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 Fall 2001/Spring 2002 semesters. 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 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 world. We congratulate these students on their accomplishments!

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Koehler, Nadja
Ag. & Ext. Ed.
Higgins Lake, MI
14th Annual Michigan Alliance for Environmental and Outdoor Education Conference
Attending conference

Kim-Yang, Hyesoon
Agricultural Engr.
Sacramento, CA
2001 American Society of Agricultural Engineers Annual International Meeting

Frahm, Mark
Crop & Soil Sciences
Fargo, ND
2001 BIC/NAIPA Meetings
Drought Resistance Evaluated in a Lowland Tropical Environment using Two Recombinant Inbred Populations of Black Bean

Vallejo, Veronica
Crop & Soil Sciences
San Diego, CA
Plant and Animal Genome Conference
Gene Conditioning Resistance to Bean Anthracnose

Agle, Kaci J.
Entomology
Chennai, (Madras) India
Biotechnology for Development Conference
Attending conference

Fondren, Kirsten
Entomology
San Diego, CA
Entomological Society of America’s Annual Meeting
Effectiveness of Alternative Methods for Control of Pine Needle Scale (Chionaspis pinifoliaceae) in Michigan Christmas Tree Fields

Hereau, Holly
Entomology
Leiden, Netherlands
Fourth International Conference on the Biology of Butterflies
Heterospecific Preferences of Male Papilio canadensis are Extended Only to Yellow, Not Dark Morph Papilio glaucus Females in Field Tethering Studies

Felix, Alexandra
Fisheries & Wildlife
Limassol, Cyprus
XXVth Congress of the International Union of Game Biologists
Applications of Using a Landscape-Scale Model to Quantify White-Tailed Deer Habitat Potential in Michigan

Lepczyk, Christopher
Fisheries & Wildlife
Hilo, HI
15th Annual Meeting of the Society for Conservation Biology
Direct and Indirect Effects of Landowners on Birds Along BBS Routes of a Dynamic Landscape

*Limited 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: http://grad.msu.edu/funding.htm or call 517.355.0301, or visit 118 Linton Hall.
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“This conference attracted people from a wide variety of fields, and gave me a forum for presenting my research to a wider, more general audience.”

Julie Scrivener, School of Music

## COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION ARTS AND SCIENCES

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Faculty Development to Support Faculty Work: Monitoring the Present and Conceptualizing the Future |
| Hall, Leigh          | Teacher Education                                | San Antonio, TX| National Reading Conference  
Learning Information and Procedural Genres in Second Grade Science Instruction: A Test of Immersion Versus Explicit Explanation |
| Thanesvorakul, S.    | Food Science/Nutrition                           | New Orleans, LA| Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology (FASEB)  
Food Allergy: Mixed-Nuts Selectively Induce Eosinophilia in Mice |
| Bender, Diane        | Human Environment & Design                       | Santa Fe, NM   | Interior Design Educators Council International Conference  
Attitudes of Higher Education Interior Design Faculty Toward the Innovation of Distance Education |
| Svasdisant, Tunwin    | Civil & Environ. Engr.                           | Washington, DC | Transportation Research Board 81st Annual Meeting  
Mechanistic Analysis of Top-down Cracks in Asphalt Pavements |
| Zhang, Xuesong       | Civil & Environ. Engr.                           | Washington, DC | Transportation Research Board 81st Annual Meeting  
1) Pedestrian LOS and Quality of Operations Assessment Methods  
2) Assessment of Red Light Camera Enforcement Technologies |
| Torres-Carrasquillo, P. | Electrical & Comp. Engr.                       | San Juan, Puerto Rico | Seminar at the Polytechnic University of Puerto Rico  
Language Identification Using Gaussian Mixture Modeling |
| Jayaraman, Vijay     | Mechanical Engineering                          | San Antonio, TX| 45th Stapp Car Crash Conference  
Effects of Anterior-Posterior Constraint on Injury Patterns in the Human Knee During Tibial-Femoral Joint Loading from Axial Forces through the Tibia |
| Hudy, Laura M.       | Mechanical Engineering                          | Reno, NV       | 40th American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics Aerospace Sciences Meeting and Exhibit  
Wall-Pressure-Array Measurements Beneath a Separating/Reattaching Flow Region |
| Li, Xiao Peng        | Physiology                                      | San Diego, CA  | Society for Neuroscience’s 31st Annual Meeting  
Vasodilatory Efficacy of Guanidine-Containing Compounds in Chemically Sympathectomized Guinea Pig Mesenteric Artery |
| Bullen, Heather      | Chemistry                                       | Orlando, FL    | 223rd American Chemical Society National Meeting  
1) Investigation of Size-dependent Reactivity in Crystalline TiO$_2$ Supported Nanoparticle Arrays  
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Singapore  
Osteopathic Medicine  
10th International Conference on Infectious Diseases  
*Antimicrobial Resistance in Campylobacter, E. coli and Salmonella Isolated from Food Animals and Humans in Northern Thailand*

### COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

**Cornelison, Jered**  
Atlanta, GA  
Anthropology  
53rd Annual American Academy of Forensic Sciences Meeting  
*Comparative Radiography of the Lateral Hyoid: A New Method for Human Identification*

**Moon, Byongook**  
Anaheim, CA  
Criminal Justice  
Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences 2002 Conference  
*The Reasons for Choosing a Career in Policing Among South Korean Police Officers*

**Hwang, Eui-Gab**  
Anaheim, CA  
Criminal Justice  
Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences 2002 Conference  
*The Reasons for Choosing a Career in Policing Among South Korean Police Officers*

**Zhang, Yan**  
Anaheim, CA  
Criminal Justice  
Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences 2002 Conference  
*Blacking Prison*

**Kilic, Rehim**  
Kansas City, KS  
Economics  
Midwest Econometrics Group Meeting  
*Analyzing Nonlinear and Non-stationary Behavior of Real Exchange Rates Over the Floating Period*

**Wang, Chien-Ho**  
Chicago, IL  
Economics  
Midwest Economics Association 66th Annual Meeting  
*Convergence for Integrable and Asymptotically Homogeneous Functions of Integrated Processes*

“I learned a tremendous amount about the natural resource concerns that other countries are facing, and most importantly that building international networks is necessary to address global concerns.”

Alexandra Felix, Fisheries and Wildlife

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**Pema, Elda**  
Chicago, IL  
Economics  
Midwest Economics Association 66th Annual Meeting  
*Academic Publications-Their Reward, Life-Cycle Profile, and Depreciation Over Time: Evidence for Academic Economics in Midwestern Universities*

**Smucker, Thomas**  
Houston, TX  
Geography  
African Studies Association  
*Changing Land Rights and Responses to Drought in Tharaka, Kenya*
COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCE continued

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Butt, Bilal
Geography
Los Angeles, CA
Association of American Geographers Conference
The Political Ecology of Cattle Grazing in the Talek Region of Northern Maasai Mara National Reserve, Kenya

Hupy, Joseph
Geography
Los Angeles, CA
American Association of Geographers Conference
Effects of Soil Surface Texture and Vegetative Cover on Aeolian Sediment Generation

Kelley, Erin
Geography
Lexington, KY
Geological Society of American Southeastern/Northcentral Annual Conference
The Post-Glacial Geomorphic History of a Portion of the Manistee River

Lukomski, Laura
Geography
Los Angeles, CA
Association of American Geographers Conference
The Effect of Land Cover Change on Red-Headed Woodpecker Populations

Wangui, Elizabeth E.
Geography
Los Angeles, CA
98th Association of American Geographers Meeting
Links Between Land Use Change and Gendered Division of Labor in Southeast Kajiado District, Kenya

Richardson, Heather
Neuroscience Program
San Diego, CA
Society for Neuroscience Meeting
Puberty and Steroid Regulation of Gonadotropin Releasing Hormone (GnRH) mRNA

Cook-Wiens, Eric
Neuroscience Program
San Diego, CA
Society for Neuroscience Meeting
Age-related Behavioral Deficits in Drosophila melanogaster

Carson, Jamie
Political Science
San Francisco, CA
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting
Investigating the Electoral Roots of Conditional Party Government and Congressional Responses to the Supreme Court
Atlanta, GA
Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting
1) Measuring The Effects of Differential Turnout on House Elections in the 1990s and Electoral Accountability
2) Roll Call Voting in the U.S. Senate

Finocchiaro, Charles J.
Political Science
San Francisco, CA
American Political Science Association Annual Meeting
Unconventional Processes of Legislating in the U.S. House: The Role of Party and Committee Leaders in Pre-Floor Decisionmaking
Atlanta, GA
Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting
Controlling Turf: Referral and Amendment Rights in the House

Hwang, Wonjae
Political Science
San Francisco, CA
2001 the American Political Science Association Annual Meeting
Estimating a Spatial Model of International Interactions

“The most useful aspect of conference presentation is that it facilitates feedback from established forensic scientists, which the student can use to fine-tune research for publication.”

Jared Cornelison, Anthropology
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Souva, Mark  
San Francisco, CA  
Political Science  
American Political Science Association Meeting  
*An Electoral and Institutional Explanation of Conflict and Partisanship in Congressional Foreign Policy, 1975-1996*

Nishikawa, Misa  
San Francisco, CA  
Political Science  
Annual Meeting of American Political Science Association  
*The Electoral Consequences of Mixed Electoral Systems: The Contamination Effects and Strategic Behavior*

Cho, Wonbin  
San Francisco, CA  
Political Science  
The American Political Science Association Annual Meeting  
*Paths of Democratic Transition in Asia*

Theran, Sally  
San Francisco, CA  
Psychology  
American Psychological Association  
*The Social Networks for Women Experiencing Intimate Partner Violence*

Martinez, Gladys  
San Diego, CA  
Psychology  
Society for Neuroscience 31st Annual Meeting  
*Rhythms of Fos Expression Within Orexin Neurons in the Diurnal Murid Rodent Arvicanthis Niloticus*

Salas-Ramirez, K.  
Río Padres, Puerto Rico  
Psychology  
Society for Neuroscience  
*Blockade of Glutamate Metabotropic Receptor within the Nucleus Accumbens on Learning in Rats*

El-Alayli, Amani  
Savannah, GA  
Psychology  
Society for Personality and Social Psychology  
*Self-Serving Perceptions of the Controllability of Personality Attributes*

Arrington, Catherine  
Orlando, FL  
Psychology  
Psychonomic Society  
*Task Switching and Task Similarity: Old-Task Inhibition and New-Task Facilitation*

Perkins, Patrick  
Albuquerque, NM  
Psychology  
2001 Annual Meeting of the Eating Disorders Research Society  
*Personality Traits in Women with Anorexia Nervosa and Bulimia Nervosa: Evidence for a Treatment-Seeking Bias?*

Renaud, Jeanette  
Savannah, GA  
Psychology  
Annual Conference of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology  
*The Context Dependent Nature of Attitudes Toward Close Others*

**COLLEGE OF VETERINARY MEDICINE**

Cunningham, L.  
Freiburg, Germany  
Microbiology  
11th International Workshop on Campylobacter, Helicobacter and Related Organisms  
*Detection of IL-8 in the Feces of Swine Infected with Campylobacter jejuni*

Ali, Magdi M.  
Atlanta, GA  
Microbiology  
50th Annual meeting for the American Society of Topical Medicine & Hygiene  
*Immune Responses Associated with the Destruction of Microfilariae in Human Onchocerciasis*

“It gave me an opportunity to interact with fellow political scientists and present my research to the leading scholars in the field.”  
Jamie Carson, Political Science
MISSION OF THE GRADUATE SCHOOL
To serve as an advocate for graduate education to the University and beyond and to enhance the quality of graduate education at MSU in all its diverse dimensions