TRAVEL GRANTS RECOGNITION

This regular feature highlights the graduate and professional students who have presented their research at state, regional, national and international disciplinary and professional society meetings during the Spring 2001 semester. The list includes only those students who received funds from the Graduate School.* There are certainly many other students who have traveled the globe to present their research.

Attending, and especially presenting, at disciplinary and professional conferences is an important part of professional development for graduate students. It is a key component in the development of a professional network that can provide contacts for collaborative research, future jobs and internships, and funding. And of course, it is a rigorous venue to try out ideas, present data and analysis, and gather helpful input for continuing research.

The Graduate School is proud to highlight the achievements of these students. As they gain professionally and personally from these experiences, they also represent MSU to the wider community of scholars in the state, region, nation, and the world. The following students are listed by college, department, destination and paper presentation and/or meeting attended. We congratulate these students on their accomplishments!

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Ostos, Ray A.  
Agricultural & Extension Education  
New Orleans: The Association for International Agricultural and Extension Education – History and Trends: Is the Past a Prelude to the Future?  
The Association for International Agricultural and Extension Education Conference

Neven, David  
Agricultural Economics  
Australia: A Diamond for the Poor? Assessing Porter’s Diamond Model for the Analysis of Agro-Food Clusters in the Developing Countries  
International Food and Agribusiness Management Association

Omura, Alison  
Agricultural Engineering  
New Orleans: Attended Meeting for the Institute of Food Technologists

Moons, Christel  
Animal Science  
California: Effect of Short-term Separations on Weaning Stress  
International Society for Applied Ethology

Tooker, Brian  
Animal Science  
Uppsala, Sweden: Differential Gene Expression in Bovine Macrophage Cells During Phagocytosis of Mycobacterium Paratuberculosis  
6th Annual International Veterinary Immunology Symposium

Russell, Aaron  
Fisheries and Wildlife  
Malawi: Seeking Sustainability: Returning to Stakeholder Involvement in Fisheries Management  
The Lake Malawi Fisheries Management Symposium

Chung, Yongjoo  
Food Science and Human Nutrition  
San Francisco: Upregulation of Macrophage Inflammatory Protein-2 and Complement 3a Receptor by Trichothecenes  
21st Society of Toxicology Annual Meeting

*Limited, one-time only funding is available from The Graduate School for travel to present research. Departments and colleges are expected to cost-share. Find out more on our website: www.grad.msu.edu/funding.htm or call (517) 355-0301, or visit 118 Linton Hall.
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COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES (continued)

Lee, Li-Wei
Food Science and Human Nutrition
Orlando: Position-dependent Regulation of the nor-1 Promoter in the Aflatoxin Gene Cluster
101st General Meeting of the American Society for Microbiology

Ross, Carolyn
Food Science and Human Nutrition
Minnesota: Solid-Phase Microextraction for the Measurement of Hexanal In Chicken Myofibrils
American Oil Chemists Society Annual Meeting

Uzarski, Rebecca
Food Science and Human Nutrition
San Francisco: Upregulation of Mitogen Activated Protein Kinases (mapks) and Caspase-3 by Vomitoxin (deoxynivalenol) in Jurkat T Cells
40th Annual Society of Toxicology Meeting

Kim, Young-Rae
Park, Recreation and Tourism Resources
Florida: Destination Image: A Review and Synthesis
32nd Annual Conference of the Travel and Tourism Research Association

ROzdilsky, Jack
Resource Development
New Zealand: Post-disaster New Cities for Montserrat: What Happens When Cities are Catastrophically Destroyed During Volcanic Events
Cities on Volcanoes Conference 2

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Farrell, Anne
Accounting
Georgia: Effects of Accounting Performance Measures on Individual and Team Learning and Judgment Performance
American Accounting Association

Kang, Kiwon
Economics
4th Annual Conference on Global Economic Analysis

Lui, Zhehui
Economics
North Carolina: Analyzing Health Care Utilization with Regression Models
International Biometric Society

Sepulveda, Facundo
Economics
Atlanta: Green Taxes and Double Dividends in a Dynamic Economy
Midwest Economic Association Conference

Devers, Cynthia E.
Management
Washington DC: CEO Stock Option Wealth Effects on Firm Risk and Risk Taking
Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management

Garcia, Rosanna
Marketing and Supply Chain Management
Wiesbaden, Germany: Clustering Analysis—A Multi-National Comparison
Marketing Science International Conference
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COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS

Lin, Yiran  
Art  
China: Conducting an Art Symposium and Exhibiting Artwork  
“Exploring the Hybrid Imagination” Exhibition

Liu, April  
Art  
China: Conducting an Art Symposium and Exhibiting Artwork  
“Exploring the Hybrid Imagination” Exhibition

Bakir, Nesrin  
English  
Missouri: Evaluating Beginner Readers and Writers Through Classics  
TESOL Convention

Bowman, Matthew  
English  
University of California: Yo Quiero Taco Bell: The Fascination with the Exotic Latino in the U.S.  
(Dis)Junctions

Palmer, Joy  
English  
New York: Forensic Technologies and the Tracing of Identities  
2001 Joint International Conference of the Association for Computers and the Humanities and the Association for Literary and Linguistic Computing

Rosinski, Paula  
English  
New York: Erasing the Subject in Computer Composition: Towards a Theory of Situated Authorship  
2001 Joint International Conference of the Association for Computers and the Humanities and the Association for Literary and Linguistic Computing

Babou, Cheikh A.  
History  
Paris: Brotherhood Solidarity, Education and Migration: The Role of the Dahiras Among the Murid Community of New York  
Internationalization du Religieux: Reseaux et Politics de L’Islam Ouest-Africain

Carignan, Michael  
History  
Boston: Historical Fiction and George Eliot’s Contribution to Nineteenth-Century Historiography  
American History Association

Liou, Yu-fen  
Linguistics & Germanic, Slavic, Asian & African Languages  
California: WH-in-situ and Across the Board Movement  
International Association of Chinese Linguistics and the North American Conference on Chinese Linguistics

Ma, Chunhua  
Linguistics & Germanic, Slavic, Asian & African Languages  
GURT 2001

Miyazaki, Sachie  
Linguistics & Germanic, Slavic, Asian & African Languages  
Japan: The Role of Nods as Reactive Tokens in Japanese Conversation  
Annual Conference of the Society for Teaching Japanese as a Foreign Language

Herrema, Ronald  
Music  
Louisiana: Delicate Outbursts  
SEAMUS 2001 National Conference
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COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS (continued)

Miralis, Yiannis  
Music  
New Zealand: Greek Folk Dances in the Classroom  
International Society for Music Education

Tirk, Richard  
Music  
South Carolina: Attending Band Festival  
University of South Carolina Band Festival

Balla-Omgba, Bonaventure  
Romance & Classical Languages  
Ann Arbor: Les Synethesies dans Les Fleurs du Mal de Baudelaire  
Tenth Annual Charles Fraker Conference on Romance Languages and Literatures

Holan, Alyssa  
Romance & Classical Languages  
Illinois: Transgressing Gender Boundaries: Love and Sexual Desire in the Poetry of Ana Rosetti  
Second Annual Graduate Symposium on Women’s Gender History

“Attending the conference gave me the opportunity to see how other music educators from other countries address world and multicultural music in education. It was very interesting to see how music educators from New Zealand incorporate the Maori music and culture in their teaching.”

Yannis Miralis, School of Music  
College of Arts and Letters

Nappo, Daniel  
Romance & Classical Languages  
Mexico: Hojas Secas Arrebatadas por el Vendaval: La Fase Revolucionareia de Mariano Azeula, 1911-1918  
Jomadas Metropolitanas de Estudios Culturales VIII

Serrano, Damaris E.  
Romance & Classical Languages  
Florida: The Emotions in Literature and Film  
26th Annual Conference on Literature and Film

Serrano, Damaris  
Romance & Classical Languages  
Illinois: Consuelo Tomas’ Fourth Eden: The Liberation of the Erotic Discourse in Contemporary Panamanian Poetry  
Second Annual Graduate Symposium on Women’s Gender History

COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATIONS ARTS AND SCIENCES

Hoobler, Gregory  
Communication  
International Association of Conflict Management

Lee, Byoungkwan  
Communication  
The 13th Annual Northeastern Recreation Research (NERR) Symposium

Inoue, Yasuhiro  
Journalism  
Washington, DC: Factors Affecting Exposure to Cyber Election Campaign: Presidential Election 2000  
International Communication Association 2001
COLLEGE OF HUMAN ECOLOGY

Lekskul, Kunlakarn
Family & Child Ecology
Minnesota: *Individual Differences in the Academic Motivation of Children Born to Low-Income Adolescent Mothers*
Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting

Oh, Su
Family & Child Ecology
Minnesota: *The Antecedents of Individual Differences in Academic Motivation in First Grade Among Children Born to Low-Income Mothers*
Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting

Kang, Soo-Young
Food Science & Human Nutrition
Florida: *Tart Cherry Anthocyanins Suppress Growth of Human Colon Cancer Cell Lines HT 29 and HCT 116*
Experimental Biology 2001 meeting

Choo, Ho Jung
Human Environment & Design
Netherlands: *Predicting New Food Product Purchase Behavior in the Indian Consumer*
European Association of Education and Research in Commercial Distribution

Lee, So Jung
Human Environment & Design
Netherlands: *Measuring the Perception of Market Orientation in Retail Industry: The Comparison of US, Poland, and Russia*
European Association of Education and Research in Commercial Distribution

Lee, Young-A
Human Environment & Design
South Korea: *Using the Human Ecological Perspective to Teach Integration of Knowledge in Apparel and Textiles: A South Korean Case Study in Sustainable Development*
Korean Society of Clothing and Textiles/International Textile and Apparel Association Joint Work Conference

Yi, Eun-Kyung
Human Environment & Design
Alabama: *E-Shopping Motivation Based on Consumer Perceived Risk with Online Shopping*
American Collegiate Retailing Association’s 2001 Spring Conference

COLLEGE OF HUMAN MEDICINE

Polverejan, Elena
Epidemiology
North Carolina: *Estimating Medical Costs in Longitudinal Studies*
ENAR Conference

COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCE

Fielden, Mark
Biochemistry
Australia: *Reproductive and Genomic Effects of Gestational and Lactational Exposure to Diethylstilbestrol in Male Mice*
9th International Congress of Toxicology

Perrin, Robyn
Botany & Plant Pathology
Providence, RI: *Xyoglucan Fucosyltransferase, a Plant Cell Wall Biosynthetic Enzyme*
2001 Annual Meeting of the American Society of Plant Biologists

Cormarkovic-Dragovic, Jasminka
Chemistry
Chicago: *Charge-derivatization of Peptides for Analysis by MALDI-PSD MS—Some Charged Groups are Better than Others*
49th Annual American Society for Mass Spectrometry Conference

Grimm, Donna
Chemistry
Chicago: *Molecular Level Analysis of Water Color Paints Using Laser Desorption/Ionization Mass Spectrometry*
49th Annual American Society for Mass Spectrometry Conference
COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCE (continued)

Kim, Jong-Bum Chemistry
San Diego: *Synthesis of Poly(2-hydroxyethyl methacrylate)-Block-Polyactide on Gold by Dual Living Polymerization*
American Chemical Society Meeting

Liu, Tianqi Chemistry
San Diego: *Synthesis of Poly(lactide)/[(methyl methacrylate) Block Copolymers by a Combination of Ring-Opening and Atom Transfer Radical Polymerization*
Spring American Chemical Society Meeting

Marincean, Simona Chemistry
San Diego: *Protein Transfer Through Intermolecular H.H. Bonding Upon Reaction Of Protein Donors with Aluminum Hydride*
National American Chemical Society Meeting

Simon, Eric Chemistry
Chicago: *The Determination of S-Adenosylmethionline and S-Adenosyhomocysteine in Plant Tissue*
American Society of Mass Spectrometry ASMS

Gedeon, Michelle Geological Sciences
New Mexico: *The Simultaneous Determination of Dissolved Organic Nitrogen Concentrations and Stable Isotopic Values in the Subtropical North Pacific*
American Society of Limnology and Oceanography

―Meeting my copanelists and their friends and colleagues who write books and articles that have shaped and inspired my research, and having them listen to and comment on my work was exhilarating.‖

*Michael Carignan, Department of History College of Arts and Letters*

Roudenki, Svetlana Mathematics
Sweden: *Matrix Weighted Besov Spaces*
Second Goteborg Conference in Harmonic Analysis and Partial Differential Equations

Tarcha, Eric Medical Technology Program
Florida: *Phylogenetic Analysis of the ITS1, 5.8S, and ITS2rDNA Sequences of Lacazia Ioboi Confirms the Placement of this Unique Pathogen within the Onygenales*
American Society for Microbiology’s 101st Meeting

Shea, Robin J. Microbiology
Florida: *An Actinobacillus Pleuropneumoniae in Vivo Indiced Gene That Has Homology to ohr*
American Society for Microbiology Meeting

Cerovski, Viktor Physics and Astronomy
Seattle: *Bond-Disordered Anderson Model on a 2D Square Lattice: Chiral Symmetry and Restoration of One-Parameter Scaling*
2001 Meeting of the American Physical Society

Larson, Paul Physics and Astronomy
Seattle: *Prediction of Semiconducting and Metallic Behavior in AgBiSe2 Due to Structural Change*
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American Physical Society

**COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCE** (continued)

**Mulhall, Declan**  
Physics and Astronomy  
Poland: *Spin Ordering of Nuclear Spectra from Random Interactions*  
International Research Conference and the NATO Advanced Research Workshop on Nuclear Physics (High Spin Physics 2001)

**Goldstein, Samuel**  
Zoology  
Georgia: *Effects of Roundup Ready Soybeans on the Life Cycle of Folsomia Candida (Collembola)*  
Soil Ecology Society Conference

**Steiner, Christopher**  
Zoology  
Madison, Wisconsin: *The Determinants of Daphnia Dominance in Fishless Ponds: Assessing Temporal and Spatial Variation in Competitor and Predator Effects*  
Annual Meeting of the Ecological Society of America

**COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE**

**Mancini, Jayme**  
Neuroscience  
Istanbul: *A Comparison of Brain, Liver, and Blubber Organochlorine Contamination Levels Correlated with Age in Cistophora Cristata from Husavik, Iceland 1999*  
17th International Medical Sciences Student Congress

**COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCE**

**Lackey, Wendy L.**  
Anthropology  
Seattle: *Distinguishing Between Human and Canine Bone Using Haversian System Size and Haversian Canal Diameter*  
2001 American Academy of Forensic Sciences 53rd Annual Meeting

**Cancino, Jeffery M.**  
Criminal Justice  
Washington D.C.: *Es La Cultural: The Mediating Effect of the Hispanic Culture*  
38th Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Science

**Chandek, Meghan**  
Criminal Justice  
38th Annual Meeting of the Academy of Criminal Justice Science

**Stevens, Michelle**  
Criminal Justice  
Kentucky: *Interventions in a Self-Contained EBD School: The Outcomes of a Strengths-Based Perspective*  
Governor’s Conference on Juvenile Justice

**Dowd, Cathryn M.**  
Geography  
New York: *Historic and Pre-Historic Channel Patterns of the Muskegon River, Michigan*  
Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting

**Shin, Eunjong**  
Labor & Industrial Relations  
Norway: *The Korean Industrial Relations System: From Post-Independence to Post-IMF*  
European Conference of International Industrial Relations

**Dobski, Bernard**  
Political Science  
Portsmouth, NH: *Speech and Deed in Book I of Thucydides’ History: Implications for Deliberative Democracy*  
New England Political Science Association Conference

**Dorhoi, Monica**  
Political Science  
Portsmouth, NH: *Can Corruption Really Be Assessed?*  
Conference on Progress and Challenges in Democratization and Economic Liberalization
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COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCE (continued)

Lee, Junhan	Political Science
Chicago: *Modes of Democratic Transition in Asia*  
Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting

Randazzo, Kirk A.	Political Science  
Romania: *Judicial Institutions and the Evolution of Independent Courts in New Democracies*  
Conference on Progress and Challenges in Democratization and Economic Liberalization

Bell, Bradford S.	Psychology
San Diego: *Creating the Balanced Learner: Interactive Effects of Goals and Goal Orientation on Multiple Training Outcomes*  
Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology

Blaskey, Lisa	Psychology
Canada: *Competing Neuropsychological Models in child ADHS Subtypes: Evidence for Distinct Deficit Patterns*  
International Society for Research in Child and Adolescent Psychopathology

Cantillon, Daniel M.	Psychology
California: *Impact of the Neighborhood Microsystem on Self-Reported and Officially Recorded Delinquency: A Block by Block Analysis of Sense of Community*  
2000 American Society of Criminology Conference

Carr, Jennifer	Psychology  
San Diego: *An Integrative Review of Climate Research: Where Have We Been, Where Do We Need to Go?*  
The Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology’s Annual Conference

Chambers, Brad	Psychology
San Diego: *Using Item Response Theory to Investigate Hypothesized Differential Item Functioning on the Basis of Uncertainty Avoidance; and Can I Do It and Do I Care? Examining the Antecedents to State Goal Orientations*  
Society of Industrial and Organizational Psychologists

Chin, Peggy P.	Psychology
Chicago: *The Role of Weight on Impression Formation*  
Midwestern Psychological Association Conference

Davidson, Doug	Psychology
Philadelphia: *Intonational Focus in Denials*  
City University of New York Sentence Processing Conference

Dobbins, Heather W.	Psychology
San Diego: *A Model of State and Trait Goal Orientation in Achievement Contexts*  
Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology Conference

Ellis, Aleksander	Psychology
San Diego: *Impression Management Tactics in Structured Interviews: A Function of Question Type*  
16th Annual Conference for the Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology

Gillespie, Michael	Psychology
San Diego: *An Examination of the Interactions Among Subordinate Locus Control, Task Structure, and Leadership Style in Accordance with the Path-Goal Theory of Leadership*  
The Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology’s Annual Conference
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COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCE (continued)
Horvath, Michael Psychology
San Diego: Goal Orientation: Integrating Theory and Measurement; and Longitudinal Relationships Among Goal Orientation, Goal-Setting, and Self-Efficacy; and Using Uncertainty Avoidance to Predict Differential Item Functioning
The Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology’s Annual Conference

Huth-Bocks, Alissa Psychology
Minneapolis: Mother-Infant Attachment: The Impact of Maternal Representations During Pregnancy, Self Efficacy, and Social Support
Society for Research in Child Development

Mayzer, Roni Psychology
Canada: Childhood Indicators and Early Onset of Alcohol Use
Research Society on Alcoholism

Milner, Karen Psychology
San Diego: Impression Consequences of Seeking Job Performance Feedback; and Effects of Information Seeking on Performance Ratings
The Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology’s Annual Conference

Nguyen, Dung-Hanh Psychology
San Diego: Napping in the Workplace and the Stigma of Incompetence
The Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology’s Annual Conference

Randall, Katie Weaver Psychology
Georgia: Understanding Schizophrenia in a Mutual-Help Setting

Schmidt, Aaron Psychology
San Diego: Promoting Active Learning through Metacognitive Instruction
The Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology’s Annual Conference

Wiechmann, Darin Psychology
San Diego: Values and Expectations: Examining the Legitimacy of Justice
The Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology’s Annual Conference

Wolf, Angela Psychology
2000 American Society of Criminology Conference

Yamaguchi, Tomiko Sociology
Minneapolis: Social Impacts to Social Processes: Understanding Agriculture Food Biotechnology in India
Annual Meetings of the Agricultural, Food, and Human Values Societies

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
Wu, Xiuwen Counseling, Educational Psychology & Special Education
Seattle: Involving All Kids: Literacy Apprenticeship Through Social Discourses in a First-Grade Classroom

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Joy Palmer, Department of English
College of Arts and Letters

Kritskaya, Olga
Educational Administration
Finland: The Role of Visual Expression in the Genesis of Epistemological Interpretations
World Conference on Educational Multimedia, Hypermedia & Telecommunications

Beilock, Sian
Kinesiology
Greece: Skilled Performance and Expertise-Induced Amnesia
10th World Congress of Sport Psychology

Craft, Lynette
Kinesiology
Baltimore: Comparing Symptoms of Depression in College Freshman Athletes and Non-Athletes
American College of Sports Medicine National Convention

O’Mahony, Carolyn
Teacher Education
Seattle: Conducting Research in the Schools: New Challenges
Association of Educational Researchers’ Conference

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Kim, Hae Kyung
Civil and Environmental Engineering
San Diego: Effects of Several Electron Donors on Dehalogenation in Anaerobic Soil Microcosms
In Situ and On-Site Bioremediation

Ghavamzadeh, Mohammad
Computer Science
Williams Town: Continuous-Time Hierarchical Reinforcement Learning
18th International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML-2001)

Lee, Kukjin
Computer Science
Toronto: A Component-Based Framework for Uniform Resource Visualization
23rd International Conference on Software Engineering (ICSE-2001)

Theocharous, Georgios
Computer Science
Korea: Learning Hierarchical Partially Observable Markov Decision Processes for Robot Navigation
International Conference on Robotics and Automation

Zhang, Yilu
Computer Science
Canada: Developing Auditory Skills by the SAIL Robot
2001 IEEE International Symposium on Computational Intelligence in Robotics and Automation

Elhajj, Imad
Electrical and Computer Engineering
Seoul, Korea: Modeling and Control of Internet Based Cooperative Teleoperation
International Conference on Robotics and Automation
COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING  (continued)

Lee, Jeong-Seog  Electrical and Computer Engineering
Boston:  Steepest Descents Evaluation of Asymmetric Planar Dielectric Waveguide Field
IEEE International Symposium on Antennas and Propagation and USNC/URSI National Radio Science Meeting

Sheng, Weihua  Electrical and Computer Engineering
Seoul, Korea:  Graph-based Surface Merging in CAD-guided Dimensional Inspection of Automotive Parts
International Conference on Robotics and Animation 2001

Tan, Jindong  Electrical and Computer Engineering
Seoul, Korea:  Unified Model Approach for Planning and Control of Mobile Manipulators
IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation

Choi, Sunglak  Materials Science and Mechanics
New Orleans:  Creep Properties of Eutectic Sn-Ag Solder and Sn-Ag Composite Solders Containing Intermetallic Particles
2001 The Minerals, Metals, and Materials Society Annual Meeting

Guo, Fu  Materials Science and Mechanics
New Orleans:  Studies of Eutectic Sn-Ag Solders Reinforced with Mechanically Incorporated Ni Particles
2001 The Minerals, Metals, and Materials Society Annual Meeting

Krueger, Jill Ann  Materials Science and Mechanics
San Francisco:  The Effects of Pretreatment with Glucosamine on Mechanically Traumatized Cartilage Explants
47th Annual Meeting of the Orthopedic Research Society

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