the national honor society Chi Sigma Iota (CSI). Similar to IWU's goal to create world changers through character, scholarship and leadership, CSI is an international counseling society that promotes counselor excellence by focusing on academic achievement, professional competence and community service.

CSI is proud to introduce its newest members:

Rebecca Gerber, Anne Harton, Abigail Rose Graf Hove, Shelly Rae Kelley, Bethany Marshall, Kara Murdock, Zabrina Nicholson, Iris Parrish, Marli Piercy, Lavleen Samra, Reesa Smith, Karen Stephenson, and Stephanie Zimmer.



Graduate Counseling Welcomes Dr. Erin Davis

Dr. Erin Davis is a visiting assistant professor with over 20 years of experience in the fields of student development, higher education and counseling. She received her Ph.D. and M.A. in Counseling Psychology from Ball State University, with a cognate in Psychological Assessment. She also earned an M.T.S. in Theology from the Anderson School of Theology, and a B.A. in Psychology and Christian Ministries from Anderson University, with a minor in Family Science. She enjoys interdisciplinary collaboration and participates in the scholarship of teaching and learning, particularly in the areas of psychology, theology, neuroscience and sociology. Dr. Davis has studied and participated in service work in several countries around the world, including England, Uganda, Egypt, Australia and Portugal, and her research interests include cross-cultural and international psychology. Dr. Davis is married to Todd, and they have two children: SheaLah and Caleb.

Current Student and Alumni Updates

Daniel Vinson MFT ('14) — Home-based therapist for George Junior (Carroll County).

Megan Dwyer ('14) — Successfully defended her Master's thesis on May 12, 2014 entitled "Counselor attachment style and its effect on client satisfaction."



*Michelle Harris (MFT '14) and Emily Freeze (MFT '14) at first official "Vendor Table" for the **Family Building Fair**, sponsored by **H.O.P.E. for Families**. "We had a great time promoting our infertility group! It was also a great networking opportunity as well!"*

Professional presentations, published scholarly work, professional affiliations/ conferences attended, and community contributions of faculty

RIGGS, BARBARA

Publications.

Riggs, B. (2013). Divorce in Indiana, *Cultural Sociology of Divorce: An Encyclopedia*. Robert E. Emery, Ed. Thousand Oaks, CA : Sage Reference.



Riggs, B. (2013). Absentee Parents, *Cultural Sociology of Divorce: An Encyclopedia*. Robert E. Emery, Ed. Thousand Oaks, CA : Sage Reference.

Brooks, S, Edwards, T. Lyness, K., Peterson, C., Riggs, B. et al. (2013). Site Visitor Training, Co-presenter at AAMFT Annual Conference, Portland, OR.

Brooks, S, Edwards, T. Lyness, K., Peterson, C., Riggs, B. et al. (2013). Accreditation Seminar, Co-presenter at AAMFT Annual Conference, Portland, OR.

Coyle, S. Gregory, K. & Riggs, B. (2013). Our Journey into Marriage & Family Therapy co-presenter at IAMFT Conference, Indianapolis, IN.

Riggs, B. (2013). Using EFT with Couples in Conflict, presented at ICA Conference, Terre Haute, IN.

Professional and community involvement.

Elected to Commission on Accreditation for Marriage and Family Therapists (COAMFTE)

2013 AAMFT Research Conference, Washington DC

2013 Raising Vibrant Children, AAMFT Annual Conference, Portland, OR

2013 ACA Conference and Expo, Annual Conference, Cincinnati, OH

2013 ICA Conference, Terre Haute, IN

2013 Caring for the Mental Health Needs of Military Families, IAMFT Spring Conference Indianapolis,

Give an Hour for veterans and their families.

Red Cross Disaster Mental Health Worker.

Coordinator for Grief Counseling Ministry, Plainfield Christian Church.

Fellowship of Associates for Medical Evangelism Board of Directors.



REYES, NENETZIN

Publications.

Davis, E., Davis, R., King, K., Waslowick, W., & Reyes, N.A. (April, 2014). Let's Talk about Sex: Utilizing attachment style research to enhance psychoeducational groups on healthy sexuality. Workshop presentation at the IWU Annual Celebration of Scholarship. Research funded by IWU Lilly Scholarship Fund.

Reyes, N.A. (April 2014). *Interprofessional Communication*. Invited speaker at the 3rd Annual Inter-professional Education Seminar. Marion, IN.

Davis, E., Davis, R., King, K., Waslowick, W., & Reyes, N.A. (March, 2014). *Let's Talk about Sex: Utilizing attachment style research to enhance psychoeducational groups on healthy sexuality*. Poster presentation at the ACA National Conference in Honolulu, HI. *Research funded by IWU Lily Scholarship Fund.

Reyes, N.A. (March, 2014). The Integration of Biblical Wisdom and Counseling Practice: A Presentation and panel discussion. Panel member. IWU Addictions Counseling Program. 2014 Spring Symposium.

Reyes, N.A. (September, 2013). *Identifying Isomorphism Issues in Supervision: Helping your supervisees succeed*. Fall Supervisor Luncheon. Marion, IN.

Reyes, N.A. (October, 2014). *Beyond White and Black: Multicultural issues in supervision*. Fall Supervisor Luncheon. Marion, IN.

Professional and community involvement.

Member at Large. Elected to Indiana Association of Marriage and Family Therapy.

2013 ACA Conference and Expo, Annual Conference, Cincinnati, OH.

2013 *Caring for the Mental Health Needs of Military Families*. IAMFT Spring Conference Indianapolis,

2014 ACA Conference and Expo, Annual Conference, Honolulu, HI.

2014 Spirituality and Psychotherapy with African American Clients and Families, IAMFT Spring Conference, Indianapolis, IN.

Provide free counseling services to Spanish speaking clients.

College Wesleyan Church prayer warrior group and usher.

DON OSBORN

Publications.

Don Osborn Osborn, D.P. (2014) Foundations for the Practice of Clinical Supervision. Indiana Association for Addictions Professionals. Recertification Workshop. Indianapolis, Indiana.

Osborn, D.P. (2013) National Accreditation Standards for Addictions Studies in Higher Education. NAADAC National Conference, Atlanta, Georgia.



Osborn, D.P. (2013) Substance Abuse and Collegiate Athletics; Don't be an A-Rod. Huntington University Athletic Department, Huntington Indiana.

Osborn, D.P. (2013) Sexual Addiction and Cyber-sex Clients. Spring Conference of the Indiana Counseling Association. Terre Haute, Indiana.

Professional and community involvement.

Crucible Counseling Center Board of Directors

Consultant for Chatard HS and Caring Place Family Center



BUDD TEARE

Publications.

Healing the Father Wound and Beyond a Narrative Approach with Flora Chandler, Day of Healing Conference November 2010, Wabash IN.

Supervision and the Developmental Process. Site Supervisor Training, Indiana Wesleyan University, Marion IN.

Suicidal Assessment in Crises Situations. Presented to the Grant County Emergency Dispatchers. Quarterly Training. Marion IN.

Single Adult and Sexuality. Day of Healing Conference, Wabash, IN.

Professional and community involvement.

2013 *Raising Vibrant Children*. AAMFT Annual Conference, Portland, OR.

2013 AAMFT Supervisors Training Annual Conference, Portland, OR.

2013 *ACA Conference and Expo*, Annual Conference, Cincinnati, OH.

CISD Allen Co Jail.

CISD Marion Fire Dept.

CISD Hendricks Co Sherriff's Dept.



ERIN DAVIS

Publications.

Lefdahl-Davis, E. (2014) *Interactive teaching and learning in a media-rich world*. Presented March 14, 2014 at the Midwest Scholars Conference in Indianapolis, IN.

Lefdahl-Davis, E.M. & Perrone-McGovern, K.M. (Under Review March 2013) The cultural adjustment of saudi women international students: In their own words. *Journal of Cross-Cultural Psychology*.

Perrone-McGovern, K.M., Oliviera-Silva, P., Simon-Dack, S., Lefdahl-Davis, E., Adams, D., McConnell, J., Howell, D., Hess, R., Davis, A., and Goncalves, O. (2013). Physiological and psychological factors influencing romantic relationship satisfaction. *Applied Psychophysiology and Biofeedback*, 39, 19-25.
doi:10.1007/s10484-013-9237-2

Perrone-McGovern, K. M. , Oliviera-Silva, P., Simon-Dack,S., Lefdahl-Davis, E., Adams, D., McConnell, J., Howell, D., Hess, R., Davis, A., and Goncalves, O.



MARK GERIG

Publications.

Gerig, M. S., (2014). *A Clinical Mental Health Counseling Paradigm: Implications for Practice in Primary Health Care Settings*. Workshop to be presented at 2014 American Mental Health Counselors Association Annual Conference, Seattle, WA.

Gerig, M. S. (in process). *The practice of clinical mental health counseling in community settings: Principles, skills, and contexts*. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Pearson Prentice Hall

Gerig, M. S. (2014). *A Clinical Mental Health Counseling Paradigm: Implications for Counselor Education, Research, and Practice*. Workshop presented at 2014 American Counseling Association Annual Conference, Honolulu, HI.

Richards, K., & Gerig, M. S. (2014). *Relationship between Management of Cultural Differences and Dyadic Satisfaction among Interracial Couples: An Empirical Study*. Workshop presented at 2014 American Counseling Association, Honolulu, HI.

Holeman, V., Bland, C., Gerig, M. S., & Rose, D. (2013). *How are they doing: Systematic development assessment of students*. Workshop presented at 2013 Christian Association for Psychological Studies Annual Conference, Portland, OR.

Gerig, M. & Denlinger, K. (2013). *Who are Indiana LMHCs: A report of survey results*. Workshop presented at 2013 Indiana Counseling Association Annual Conference, Terre Haute, IN.

Gerig, M. (2014). *Foundations for clinical mental health counseling: An introduction to the profession* (2nd ed.). Columbus, OH: Pearson Prentice Hall.

Gerig, M. (2013). *Getting M.A. in counseling students involved in research*. *Journal of Psychology and Christianity*, 31, 303-307.

Professional and community involvement.

2013 ICA, 2013 ACA, 2013 CAPS, 2014 ACA



JUDY JUSTICE

Publications.

(2014 – Accepted to present Mental Health Disaster Training for the American School Counselor Association Conference)

2013 — Indiana Counseling Association Conference, “Motivational Interviewing for Secondary School Students’ Success.”

Professional and community involvement.

2013 Association of Counselor Educators and Supervisors (ACES)

2013 American Counseling Association Conference (ACA)

2013 Indiana Counseling Association Conference (ICA)

American Red Cross Trainer for Mental Health Workers, Incident worker for both local and national events.

Boys Club & Girls Club, Ft Wayne Center for Non-violence, James Rosenberger Memorial Scholarship organizer



JIM FULLER

Professional and community involvement.

2013, September. American Association of Christian Counselors World Conference

2013, November. Mental Health and Missions Conference

2014, March. Indiana Counseling Association Annual Conference

2014, March. American Counseling Annual Conference Professional Conferences

Serve on Board of Family Service Society, Inc. (volunteer position)

Serve on Personnel Committee for Global Partners, missionary sending agency (volunteer position)

Perform debriefings and evaluations of missionaries who are on home assignment after serving in overseas assignment (volunteer position)

Serve on Local Board of Administration for College Wesleyan Church (volunteer position)

Serve as Vice-Chair of the Local Board of Administration of College Wesleyan Church (volunteer position)

Serve on Personnel Committee of College Wesleyan Church (volunteer position)

Teach/lead Sunday school class at College Wesleyan Church (volunteer position)

ROB THOMPSON

Professional and community involvement.

Served on a College of Arts and Science (CAS) Task Force on the Conversion to Learning Studio.

Served as a guest lecturer for the Forensic Science Course both Fall 2013 and Spring 2014, presenting on the topics of Human Osteology and Skeletal Identification.

Served as one of three CAS Faculty on a IWU Student Government Association sponsored Panel Discussion on Homosexuality in January of 2014.

Initiated a research project exploring the perceived faith development of Gay & Lesbian identified students on a Christian College Campus. Interviews were concluded in late April of 2014.

Presented a Workshop at the Association for Christians in Student Development National Conference entitled: *The Perceived Impact of the Christian College Environment on the Faith Development of Gay & Lesbian Identified Students.*

Served as a book reviewer for Wiley Press

Continued involvement on the New Professionals Retreat (NPR) Facilitation Team for the Association for Christians in Student Development (ACSD). The 2014 Conference is the third of a four year appointment.

Served on two Dissertation Committees for students in the Doctorate of Organizational Leadership program. (1) Nancy Coscia: *Student Organization Involvement and Leadership Development: Traditional-aged Undergraduate Students Participating in Academic Student Organizations*, and (2) Brad Grubb: *A*



Study of Authentic Leadership Style and Cultural Intelligence in Higher Education Academic Leaders.

2013 Association for Christians in Student Development (ACSD): New Professionals Retreat Workshop: Mental Health Crisis in Higher Education

2014 Association for Christians in Student Development (ACSD): Workshop: Perceived Impact of Christian College Environment on the Faith Development of Gay & Lesbian Identified Students

ACSD New Professionals Retreat Workshop: Hiring for Character

2014: Presented Workshop for NPR on "Kolhberg's Moral Reasoning & the Sermon on the Mount"

Community Contributions

Volunteer Marion Community High School Jr. Varsity Wrestling Coach

Volunteer Marion McCulloch Jr. High School: Wrestling Book and Score Keeper

LOIS BUSHONG

Publishes book on Third Culture Kids

Lois Bushong, MS, LMFT, Adjunct Faculty's recently published book, "Belonging Everywhere & Nowhere: Insights into Counseling the Globally Mobile" was named one of the 2014 Top Five books for expats by Global Living magazine. It has been featured in the magazine for the American Counseling Association as well as the Among Worlds magazine. Lois presented to a "standing room only workshop" on the topics featured in her book at the Missions and Mental Health conference in November, 2013. Her book is the first book on the market that addresses counseling Third Culture Kids and has been well received by counselors scattered around the world.



FACULTY PARTICIPATES AT 2014 AAMFT ANNUAL CONFERENCE

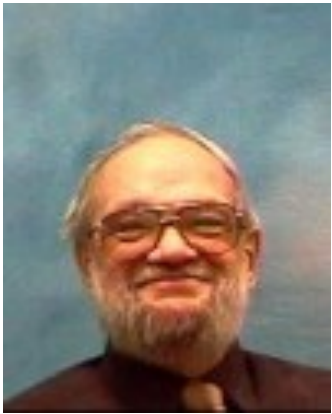
In October 2014, Drs. Barbara Riggs and Nenetzin Reyes attended and participated at the AAMFT conference held in Milwaukee, WI. The conference topic revolved around the contributions of Insoo Kim Berg and Steve De Shazer's Solution Focused Brief Therapy (SFBT) to the Family Therapy field. The conference provided multiple venues for attendants to learn SFBT applications to a wide range of issues and populations. As a commissioner on the COAMFTE board, Dr. Riggs was a facilitator at the COAMFTE site visitor's training. Dr. Reyes participated in the AAMFT leadership Day for Division leaders where the available AAMFT structure selections to be voted on in the 2015 elections were discussed.



Rosenberger Remembered

Jim Rosenberger gave his entire adult life to public education and school counseling. Even in death, Dr. Rosenberger wanted to give more to the field he treasured so dearly. Thus, the James Rosenberger Scholarship Fund was recently established in his memory and according to his wishes. Rosenberger was a part-time instructor in the School Counseling program for the Division of Graduate Counseling.

Budd Teare Retires



Dr. Budd Teare completed his service to Indiana Wesleyan University at the end of the Summer 2014 semester. Dr. Teare had most recently served as the Clinical Coordinator in the Division of Graduate Counseling where he had oversight of the daily clinic operations at both the Marion and Indianapolis campus locations as well as supervision of students doing clinical work in Practicum and Internship.

Dr. Budd, as he was affectionately known by his students, who was an Assistant Professor at the time of his retirement, was especially interested in issues related to childhood sexual abuse, sexual addictions recovery, identity development in young adults and mental health concerns such as stress, depression, trauma, systems interventions, and family resiliency. His research interests involved recovery from child abuse and sexual addictions, family resiliency, and critical incident stress and trauma.

Dr. Teare will continue in private practice in retirement.

We want to hear from YOU!

Send us an update! Where are you now and what are you doing? Have a current picture (even with your family)? Send it along. We want to keep updated on where are students are now and “what in the world they are doing”... so don’t keep us in the dark. Enlighten us on your whereabouts and goings on. We want to hear from you!

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