



# DYUVILLE

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Dear Colleagues,

Greetings from the Office of Research and Sponsorship Programs and Center for Doctoral Studies and Research, which focus 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 2025.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Research Funding Application: Application deadline for Spring round is Third Monday of February. Application form is available under reference documents of the newsletter.

*D'YU Want to Write?* Join a Writing Accountability Work Group: Email [dudeke@dyu.edu](mailto:dudeke@dyu.edu).

*Would you like to give a Zoom talk to educate campus faculty, staff, and students on any topic,* please send an email to [cdsr@dyu.edu](mailto:cdsr@dyu.edu).

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

Research Funding available for topics related to Women's Sports, Gender Equity in Sports, and Health-Related Research on the benefits of Exercise and Physical Activity, available by Center for Research on Physical Activity, Sport & Health which is created by Don Sabo, Ph.D. professor Emeritus at D'Youville University and endowed in 2002 by a generous gift from Deborah S. Larkin. Please send an email to Dr. Damkaci with your proposal.

## GRANTS

**Margie McCarthy** was awarded by New York State Office of Mental Health for *"the Mental Health Counseling Student Project for Evidence-Based Practice"* (\$36,000).

*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

**David Broder**, David Garza, “Setting, noise have little impact on accuracy of BP measurement”, [Healio online](#), January 2025

**Lauren Tollefson**, Guido, Olivia (S), Hoy, Joshua (S), “[Weber-B Lateral Malleolus Fracture: An Imaging Case Review](#)”, Journal of the Canadian Chiropractic Association, February 2025.

**Md Gias Uddin**, “DNA Nanomaterials in Targeted Drug Delivery: Prospects and Challenges”, [AAPS News Magazine](#), February 2025.

**Megan Whelan**, Theresa B. O’Reilly, Amy J. Nwora, Mary-Pat Maciolek, “Use of Simulation in Dietetic Internships: A Qualitative Exploration of Program Director Attitudes and Motivations”, [Journal of Dietetic Education](#), January 2025

**Rachel Ersing**, Nicholas Dopp (S), Peter Emary, “Manipulation, soft-tissue therapy, or no treatment for tension-type headache? An illustrative evidence-based case report.”, [Journal of Contemporary Chiropractic](#), January 2025.

## PODCASTS

Kai Phanthalath (guest), **Humberto Hernandez (host)**: [Episode 35: AI-Driven IT Support: Account Management and User Satisfaction in Higher Education](#), February 2025.

**Humberto Hernandez (host)**, Susan Arnold (guest): [Episode 36: AI in Nursing Education: Enhancing Learning, Teaching, and Clinical Readiness](#), February 2025.

**Craig Tyson**, “The Kingdom of Judah and the Kingdom of Israel.”, [Talks with Stefan Branisavljevic](#)  
Recorded from Amman, Jordan, February 2025

## CONFERENCE AND ART PRESENTATIONS

**Artem Pliss**, “Smart Photodynamic Therapy for Acne by Reversibly Switchable Intersystem Crossing in Pure Organic Materials”, [Drug R&D 2025](#), Boston, MA, February 2025.

**Clara Voorhees**, “Inspector Biologist: What to do when teaching Introduction to Biology means identifying AI and how to make changes to curriculum that leads to more authentic student work”, [AAC&U PKAL Massachusetts Regional Meeting](#), Worcester (Worcester) Polytechnic Institute, MA.

**David Stewart**, “Will Students and Campuses Gain from Gainful Employment?” [Association for General & Liberal Studies](#), Portland, OR, January 2025

**Eli Finnegan**, “Medea”, World Cinema Carnival, Venice, Italy, January 2025.

**Eli Finnegan**, “Strong A.I. and Strange Bedfellows”, Symposium: The Humanities in the A.I. Future, Washington University Humanities Institute. St. Louis, MO, February 2025.

**Elizabeth Herring Dudek**, “Leveraging VR and AI for Immersive Spanish Learning”, CCTL Conference, Niagara Falls, NY, January 2025

**Gina Camodeca**, “The Nature of Suffering v Pain”, Creighton University Medical School, Phoenix, AZ, February 2025.

**Humberto Hernandez**, “Strengthening Academic Integrity: Strategies for Detecting AI-Generated Content”, [Niagara University](#), Niagara Falls, NY, January 2025.

**Humberto Hernandez**, “Utilizing Universal Design and Culturally Sustaining Pedagogies to Enhance Inclusivity and Retention in Higher Education”, [Canadian Association of College & University Student Services \(CACUSS\)](#), Toronto, ON, February 2025.

## CONFERENCE AND ART PRESENTATIONS

**Jeffrey Rabey**, “Long-Range Enrollment Projections for the Depew Union Free School District”, Depew School-Community, Depew, NY, January 2025.

**Jeffrey Rabey**, “Education in a Democracy: Broadening Professional Perspectives”, Erie 1 BOCES, West Seneca, NY, January 2025.

**Martin Kelly**, “Learning Through Discussion - we can teach new dogs old tricks!”, [Niagara University](#), Lewiston, NY, January 2025.

**Eli Finnegan**, “Strong A.I. and Strange Bedfellows”, Symposium: The Humanities in the A.I. Future, Washington University Humanities Institute. St. Louis, MO, February 2025.

**Md Gias Uddin**, “DNA Nanostructure in Drug Delivery”, [University of Dhaka](#), Bangladesh, February 2025.

**Stacie Lampkin**, “How to Support Adolescents and Young Adults (youth) as they Transition from Pediatric to Adult Health Care”, [PAWNY/WNYSH - Virtual Transitions of Care CE Event](#), Buffalo, NY, January, 2025.

## SERVICE

**Craig Tyson** served as a Construction Volunteer for [Habitat for Humanity](#) in Buffalo, NY, January 2025.

**David Broder** participated at the [AOA Annual Mid-Year Board meeting](#) in Laguna Beach, California.



## AWARDS, ACCOMPLISHMENTS, AND LEADERSHIP

**Abigail Mitchell** was awarded Outstanding Contribution and Active Involvement by the Journal of Quality in Health Care & Economics.

**Danielle Nesselbush** was selected to serve on the 2026 [National Conference Committee](#) for NASPA in Kansas City, MO.

**Eli Finnegan** earned first place for Cinematography in a Short Film at the Gravitational Lensing Film Festival, Los Angeles, CA, February 2025.

## REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

[Research Funding Application Form](#)

[Research Funding Final Report Form](#)

[Professional Development Funding Request Form](#)

[Professional Development Report Submission](#)

[VPAA Initiative for Research Funding Opportunities](#)

[Visiting Scholar Guidelines](#)

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