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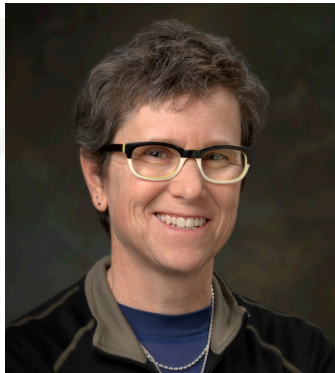
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PUBLICATIONS

Akwasi Ampofo, PhD, associate professor of accounting, co-authored “The effect of accounting for high performing employee services as a right of use asset on the balance sheet on nonprofessional investors judgments” in the *Journal of Corporate Accounting & Finance* in March 2023.

Korey L. Boyd, PhD, assistant professor of physical education and health education, and **Mara Simon**, EdD, assistant professor of physical education and health education, co-authored “It feels human ...’: Reflective race research in kinesiology” in *Sport, Education and Society* in December 2022. Boyd was also a co-author of the chapter “Promoting Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (JEDI) through Game-Based Approach (GBA) in Physical Education” in the book *Teaching Games and Sport for Understanding*.

Julia Chevan, PhD, professor of physical therapy and chair of the Department of Physical Therapy, co-authored “Building a foundation for health informatics content in physical therapy education through concept analysis and concept mapping” in the *Journal of Physical Therapy Education* in March 2023.

Justin Compton, PhD, associate professor of Environmental Science, co-authored “Mammalian functional diversity and trait responses to anthropogenic and environmental factors across the contiguous USA” in *Urban Ecosystems* in March 2023. Compton also co-authored “Human presence drives bobcat interactions among the U.S. carnivore guild” in *Biodiversity and Conservation* in June 2022.

Chris Hakala, PhD, director of the Center for Excellence in Teaching, Learning, and Scholarship, and professor of Psychology, co-edited the book *In Their Own Words: What Scholars and Teachers Want You to Know About How and Why to Apply the Science of Learning in Your Academic Setting* in March 2023.

Jasmin Hutchinson, PhD, professor of Exercise Science and Sport Studies and graduate program director for Sport and Exercise Psychology, authored “Affective responses to increasing-and decreasing-intensity resistance training protocols” in the *Journal of Sport and Exercise Psychology* in February 2023. Hutchinson also co-authored “Preserving perfectionism: The relationship between perfectionism and self-handicapping in distance runners” in the *Journal of Sport Behavior* in 2023. Her co-author is **Diana Curtis**, a doctoral student in Sport and Exercise Psychology with an expected graduation in 2023.

Mark D. McCarthy, PhD, assistant professor of Literacy Education, co-authored “Speculative futures and ‘found’ artifacts: Using fiction for defamiliarization and analysis” in *Cultural Studies & Critical Methodologies* in 2022. McCarthy also authored “Considering collective motivation to read: A narrative, inquiry” in the *Journal of Language and Literacy Education* in 2022.

Ashley S. McNeill, PhD, assistant professor of chemistry in the Department of Biology and Chemistry and director of Pre-Health Professions Advising for Springfield College, co-authored “Absolute hydration free energy of small anions and the aqueous pKa of simple acids” in the *Journal of Physical Chemistry A* in December 2022.



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Ian Delahanty

Susan Milstein, PhD, assistant professor of Physical Education and Health Education, co-authored the chapter “In search of pleasure: An examination of the current state of sexual pleasure education and research in the United States” in the book *Sex education research: A look between the sheets* in February 2023.

Michelle E. Moosbrugger, PhD, professor of physical education and chair of the Department of Physical Education and Health Education, was the lead author on “Pre-Service Teachers’ Perceptions and Experiences Implementing CATCH My Breath” in the *American Journal of Health Education* in November 2022. Her co-authors include assistant professors of physical education Timothy M. Losee, PhD; Christie M. Gonzalez-Toro, PhD; Staci R. Drewson, PhD; Peter J. Stapleton, PhD; and professors Shawn Ladda, PhD; and Irene Cucina, DPE.

Kathleen M. Neville, EdD, associate professor and program director for the PhD in Educational Leadership, co-authored “Campus racial justice and decolonization expectations project” on the ACPA - College Student Educators International website in January 2023.

Oliver J.C. Rick, PhD, associate professor of Sport Management and Recreation, co-authored the book *Global Sports and Contemporary China: Sport Policy, International Relations and New Class Identities in the People’s Republic* in January 2023.

Daigo Yazawa, PhD, assistant professor of Sport Management, authored “Cultural cues in NBA jersey designs: Examining the role of acculturation and psychological connection in consumer purchase decisions” in the *International Journal of Sport Management* in December 2022.

CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS

Simone B. Alter-Muri, EdD, professor of Art Therapy and director of Graduate Art Therapy/Counseling, co-presented “Hair, microaggressions and post historical trauma” at the American Art Therapy Association

Conference in Minneapolis, Minn., in November 2022. Her co-presenter was **Naarah Macklin, G’13**. Alter-Muri also presented a lecture to the Creativity and Symbolism class titled, “Inking my identity: The healing and transformative power of symbols and tattoos,” at the Maharashtra Institute of Technology, Art, Design, and Technology University, School of Fine Arts, in Pune, India, in February 2023.

Korey L. Boyd, PhD, assistant professor of physical education and health education, co-presented “Game-based approach to promote justice, equity, diversity, and inclusion” at the SHAPE America Conference in Seattle, Wash., in March 2023. Boyd also co-presented “Unlocking the potential of TGfU: Developing the whole child” at the Teaching Games for Understanding virtual conference in January 2023. Also in January 2023, Boyd co-presented “Exploring theoretical frameworks for supporting justice, equity, diversity, and inclusion (JEDI) in game-based approach lessons in physical education” at the National Association of Kinesiology in Higher Education Annual Conference in New Orleans, La.

Marc Couture-King, assistant director of Enterprise Applications, presented “Integrations in SaaS Banner using Argos” at the EVisions Conference in New Orleans, La., in March 2023. Couture-King covered the integration between the new ERP Banner and the College’s 403b retirement plans provider TIAA.

Ian Delahanty, PhD, associate professor of History, delivered a lecture on “Slavery and emancipation in the Connecticut River Valley” at the Easthampton (Mass.) City Hall in March 2023. The event is part of Easthampton’s efforts to educate residents about the history of slavery and systemic racism in the region after its City Council passed a resolution in support of a federal bill to commission a study into reparations. Delahanty was invited by the Easthampton City Council to deliver this lecture, which was covered by Channel 22 WWLP.

Mary Kate Feit, PhD, assistant professor of Strength and Conditioning, and **Adam Feit**, PhD, assistant professor of exercise science, co-presented “How to



Strength and conditioning graduate students who presented at the National Strength and Conditioning Association Massachusetts State Clinic (from left) Chris Hamilton, TJ Cahill, Eloi Badia Rovira, Vail Cote, Brian Sutton, Emily Nitzsche, Dave Siwec, Kerem Posacioglu.



Leigh-Ann Gomes

develop an on-season football training program at any level” at the The Big New England Football Clinic in Newport, R.I., in March 2023. Mary Kate Feit also coordinated seven Springfield College strength and conditioning graduate students who presented “Lunch and Learn: Practical application of strength and conditioning principles” at the National Strength and Conditioning Association Massachusetts State Clinic held at Springfield College in March 2023. The seven strength and conditioning students are **Eloi Badia Rovira, TJ Cahil, Vail Cote, Chris Hamilton, Emily Nitzsche, Kerem Posacioglu, and David Siwec**, who are expected to graduate in May 2023. Mary Kate Feit also presented “Securing meaningful field work or internship experiences” at the National Strength and Conditioning Association Coaches Conference in Charlotte, N.C., in January 2023.

Melinda Fowler, PhD, associate professor of Biology, and **Justin Compton**, PhD, associate professor of Environmental Science, co-presented “Seasonal changes in functional trait distribution in a temperate forest” at the Ecological Society of America Conference in Montreal, Quebec, in August 2022.

Heather Gilmour, EdD, assistant professor and undergraduate program director of Sport Management, presented “Teaching in the upside down: What’s different in this COVID teaching environment, and how can we be more inclusive moving forward?” at the Commission on Sport Management Accreditation National Conference in Tampa, Fla., in February 2023.

Steven W. Groccia, PhD, assistant professor of Physical Education, presented “The cooperative learning model and technology” at the Massachusetts Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Spring Conference: Teaching in Harmony at Salem State University in Salem, Mass., in March 2023.

Robert Gruber, PhD, assistant professor of Philosophy, presented “Should we prioritize the welfare of animals over the welfare of people?” at the American

Philosophical Association Eastern Division Conference in Montreal, Canada, in January 2023.

M. Susan Guyer, DPE, dean of the School of Physical Education, Performance, and Sport Leadership, and professor of Athletic Training; **Mary G. Barnum**, EdD, professor of Athletic Training, and **Kelsey M. Rynkiewicz**, MS, MSHA, LAT, ATC, NREMT, assistant professor of Athletic Training, co-presented “Addressing organizational needs and quality improvement in athletic training” at the Eastern Athletic Training Association Conference in Boston in January 2023.

Paige Konstant, assistant director of Academic Advising and first-year success coordinator, and **Leigh-Ann Gomes**, director of Academic Advising, co-presented “The power of PRIDE advising on exploratory studies students” at the National Academic Advising Association (NACADA) Region 1 Conference in Boston, Mass., in March 2023. At the same conference, Gomes was presented with the NACADA Region 1 Excellence in Advising - Advising Administrator Award.

Jean A. McCaffery, EdD, associate professor of Occupational Therapy and academic fieldwork coordinator, presented “An Inter-professional Education (IPE) experience with a scaffolded teaching design” at the Association of Schools Advancing Health Professions Annual Conference in Long Beach, Calif., in October 2022. McCaffery’s collaborators include **Maureen Barrett**, DPT, assistant professor of Physical Therapy and associate director of Clinical Education; **Kimberly Nowakowski**, DPT, associate professor of Physical Therapy and director of Clinical Education; **Carey Leckie**, OTD, associate professor of Occupational Therapy and associate academic fieldwork coordinator; and **Maggie Daingerfield**, DPT, neurologic clinical specialist and residency director at LIVE EVERY DAY.

Ashley S. McNeill, PhD, assistant professor of chemistry in the Department of Biology and Chemistry and director of Pre-Health Professions Advising for Springfield College, presented “Evolution of support



Matthew Mills



Deeksha Munjal



Kathleen Neville



Amanda Rodriguez

in general and GOB chemistry with the COVID cohort” at the American Chemical Society National Conference in Indianapolis, Ind., in March 2023. McNeill also presented “Study habits in general chemistry with the COVID cohort” at the Northeast Regional Meeting of the American Chemical Society in Rochester, N.Y., in October 2022.

Matthew Mills, MA, assistant professor of Athletic Training, presented “The utility of asynchronous low-fidelity simulation for student self-efficacy and anxiety: A preliminary analysis” at the Society for Information Technology and Teacher Education Conference in March 2023. Mills also presented “Use of an unfolding case study to facilitate interprofessional collaboration in athletic training and athletic counseling students” at the Athletic Trainers Educators’ virtual conference in November 2022.

Susan Milstein, PhD, assistant professor of Physical Education and Health Education, and **Olya Clark**, PhD, assistant professor of Health Promotion, co-presented “Incorporating history as a pedagogical tool to contextualize and address health inequities” at the Society for Public Health Education Annual Conference in Atlanta, Ga., in March 2023. At the same conference, Milstein and Clark also co-presented “Improving the psychosocial health of young adults by teaching skills that encourage behavior change.”

Michelle E. Moosbrugger, PhD, professor of physical education and chair of the Department of Physical Education and Health Education, co-presented “Applying constraints-led approach through non-linear pedagogy in secondary physical education” at the SHAPE America Conference in Seattle, Wash., in March 2023. Her co-presenter was **Colleen O’Connell**, MS, a student in the physical education doctoral program with an expected graduation year of 2023.

Deeksha Munjal, PhD, assistant professor of Business Management, presented “Volunteer job design: A fit perspective” at the Southwest Academy of Management Annual Meeting in Houston, Texas, in March 2023. Her co-authors were Andrea R. Neely, PhD, associate professor at the University of Tennessee at

Chattanooga; Mark L. Lengnick-Hall, PhD, professor emeritus at The University of Texas at San Antonio; and Michelle D. Evans, PhD, assistant professor at the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga.

Kathleen M. Neville, EdD, associate professor and program director for the PhD in Educational Leadership, and **Kari Taylor**, PhD, assistant professor and program director for the Student Affairs Administration program, co-presented “Recognizing and dismantling inequity in organizational policies and practices” at the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators Conference in Boston, Mass., in April 2023.

Oliver J.C. Rick, PhD, associate professor of Sport Management and Recreation, presented “Health on the homestead: Examining media framings of health, whiteness, and the neo-homesteading body” at the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport annual conference in Las Vegas, Nevada, in November 2022.

Amanda M. Rodriguez, OTD, assistant professor of Occupational Therapy, and **Lori Vaughn**, OTD, professor and co-chair of the Department of Occupational Therapy, co-presented “Understanding and addressing imposter phenomenon (IP) in occupational therapy” at the North Carolina Occupational Therapy Association Annual Fall Conference in Raleigh, N.C., in November 2022. Rodriguez also co-presented “Innovative Level I fieldwork: An intraprofessional collaboration” at the Massachusetts Occupational Therapy Association Annual Fall Conference in Norwood, Mass., in October 2023.

Christine L.B. Selby, PhD, associate professor of Psychology, presented “When trauma feeds the eating disorder” at the National Psychology Association of Ukraine virtual meeting in March 2023. She also co-presented “Making difficult decisions: Enhancing competencies in psychopathology for a long and successful career” at the annual meeting of the Association for Applied Sport Psychology in Fort Worth, Texas, in October 2022. That same month, Selby also presented “Incorporating a prevention program into an



Mara Simon



Janine Spinola-Taylor



Brian Thompson



Justine Dymond

upper-level psychology topics course” at the Northeast Conference for Teachers of Psychology in Worcester, Mass.

Mara Simon, EdD, assistant professor of physical education and health education, and **Korey L. Boyd**, PhD, assistant professor of physical education and health education, co-presented “Disrupting whiteness: Critical race counterstories from Black and Latine PETE faculty” at the SHAPE America Conference in Seattle, Wash., in March 2023.

Janine Spinola Taylor, EdD, assistant professor in the Department of Human Services, co-presented “Coffee & Conversations: Human services education for the future” at the Carsey School of Public Policy at the University of New Hampshire in Durham, N.H., in February 2023.

Brian Thompson, PhD, professor of Exercise Science, and **Mary Kate Feit**, PhD, assistant professor of Strength and Conditioning, co-presented “Expanding the field: Supervising and mentoring tomorrow’s strength coaches” at the National Strength and Conditioning Association Coaches Conference in Charlotte, N.C., in January 2023. At the same conference, Thompson also presented “Conventional and non-conventional exercises for training pillar strength.” In November 2022, Thompson presented “Keys to developing strength and power – My approach” at the Forum of High Performance Training virtual conference, hosted in Beijing, China.

Daigo Yazawa, PhD, assistant professor of Sport Management, presented “Sensory experience and psychological connection at sporting events” at the Association of Collegiate Marketing Educators Conference in Houston, Texas, in March 2023.

AWARDS

Korey L. Boyd, PhD, assistant professor of physical education and health education, received the American Education Research Association 2023 Outstanding Paper

Award in February 2023 for his research paper titled “Culturally relevant and sustaining pedagogies for and by Black and Latinx pre-service physical education teachers.”

Ian Delahanty, PhD, associate professor of History, was presented with the Suzanne and Caleb Loring Fellowship on the Civil War, Its Origins, and Consequences by the Massachusetts Historical Society (MHS) and Boston Athenaeum in February 2023. As part of the fellowship, Delahanty will conduct research on the history of cotton gin manufacturing in New England and how New England-born mechanics came to dominate the cotton gin manufacturing in the American South. His research will be conducted at the MHS and Boston Athenaeum for at least four weeks at each institution between July 1, 2023, and June 30, 2024.

Justine Dymond, MFA, PhD, professor of English, received the Springfield College Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Award from the Division of Inclusion and Community Engagement in March 2023. The award recognizes students, staff, faculty, and community members who have worked to create a more inclusive space at the institution and/or within the city of Springfield at large.

M. Susan Guyer, DPE, dean of the School of Physical Education, Performance, and Sport Leadership, and professor of Athletic Training, received the Excellence in Leadership Award from the Eastern Athletic Trainers’ Association in January 2023. The award is given to an athletic trainer who through leadership and excellence has contributed significantly to the advancement of the athletic training profession. That same month, Guyer was also inducted into the Athletic Trainers of Massachusetts Hall of Fame. The honor goes to individuals who have worked or are working in the state of Massachusetts and have made significant contributions to the profession of athletic training, particularly at the state level.



Brooke Hallowell



Members of Springfield College, Springfield Public Schools, and Holyoke Public Schools gathered recently to acknowledge the \$3.29 million Department of Education grant awarded to the Springfield College Department of Counseling.

APPOINTMENTS AND COMMITTEES

Jessica Barrett, PhD, associate professor of exercise science and athletic training and program director of athletic training, was appointed chair of the Review Committee for the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education in February 2023. In this role, she will coordinate with peer-review colleagues to prepare comprehensive reports following peer review visits. In assuming this position, Barrett will also serve as a member of the Professional Accreditation Council, which oversees the accreditation process for professional athletic training programs.

Korey L. Boyd, PhD, assistant professor of Physical Education and Health Education, was appointed in 2021 to the SHAPE America HETE/PETE Guidance Document Task Force, and helped work on guidelines for preparing future professionals in health education and physical education regardless of the program's structure or the degree level offered. It includes evidence-based practices grounded in research and theory, with information that allows programs flexibility within their own context. The guidelines, titled "Defining Quality HETE and PETE Programs," were released in April 2023.

Brooke Hallowell, PhD, dean of the School of Health Sciences, was elected as a 2023 Distinguished Scholar Fellow by the National Academies of Practice (NAP) during an awards ceremony in April 2023 in Washington, D.C. Fellowship in NAP is an honor extended to those who have excelled through enduring contributions in their profession, and who demonstrably support interprofessional practice, scholarship, and practice with the aim of accessible, affordable health care for all.

Loni Kearney, MS, assistant professor of Physician Assistant Studies, was appointed to a three-year term in March 2023 to serve on the Physician Assistant Education Association Exam Development Board. As a member of the board, Kearney will help create and

peer-review examination questions for publication on the Physician Assistant Clinical Knowledge Rating and Assessment Tool. This is a national examination that is an objective, comprehensive, self-assessment tool.

Kathleen M. Neville, EdD, associate professor and program director for the PhD in Educational Leadership, was appointed in March 2023 to a three-year term as a trustee for the ACPA - College Student Educators International Foundation.

Andrew B. Perry, PhD, professor of Mathematics and Computer Science, was appointed in March 2023 to a second three-year term as associate editor of *Convergence*, an online publication of the Mathematical Association of America. The term starts in January 2024.

GRANTS AND SPONSORED RESEARCH

Allison Cumming-McCann, PhD, chair and professor in the Department of Counseling at Springfield College, has been awarded a \$3.29 million Mental Health Service Professional Demonstration Grant by the U.S. Department of Education. The grant was written to enhance the training and number of racially and linguistically diverse school counselors in Springfield and Holyoke Public Schools and help address the increasing mental health needs among K-12 students.

Justine Dymond, MFA, PhD, professor of English, was awarded a \$500 Belchertown (Mass.) Cultural Council grant to teach a five-session sequence of memoir writing classes in Belchertown in fall 2023 called "The Examined Life: A Memoir Writing Workshop."

Brooke Hallowell, PhD, dean of the School of Health Sciences, won a \$10,000 grant from Epstein Teicher Philanthropies in 2023 for her research on "Advancing aphasia awareness, education, and advocacy: Rebuilding of identity after stroke and brain injury."



Samuel A.E. Headley



Anne Wheeler



Harold InDelicato



Andrew Perry

Samuel A.E. Headley, PhD, professor of exercise science and graduate program director for exercise physiology, and **Jasmin Hutchinson**, PhD, professor of exercise science and graduate program director for sport and exercise psychology, received a sub-award through a National Institute on Aging R01 grant awarded to Baystate Medical Center in Springfield, Mass. The five-year project, titled “Improving outcomes from cardiac rehabilitation among older adults through exercise testing and individualized exercise intensity prescriptions” is a consortium effort that also includes the University of Pittsburgh, Rutgers University, and the Henry Ford Health System. Headley will assist in objectively assessing participants’ physical activity levels (using actigraph monitors) at baseline, immediately following cardiac rehab, and six months later. Hutchinson will be overseeing the administration, analysis, and interpretation of all psychological and behavioral measures. The grant was awarded in July 2022 and will run until July 2027. The preliminary work for this grant was done by **Meredith Shea**, who earned her doctorate in Exercise Physiology in 2020. That work formed her dissertation.

Kathleen M. Neville, EdD, associate professor and program director for the PhD in Educational Leadership, will receive \$6,000 from the Marion and Jasper Whiting Foundation Fellowship Program to attend the Finnish Lapland International Forum for Education in Rovaniemi, Finland, in January 2024. She will also remain in Finland for a short period of time to speak with faculty at the University of Lapland about their teacher preparation programs.

Anne Wheeler, PhD, chair of the Department of Literature, Writing, and Journalism, and associate professor of Composition and Rhetoric, was awarded an \$8,000 grant in December 2022 from the William and Lynn Foggle Holocaust Studies Fund, administered by the Jewish Federation of Western Massachusetts. The grant would be used to help develop courses and programming (throughout the School of Arts and Sciences) around the theme of the Holocaust and war time studies.

ENDEAVORS

Simone B. Alter-Muri, EdD, professor of Art Therapy and director of Graduate Art Therapy/Counseling, served as curator and had her paintings and mixed media on display in the Refugees Resistance and Resilience Exhibition in the Burnett Gallery in Amherst, Mass., in September 2022.

Julia Chevan, DPT, PhD, professor of physical therapy and chair of the Department of Physical Therapy, spent the spring 2023 semester in Riga Latvia as a Fulbright scholar in the Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program Award in Medical Sciences working with the faculty of rehabilitation at Riga Stradins University.

Harold InDelicato, MA, MFA, associate professor of art and design, exhibited his “Ink(?) on Paper #4” at the 2023 Pawtucket Foundation Juried Show at the Pawtucket Arts Collaborative Exhibition in Pawtucket, R.I., in March 2023. His ink drawing was used as a prompting seed for artificial intelligence, deep learning “artbot” interpretation utilizing disco diffusion. InDelicato also exhibited his original screen prints at the Sixth Annual Art of Darkness Art Exhibition at the HeARTspot Art Center and Gallery in East Providence, RI, in November 2022. And in June 2022, InDelicato showed his works in the University of Rhode Island, Rhode Island College, and Community College of Rhode Island: Students, Faculty, Staff, Alumni, and Retired Faculty Rhode Island State of the Arts Exhibit, part of the Providence Gallery Night.

Alexandra Ludwig, MFA, associate professor of Music and chair of the Department of Visual and Performing Arts, conducted Josef Haydn’s *Missa in Angustiis* (Lord Nelson Mass) with the South Hadley Chorale and Orchestra in Abbey Chapel at Mount Holyoke College in March 2023. The performance included a chorus of 50 singers and an orchestra of 21 players.

Andrew B. Perry, PhD, professor of Mathematics and Computer Science, served as a grader of the 83rd William Lowell Putnam mathematical competition,



Oliver J.C. Rick



Kerry Calnan



Nicholas Keene



Laura McLaughlin

the most prestigious mathematics competition for undergraduates. The exam was held Dec. 6, 2022, and lasted six hours. Grading went from approximately December 15- January 15. Perry also served as a faculty judge for the Student Content in Undergraduate Differential Equation Modeling in a virtual competition in November 2022. Perry rendered scores and provided constructive feedback to high school and undergraduate students from around the world. Students were judged on their creation of a mathematics model using differential equations and preparation of a 10-minute video presentation on their work.

Oliver J.C. Rick, PhD, associate professor of Sport Management and Recreation, was featured on the Payne on Politics podcast on the topic of contemporary sport policy in China in March 2023.

Janine Spinola Taylor, EdD, assistant professor in the Department of Human Services, spoke on “A family story of Cape-Verdeans immigrating to the United States and the intersectionality of life world and systems world” at the Voices of Resilience: Celebrate International Women’s Day 2023 at the Longmeadow (Mass.) Adult Center in March 2023.

Lori Vaughn, OTD, professor and co-chair of the Department of Occupational Therapy, and members of the Student Occupational Therapy Association Club, co-hosted the Sensory Friendly Night with the Springfield Thunderbirds at the MassMutual Center in Springfield in February 2023. The event was in collaboration with the Center for Human Development. The program received the Game Changer Award from the Thunderbirds “For finding a way to make a difference in our community.”

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