This Week at the Center for ETHICS*

Friday, January 30, 2009

• Job Searches for Ph.D. students
  • Justin Barnes interviewed this week at Virginia Commonwealth. David Brunner is a finalist for a position in the Carolinas. Pete VanMullen is in the final selection pool for two different universities in the east.

• USA Today Contact.
  • The Center was contacted by USA Today for a story on a 100-0 basketball game.

• Invited Paper
  • Dr. Stoll and Center Staff have been invited to write a paper for the International Sports Games conference being held in St. Petersburg, Russia, Spring 2009, by the Lesgaft University. They want us to direct the paper toward Servant Leadership in Coaching. We were published in 2004 and 2005 in the same venue. (Lesgaft: www.lesgaft.spb.ru)

• Request for Interview from Chronicle of Higher Education
  • Email from Brad Wolverton of the Chronicle about issues in sport. Interview pending. Brad wrote the cover story about Dr. Stoll and the Center for the Chronicle in 2007.

• Ph.D. Dissertation to be published in Verlag, VDM.
  • Kimberly Robertello, Ph.D., 2008 graduate and student of Dr. Stoll, has been solicited by Verlag to publish her dissertation. The development of an evaluative tool which assesses evidence-based practices of alcohol treatment programs in a rural community of the inland northwest. Verlag VDM, a German publishing house, publishes more than 10,000 new titles and is thus one of the leading publishing houses of academic research. They specialize in publishing theses, dissertations, and research projects that have quality and practical relevance to the respective academic specialist audience.

• Atlanta Braves continues as WWC client
  • For the fourth consecutive year, the Center for ETHICS* will be developing curriculum and data assessment tools for moral reasoning and servant leadership for Winning With Character in their relationship with the Atlanta Braves Developmental Teams. The Braves are the only professional team in baseball with an intervention program for athletes in moral reasoning and moral development.

• Request for Research Help
  • Request for information from university B. Buyandelger, the head of the Mongolian Association for the Philosophy of sport in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia. His doctoral theses was “On traditional and reformation issues of moral values for Mongolian National Wrestling(MNW)”. He also has published books in Mongolian language “Philosophical analyzes MNW-I, II”, “Ethics of MNW”. He wishes to consult with work in moral reasoning.