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Research First!

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### SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

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- Edu 9804 Advanced Research Methods publications presentations and submissions from 2005
- Ed.D. Students Presenting research around the world

to 2007

 Thanks to our faculty mentors and our alumni

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The Doctoral mentorship program" in which Dowling Ed.D. alumni and faculty serve as mentors to doctoral students and collaborate on research papers has proven enormously successful. This mentorship program runs in the Advanced Research Methods course of Dr. Elsa-Sofia Morote.

COLLEGE

The mentorship program begun on 2005, when Dr. Morote was looking for creative ways to teach statistics and use it with real data.

The initial experience was great, all research papers were accepted in top conferences such as ICSEI, in Florida, AERA in San Francisco and now the program has



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Drs. DeLuca, Blake, Kramer, Bownes-MacCarthy, Maser, Morote, Nicolino, Fitzgerald, Murtha, Hawkins, Rotunda At Dowling First Research Symposium, New York, 2006 *We love our data!!* 

grown tremendously since then our students has traveled to New Zealand, Hawaii, and others parts of the world.

#### WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE A MENTOR?

As part of the EDU 9804 course, doctoral students write a research paper for a conference. The goal is to expose students to real data and ask them to apply some advanced statistical techniques to this data. PS. If you are already participating as a mentor, then your data would be used unless you ask me not to.

In Previous semesters, Dowling Ed.D. Alumni, have allowed students to use their database and dissertation. The students develop a different research question or utilize different statistical techniques than the original research. To assure copyright issues, the students put the name of the Dowling alumni in their paper. This means the students will produce a collaborative paper, so if you wish to collaborate your name will be the last on the paper or in the position you consider fair. Your dissertation advisor or designer will be invited as well to participate as a mentor of the same paper, so students will receive enough feedback to produce a paper worth of publication. This program is a success, doctoral students and

mentors have already presented in several top conferences around the world. Anybody whos name is on the paper can do the presentation.

If you would like to be a mentor, all you need to do is send me your "SPSS database" and the title of your dissertation (I can find it on the digital library). I would prefer if you can send it to my personal email sofiamorote@gmail.com.

### THANKS TO OUR ALUMNI MENTORS

- Dr. Carmen Beltran Dr. Brian Brachio Dr. Francisca Montalvo Dr. Elsa Degois Dr. Kenneth Card Dr. Robert Rotunda Dr. Jesus Soto-Carrillo Dr. Joseph LaMelza Dr. Rhoda Miller Dr. Helen Wittman
- Dr. Michael Hynes Dr. Tony Mauros Dr. Colleen Laibach Dr. Walter Markowitz Dr. Cynthia Kramer Dr. Peter Nicolino Dr. Kevin Jordan
- Dr. Patricia Blake
- Dr. Bradley Fitzgerald
- Dr. Yu wan Wang

- Dr. Lauren Tacke Dr. Deborah DeLucca
- Dr. Kathleen Walsh
- Dr. Alva Figueroa



### NEW GENERATIONS

How our new generations of EDU 9804 are doing?

#### Just great!

Papers, presentations and now publications has come from this program. Here is the list of latest publications and presentations:

The papers produced will be presented into international-

national conferences. In the next years, the program has grown tremendously. See next page for the list of publications, presentations or submissions. You can see some of our mentors in the background

# THANKS TO OUR PROFESSORS FOR PARTICIPATING AS MENTORS:

- Dr. Albert Inserra
- Dr. Stephanie Tatum
- Dr. Thomas Kelly
- Dr. Robert Manley
- Dr. Richard Walter
- Dr. Charles Rudiger
- Dr. Elsa-Sofia Morote

"It is all about loving what you do, and being pay for it" Dr. Marche

### DOWLING PRACTICAL RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

The Department of Educational Administration, Leadership and Technology, has had already three PRACTICAL RESEARCH SYMPOSIUMS.

This program has grown every year, and students present their research previously accepted in top conferences around the world. But also we have doctoral students presenting their dissertations or other research papers accepted, as well our doctoral alumni participate in the practical research symposium.

The event is usually holds on April each year.

Thanks to Nancy Ordemann and Dianne Impagliazzo for all the work! Did you tell "I love you" to your data today?

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## 2007

Balram, A., Dupree, J., Niave Miliano, R., Tatum, S., Miller, R., Morote, E-S. (2008) Do Institutional and Social Activities Contribute to Resiliency in Low-Income, First-Generation College Students?. International Congress for School Effectiveness and Improvement (ICSEI) Auckland, New Zealand, 6-9 January 2008 [www.icsei.com] Mentors: Morote, Tatum and Miller

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Dral. Candidates Christie, Dr. Morote and Bratby in Las Vegas, SITE Working hard in Las Vegas!...Really?

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Drs. Manley and Wang, in New York, AACTE. What can I say, you look great on Black!

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Drs. Morote and Bolton in Chicago, SITE. Sorry guys, It is summer here!

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Chen, Johnson, Dr. Fitzgerald, Dr. Franza in San Antonio, SITE. Milk anyone?

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EDU 9804 Students The pioneers in 2005 (now all Doctors)!!



