

COE N3

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Opportunity Fair

Lots of opportunities for undergrads to get involved in the COE. Learn more at the Opportunity Fair! Get involved with **TAFE**, **PSUN**, or **Kappa Delta Pi**! Learn about **4+1** and **YLR**. Find support with **TRiO** and **scholarships**!

The Woodlands Center - January 25; 3:00-5:00 pm, Sam Houston Room
Main Campus - January 27; 3:00-5:00 pm, TEC 279

Watch social media for more details and a preview of the giveaway t-shirt!

People of the COE



Chase Kennemer's (COE Center for Assessment) hard work at The Episcopal Student Center has helped earn the student organization a nomination for an Inclusive Excellence award from the Office of Institutional Diversity & Inclusion. Winners will be announced on February 10. Thank you for your hard work!

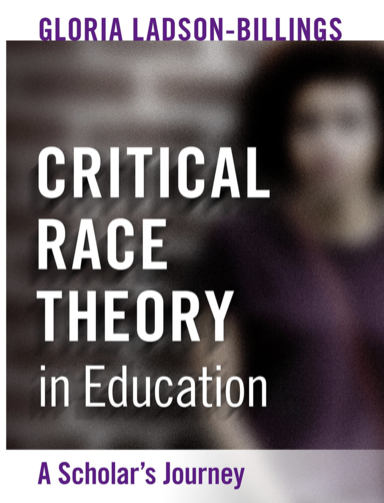
Dissertation News

Alisa McLendon has announced their final dissertation defense, titled Differences in Rates of First-time in College Students Who Did Not Persist or Graduate by their Ethnicity/Race and Enrollment Status in Texas Community Colleges; a Multiyear Statewide Study. The defense will be held on February 2, 2022 at 2:30 PM, the committee includes Dr. John Slate, Dr. Fred Lunenburg, Dr. Janene Hemmen, and Dr. Cynthia Martinez-Garcia.

Stacey Moseley has announced their dissertation proposal defense, titled Differences in Completion Rates for Dual Credit, Advanced Placement/International Baccalaureate, and Associate Degree as a Function of Ethnicity/Race and Economic Status. The defense will be held on February 2, 2022 at 3:30 PM. The committee includes Dr. John Slate, Dr. Fred Lunenburg, Dr. Janene Hemmen, and Dr. Cynthia Martinez-Garcia.

America Yolanda Lopez has announced their dissertation final defense, titled Upward Transfer of Community College Students: A Multyyear Analysis. The defense will be held on February 9, 2022 at 3:30 PM. The committee includes Dr. John Slate, Dr. Fred Lunenburg, Dr. Janene Hemmen, and Dr. Cynthia Martinez-Garcia.

[Dissertation Announcement Details](#)



Book Club

Dr. Paul Eaton is leading the Gloria Ladson-Billings Book Club beginning January 31. In preparation for Curriculum Camp 2022, the club will read Ladson-Billings latest book: *Critical Race Theory in Education, A Scholar's Journey*. Meetings will be held via Zoom on Monday evenings through March 7. Contact [Dr. Eaton](#) for additional information.

[View the informational flyer](#)

[Register for the Book Club](#)



2022 Diversity Summit

The School of Teaching and Learning is co-sponsoring the 2022 Diversity Summit on February 11. Author of *The Racial Healing Handbook*, Dr. Anneliese Singh, is the featured speaker and will hold an open book signing, summit registration not required. [View the informational flyer.](#)

Registration for this free event is required.

[Student Registration](#)

[Faculty & Staff Registration](#)



Joan Prouty Conference on Literacy

The Annual Joan Prouty Conference on Literacy is scheduled for February 26. This year's guest speaker is Gholdy Muhammad, author of *Cultivating Genius*. Registration is \$ \$35 for students and \$75 for all others.

[View the informational flyer.](#)

[Register](#)

Youth Mental Health First Aid

Dr. Daphne Johnson is offering opportunities for students to receive Youth Mental Health First Aid Training during the Spring 2022 semester. Youth Mental Health First Aid is designed to teach teachers and other caring citizens how to help adolescents (age 12-18) experiencing a mental health or addiction challenge or is in crisis. The course is primarily designed for adults who regularly interact with young people. There is a \$35 fee for the training manual.

Feb. 12; 9-4 at The Woodlands Center

March 26; 9-4 on campus

April 9; 9-4 at The Woodlands Center

To register email Dr. Daphne Johnson (ddjohnson@shsu.edu)



Grad Writing Workshops

The College of Education Grad Hub and Textbook & Academic Authors Association (TAA) invite you to **TWO virtual mini writing workshops!**

The two workshops are: "The 'not-so-obvious' infrastructure of academic writing: Powerful and engaging conceptual linkages across your text" and "Crafting a clear and compelling purpose statement in academic writing." The workshops will be **presented by Dannelle Stevens**, Writing Coach & Mentor, Professor Emerita of Portland State University.

You'll also receive a **one-year membership to TAA!** TAA provides key resources (webinars, grants, etc.) that help academic authors effectively complete their writing projects and achieve publication success.

Click [here](#) to register today!

Sammy Nominations

Sammy Award nominations are now open! The Sammys will be held Wednesday, April 13 in the GPAC. Do you want to nominate someone? For more information visit the [SHSU website](#).



To be included in a the weekly N3 share your announcements and story ideas with [Shelie Goodwin](#) by noon on Monday.

This email was sent to students, faculty, staff and friends of the College of Education