

WDE 360°

*Autumn 2007 Brings a New
OSU President, New
Students, New Faculty, and
a Brand New Building!*

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WDE faculty offices and facilities are now located on the north and west sides of the 4th floor of the new PAES building, shown above. In addition to WDE faculty, you will also find classrooms, conference rooms, a kitchenette, a WDE Resource room, and our graduate associates office. We invite all our grad students to stop by, and especially to make use of our new Resource room.

Congratulations WDE Graduates!

Dr. Anne Massaro, Ph.D.

**All Spring and Summer 2007
Masters!**

WDE Calendar of Events

- **Distance Learning 2007
Conference**
Friday, October 12, 2007
8:30 a.m. to Noon
Keynote Speaker:
Dr. Michael Beaudoin
Conference details at:
www.DEHorizons.com
- **WDE Scholars' Brown
Bag**

Friday, October 12, 2007
(Please attend the DL
Conference—see above)

Friday, November 9, 2007
Friday, November 30, 2007
(11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.; PAES
Room A111; speaker to be
announced)
- **DACUM Facilitator
Workshop**
November 12-16 at CETE
**SCID Curriculum
Development Workshop**
November 26-30 at CETE
For information about
DACUM and SCID and to
register, see:
www.dacumohiostate.com

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Profile

Dr. Ruth Dohner

Dr. Dohner is joining the Workforce Development faculty and brings the Family and Consumer Sciences Education Bachelor's and Post-baccalaureate teacher licensure program to ED PAES.

She is an associate professor and coordinator of the Family and Consumer Sciences Education program. Ruth has been in Human Ecology at Ohio State as a teacher educator for 27 years.

She has a Master's degree and doctorate in Family and Consumer Sciences Education from The Pennsylvania State University. Her recent focus at Ohio State has been on preparing effective teachers who focus on research-based practice that leads to student achievement, and strong leaders of families and in the workplace. Her most recent completed project was to develop Ohio Family and Consumer Science secondary program standards with model project-based inquiry units to implement Ohio FCS standards.

Ruth is a leader in Family and Consumer Sciences and Career and Technical Education professional associations. She holds elected office positions, is a peer reviewer for professional journals, established electronic directions for associations and the journals, advised student associations, and been recognized with awards for her service.

New Courses – 2008

914.01 – Data Analysis and Evaluation of Workforce Development Policy (contact Dr. Hawley for information).

914.02 – Distance Education Research Seminar, Monday, 10 a.m. (Please send a memo to Dr. Stein, stein.1@osu.edu, for a description of the seminar and permission to register.

New Faculty – 2007 – 2008

Dr. Jae Koo Shin, Visiting Scholar

Adjuncts: Drs. Connie Wanstreet, Susan Imel, Hilda Glazer, Dawn Snyder, Jim Pinchak, Susan Nell, Mary Jo Reinhard, Joel Rabb, Anne Marie Orr

Graduate Associates – 2007 – 2008

Eddie Fletcher, GTA
Charles Saunders, GTA
Sunok Hwang, GRA



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News... Awards...Achievements... News... Awards...Achievements

Leonard Sarko presented a workshop on “Group Discussion Methodology” at the International Conference of the Correctional Education Association in Atlanta, GA this summer.

Dr. David Stein, Dr. Connie Wanstreet, Dr. Maria Moore, Susan Johnston, Gina Ginn, and Eddie Fletcher made presentations to the Midwest Research to Practice conference at Ball State University

Susan Johnston and Gina Ginn will travel to Gold Coast, Queensland, Australia to present at the International Military Testing Association Conference 2007 in October. The title of their presentation is “Retirement Transition from the Military to the Civilian Workforce: The Perspective of Marine Corps Noncommissioned Officers.”

A proposal and research paper submitted by **Dr. Chris Zirkle and Brad Henry** to the TED/NAITTE Joint Research Symposium of the 2007 annual ACTE Conference has been selected as a finalist for presentation at the conference. **Eddie Fletcher** will be presenting at the ACTE-Research Conference. The ACTE Conference will be held in Las Vegas.

Cindy Nagel, MA, BSN, RNBC, is Nursing Education Coordinator at St. Rita’s Hospital, Lima, OH. Her responsibilities include teaching and coordinating educational programs for medical/surgical and critical care nurses and other healthcare professionals. Cindy was a presenter at the Ohio State University Medical Center “Quest for

Excellence” conference. She is also an adjunct faculty member of Rhodes State College, teaching Anatomy and Physiology.

During Spring 2007, **Bryan Wang** had an internship as an organization development coordinator at a custom forge shop in Cleveland. His responsibilities were to conduct lean manufacturing analysis and provide training sessions to the management team. This project was a combination of HRD and industrial engineering. This project was funded by the Defense Logistics Agency and the Forging Defense Manufacturing Consortium (FDMC) managed by the Advanced Technology Institute. Bryan presented his results at a workshop in June in Mansfield, OH, and will present again at the JobShopLean 2007 Conference, December 11-13.

Carol Wintz, Training Manager—Limited Brands, has been elected to the Board of Central Ohio ASTD in the role of VP, Community Partnerships. In this role, her area and committee are responsible for helping the professional membership to be connected with resources in the WLP (Workforce Learning and Performance) area.

Anyone interested in membership in IVETA (International Vocational Education and Training Association) may contact **Bob Norton** or go to the web site at www.iveta.org. It is an excellent organization to get involved with if you aspire to do any international CTE work. Our next meeting is in Las Vegas on December 12, 2007 where the theme is “Sustainable financing for vocational and technical education.”

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