

UPCOMING EVENTS

Doctoral Writing Specialist Fall Hours

Tuesdays & Thursdays from
4:30 - 7 p.m. in the Doctoral Center.

Other times may be scheduled upon
request.

Email Dr. Patrick Lynch at
patrick.lynych@lmu.edu to schedule an
appointment.

Get help:

- Managing APA style,
- Managing references,
- Working with style in general,
- Formatting documents,
- Setting up documents before the final dissertation process to save time when you need it most, and
- Discussing form and focus for your writing.

Doctoral Center Open House

Come to the Doctoral Center to enjoy food and music as we show off our newly refurbished space. Stay for the Dean's 10th Anniversary Convocation at 6 p.m.

Monday, Nov. 4

3:30 - 6 p.m.

Doctoral Center

RSVP to doctoral@lmu.edu

Dean Shane P. Martin's 10th Anniversary Convocation Address to Students and Alumni

Please join us for Dean Shane P. Martin's 10th anniversary Convocation – a look back at the impact of the School of Education over the past 10 years and a look forward to future opportunities.

Monday, Nov. 4

6 - 7 p.m.

Ahmanson Auditorium, UH 1000

Green Dot Public Schools at LMU

Learn about Green Dot's mission, their 13 years of success, and opportunities for administrators – Administrator in Residence Program, Career ladder, and Professional Development. For more information contact Recruiter Joyce Lee at Joyce.lee@greendot.org.

Saturday, Nov. 9

12 - 1 p.m.

University Hall 3316, LMU



Doctoral Program Information Session

Alumni and current students are invited to attend our first information session of the year to meet and mingle with prospective students. If you are interested in speaking on the alumni and student panel, email [Deanna Pittman@lmu.edu](mailto:Deanna.Pittman@lmu.edu) (your parking will be comped). Invite your friends and colleagues who may be considering doctoral studies to attend as well.

Thursday, Nov. 14

6 - 8 p.m.

Marymount Center (3rd floor, northeast corner UH). RSVP [here](#).



Hot Button Issues in Catholic School Law

Join us for a conversation on current issues in Catholic school law with Catholic school law expert and LMU Center for Catholic Education Hilton Distinguished Fellow Sr. Mary Angela Shaughnessy, SCN, J.D., Ph.D. and a panel of Catholic school leaders from Los Angeles and Orange County. Topics will include social media in schools, FERPA, immigration, religious discrimination and special education. Lunch is provided.

Friday, Nov. 15

9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Ahmanson Auditorium, UH 1000

RSVP [here](#).

Doctoral Alumni Happy Hour

Join us for a fun night of networking with your former cohort members over an Old Fashioned at the vintage Culver Hotel. The Doctoral program is hosting appetizers only. Don't miss out on this opportunity to reconnect!

Thursday, Nov. 21

5 - 7 p.m.

Culver Hotel (9400 Culver Blvd., Culver City)

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GENERAL NEWS

LMU Places To Study

The Academic Resource Center is pleased to present **LMU Places To Study**, an ongoing list generated by ARC student staff members that describes the best places to study on and off the LMU campus. This ever-expanding list includes a variety of locations, including libraries, parks, lounges, restaurants and coffee shops. Click [here](#) for the "Places to Study" map.

School of Education Annual Report

Some exciting things are going on at the School of Education. Check out our 2013 annual report [here](#).

Catholic Education Journal

The fall 2013 issue of *Catholic Education: A Journal of Inquiry and Practice* is now available on the newly redesigned [website](#). Catholic Education is an online, open-access journal that has recently moved from Boston College to LMU. The SOE is the host institution for the journal for the next five years. The journal is housed in the Center for Catholic Education and is edited by Drs. Mary McCullough, Karie Huchting, and Martin Scanlan (Boston College).

Bellarmino Forum 2013

The 13th annual Bellarmine Forum will address the topic of "Restoring Justice." "Restoring Justice" invites multidisciplinary reflection on the theories and practices of justice in our contemporary society, with a focus on the promise of restorative justice as a mechanism for addressing harm, teaching conflict prevention in schools and other institutions, rebuilding relationships and communities, and reintegrating offenders into society. The forum will explore legal, theological, ethical, political, sociological, educational, and ecological aspects of restoring justice in the contexts of Los Angeles, the United States, and the world. The overarching aim of the forum is to galvanize campus-wide discussions and actions; the basic structure consists of: talking/listening/debating focused on understanding and doing/implementing focused on engaged learning. The forum runs from Oct. 20 – Nov. 9. Click [here](#) for the forum schedule.

Alumni and Friends Networking Turnout



The Alumni and Friends Networking Event held on Oct. 22 at the California Club was a monumental success. Dr. Kim Indelicato (Cohort 7) was the lucky winner of the iPad drawing. The Doctoral Program was proudly represented at the event. Alumni from almost every cohort were in attendance! See more pictures on the [LMU Doctoral](#) and [LMU SOE](#) Facebook pages.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Julio Tellez	11/3
Erika Rodriguez	11/4
Todd Eckel	11/6
Jennifer Perez	11/7
Kia Harris	11/9
Tanya DeLeon	11/13
Elaine McNeil-Girmai	11/15
Michael Farber	11/17
Daanee Touchstone	11/19
Tony Galla	11/23
Diana Lucero	11/26
Jessie Noonan	11/29

FACULTY NEWS

On September 23, **Dr. Vicki Graf** attended a high-level meeting of the United Nations General Assembly on disability and development (HLMDD), the day prior to the commencement of the General Debate of the 68th session of the General Assembly. The theme of the HLMDD was: "The way forward: A disability-inclusive development agenda towards 2015 and beyond." Dr. Graf attended with Sr. Rita Arthur and Sr. Veronica Brand of the Religious of the Sacred Heart of Mary who have an NGO at the UN. For more information, please click [here](#).

Congratulations to **Dr. Mary McCullough** for receiving a Hidden Heroes Award from the CSJ Center for Reconciliation and Justice as part of the ongoing Bellarmine Forum. This inaugural award recognizes six members of the LMU community for how they exemplify justice and reconciliation in their lives.

Drs. Candace Poindexter and Irene Oliver recently published a new book, *Making a Difference: Differentiated Instruction for Caring Teachers*, with the National Catholic Educational Association. More information is available [here](#).

RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

Call for Papers and Posters - 2014 ACPA Convention

Learn more about the 2014 ACPA Convention in Indianapolis by clicking [here](#).

Paper and Poster Proposals: Please remember that research paper and poster proposals are due September 5 (as are all ACPA proposals). These sessions provide an excellent venue for faculty, graduate students, and others to share their research. Please consider submitting a research paper or poster proposal and encouraging your students to do so as well.

Research Paper: Designed for the presentation of scholarly research, particularly by graduate students or faculty members, each 75-minute program slot will include presentation of three research papers (20 minutes each) followed by a brief discussion.

Research Poster Session: The research poster session is designed for discussion about research projects that are in process or have been completed. Presenters display their research on a large bulletin board and are available to discuss their display and interact with those circulating the room.

We have attached a template for submissions. You'll need to tweak things a bit for papers and posters. Do include: (a) an abstract, (b) paper or poster description in the "program description box," (c) references. You do not need to include: (a) program outline, (b) learning objectives. In the description, provide a substantive overview of the research entailed in your paper or poster (e.g., purpose, conceptual/theoretical framework, research questions, methods, findings, discussion, and significance). If the research is not yet complete, provide evidence to the reviewers that papers will be complete by February and posters by the convention in March. Accepted papers will be due to reviewers by **February 22, 2014**. Submit proposals [here](#).

Call for Participants - 2nd Annual Graduate-to-Graduate Mentoring Program

Are you a graduate student? Are you attending the 2013 ASHE Annual Conference in St. Louis, Missouri? If yes, please consider participating in the 2nd Annual ASHE Graduate-to-Graduate Mentoring Program (G2GMP) in conjunction with the 2013 ASHE Annual Conference. The program is designed to help first-time student attendees navigate the conference and develop mutually beneficial relationships that extend beyond the ASHE conference. For mentees, preference is given to first-time, early career masters/doctoral student attendees. For mentors, preference is given to returning doctoral student attendees. Graduate student mentors and mentees will be connected prior to the conference and are expected to meet 2-3 times throughout the conference. You can register through the [ASHE online registration system](#), but please note that registration is limited. Conference is in St. Louis, Missouri on November 13-16th, 2013.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

High School Assistant Principal at Green Dot Public Schools

For the 2014-15 school year, they will begin interviewing for their Administrator in Residence program starting in November/December. A representative from the Human Capital department will be in UHall 3316 on Saturday Nov. 9th from noon-1pm to discuss the details of the open positions and the mission of the school. Apply [here](#).