

Standing Committee Annual Report

Name of Committee or Council: **Institutional Review Board**

Chair: **Dr. Charles A. Pinder, Dean, College of Graduate Studies**

Meeting Dates in Current Year: **Every third Friday of Each Month**

Major Actions or Accomplishments:

IRB Review and Certification

- 1) Sponsored a one day IRB Certification Workshop on October 15, 2005; for the members of the IRB;
- 2) Eight (8) research proposals qualified for expedited review;
- 3) Twenty four (24) proposals were reviewed by the full committee;
- 4) Two (2) proposals received exempt status;
- 5) During the summer months, the IRB agreed to meet as needed if projects are received which require review by the full committee;
- 6) Completed all documentation for compliance with Federal regulations;
- 7) Reviewed and revised the IRB office tracking system;
- 8) Provided assistance to researchers to bring proposals into compliance;
- 9) Provided IRB training in January for a Graduate Assistant to maintain and disseminate information regarding the review process.

Total Number of Studies by Categories Reviewed

by

Institutional Review Board in 2005-2006

Full Committee	=	27
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Expedited Review	=	40
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<u>Exempt from Review</u>	=	<u>4</u>
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Total Studies	=	71
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New Studies	=	59
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<u>Closed Studies</u>	=	<u>12</u>
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Submitted by:

Charles A. Pinder, Chair
Institutional Review Board
2005-2006

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The following studies were approved by:		Full Committee	Expedited Review	Exempt from IRB Review	Status
PI Name	IRB # Title				
Lisa Barron (05-014)	The Effects of Gender and Entry Age in Kindergarten on Brigrance and T-Cap Scores		X		Closed
Angela Grote (05-015)	The Effect of Camera Presence on a Speaker's Anxiety Level	X			Closed
Kimberly Shoulders (05-016)	Effect of Prior School Experience on Kindergarten Success	X			New
Linda Sitton (05-017)	A Comparison of Child Care Director's Qualifications and the Child Care Report Card Ratings	X			Closed
Robert Ferrell (05-018)	The Statistical Soundness of Tennessee Public School System Data; What Can We Infer from the "Highly Qualified Teacher" and TN Value Added Assessment System Data About Teaching Effectiveness?		X		Closed
A.J. Taylor (05-019)	Student Classroom Projects			X	Closed
Brenda Armstrong (05-020)	Required Mathematical Competency in Nursing	X			New
Pamela Wimberly (05-022)	A Study of the Representation of African Americans in Special Education	X			New
Patricia Turner (05-024)	Instructional Strategies Among High School Teachers Under the Block vs. Traditional School Schedules		X		New
Nanci Woods (05-025)	Internet Use and Mood	X			New
Georgeann Goodlett (05-027)	Differences in Level of Hope Between Children with Learning Disabilities, Children Without Exceptionalities	X			New

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PI Name	IRB # Title				
Gregory Sullivan	(05-030) Tip-of-the-Tongue State and Incubation Effects	X			New
Nancy Boone	(05-032) A Study of Teacher Satisfaction with Their School and School District		X		New
Susan Thompson-Russell	(05-034) The Role and Function of a School Psychologist in Urban, Suburban and Rural Tennessee	X			Closed
David Carson	(05-036) The Effectiveness of Banner Advertising on the Internet	X			New
Kimberly Cabany	(05-038) Analysis of the Halo Effect: The Impact of Negative Behaviors Description on Attractiveness Ratings	X			Closed
Larry Burns	(05-039) A Study of Autism Incidence Rates in Tennessee Counties		X		New
Irene Porter	(05-040) What is the Effect of The Use of the District Writing Model on Student's Achievement in Writing on the Tennessee Comprehensive Writing Assessment of Eleventh Graders?		X		New
Quasay Godbolt	(05-041) The Relationship Between IQ Scores, Teacher Rating of Behavior Goals and Behavior Performance.		X		New
Allen Payne	(05-042) Statements of Praise and Their Use in Building Self-esteem During Childhood in Biracial Individuals	X			Closed
Tonya Sherman	(05-043) The Effect of Mentoring on the Attitudes Toward School At-risk Ninth Grade Students	X			New
Damelle Diaz	(05-044) Interlingual Interference in Bilinguals	X			Closed
Kelley Heflin	(05-045) Parental Knowledge of Special Education and its Related Services		X		New

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PI Name	IRB #	Title	Full Committee	Expedited Review	
Garay Martin	(05-046)	The Correlation of Technology Use in the Classroom	X		New
Emily D. Harrell	(05-047)	Indications of School Bullying: A Correlation of the Aggression Scale and the Empathy-Teen Conflict Scale		X	New
Marsha Lyle-Gonga	(05-048)	Women and Organizational Leadership at APSU	X		New
Cheryl Richardson	(05-049)	The Effects of Socioeconomic Status on Gateway Test Results		X	New
Linda Brake	(05-050)	Increasing the Effectiveness of Online Courses Through Implementation of the Seven Principles of Best Practice in Undergraduate Education		X	New
Philip Hatch	(05-052)	MSQI Needs Assessment		X	New
Carol Berry	(05-053)	The Effects of Inclusion on General Education Students		X	New
Diane Berty	(05-054)	Student Development Assessment		X	New
Sara E. Rees	(05-055)	Dream Recall Frequency and Coping with Stress	X		New
Lorie Goodgine	(05-056)	Television: A Catalyst for Breeding Materialism and Discontent?		X	New
Mary L. Witherspoon	(05-057)	Assessing Change in Mathematical Thinking and Problem Solving: Do Fourth Grade Students Benefit From Instruction by APSU Teacher Education Students?	X		New
Carrie Varble	(05-058)	Job Satisfaction and Motivation	X		New
Selected Students in ENG 3500	Advanced Technical Writing; Dr. David L. Major-Sponsor			X	Closed

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Daryle C. Turner (05-060)	The Use of Weblogs as an Internal Communication Tool to Richen Interpersonal Communication and Deepen Organizational Commitment	X			New
Paul Nicodemus (05-062)	Changes in Parental Behaviors for Adolescent-aged Children of Different Developmental Levels		X		New
Michael Rose (05-063)	The effects of an After-school Tutoring Program on Achievement Scores of Third through Eighth Grade Students	X			New
Timothy Sweet-Holp (05-064)	Urban Growth Attitudes in Clarksville/Montgomery County		X		New
Corinna Schmidt (05-065)	Self-efficacy as it Relates to Specific Modeling	X			New
Steven Anderson (05-066)	Four Survey Projects in Marketing Research			X	Closed
Ellen Kanervo (05-067)	Comm 3400 Civic Engagement Survey		X		New
Harriett McQueen (05-068)	First Year Assessment		X		New
Andrew Carvin (05-069)	Effect of Text Color on Recall of Hierarchically Ordered Information		X		New
Lauren Malon (05-070)	The Importance of Readership		X		New
Kay Haralson (05-071)	Computer-based Developmental Mathematics Assessment		X		New
Bruce Myers (05-072)	Growth Opportunities, Aspiration and Learning of Students in College (Goals 2005)		X		New
Michaella Cox (05-073)	A Study of Specific Learning Disability Incidence Rates in Montgomery County, TN, Christian County, KY and DDESS Kentucky District		X		New

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PI Name	IRB # Title				
Robbin Johnston	(05-074) The Effect of Block Scheduling on Instrumental Music Programs in Middle Tennessee		X		New
Holly Gillon	(06-001) 2A Study to Investigate if a Significant Relationship Exists Between the Health Education Systems Incorporated Exit Exam and/or Program Specific Exam Outcome Scores, and the Baccalaureate Nursing Student's Success in Program Progression and/or Passing the National Council Licensure Exam on the First Attempt		X		New
Ann Black	(06-002) Health Aspects of Aging: A Case Study (continuation from 03-005) HHP 4000		X		Closed
Ann Silverberg	(06-003) Bhajan Singing at Sri Ganesha Temple			X	New
Martha Fiese	(06-004) A Study to Determine Significant Differences in Anxiety Levels of Nursing Students Based on Age, Gender, Grade Level and ESL Status		X		X
Janice Cook	(06-005) The effects of the Implementation of a District Writing Model on the Writing Achievement of Seventh Grade Students		X		X
Timothy Sweet-Holp	(06-006) Community Service Organization Interviews		X		X
LaJoyce Weatherspoon	(06-008) The Effect of Obesity on Student Achievement and Absenteeism in Middle School		X		New
Jennifer Albert	(06-009) The Net Effect of Embedding Journalists During Operation Iraqi Freedom		X		New
Jessica Waggoner	(06-010) The Effects of Looping at the Elementary Level		X		New
Rob Franklin	(06-011) The Effectiveness of 21 st Century Learning Centers in the Clarksville-Montgomery County School System		X		New

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Grant Bell (06-012)		The Effect of Saxon Math Instruction on Fifth Grade Students' TCAP Test		X		New
Nancy Beecher (06-013)		Hand Sanitization Compliance of Staff and Visitors Prior to Eating in Two Hospital-based Facilities		X		New
Jamie Miller (06-014)		S.O.A.R.E.		X		New
Timothy Sweet-Holp (06-015)		Classroom Exercise: Faculty Interviews and Student Surveys		X		New
Nancy Beecher (06-016)		The Effects of Shift Report on the Perceived Competence and Confidence of Student Nurse's Patient Care	X			New
Dixie Dennis (06-017)		Advanced-level Certification Health Educators Speak	X			New
Brad Mossbarger (06-018)		Validation of a Control Questionnaire for Older Adults	X			New
Stephanie Martin (06-019)		Optimism, Self-efficacy and Conflict Resolution in an Organizational Setting	X			New
Kimberly Sigeers (06-020)		The Effects of Implementation of a District-wide Model on Writing Achievement of Eleventh Grade Students		X		New
Donzetta Ketcherside (06-021)		Socialization Theory: Declining Newspaper Readership Habits of Young Adults		X		New
Amy Coombs (06-022)		Reality TV's Cultivation Effects on the Desirability of a Potential Love Partner	X			New