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CENTER FOR DOCTORAL STUDIES AND RESEARCH

E-NEWSLETTER



Dear Colleagues,

Greetings from the Center for Doctoral Studies and Research, which focuses on events, opportunities, and celebration of scholarly and creative activities to promote research, networking, collaboration, and professional development between DYU faculty, staff, and students. This issue covers activities accomplished in January and February 2024. Please use the form under Reference Documents to submit your accomplishments and activities in future months.



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UPCOMING EVENTS

March 21 (4pm, Thursday): **Thursday Thirst for Knowledge Series:** Dr. Gina Camodeca and Erin Klass
“National Endowment for Humanities Connections and Initiatives Grants for the Health Humanities program.”

March 28 (4pm, Thursday): **Thursday Thirst for Knowledge Series:** Dr. Elyse Purcell, author of the book
“Engineering Perfection: Solidarity, Disability, and Well-Being.”

April 4 (4pm, Thursday): **Thursday Thirst for Knowledge Series:** Dr. David Castro-Blanco *“Countering misinformation, disinformation and malformation”*. (rescheduled from February 22)

April 16 (5:30-7pm, Tuesday): **Scholarly Activity Celebration Dinner:** Invitation only dinner for those who published an article or book, received a grant, or received a President’s Excellence Award.

April 17 (3:30-7:30pm, Wednesday): **DYU Annual Research Day**

April 25 (4pm, Thursday): **Thursday Thirst for Knowledge Series:** Dr. Karen Craik and Brittany Bolden
“HEALTHeLINK Data Dashboard.”

UPDATES/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Submit your abstract to present at Research Day on April 17: [Abstract Submission form](#) deadline is March 22. [Upload your finished posters at this site at the latest](#) a day before research day, April 16.

Please use the [Scholarly Activity Submission Form](#) to submit your scholarly activities to be published in the next newsletter.

Need Research Funds? [Apply](#) to the Faculty Senate for Research Funding.

[Research Inventory](#) is available to encourage collaborations for research, grant writing, and media inquiries. If you would like to be listed in the Research Inventory, complete the [survey about your research](#).

Would you like to give a talk for a 2024-2025 academic year Thursday Thirst for Knowledge?
Send an email to cdsr@dyc.edu.

D'YU Want to Write? Join a Writing Accountability Work Group: [Sign Up](#)

Looking for a conference on Teaching and Learning, [Check ITI Website](#).

If you have updates or announcements regarding your schools/programs scholarly and creative activities (upcoming talks, presentations, etc.) to be shared with the DYU community via our newsletter, send details to cdsr@dyc.edu.

GRANTS

Spink-Formanski, T. (PI), awarded by The New York State Education Department (NYSED) for *“Recruit, retain and graduate students who, at their entry, are academically under prepared and economically disadvantaged.”* (\$4,054,094).

Spink-Formanski, T. (PI), awarded by The New York State Education Department (NYSED) for *“Support an orphan, foster child, or ward of the court who is an enrolled student at an institution of higher education.”* (\$14,219).

Boateng, H. (PI), awarded by The New York State Education Department (NYSED) for *“Enhancing Supports & Services for Students with Disabilities for Postsecondary Success”* (\$10,380).

Mallison, K. (PI), awarded by M&T Charitable Foundation for *“Supporting Kavinoky Theater”* (\$10,000).

For Grants, Articles, Books and Book Chapters, Conference and Art Presentations, Scholarly and Creative Program Leadership, DYU Faculty/Staff are bolded DYU students are underlined.

ARTICLES

Salah, M., **Mitchell, A.**, Violanti, J. "*Importance of Being Aware of Postpartum Depression: Mini Review*". [Nursing & Primary Care](#) 7(4) 1-4, 2023.

McGraw, J. J., Goldsmith, R. S., & Cromwell, H. C. "*Altered reward sensitivity to sucrose outcomes prior to drug exposure in alcohol-preferring rats*". [Pharmacology, Biochemistry and Behavior](#), Vol. 237, February, 2024.

Orish VN, Lokpo SY, Kwadzokpui PK, Safianu R, Marinkovic A, Prakash S, Okorie C, Izurieta R, Pandit R, **Sanyaolu A.** "*Association between asymptomatic Plasmodium falciparum malaria infection, anaemia and mean corpuscular volume of school children in the Volta Region of Ghana.*" [European Journal of Microbiology and Immunology](#), February 2024.

Hammoudi, D., Cratsley, D., Desjardins, D., Steau, D., Benayache, I., Hammoudi, D., Pandit R., and **Sanyaolu, A.** "*Effect of Caffeine, Gender, and Time of Day on Working Memory in Medical Students*", [Biomedical Journal of Scientific and Technical Research](#), Vol 55 (1).

Jorgense, A., Varghese, A., **Mitchell, A.** "*Is Nursing Satisfaction influenced by Having regular break time?*" [Nursing & Primary Care](#) 7(2) 1-11, 2023.

Davie, J. "*Leptospirosis*", [AccessScience](#), McGraw-Hill, Dec. 2023.

Davie, J. "*Organism*", [AccessScience](#), McGraw-Hill, Dec. 2023.

Davie, J. "*Rickettsioses*", [AccessScience](#), McGraw-Hill, Jan. 2024.

Davie, J. "*Rubella*", [AccessScience](#), McGraw-Hill, Feb. 2024.

Nyima, T., Rafteseth, S., Gardner, G., **Mitchell, A.** "*Disposable Bouffant Caps vs Cloth Surgical Caps.*" [Surgical Research](#) 6 (1) 1-9, 2024.

Ebbets, R. "*The Yin and Yang of Running*", HMRRC PaceSetter Magazine, March 2024.

Ebbets, R. "*Why do you Run?*", HMRRC PaceSetter Magazine, January 2024.

Johnson S, Solbu A, **Cadzow R**, Feeley TH, Keller M, Kayler LK. Preliminary Evaluation of 2 Patient-Centered Educational Animations About Kidney Transplant Complications. [Annals of Transplant](#). January 2024.

CONFERENCE AND ART PRESENTATIONS

Mitchell, A., McCrory-Churchill, S. *“Exploring and Responding to Increasing Burnout Among Higher Education Nursing Faculty in the United States.”* World Congress of Education, Sapporo, Japan, 2023.

Den Haese, J. *“An Update on Spawning, Growth, and Survival of Fry from the Armored Catfish Family: Loricariidae, from the Den Haese Fish Research and Conservation Lab at D’Youville University.”* Bucks County Aquarium Society Meeting, PA, February, 2024.

Den Haese, J. *“Lessons Learned Setting up my Fish Research and Conservation Lab at D’Youville University Including an Update on Spawning, Growth, and Survival of Fry from the Armored Catfish Family: Loricariidae.”* Central New York Aquarium Society Meeting, Syracuse, NY, March, 2024.

Hernandez, H. *“AI in Higher Education: Trends and 2024 Outlook”.* Fundación Universitaria Konrad Lorenz and D’Youville University on February 29th.

Walter, T., Abbot, P., Walawader, C. *“Training Program for SUD Paraprofessionals: Challenges and Lessons Learned”*, Eastern Psychological Association, March, 2024.

Russel H., Wozniak A. *“Social Determinants of Health That Impact Access to Mental Health Medications”*, APhA Annual Meeting and Exposition; Orlando, FL, March, 2024.

Sanyaolu, A. *“Medically Important Yeasts: A Guide for Budding Mycologists”* American Society for Microbiology, February, 2024.

Dudek, E., Edwards, S. *“Cultura y (Ataque de) Corazón: A Training for Health Professionals Needing Medical Interpretation Services”*, National Symposium on Spanish as a Heritage Language, San Antonio, TX, February, 2024.

Dudek, E., Pinta, J. *“The Influence of Guarani on Gender Agreement in Paraguayan and Correntino Spanish: A Contrastive Analysis. Conference Presentation”*, Linguistics Society of America Annual Meeting, New York City, NY January, 2024.

BOOKS

Shannon McCrory-Churchill “Chapter 17: Emotional Intelligence” in Transformational Leadership Styles for Global Leaders: Management and Communication Strategies by Ed. Darcia Roache, GI Publishing, 2023.

AWARDS, ACCOMPLISHMENTS, AND LEADERSHIP

Adekunle Sanyaolu selected as reviewer for British Medical Journal Open and British Medical Journal Case Reports.

Shoshana Zucker is a finalist in Nucleate, a student-led organization that represents the largest global community of bio-innovators.

Humberto Hernandez received Future Leaders Scholarship by the American Association of Colleges and Universities (AAC&U).

Jim Sherwood and Todd Walter gave a webinar to 150 school teachers how to assess and manage trauma in Ukranian school-aged children impacted by war.

REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

[Research Funds Application Form](#)

[VPAA Initiative for Research and Scholarly Activity Funding Opportunities](#)

[Visiting Scholar Guidelines](#)

[DYU Research Inventory](#)

[DYU Research Magazine](#)

[DYU Scholarly Activity Submission Form](#)

[President’s Excellence Awards Guidelines](#)



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