

Curriculum Vitae
Collin M. Ruud

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EDUCATION

University of Illinois at Urbana/Champaign

Doctor of Philosophy Candidate in Higher Education

August 2007 - Present

Department of Educational Organization and Leadership

Expected conferral Summer 2012

Dissertation title: *College Student Social Networking and its Impact on Perceived Social Support*

University of Illinois at Urbana/Champaign

Master of Education in Higher Education

May 2007

Department of Educational Organization and Leadership

3.96 GPA

University of Missouri – Kansas City

Master of Arts in Higher Education (transferred)

August 2004 – May 2006

Transferred to University of Illinois for research focus before completion

4.0 GPA

Butler University, Indianapolis, IN

Bachelor of Music in Composition

2004

Graduated Cum Laude with Departmental High Honors

Minor in Computer Science

3.87 GPA

EMPLOYMENT

University of Illinois – Urbana/Champaign, Office of Community College Research and Leadership

Visiting Project Coordinator

2011 – Present

Project management and assistance in projects funded by the National Science Foundation, Lumina Foundation for Education, and the Illinois Community College Board. Oversee technology operations for the office and its affiliated projects, project management software, the OCCRL website, communication, and dissemination.

University of Illinois – Urbana/Champaign, Office of Community College Research and Leadership

Graduate Research Assistant

2007 – 2011

Assisted in conducting research, co-authored reports and refereed articles.

Worked on projects funded by the Lumina Foundation for Education, the Illinois State Board of Education, and the Illinois Community College Board.

University of Illinois System, Office of the Vice President of Technology and Economic Development

Graduate Research Assistant

2006 – 2007

Compiled data from national databases for comparative reports for the University in technology transfer, patenting, and other areas. Maintained research databases on spending and technology transfer practices.

University of Missouri – Kansas City

Assistant Resident Manager

2004 – 2006

Served as primary researcher for customer satisfaction survey, writing reports and conference papers. Co-managed a staff of paraprofessional Community Assistants and Desk Assistants.

PUBLICATIONS

Forthcoming Publications

- Ruud, C. M., & Bragg, D. D. (forthcoming). Applied baccalaureate degrees in the context of baccalaureate education. In Gardner, M. M. (Ed.). *Alternative Pathways to the Baccalaureate*. Sterling, VA: Stylus.
- Makela, J. P., Ruud, C. M., Bennett, S., & Bragg, D. D. (2012, April). *Investigating applied baccalaureate degree pathways in technician education: A technical report*. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Past Publications

- Makela, J. P., Ruud, C. M., Bennett, S., & Bragg, D. D. (2012, March). *Investigating applied baccalaureate degree pathways in technician education: Executive summary*. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Retrieved from http://occr.illinois.edu/files/Projects/nsf_ab/NSF-AB-ExecSummary-2012.pdf
 - Makela, J. P., Ruud, C. M., & Bragg, D. D. (2011, December). *Exploring the landscape: Identifying pathways to baccalaureate degrees in technician education*. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership. Available at <http://occr.illinois.edu/files/InBrief/Brief-Dec-11.pdf>
 - Bragg, D. D., Cullen, D. P., Bennett, S., & Ruud, C. M. (2011, November). *All or nothing? Midpoint credentials for students who stop short of the baccalaureate degree*. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership. Available at http://occr.illinois.edu/files/Projects/midpoint_credentials/All_or_Nothing.pdf
 - Bragg, D. D., & Ruud, C. M. (2011). *The adult learner and the applied baccalaureate: Lessons from six states*. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership. Available at <http://occr.illinois.edu/files/Projects/lumina/Report/LuminaABFinalReport.pdf>
 - Bragg, D. D., & Ruud, C. M. (2011). *The applied baccalaureate: What we know, what we learned, and what we need to know*. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership. Available at http://occr.illinois.edu/files/Projects/lumina/Paper/AB_Convening_Paper.pdf
 - Ruud, C. M., & Bragg, D. D. (eds.)(2010). *Update on Research and Leadership, Spring 2010*. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership. Available at <http://occr.illinois.edu/files/Newsletter/UPDATE-Spring-10.pdf>
 - Ruud, C. M. (2010). The Lumina perspective: A conversation with Holly Zanville. In Ruud, C. M., & Bragg, D. D. (eds.). *Update on Research and Leadership, Spring 2010*. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership.
 - Ruud, C. M., & Bragg, D. D. (2010). The applied baccalaureate degree: What we have learned so far. In Ruud, C. M., & Bragg, D. D. (eds.). *Update on Research and Leadership, Spring 2010*. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership.
 - Ruud, C. M. (2010). Applied baccalaureate policy in six states. In Ruud, C. M., & Bragg, D. D. (eds.). *Update on Research and Leadership, Spring 2010*. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership.
 - Ruud, C. M., Bragg, D. D., & Townsend, B. K. (2010). The applied baccalaureate degree: The right time and place. *Community College Journal of Research and Practice*, 34, 136-152.
 - Townsend, B. K., Bragg, D. D., & Ruud, C. M. (2009). Development of the applied baccalaureate. *Community College Journal of Research and Practice*, 33, 686-705.
 - Bragg, D. D., Townsend, B. K., & Ruud, C. M. (2009, January). The adult learner and the applied baccalaureate: Emerging lessons for state and local implementation. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership. Available at <http://occr.ed.uiuc.edu/Projects/lumina/AppBaccBrief.pdf>
 - Townsend, B. K., Bragg, D. D., & Ruud, C. M. (2008, October). The adult learner and the applied baccalaureate: National and state-by-state inventory. Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership. Available at <http://occr.ed.uiuc.edu/Projects/lumina/AppBaccInventory.pdf>
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- Bragg, D.D., & Ruud, C.M. (2007). "Career pathways, academic performance, and transition to college and careers: The impact of two select Career and Technical Education (CTE) transition programs on student outcomes." Champaign, IL: Office of Community College Research and Leadership.

PRESENTATIONS/CONFERENCES

- "Technician Education and the Applied Baccalaureate Degree: Exploring Program Designs and Addressing Challenges"
Presenter at 2011 NSF-ATE Principal Investigator Conference, October 27.
- "Applied Baccalaureate Degrees: A Look at Six Example States"
Roundtable presenter at 2010 Association for the Study of Higher Education Conference, November 18-20.
- "The Net Effect: A Conceptual Framework of Sociotechnological Impact on Traditional College-Age Students"
Presenter at 2010 American Educational Research Association Annual Conference, April 30-May 4.
- Attendee at 2009 Association for the Study of Higher Education Conference, November 4-7.
Invitee/attendee at Graduate Policy pre-conference
- "The Applied Baccalaureate Degree: The Right Time and Place?"
Presenter at 2009 Council for the Study of Community Colleges Annual Conference, April 3-4.
- "Using a Respect Campaign to Promote Respectful Campus Communities "
Presenter at NASPA Region IV-West Regional Conference, 2006
- "The LGBT Housing Liaison Position"
Presenter at Missouri ACPA Conference, 2006

AWARDS

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| • Hardie Travel Support Award | 2009 – 2010 |
| • William Chandler Bagley Doctoral Scholarship, University of Illinois | 2009 – 2010 |
| | 2007 – 2008 |
| • Carl W. Knox Scholarship, University of Illinois | 2008 – 2009 |
| • Letitia Walsh Fellowship, University of Illinois | 2007 – 2009 |
| • William Chandler Bagley Master's Scholarship, University of Illinois | 2006 – 2007 |