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Named Interim Dean of the
College of Education**



Dr. Shirley Lefever-Davis

Welcome to fall semester 2013! I am happy to be serving the College of Education as interim dean. I'm also pleased that Dr. Clay Stoldt, former chair of the Department of Sport Management, has stepped up to serve as interim associate dean. We will be working with faculty, staff and students to ensure that the college continues to advance and improve.

This is a critical year as we address numerous key initiatives, including strategic planning at the college and department levels, the search for a permanent dean and adapting to changes in our education accreditation standards. Most importantly, we look forward to new opportunities to work with our students and prepare them for future success.



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Dr. Mark Vermillion

Dr. Mark Vermillion has accepted the position of chair of the Department of Sport Management. Dr. Vermillion is also the Executive Director of the Partnership for the Advancement of Sport Management. His research focus regards the socio-cultural and psychological dimensions of sport. "It's a wonderful learning experience and I'm glad to help out the department however I can," said Dr. Vermillion. "Our goal is to continue the tradition of

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productivity in education that Dr. Stoldt has established.”

PASM Names 5th Fellow

With the recent development of the Partnership for the Advancement of Sport Management (PASM) several *fellows* have been invited—and subsequently have accepted—to be a part of PASM.

A *fellow* has to be invited by a member of PASM’s governance board for the purpose of providing PASM with a panel of qualified experts from a variety of backgrounds, occupations, and disciplines. We are pleased to announce our fifth PASM fellow:

- Jessica Varlack - Assistant Director - Aquatic Education & Programs, Purdue University

We sincerely thank all the individual fellows for their participation and look forward to developing more relationships with our increasingly large network of highly qualified practitioners, students, faculty, staff, and community members.

Nick Taylor Wins 5th Grand Slam Doubles Championship

Congratulations to Nick Taylor and David Wagner for winning their fifth straight U.S. Open Grand Slam Doubles Championship in New York, NY! In addition to playing Nick had the chance to meet and take pictures with many celebrities like Chris Carter, Michael Strahan, Jimmy Buffett, Kevin Spacey and Ben Stiller & his wife Christine Taylor.

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David Moses – Legal Issues in the Profession II
Dr. Martin Perline — Economics of Sport
Frank Rokosz – Struct. & Scheduling Sport Tournaments
Steve Shaad — Sport Tournament & Event Mgt, Selling in the Sport Industry

Dr. Richard Laptad – Assistant Professor Emeritus

Dr. Lori Miller – Professor Emeritus

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