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Excitement and change are in the air at UCA as we begin a new academic year. The joy of welcoming new students and colleagues to the UCA community is palpable, and something I look forward to each year. At the same time, we are again in the cycle of change in CHBS as we say goodbye to colleagues who are taking on more challenges and responsibilities elsewhere. Dr. Steve Tucker, former Chair of Exercise and Sport Sciences, Dr. Dee Lance, former Chair of Communication Sciences and Disorders, and Dr. Nina Rooft, soon to be former Chair of Nutrition and Family Sciences, all have or will soon be departing UCA for new positions as they advance in their respective careers. I and their colleagues on the CHBS Leadership Council will miss their wise counsel and the wonderful bonds of friendship and camaraderie we shared. I look forward to hearing of the amazing accomplishments I know each of them will produce in their new roles.

As you peruse the SIGNs, you'll see the beginnings of a changing format for our College Newsletter. While we will continue to highlight many of the accomplishments of our amazing faculty, staff, and students, we will be devoting more of our newsletter to feature stories involving our students. Our students are the reason all of us are here. Each day, our faculty and staff engage in our mission to improve the lives of our students and through them, the lives of those our students and graduates will impact. This is compelling work; life changing work; work that will impact our community, our state, our nation, and our world. Thank you for supporting us in this work through your time and financial donations. We couldn't meet our mission without you.



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UCA Community Care Clinic

We are excited to announce the health and wellness clinic within the Interprofessional Teaching Center (ITC) now has a community facing name: the *UCA Community Care Clinic*.

The UCA Community Care Clinic is housed in the ITC alongside the Speech, Language, Hearing Center and the Interprofessional Therapeutic Activity Program (I-TAP) for clients diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias.

The UCA Community Care Clinic will continue to offer team-based services from Dietitians, Nurse Practitioners, Occupational Therapists, and Physical Therapists. We are also excited to announce we will be adding health coaching and mental health counseling services starting in the fall semester of 2023!

Health coaching and mental health counseling faculty and student interns will work alongside the other members of the healthcare team to provide a truly holistic approach to client care focusing not only on physical health but also mental, social, and emotional wellness. By adding health coaching and mental health counseling services in the ITC, we will broaden the footprint of educational opportunities at UCA and integrate the training of mental health, wellness, and physical healthcare trainees.

We look forward to the addition of these vital team members to increase our capacity to provide comprehensive care for our clients and increase opportunities for students to participate in interprofessional experiential learning.



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Morgan Drayton

We have a lot of exciting updates from the College of Health and Behavioral Sciences to share starting with the tenth annual Day of Giving. The College of Health and Behavioral Sciences raised \$22,876 making it our largest Day of Giving to date.

Funds raised during the Day of Giving support many needs for students and faculty including scholarships, research, state-of-the-art equipment and experiential learning opportunities that prepare our students to be leaders locally and globally.

On June 29, 2023, we marked the 50th anniversary of our top-ranked Doctor of Physical Therapy program with a banquet and reception at Copper Grill in Little Rock.

We are excited to announce the UCA Community Care Clinic Open House which will take place during the Family Day tailgate on October 7, 2023. There will be student-led tours to showcase this wonderful facility. We hope you'll join us in increasing public awareness of this clinic and all it has to offer the community!

For more information on how to get involved with the college by giving your time or financial resources to increase faculty development, or for student scholarships, please feel free to contact me. I look forward to connecting with you.

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CHBS Advisory Board Highlight



Krista Tapp - Chief Operations Officer
Pediatrics Plus

We would like to spotlight UCA Alumnus Mrs. Krista Tapp. As an occupational therapist and co-owner of Pediatrics Plus, Krista Tapp has made a significant impact on the children of Conway and other areas in Arkansas. Pediatrics Plus is a facility that specializes in evidence-based intervention that caters to children in all stages of life with both inpatient and outpatient care. Krista Tapp represents the Department of Occupational Therapy as a College Advisory Board member and works with other board members and CHBS leadership to assist with fundraising efforts for initiatives of the College through contacts with other prominent individuals in the business community.

Pediatrics Plus has offered various learning opportunities for CHBS students including internships and field work experiences, summer camp counseling experiences, and service learning projects. The UCA Service Learning program recognized Pediatrics Plus as a Community Learning Partner of the Year nominee. The Service Learning program partners with over 65 community organizations to provide service learning opportunities for UCA students.



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CHBS Study Abroad Part 1



For three weeks during June 2023, Dr. Denise Demers from the department of Health Sciences and Dr. Doug Voss from the College of Business took students to Vienna, Austria to learn about different dimensions of health. First, and foremost, students learn more about themselves while abroad. In a foreign country where they don't know the language, individuals are forced to face fears in a safe place where they stay with Viennese families and go on excursions with faculty. In three short weeks, the students become more like family than friends (social health). They take care of one another and take care of themselves (mental and emotional health) as they live in a city of over a million people. They see a different infrastructure and how that affects the health of the citizens (environmental health). During a visit to the United Nations they were able to witness the ability of 192 member states to work together to maintain international peace and security (global health). Traveling to the smaller communities gives them a sense of community and leisure - especially as they provided service to a small town outside of Vienna.

Although they spend time learning in real time about the dimensions of health, cultural competence, and the 17 sustainable development goals for the world, they learn most about themselves and the world they live in. The experience abroad changes who they are forever. Upon returning, each is a different student, sibling or child, worker, significant other, and person in general. They see the world with different eyes and will take the lessons learned into their future careers. To study abroad is not just an experience learning content, but a complete change of perspective - what experiential learning is all about.

For more information about study abroad within Health Science contact Dr. Denise Demers
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CHBS Study Abroad Part 2



Living the UCA motto of “Go Here, Go Anywhere”, 14 students from the Department of Occupational Therapy class of 2025 completed their Level I Fieldwork experience in Costa Rica in May 2023, under the leadership of Dr. Brittany Saviers and Dr. Deborah Gangluff. This 10-day international fieldwork experience allowed students the opportunity to learn about the global practice of occupational therapy and occupational science. Students traveled through four of the seven provinces in Costa Rica, including stops in San Jose, The Nicoya Peninsula, and ending their journey in Playa Hermosa.

The opportunities for high-impact experiential learning in Costa Rica abound! The Nicoya Peninsula of Costa Rica was selected for this fieldwork experience as it is one of five areas designated as a “Blue Zone”, a place where people reach ages 100 at rates up to 10 times greater than the United States. This year students had the opportunity to learn from six centenarians that, between all of them, have lived a total of 620 years! Time with centenarians in this area allowed students to observe the social and physical determinants of health and taught them how health, well-being, longevity, and “pura vida” (pure life) stems from lifestyle and occupational patterns made along the life course. Students also spent time at select pediatric, adult, and community clinics and locations throughout the four provinces where they engaged in various therapeutic activities, observations, and occupation-based evaluations and interventions alongside faculty and local occupational therapy practitioners. In addition to facilitating cultural humility, students acquired unique insight regarding multicultural healthcare through hands-on activities, tours, and dialogue with local residents, healthcare professionals, and researchers who promote occupational therapy in the country. This included collaboration with occupational therapy students and faculty at the Universidad Santa Paula.

Over the past four years, the UCA Occupational Therapy International Fieldwork program and its international colleagues have welcomed over 45 students to Costa Rica to prepare future practitioners to live and practice in a globally connected world. Offering students international fieldwork experiences to countries like Costa Rica - not just to see, but also to serve - is an important part of high-impact transformational learning in the 21st century.

For more information about study abroad opportunities with Occupational Therapy contact Dr. Tina Mankey (tinam@uca.edu)



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CHBS Study Abroad Part 3

For three weeks during May, 2023, Dr. Nina Roofoe and Dr. Anna Ballard Bryan took UCA graduate and undergraduate students over seas to the beautiful country of Italy. Students studied in Florence, Italy focusing on architectural and artistic advancements, health and nutrition, the economic vitality of the Florentine ruling families during Renaissance history, humanism, and cultural advancement. The itinerary included the Florence Duomo, Italian language classes, Orsanmichele, Uffizi, Palazzo Vecchio, Piazzale Michaelangelo, Ospedale degli Innocenti, San Gimignano, Italian cooking class, Accademia, Santa Maria Novella, Bargello, Santa Croce, Galileo Museum, Brancacci Chapel Cinque Terre, Ferragamo Museum, Gucci, Museum, Pitti Palace, Medici Ricciardi Palace, Dante's House, farmer's markets, textile markets, and more!



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Achievements

Nutrition and Family Sciences

The UCA Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Sciences program is ranked the #1 program in Family and Consumer Science in the state.

Dr. Nina Rooft, Nutrition & Family Sciences, was elected to the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics House of Delegates as the incoming Speaker-Elect. She started her term on June 1, 2023.



OnlineU ranked UCA as one of the most affordable online colleges for a master's degree in nutrition.

Heather Amaro, BS in Community Nutrition major, received an invitation and scholarship to attend the National Anti-Hunger Policy Conference in Washington, D.C. in May 2023.



Dr. JoAnna Cupp, Assistant Professor and DPD Director of Nutrition and Family Sciences, has been selected as a faculty fellow in the Teaching Excellence Institute Cohort III.

Nursing

OnlineU ranked the UCA School of Nursing online Doctor of Nursing Practice program as the 6th most affordable online DNP program in the nation.



Dr. Leigh Snead, DNP, RN, CHSE, CNE, School of Nursing faculty member was recognized Tuesday April 25th at the annual celebration at the Excellence in Teaching and Community Engagement Reception for completing the CETAL Recognition Program.

As part of the NURS 4320 Health Policy and Professional Issues course, senior level nursing students participated in Alzheimer's and Dementia Awareness Day at the Capitol. Students were able to interact with legislators, hear a speech from Arkansas Lieutenant Governor Leslie Rutledge, and influence policy initiatives to support those in Arkansas living with dementia.

School of Nursing faculty members Ms. Kelly Quinn and Ms. Leslie Blackwell were nominated and recognized by the UCA Softball Team as a Most Valuable Professor.



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Psychology

Fan Ding successfully defended her dissertation, "Cultural specificity in common factors: Client's traditionality and modernity as moderators of relationship between therapist authority perceived by client and working alliance among a Chinese sample."

Dr. Dani S. Archie, Psychology & Counseling alumni, accepted the position of Assistant Professor of Clinical Psychiatry in the Louisiana State University Health Science Center's School of Medicine.



Senior Psychology major, Courtney Clawson, was selected as the College of Health and Behavioral Sciences Outstanding Student of 2022-2023.

School Psychology Doctoral Student, Kira Alexander, accepted a Post-doctoral Fellowship at Brown University Adolescent Acute Care Services for Addiction and High-Risk Behaviors (APA accredited).



Dr. James Wages, Assistant Professor of Psychology, was selected as a faculty fellow in the Teaching Excellence Institute Cohort III.

Doctoral psychology & counseling student Jordan Pyle Simmons was selected for the 2022-2023 APPIC Cynthia Belar Postdoctoral Applicant Scholarship and will begin her Postdoctoral Fellowship at the University of Oklahoma Health Science Center in Oklahoma City Fall 2023.

The UCA Counseling Psychology Program announced that doctoral students Heath Braziel, Victoria Philippon, Logan Snyder, and Estefany Soto were matched through the APPIC Internship Match Program.



Dr. Christina Jeffrey, Psychology & Counseling, completed a 15 hour training in hypnosis for cancer pain treatment through the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai in New York, NY.

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Nursing

Dr. Kerry Jordan and Ms. Megan Moix, School of Nursing, were named 2023 Arkansas Outstanding Nursing Educators by Publishing Concepts, Inc.



Health Policy Instructors Drs. Kerry Jordan and Jessaca Hope took their senior BSN nursing students to join nearly 500 nurses at the Arkansas State Capitol to see what lobbying at the Capitol is all about. Participants of this event were able to learn firsthand knowledge of the legislative process, as well as hear from the Arkansas Nurses Association on how they work to protect the interests of nurses. Participants were treated to breakfast and lunch and heard a presentation at the end from the Associate Director in State Government Affairs and Policy for the American Nurses Association.

Exercise and Sport Science

Shivani Patel (spring 2023 graduate with a BS in Exercise Science) was accepted into the Creighton University School of Law with the plan to pursue a career in sports law.

Occupational Therapy

Dr. Brandy Pate and Dr. Kelly Hartwick both completed the Certified Brain Injury Specialist (CBIS) course study sponsored by the Trauma Rehabilitation Resources Program (TRRP), the Academy of Certified Brain Injury Specialists, NeuroRestorative Timber Ridge, and Baptist Health Rehabilitation Institute in the Spring 2023 semester. Drs. Pate and Hartwick were successful on the certification exam and have obtained the designation of being Certified Brain Injury Specialists (CBIS).

Communication Sciences and Disorders

Dr. Sunjung Kim Thao, Ph.D., CCC-SLP, was appointed to the National Joint Committee on Learning Disabilities for a term beginning January 1, 2024, and ending December 31, 2026. She will serve as the American Speech Language Hearing Association (ASHA) Representative on the National Joint Committee on Learning Disabilities to optimize the education and welfare of individuals with learning disabilities.



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Exercise and Sport Science



Dr. Tom Roberts, Conway Regional Orthopedic Surgeon and Team Orthopedic for UCA Athletics, has been named an Honorary Member of the Southwest Athletic Trainers' Association (SWATA). He will be recognized at the Annual SWATA Symposium July 20-22 in Arlington, TX. Dr. Roberts has been affiliated with the UCA Athletic Training Program since 1992.

Aaron Smith, MS, LAT, ATC, a clinical instructor in the Athletic Training Program, received the Call of Duty Award at the Arkansas Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting in Little Rock on April 22-23, 2022. The Call of Duty Award is bestowed upon a State of Arkansas licensed athletic trainer and AATA member in good standing who has gone above and beyond the call of duty during a critical life-saving event serving the public and mankind.

UCA athletic training alumnus, Jan Kiilssgaard, was inducted into the Arkansas Athletic Trainers' Association Hall of Fame during the Arkansas Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting in Little Rock on April 22-23.

Jordyn Kristin Accord, a student in the MS in Athletic Training program, was selected as the winner of the Arkansas Athletic Trainers' Association (AATA) Student Research Contest. She presented a poster and an oral presentation during the Arkansas Athletic Trainers' Association Annual Meeting in Little Rock on April 22nd and 23rd. The title of her presentation was "Non-Contact Simultaneous Multi-Ligament Rupture in the Knee with Medial Meniscus and Biceps Femoris Involvement in a Collegiate Football Player."

Nutrition and Family Sciences

Dr. Nina Rooft was selected by the Arkansas Association of Teachers of Family & Consumer Sciences (AATFCS) to receive the Arkansas Association of Teachers of Family and Consumer Sciences (AATFCS) Post Secondary Teacher of the Year Award.



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Health Sciences



Professor of Health Sciences, Dr. Duston Morris, and the Health Coaching Students received a \$1,000 departmental donation for an upcoming two-day Health and Wellness Coaching Workshop they will be providing for Curricula Concepts. Dr. Morris and the health coaching students will be providing health and wellness coaching training for the Curricula Concepts staff.

The Arkansas Collegiate Network event at the State Capitol was on Monday, April 17th. Dr. Stephanie Rose and Addiction Studies interns, Stella Radke and Kasey Jordan spoke at the event on the steps of the Capitol.



UCA Addiction Studies is proud to be named and selected as part of the Hope Movement Coalition.



Interprofessional

Athletic Training and Nurse Practitioner Faculty, Athletic Training Graduate Students, DNP Nurse Practitioner Students, and community partners spent the day, February 9th, in an orthopedic workshop. The workshop focused on interprofessional collaboration and clinical skills.

Topics of the day included - Radiography of common orthopedic injuries and practice pearls, orthopedic special tests, upper and lower extremity splinting, concussion recognition and management, suturing, digital block and nail removal, anatomy review, joint injection and aspiration of the shoulder and knee. Dr. Tom Roberts and Melanie Harrington with Conway Regional Center for Orthopedics and Sports Medicine along with Brian Wallace and staff from MidSouth Orthopedics provided state of the art endoscopy and cadavers for a life-like hands-on experience.



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Awards

Health Sciences

The Health Sciences Undergraduate National Case Study Competition Team, led by Drs. Anita Sego and Stephanie Rose, won second place in the National Case Study Competition for Health Education. The team was composed of Anna Weisenback, Health Sciences, Stella Radke, Psychology & Counseling, and Mystic Clements, Health Sciences.

Stephanie White, AuD, and Jennifer Simpson, MS, CSD were recognized at the Excellence in Teaching and Community Engagement Reception for completing the CETAL Recognition of Achievement Program.

Physical Therapy



Dr. Leah Lowe, Physical Therapy, was awarded the 2023 UCA Teaching Excellence Award.

Psychology & Counseling

Dr. Femina Varghese, Psychology & Counseling, received the 2023 Outstanding Graduate Mentor Award.



Dr. Ken Sobel, Psychology and Counseling, received the 2023 Shumaker-Wright Mentorship Award.

Dr. James Wages has been named the recipient of the 2023 Psychological Science and Entrepreneurship Poster Award based on his poster submission, "A Normative Lay Theory of Risk-Taking: Using Peripheral Features to Disambiguate Risk", to the APS Annual Convention.



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Grants

Dr. Lorrie George-Paschal (Occupational Therapy), Ms. Kassidy Thompson (Occupational Therapy), and Dr. Duston Morris (Health Sciences) were awarded a \$1930.00 UCA Foundation Grant for their CHBS interprofessional project, Conway Brain Injury Community: An Occupational Adaptation Approach to Community Programming.

Congratulations to soon-to-be Dr. Jordan Simmons (Counseling Psychology) on being awarded a \$7,500 Children's Health Foundation (CHF) Fellow Research Award. Her project is titled, Reducing Health Disparities in Rural Youth through Health: A Mixed Methods Pilot Study.

The Blue & You Foundation for a Healthier Arkansas awarded \$2000 for Guarding AR Hearts - AED Installation on the UCA Campus a project to install an AED in the Brewer Hegeman Conference Center. The grant proposal was written by Mollie Henager, Sara Bailey, and Carol Walton, along with Dr. Nina Rooft and Stephanie Alsbrook, Nutrition and Family Sciences.

Kayla Felice, a senior BS in FCS major, received a \$3,000 national education award from PEO. Kayla was nominated by FCS Program Director Rebekah Luong and Dr. Kathryn Carroll and was sponsored by Chapter I of Little Rock.

Dr. Towino Paramby, Communication Sciences and Disorders, had a successful grant application for the 2023 SPEAK OUT!® Program Development Grant from the Parkinson Voice Project. This grant program supports universities, hospitals, private practices, outpatient clinics, facilities, or other rehabilitation organizations that want to develop or sustain a vibrant SPEAK OUT! therapy program for individuals with Parkinson's Disease. The grant supports training courses for all UCA MS CSD students and two CSD faculty members. Free program materials and support for securing the necessary equipment are also included.

Dr. Pam Ashcraft, Professor, School of Nursing has been awarded an INBRE Summer Manuscript Support (SMS) grant. This funding opportunity supports faculty in the preparation of a manuscript for publication. The goal of this opportunity is to provide faculty protected time to write and submit a peer-reviewed manuscript. The manuscript will be based on one of her undergraduate nursing student's Nursing Honors project. The student, Blair Nichols, will be a co-author on the manuscript.



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School of Nursing

Dr. Julie Meaux recently presented a webinar entitled, "Nurse Educator - Challenges in the Classroom" for Sigma Theta Tau, the International Honor Society for Nursing. Over 150 participants from eight different countries were in attendance. The webinar is now available to members on the Sigma Repository with the potential for an even greater global impact.

Dr. Pamela Ashcraft, a Professor in the UCA School of Nursing, was invited by Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing (SIGMA) to be a guest speaker at the 2023 Sigma Nurse Leaders Virtual Summit. The virtual summit was held April 26-28, 2023. The topic of the presentation was related to nursing leadership and professional development. Specifically, what can nurses do in leadership; why do we need more nurse leaders; how can or has Sigma helped in this journey; and lessons learned along the way.



Occupational Therapy

The UCA OTD program was well represented at the American Occupational Therapy Association ASPIRE Conference in Kansas City with 15 faculty and students attending and presenting.

Psychology & Counseling

Dr. James Wages gave an invited research presentation, titled Wise Paths and Rash Pitfalls to Human Flourishing, to the Texas Tech University Institute for Inclusive Excellence and the Teaching, Learning, and Professional Development Center on Friday, February 3, 2023.

Dr. Christina Jeffrey's research on a therapeutic workshop for victims of trolling and cyberbullying was featured on Vermont Public Radio in a broadcast episode on the toll of online bullying and harassment on adults.

Dr. Joan Simon and Dr. Heather Martens recently presented "What makes a school psychologist - training, supervised experience, professional roles? YES!" [Poster presentation] at the Trainers of School Psychologists Conference, Denver, CO.

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Presentations

Psychology & Counseling

Skylar Brooks, psychology honors major, successfully presented the honors capstone research project entitled, “The Relationship Between Conservatism and Foreignness Perception on Attitudes Toward Asian and Hispanic Americans.” Skylar conducted the project under the supervision of mentor Dr. James Wages and second readers Dr. Seungyeon Lee and Dr. Mollie Price-Blackshear.



Dr. Seungyeon Lee, Psychology & Counseling, and her collaborators presented a distinguished symposium titled, “Emerging Adulthood Measured at Multiple Institutions: An Evolving Project with Continuing Contributions,” at the annual conference of the Western Psychological Association in Riverside, CA.

Dr. Christina Jeffrey, Psychology & Counseling, presented a talk at the annual conference for Division 39 Psychoanalytic Psychology in New York, NY titled, “White Anti-Mask and Anti-Vaccine Movements as a Death Drive Response to Social Change.”

Dr. Seungyeon Lee was invited to participate in the 2023 APA Committee on Associate and Baccalaureate Education (CABE)’s session on Trauma-informed Pedagogy (TIP) as a program chair. She has chaired a session at the American Psychological Association Convention in Washington, DC on August 3-5, 2023. Dr. Charlton was also one of the co-presenters on the TIP session.

Exercise & Sport Science

David Strickland, Clinical Instructor II of Exercise and Sport Science, presented at the Arkansas Athletic Trainers Association Annual Meeting and Symposium in Little Rock on April 23, 2023. The presentation was on best practice and management of the spine injured athlete and determining appropriate spine transfer techniques. Clinical instructors, Jordyn Trow and Aaron Smith, assisted during the breakout sessions with local MEMS paramedics on spine boarding use of scoop stretcher techniques, and how to manage the spine-injured athlete.



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Health Sciences

Dr. Dustin Morris was invited to participate in a Socratic Salon for Walmart employees. He was one of 30 selected participants from different Arkansas public sectors that discussed the topic, “Social Determinants of Health & Respect for Each Individual: How Can Public Policy Help?”



Tisha Jenkins, Clinical Faculty from Addiction Studies presented at the Arkansas Specialty Court Conference. She presented on the topic of Suicide, Substance Use and Childhood Trauma! .



Physical Therapy

Dr. Lori Mize served as the Chief Education Officer with the PHFreedom Foundation for Pelvic Health , a 501(c)(3) organization. The Foundation has recently released a Podcast on YouTube that features Darryl Strawberry (MLB fame) and Dr. Mize, as well as a world renowned colo-rectal surgeon.

Interprofessional

Drs. Angela Webster, Chad Lairamore, and Nina Roofo spoke at the joint Board on Health & Human Sciences / Council of Administrators in Family & Consumer Sciences Spring Meeting in Washington, DC.

Dr. Thomas Lowder and students from EXSS and CSD hosted the first monthly meeting for patients with Ehlers-Danlos syndrome (EDS) on February 25th at the Integrated Health Sciences Building. There were more than 30 attendees for the first of what has been a series of monthly meetings featuring researchers and healthcare professionals presenting on a variety of topics. EXSS students Rhys Dangeau, Lauren Oliger, Summer Rains, and Miguel Whitmore, and CSD student Eden Young presented on their ongoing research projects with the attendees.

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Publications

School of Nursing

Ms. Taylor Nardi, SON Education Counselor and Advisor, published in the Journal of Higher Education Management. The article title is: "Examination of the Influence of Identity Dimensions, Education Level, and Occupational Positioning Dynamics Within Higher Education Faculty and Staff Workplace Relationships."

Communication Sciences & Disorders

Dr. Stephanie White and her colleague's manuscript entitled, "ARIA Treatment Benefits are Related to Severity of Dichotic Listening Deficits in Children," was accepted for publication in the International Journal of Pediatric Otorhinolaryngology.

Occupational Therapy

Dr. Lorrie George-Paschal and colleagues published an article in the International Journal for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning titled, "The use of mentored inquiry communities to foster scholarship of teaching and learning (SoTL): Outcomes of the American Occupational Therapy Association SoTL Program (2007-2017)."

Nutrition and Family Sciences

Dr. Nina Roofe published two articles in the Journal of Family & Consumer Sciences. The articles were titled "Outcomes of the AAFCS Leadership Academy to enhance professional leadership qualifications," and "A decade of the AAFCS leadership academy: Preparing leaders for AAFCS and the profession."

Dr. Nina Roofe published an article for the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics titled "Professional Civility and Ethics in the Workplace."



Dr. Kimberley Sartain has published a manuscript on STEM service learning in the Journal of Family & Consumer Sciences titled "The angel tree project: Incorporating mathematics into a family and consumer sciences service-learning project."

Dr. JoAnna Cupp published an article on problem-based learning in the Nutrition & Dietetics Educators & Preceptors electronic newsletter.



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Publications

Psychology & Counseling

Dr. Anna Park co-authored a study with collaborators in Taiwan titled, "Instant enemies" and "instant allies" in the U.S. and Taiwan: A LIWC analysis." The study was published in *Frontiers in Communication*.



Exercise & Sport Science

Dr. Brittany Allman-Tucker and collaborators published two articles recently including one in *Medical Sciences Sport Exercise* and one in *Nutrients*. The first was titled "Self-Reported Intake and Circulating EPA and DHA Concentrations in US Pregnant Women," and the second was titled "Influence of Supervised Maternal Aerobic Exercise During Pregnancy on One-Month Old Neonatal Cardiac Function and Outflow: A Pilot Study."

Dr. Thomas Lowder and several UCA exercise science students published an article titled, "Balance and Postural Sway in Patients with hypermobile Ehlers-Danlos syndrome (hEDS)." This will appear as an invited article in the journal *Frontiers in Medicine—Translational Medicine* for a special edition (Research Advances in Understanding the Etiology, Epidemiology, Pathophysiology, Clinical Features, and Management of the Ehlers Danlos Syndrome Disorders).

Interprofessional

Drs. Brent Greg (CSD), Jacquie Rainey and Duston Morris (Health Science) recently published an article titled, "The Value of Health Literacy in Communication Sciences and Disorder Programs." This publication was part of a larger work that was completed by Dr. Shanon Brantley in fulfillment of her PhD in Leadership.

Dr. Elizabeth Cleveland, Jessica Gangluff (CSD graduate student), and their colleagues recently published, "An Interdisciplinary Approach to Increasing Access to Care for Individuals with Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders," in the *Review of Disability Studies: An International Journal*.

Dr. JJ Mayo and colleagues, including Dr. Brittany Allman-Tucker, published an article titled "Acute citrulline malate supplementation does not improve anaerobic capacity in healthy young adults: A pilot study." in the *Journal of Exercise and Nutrition*.



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