

## CURRICULUM VITAE

**LAURA J. BURTON**

### EDUCATION

**University of Connecticut**

Doctorate of Philosophy, May, 2002

*Sport Management*

*Cognate Areas: Management, Methods & Statistics*

Dissertation: Talent Development in United States Female Olympians: A Phenomenological Approach

**Illinois State University**

Master of Science, December, 1995

*Physical Education concentration in Athletic Training*

Certified Athletic Trainer, April, 1995

**Fairfield University**

Bachelor of Science, May, 1992

*Biology*

### ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT

Assistant Professor

Department of Kinesiology

Aug. 2004 – Present

NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY

Assistant Professor

Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management

Aug. 2002 – May 2004

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT

Graduate Student Research Assistant, Women in Sport Research Group

Department of Kinesiology

June 2000 – May 2002

Graduate Student Research Assistant

NEAG Center for Gifted Education and Talent Development

May 2001 - Aug. 2001

Graduate Student Research Assistant, Laboratory for Leisure, Tourism & Sport

Department of Kinesiology

Sept. 1998 – May 2000

CONNECTICUT DISTANCE LEARNING CONSORTIUM

CHARTER OAK STATE COLLEGE

Research Assistant, Department of Institutional Research

May 2001 – July 2002

REEBOK INTERNATIONAL Ltd.

Market Research Department

June 2000 – Aug. 2000

MOUNT SAINT MARY COLLEGE  
Athletic Trainer  
Senior Woman Administrator

Jan. 1996 – June 1998  
Jan. 1996 – June 1998

## **GRANTS**

### External - Peer Reviewed

#### *Funded:*

Burton, L.J. North American Society for Sport Management. "Understanding the Role of Athletic Participation in Managerial Career Progression: An Evaluation through the Lens of Role Congruity Theory"  
June 2009 – June 2010 (\$1,000.00)

Baker, S. and **Burton, L.J.** Mount Saint Mary College Alcohol Awareness Program.  
National Collegiate Athletic Association CHOICES Institutional Alcohol Awareness Program  
Sept. 1997 - May 1998 (\$10,000.00)

#### *Not funded:*

VanHeest, J.L., Reis, S., and **Burton, L.J.** Development of Talent in Female Olympians  
Women's Sports Foundation  
July 2001 - May 2002 (\$1,500.00)

VanHeest, J.L., Bell, C.B., Burton, L.J., Kulikowich, J., Rowland, T., & Volpe, S.  
"Influence of a Physical Activity Club on Obesity Risk in Children"  
National Institute of Health  
February, 2005.

### External – Non-Peer Reviewed

#### *Funded:*

**Burton, L.J.**, Michaels, G. and Wherley, S. "Ticketing Feasibility Study for Justarrive, Inc".  
Sport Market One, LLC.  
Co-Primary Investigator, Data Analysis  
July 2000 - Sept. 2000 (\$5,000.00)

### Internal - Peer Reviewed

#### *Funded:*

**Burton, L.J.** "Examining Hiring Preferences and Evaluation of Managerial Subroles by Managers in Sport Organizations"  
University of Connecticut, Small Faculty Grant  
September 2006 (\$1,000.00)

**Burton, L.J.** "Factors Contributing to Talent Development in Elite Female Intercollegiate Athletes"  
University of Connecticut, Small Faculty Grant  
April 2005 (\$1,000.00)

**Burton, L.J.** and VanHeest, J.L. "Assessing the Impacts of a School Based Physical Activity Intervention Program (Paw PALS) on Physiological and Psychosocial Measures in Obese Children"  
University of Connecticut, Large Faculty Grant  
January 2005 (\$21,366.00)

**Burton, L.J.** "Coaching high school athletes in Connecticut: Evaluation of a Psychosocial Coach Training Program"

University of Connecticut, Large Faculty Grant  
February 2007 (\$22,000.00)

**Burton, L.J.**

NEAG School of Education, University of Connecticut  
New Faculty Grant  
November 2004 (\$10,000.00)

**Burton, L.J.** "Analysis of Talent Development in Elite Female Track and Field Athletes"

North Carolina State University, Faculty Research and Professional Development Fund  
January 2004 (\$8,000)

Research – Non-Funded

VanHeest, J.L. and **Burton, L.J.** "Talent Development in US Female Olympians"

University of Connecticut, Small Grant Funding  
October 2001 - May 2002 (\$1,000.00)

*Not Funded:*

Kanters, M. and **Burton, L.J.** "Program Development for PGA First Tee Program"

North Carolina State University, College of Natural Resources Diversity Initiative Proposal  
October 2002 (\$10,000)

**Burton, L.J.** "Developing an Online Component to PRTM 266, Introduction to Sport Management"

North Carolina State University, DELTA IDEA Small Grant  
January 2003 (\$1,500)

**Burton, L.J.** "Expanding an Initial Model of Talent Development in Elite Female Athletes: Exploring the Experiences Elite Female Athletes in the United States, Norway and Canada"

North Carolina State University, Faculty Research and Professional Development Fund  
March 2003 (\$6,000)

*North Carolina State University*

**Burton, L.J.** "Market Research Project: Fan Satisfaction with The Charlotte Sting WNBA Franchise"

Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management  
Primary Investigator  
Aug. 2003 – Aug. 2004

*University of Connecticut*

VanHeest, J.L., Reis, S.M., **Burton, L.J.** and Schader, R.M. "Talent Development in Female Olympians: A Multi-Disciplinary Project".

The NEAG Center for Gifted Education and Talent Development and the Department of Kinesiology  
Co-Primary Investigator  
Sept. 1999 - Present

O'Connell, A., **Burton, L.J.**, and Fabish, P. "Project for the Department of Public Health of the State of Connecticut. Evaluation of the HIV Evaluation Bank"

Department of Educational Psychology and Department of Kinesiology  
Project Leader, Data Collection  
March 2000 - May 2000

Yiannakis, A., Murdy, J., **Burton, L.J.**, and Cho, S. "Study of the Impact of Sports on Residents of the State of Connecticut".

Laboratory for Leisure, Tourism & Sport in the Department of Kinesiology

Co-Primary Investigator, Data Collection

Jan. 1999 - May 1999

Yiannakis, A., Servedio, W., Murdy, J., **Burton, L.J.**, and Michael, G. "Town of Windham Recreational Services Needs Assessment".

Laboratory for Leisure, Tourism & Sport in the Department of Kinesiology

Data Collection

Oct. 1999 – Dec. 1999

*Connecticut Distance Learning Consortium*

**Burton, L.J.** and Goldsmith, D. "Electronic Focus Group Analysis: How do students learn online?"

Co-Primary Investigator

Aug. 2001 – July 2002

## PRESENTATIONS

1. **Burton, L.J.** "Factors regarding adherence to a rehabilitation program among athletes in an intercollegiate setting versus an outpatient sports medicine clinic setting." Illinois State University, Graduate Research Symposium. April, 1995.
2. **Burton, L.J.**, VanHeest, J.L., and Reis, S.M. "Talent Development in US Female Olympians." North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, Annual Conference 2001. San Antonio, Texas, November 2001.
3. **Burton, L.J.** and Goldsmith, D. "The Medium is the Message:" Using Online Focus Groups to Study Online Learning." Association for Institutional Researchers, Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada, June 2002.
4. **Burton, L.J.** "Students' Experiences in Online Courses: An Online Focus Evaluation." NC State's 7th annual EDTECH Conference, September, 2002.
5. **Burton, L.J.**, and VanHeest, J.L. "The Lived Experience of US Female Olympians: Using Van Manen's Phenomenology to Examine the Development of Talent in US Female Olympians." North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, Annual Conference. Indianapolis, Indiana, November 2002.
6. **Burton, L.J.**, Bruening, J.E. "Methodology and Technology Intersect in the On-Line Focus Group." North American Society for Sport Management, Annual Conference, Ithaca, New York, June 2003. Submitted November, 2002. Not accepted.
7. Frans, K, Kanters, M. & **Burton, L.J.**, "In What Ways Does a Winning Intercollegiate Athletic Program Make Positive Contributions to the University." North American Society for Sport Management, Annual Conference, Ithaca, New York, May 2003.
8. **Burton, L.J.**, Rallis, S., Reis, S. & VanHeest, J. "Talent Development in Female Olympians: A Phenomenological Approach." University of Connecticut NEAG School of Education Research Symposium. April, 2003.
9. **Burton, L.J.**, VanHeest, J.L. "A Gym of One's Own: The Importance of Sport Space in Talent Development for US Female Olympians." Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, Annual Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana, April 2004.

10. **Burton, L.J.**, Gore, D.H. "Identification as a Sport Fan: Analysis of Sport Fandom in Season Ticket Holders of a WNBA Team." North American Society for Sport Management, Annual Conference, Atlanta, Georgia, June 2004.
11. **Burton, L.J.** "Assessing Factors Significant in Female Athlete Talent Development: Instrument Development and Utilization With Elite Female Track and Field Athletes." Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, Annual Conference, Chicago, Illinois, April 2005.
12. Smith, M.Z., **Burton, L.J.** "Parental Influence on the Physical Activity Behavior of Children of Various Ethnic Backgrounds." Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, Annual Conference, Chicago, Illinois, April 2005.
13. **Burton, L.J.**, Gillespie, K. "A Comparative Content Analysis of Commercials Aired during the 1997 and 2003 Men's and Women's NCAA Basketball Championship Games." North American Society for Sport Management, Annual Conference, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, June 2005.
14. **Burton, L.J.** "Understanding Talent Development in Female Athletes: Survey Development Using a Sample of Female Division I Athletes in Team and Individual Sports." Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, Presented at Research Consortium Social: Research Consortium Grant Findings and Top-Rated Posters, Annual Conference, Salt Lake City, Nevada, April 2006.
15. **Burton, L.J.**, Grappendorf, H., Field, G., & Lilienthal, S. "Does Athletic Participation Matter for Women?: Examining Hiring Preferences to Entry-level Management Positions Using Role Congruity Theory." North American Society for Sport Management. Kansas City, Missouri, June 2006.
16. **Burton, L.J.**, VanHeest, J.L. "Children need to play: The role of physical activity in closing the achievement gap." Closing the Achievement Gap Conference. NEAG School of Education, University of Connecticut, June, 2006.
17. **Burton, L.J.** "Factors Important in Athletic Talent Development for Female Intercollegiate Athletes: Scale Development and Initial Validation". Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance. Baltimore, Maryland, March 2007.
18. Grappendorf, H., **Burton, L.J.**, & Henderson, A. "Salary Recommendations for Athletes vs. Non-Athletes Utilizing Role Congruity Theory." Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance. Baltimore, Maryland, March 2007.
19. **Burton, L.J.**, Grappendorf, H., Henderson, A., & Dennis, J. "Does Women's Athletic Participation Influence Hiring Preferences and Salary Offers?" Women Rock: Academic and Legal Conference in Celebration of 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Title IX. Cleveland, Ohio, March 2007.
20. Bruening, J. E., **Burton, L.J.**, Lilienthal, S., Dixon, M., & Lyras, A. "Social Responsibility in Sport Management." North American Society for Sport Management. Fort Lauderdale, Florida, June 2007.
21. **Burton, L.J.**, Grappendorf, H., & Henderson, A. "Women's athletic participation: Does it make a difference to managers hiring for entry-level sport management positions?" North American Society for Sport Management. Fort Lauderdale, Florida, June 2007.
22. VanHeest, J.L., **Burton, L.J.**, & Hagan, E.M. "Lessons for a Before-School Physical Activity Program for Children: Challenges, Changes, & Cheers. Eastern District Association, AAHPERD Meeting, February, 2008.

23. **Burton, L.J.** & Parker, H. "Evaluation of Managerial Subroles for Sport Management Positions" Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, Fort Worth, Texas, April, 2008.
24. Grappendorf, H., Bowers, G.L., Hums, M., Lilienthal, S., & **Burton, L.J.** "Finally...Some Attention! Women as Leaders in Sport," National Association for Girls and Women in Sport, AAHPERD, Fort Worth, TX April, 2008.
25. Grappendorf, H., Henderson, A., & **Burton, L.J.** "Feeling the backlash in hiring: When female athletes break traditional gender norms," North American Society of Sport Management, Toronto, Canada, May, 2008.
26. **Burton, L.J.** "Men are athletic directors, women are life skills coordinators: examination of the gender typing of managerial roles within athletic administration positions." North American Society of Sport Management, Toronto, Canada, May, 2008.
27. **Burton, L.J.** & Grappendorf, H. "Evaluation of Social Roles Questionnaire Using Sport Management Students". Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, Tampa, Florida, April, 2009.
28. Bower, G. G., Grappendorf, H., DiBrezio, R., **Burton, L.J.**, Baker, A. "Mentoring: The Essential Connection to Advance Women within Leadership Positions in Sport and Physical Activity." Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, Tampa, Florida, April, 2009.
27. **Burton, L.J.** & Welty Peachey, J. "Transactional or transformational? Leadership preferences of Division III athletic administrators. North American Society of Sport Management, Columbia, South Carolina, May, 2009.
28. Fink, J.S., **Burton, L.J.**, & Borland, J.F. "The Effects of Gender, Race, and Role Congruity on Perceptions of Quality of Job Applicant." North American Society of Sport Management, Columbia, South Carolina, May, 2009.

## PUBLICATIONS

### Conference Proceedings / Abstracts:

1. **Burton, L.J.** & Goldsmith, D.J. (2002) "The Medium is the Message": Using Online Focus Groups to Study Online Learning. 2002 AIR Forum Papers Collection.
2. **Burton, L.J.** & VanHeest, J.L. (2004) A Gym of One's Own: The Importance of Sport Space in Talent Development for US Female Olympians. *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 75(1).
3. **Burton, L.J.** (2005) Assessing Factors Significant in Female Athlete Talent Development: Instrument Development and Utilization With Elite Female Track and Field Athletes. *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 76(1).
4. **Burton, L.J.** (2006) "Understanding Talent Development in Female Athletes: Survey Development Using a Sample of Female Division I Athletes in Team and Individual Sports. *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 77(1).
5. Grappendorf, H., **Burton, L.J.**, & Henderson, A. "Salary Recommendations for Athletes vs. Non-Athletes Utilizing Role Congruity Theory." *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 78(1).
6. **Burton, L.J.** "Factors Important in Athletic Talent Development for Female Intercollegiate Athletes: Scale Development and Initial Validation." *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 78(1) supplement.

7. **Burton, L.J.** & Parker, H. "Evaluation of Managerial Subroles for Sport Management Positions". *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 79(1) supplement.

8. **Burton, L.J.** & Grappendorf, H. "Evaluation of Social Roles Questionnaire Using Sport Management Students". *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 80(1) supplement.

#### **Manuscripts:**

1. **Burton, L.J.**, Bruening, J.E. (2003). "Methodology and Technology Intersect in the On-Line Focus Group." *Quest*, 55(4).

2. **Burton, L.J.**, VanHeest, J.V., Rallis, S.F. & Reis, S.M. (2006) "Going for Gold: Understanding Talent Development Through the Lived Experiences of US Female Olympians." *Journal of Adult Development*, 13, 124-136. Published online January 3, 2008.

3. **Burton, L.J.**, & VanHeest, J.L. (2007). "The Role of Physical Activity in Closing the Achievement Gap." *Quest*, 59(2), 212-218.

4. **Burton, L.J.**, Grappendorf, H., Henderson, A., Field, G.B., & Dennis, J.A. (2008). "The relevance of athletic participation for women: Examining hiring preferences to entry-level management positions using role congruity theory." *International Journal of Sport Management*, 9, 175-192.

5. Fink, J.S., **Burton, L.J.**, & Bruening, J.E. (2008). "Diversity Training in a Sport Management Class: The Effects of Different Frames on Students' Attitudes- Toward Organizational Diversity." *International Journal of Sport Management and Marketing*, 4, 185-203.

6. Grappendorf, H., **Burton, L.J.**, & Henderson, A. (2008). "Does Athletic Participation Provide an Advantage with Initial Salary Recommendations? Utilizing a Role Congruity Theory Approach." *Applied Research in Coaching and Athletics Annual*, 23, 147-174.

7. Mazerolle, S., Bruening, J., Casa, D. & **Burton, L.J.** (2008). "Work-Family Conflict Part II: The Impact on Job and Life Satisfaction in Division I-A Athletic Trainers." *Journal of Athletic Training*, 43(5), 513-522.

8. Gianetti, G., **Burton, L.J.**, Donovan, R., Allen, G. & Pescatello, L.S. (2008). "Physiologic and Psychological Responses of an Athlete Cycling 100+ Miles Daily for 50 Consecutive Days." *Current Sports Medicine Reports*, 7(6), 343-347.

9. Grappendorf, H., Pent, A., **Burton, L.J.**, & Henderson, A. (2008). "Gender Role Stereotyping? A Qualitative Analysis of Senior Woman Administrators' Perceptions Regarding Financial Decision Making." *Journal of Issues in Intercollegiate Athletics*, 1, 26-45.

10. **Burton, L.J.**, & Hagan, E.M. (2009). "Examination of Job Description in Intercollegiate Athletic Administration: Application of Gender Typing of Managerial Subroles." *The Sport Management and Related Topics Journal*, 5(1) 84-95.

11. Bruening, J.E., Borland, J.F., & **Burton, L.J.** (2009) "The Impact of Influential Others on the Sport Participation Patterns of African-American Female Student-Athletes." *Journal for the Study of Sports and Athletes in Education*, 2(3), 379-417.

12. Henderson, A.C., Grappendorf, H. & **Burton, L.J.** (2009) "Investigating Attractiveness in the Hiring Process of Female Athletes." *Gender in Management: An International Journal*, 24,156-177.

13. **Burton, L.J.**, Barr, C., Fink, J.S., & Bruening, J.E. "Think Athletic Director, Think Masculine?": Examination of the Gender Typing of Managerial Subroles within Athletic Administration Positions" *Sex Roles*, accepted to be published in 2009.

#### **Book Chapters:**

1. Lilienthal, S., Grappendorf, H. & **Burton, L.J.** Women in sport management academia. In Hums, M. A., Bower, G. G., & Grappendorf, H. (Eds.), *Women as Leaders in Sport: Impact and Influence*. 2007. ISBN #978-0-88314-821-1

2. Grappendorf, S., & **Burton, L.J.** Career strategies for women in sport management. In Hums, M. A., Bower, G. G., & Grappendorf, H. (Eds.), *Women as Leaders in Sport: Impact and Influence*. 2007. ISBN #978-0-88314-821-1

#### **Online:**

1. **Burton, L.J.**, Goldsmith, D. A Methodological Approach to Electronic Focus Groups in Analysis of Online Learning. <http://www.ctdlc.org/Evaluation/index.html>.

#### **Manuscripts in Review:**

1. **Burton, L.J.**, & Parker, H.M. Gender typing in Management: Evaluation of Managerial Subroles for Sport Management Positions. Submitted to *International Journal of Sport Management and Marketing*. Submitted February, 2008. Revisions submitted, April, 2009.

2. **Burton, L.J.**, & Mazerolle, S.M. "Instrument Development: How to Develop a Valid Instrument in Athletic Training". Submitted to *Athletic Training Education Journal*, Submitted December, 2008. Revisions submitted April, 2009.

3. Mazerolle, S., Scruggs, I., Casa, D., **Burton, L.**, McDermott, B., Armstrong, L., & Maresh, C. "Current Attitudes and Practices of Certified Athletic Trainers Regarding Recognition and Treatment of Exertional Heat Stroke". Submitted to the *Journal of Athletic Training*, Feb. 2009. Revisions in progress.

4. O'Connor, C., **Burton, L.J.**, Grappendorf, H., Harmon, S. M., Henderson, A., & Peel, J. "Division I Football Players' Perceptions of Females in the Athletic Training Room: Utilizing a Role Congruity Framework". Submitted to the *Journal of Athletic Training*, Feb. 2009. Revisions in progress.

5. **Burton, L.J.**, Grappendorf, H., & Henderson, A., Perceptions of Gender in Athletic Administration: Utilizing Role Congruity to Examine (Potential) Prejudice Against Women. Submitted to the *Journal of Sport Management*, March, 2009. Revisions in progress.

6. **Burton, L.J.** & Welty Peachey, J. Transactional or transformational? Leadership preferences of Division III athletic administrators. Submitted to *Journal of Intercollegiate Sport*. July, 2009.

#### **Invited Journal Editorials:**

1. **Burton, L.J.** (2008). Rethinking a Commitment to Olympic Sports for Girls. *Journal of Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance*. November/December.

## TEACHING

University of Connecticut, Assistant Professor

Undergraduate

EKIN 3310 Introduction to Sport Management (major required)  
EKIN 3351 Issues in Sport (elective)  
EKIN 3320 Introduction to Sport and Exercise Psychology (major required)  
EKIN 3325 Sport Facility and Event Management (major required)

Graduate

EKIN 5300 Management of Sport and Leisure Services (major required)  
EKIN 5340 Facility and Event Management (major)  
EKIN 6315 Current Research in Sport Management (major, co-taught)

North Carolina State University, Assistant Professor

Undergraduate

PRT 152 Introduction to Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management (major required)  
PRT 266 Introduction to Sport Management (concentration required)  
PRT 475 Recreation and Park Internship (major required)

Graduate

PRT 510 Theories of Sport and Fitness Management (major elective)  
PER 810B Doctoral Seminar (co-taught)

University of Connecticut, Graduate Student Teaching Assistant

Undergraduate

EKIN 236 Sport and Society (major required)  
EKIN 283 Sociology of Leisure (major required)  
EKIN 160 Lifetime Learning Sports Program – Basketball (activity class)

Graduate

EKIN 308 Sport and Leisure Management (major required)

Mount Saint Mary College, Staff Instructor

Undergraduate

Care and Prevention of Athletic Injuries (elective)  
The Freshman Experience (required)

## SERVICE

### University Service

#### University of Connecticut

Neag School of Education, School-wide Assessment Committee Member	January 2007 – Present
Teachers for a New Era	Sept 2006 – May 2008
Neag School of Education, Department of Kinesiology	August 2004 – Present
Undergraduate Admissions Committee Member	
Search committee, Athletic Training Faculty position	Jan 2006 – July 2006
Search committee, co-chair, Sport Management Faculty position	Nov.2006 – Dec. 2006
Search committee, Sport Management Faculty position,	March 2007
Faculty Advisor, Sport Business Club	Sept. 2007 – Present

#### North Carolina State University

Undergraduate and Graduate Student Advisor	August 2002 – May 2004
Honors undergraduate advisor, Melissa Bernhardt	Aug. 2003 – May 2004
Park Scholar advisor, Georgia Davis	Jan. 2003 – May 2004
Bridges Program, Faculty Mentor	January 2003 – Present
NCAA Men's Basketball Championship, Host Committee Member	January – March 2004

#### University of Connecticut

NEAG School of Education, Department of Kinesiology	May 2001
Member of the search committee for sport management faculty position	
NEAG School of Education, Graduate Student Association	April 2001-May 2002
Alumni/ae Representative, School of Education Alumni Society	
NEAG School of Education, Graduate Student Association	April 2001-May 2002
Safe Zone Facilitator, Rainbow Center	March 2001-May 2002

#### Mount Saint Mary College

Athletic Training Supervisor, Student Athletic Trainer	1995-1996
Hudson Valley Athletic Trainers Association, Vice President	1995-1996

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

### North American Society for Sport Management

NASSM Executive Council, Member-at-Large – Elected to serve from June 2009 – June 2011

NASSM Student Research Award Editorial Committee – Selected to evaluate student research papers for acceptance of the NASSM Student Research Award (2007 - 2009)

Women in NASSM (WIN), active participant in organization and presentations at annual meeting held in conjunction with NASSM national conference meeting (2005 – Present)

### American Alliance for Health, Physical Activity, Recreation and Dance

Research Abstract Reviewer in the area of Sport Management and Administration for the Research Consortium of AAHPERD, 2008 Convention – Selected to review abstracts submitted for presentation to the AAHPERD National Meeting in 2008. (2007, 2008)

International Journal of Sport Management and Marketing

Invited Reviewer, Special Issue, International Sport, Sept. 2007 – Nov. 2007.

Journal of Physical Education, Recreation and Dance.

Selected to two-year term as member of the Editorial Board, NAGWS representative

Women in Sport and Physical Activity

Invited Reviewer – July 2009 - Present

**Professional Service – Non-university community**

Paw PALS program

Before school physical activity program,  
Program Implementation and Participation  
Parker Memorial School, Tolland, CT  
Weekly participant and supervisor for this program  
January 2005 – Present

ECHO Program (Formally known as Coaching for Life Program), The Justice Education Center

Program Evaluation  
October 2006 - Present

Resources for College Libraries

Outside Referee, Sport and Recreation Section  
CHOICE, Middleton, CT  
August 2007

Charter Oak State College, New Britain, CT

Portfolio Reviewer  
Review of student portfolios in the domain of sport  
October 2005 – Present

**AWARDS**

University of Connecticut

Outstanding Doctoral Student Researcher  
University of Connecticut  
NEAG School of Education  
2002

Helen Reynolds Scholarship  
NEAG School of Education, Department of Kinesiology  
Spring 2001

Pre-Doctoral Fellowship  
NEAG School of Education, Department of Kinesiology  
Fall 2000, 2001