Welcome New HESA Faculty

The HESA program is happy to announce the appointment of two new faculty members:

Dr. Lori Patton will be joining the HESA faculty as an Associate Professor at IUPUI. Lori is presently a faculty member at the University of Denver and was previously at Iowa State University. Prior to becoming a faculty member, Lori had several professional positions in student affairs. Lori completed her doctorate at IU.

Lucy LePeau will be joining the HESA faculty in the Fall of 2012. Lucy will come to IU Bloomington after completing her doctoral work at the University of Maryland. Prior to her doctoral work she was an Assistant Dean of Students for New Student Programs at the University of North Carolina – Charlotte. Lucy is a 2005 graduate of HESA masters program.

We are very pleased to have Lucy and Lori join the HESA faculty.

-Dr. Vasti Torres

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Congratulations to the elected IUPUI SPA officers!

President: Nathan Ziadie
Vice President: Melissa Perez
Treasurer: Devon Cowherd
Secretary: Katie England
Program Coordinator: Lillian Zamecnik

Insight into HESA Highlights

HESA Highlights is a monthly newsletter distributed to Indiana University’s Higher Education and Student Affairs community members and its affiliates. Through the newsletter, colleagues are able to share exciting news with one another regarding professional development opportunities, funding opportunities, personal achievements, and other interesting news.

If you have personal or professional news to share with HESA Highlights, email Sara Lyness at slyness@indiana.edu.
PERSONAL SUCCESSES

Publications
Natalia Rekhter
Natalia’s paper “Using Social Network Sites for Higher Education Marketing and Recruitment” was accepted for publication by the International Journal of Technology and Educational Marketing.

Presentations
Natalia Rekhter
Natalia was selected and funded by American Councils to present her paper about short-term Study Abroad at the International Conference in Moscow.

John Summerlot
John was invited to serve on a panel at the American Folklore Association Conference. The panel was entitled “Fighting Words: Recent Veterans Tell Their Stories and Folklorists Listen”

Jana Renner, Melanie Marshall, and Ashley Horstmann
Jana, Melanie and Ashley presented their GAP project, Effects of a Perceived High Alcohol Consumption Culture on Student Learning in Residence Halls, at the NASPA Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Prevention and Intervention Conference in Atlanta, GA.

Acknowledgements
Kathy Fisher
Kathy was selected to serve as an ACPA Ambassador by the Standing Committee for Graduate Students and New Professionals. Kathy also wrote an article for USA Today about her transition from corporate to college: http://www.usatodayeducate.com/staging/index.php/career/from-corporate-to-co-ed-transitioning-from-the-real-world-to-grad-school.

Krystie L. Herndon
Krystie was awarded the IU Professional Staff Merit Award: http://homepages.indiana.edu/web/page/normal/20524.html

ACPA Reception
Date/Time: March 26, 2012, 7:00-9:00 p.m.
Location: Galt House Hotel - Sampson

This past year several alumni were recognized for their accomplishments and leadership.

Alumnus, Shaun Harper, will be recognized at NASPA as the recipient of the Robert H. Shaffer Award for Academic Excellence as a Graduate Faculty Member

Alumnus, Levester Johnson, will be recognized as a NASPA Pillar of the Profession at the 2012 conference

Alumnus, Shouping Hu, will be recognized at ACPA as a Senior Scholar

Alumnus, Peter Magolda, will be recognized at ACPA as the recipient of the Contribution to Knowledge award and will be recognized at ACPA as a Senior Scholar Diplomate