



THIS WEEK AT THE CENTER FOR ETHICS*

Friday, January 9, 2009

- **Travel to Bucharest, Romania**

- *Dr. Stoll and doctoral student Justin Barnes will be traveling to Bucharest, Romania, March 16 to 23 to present to the European International Schools on servant leadership and character education. The goal of the presentation and workshop is to enlist the European International Schools into intervention programs in servant leadership and character education for their athletes. Since 1955, International Schools have grown into a dynamic educational force in the overseas community. A nonprofit corporation dedicated to excellence for children attending overseas schools worldwide, Maintained and managed by ISS (international school services), ISS is the world's leader in providing a comprehensive range of quality educational services for schools, educators, families and corporations. ISS schools have an active competitive agenda in athletics in individual and team sport and compete against each other in the European arena. Over 140 ISS schools exist worldwide. (Tentative upon approval by Dean and Provost Office).*

- **Reference Letters**

- *Dr. Stoll wrote three reference letters this week for graduate students.*

- **Servant Leadership in Coaching**

- *Five letters of confirmation for completion of Servant leadership in coaching were sent out this week to participants, participant's administrators, and participant's local newspapers. An online review tells us that these letters are appearing in these newspapers across the country when coaches finish their servant leadership program. The study, part of a doctorate dissertation by Peter VanMullem, is questioning whether online character education can positively affect moral reasoning. Two groups of collegiate coaches are a part of the study, a control which is having no intervention, and an intervention group which is involved in a 30 hour online education program in servant leadership in coaching. Individuals enrolled are across the spectrum of coaching at the collegiate level; male female sport coaches; team and individual coaches; revenue and non revenue generating sports.*