



THIS WEEK AT THE CENTER FOR ETHICS*

Friday, September 24, 2010

The Center for ETHICS at the University of Idaho offers study, intervention, outreach, consultation, and leadership in developing and advancing the theory, knowledge and understanding of character education including moral and ethical reasoning, moral development, ethical leadership, and ethical application. The Director of the Center is Dr. Sharon Kay Stoll http://www.educ.uidaho.edu/center_for_ethics*

Publications

- Clinton Culp, Doctoral Student and Center Graduate Assistant was invited to submit a chapter proposal for an upcoming book for the Ethics Branch of the Lejeune Leadership Institute at the Marine Corps University, Quantico, Virginia. The book is to be titled Aspects of Leadership: Ethics, Law and Spirituality. Clinton's chapter proposal will focus on the pedagogy of ethics.

Institutional Review Board

- As a member of the Institutional Review Board for the University of Idaho, Dr. Stoll reviewed a proposal.

Speaking Engagements

- Dr. Stoll and Dr. Jennifer M. Beller are members of a panel discussion on obesity and health during the Western Society of Kinesiology and Wellness in Reno, Nevada this October.
- Dr. Stoll was invited to speak at the Institute on College Student Values at Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida. The conference will be held from February 3-5, 2011.

Curriculum Development

- **International Schools Services (ISS), Canton, China**
 - Continuing communication with Mark Elliott, Director of Athletics and Activities, for the development of an on-line curriculum for coaches in Asia. ISS is headquartered in Princeton, New Jersey. www.iss.edu
- **Team Works (<http://teamworksacademy.org/>)**
- Continuing collaboration with WWC, the Center for ETHICS, and TeamWorks on an elementary afterschool curriculum for TeamWorks, a Native American education program supported by Mac Strong, formerly of the Seattle Seahawks. Lesson one is complete.
- **Center for Rural Coaching Education**
 - Dr. Jennifer Beller and WSU Colleagues are in the process of developing an online Center for Rural Coaching Education. The focus of the program will be to deliver CEU programming in a variety of areas from athletic injuries, performance enhancing drugs and supplements, nutrition, programming and community involvement, to playground safety with a focus towards coaches in rural settings.

Research Projects

- **Susan Steele, Ph.D. Student and long time Elementary School Volunteer Coordinator**
 - **Servant Learning and Leadership with University of Idaho Athletics**
Continuing research on service learning and its effect on the leadership identity and character development of college students.
- **Clinton Culp, Ph.D. Student, Major USMC (Ret)**
 - **United States Marine Corps, The Basic School**
Continuing collaboration with the USMC, The Basic School in Quantico, VA.
 - **IAT/DIT-2/HBVC Preliminary Study**
Continuing research in implicit and explicit associations of sportsmanship and unsportsmanship like concepts.

Sport and Society Blog, Tom Grant, Ph.D. Student

- How early should kids turn pro? <http://ethicswithdoc.blogspot.com/>
- The Center for ETHICS has launched a new facebook page at "CenterFor Ethics" friend us for updates on the Center's activities.

Winning With Character (WWC)

- WWC (<http://www.winningwithcharacter.org>) is a nonprofit organization dedicated to character education in competitive populations and athletics from grade school to college to the professional ranks. The Center for ETHICS* has a continued relationship with WWC in helping them with assessment and curriculum development.