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This document was compiled from the following sources: (1) as self-reported in annual reviews; (2) from examination of conference programs for conferences taking place between April 1, 2011 and April 1, 2012 that are traditionally well-attended by SC&I scholars; (3) announcements of fellowships and awards posted to the Ph.D. Program’s “INside: News and People” webpage (http://comminfo.rutgers.edu/ph-d-program/inside-news-people.html); and (4) “Weekly Updates” emails to the comminfo_phd listserv. Local non-academic presentations are excluded. Contributions in which more than one doctoral student are listed as authors can be found under the first doctoral student’s last name. Compiled by Hannah Kwon.

Awards and Honors

Lisa A. Ambrose & Brian D. Agnew – Outstanding paper nomination, Association of Leadership Educators, for “Leadership from two lenses: Perceptions about leadership from current and potential academic administrators,” July 2011


Danielle Catona – Top Four Paper Award, Communication and Aging Division of the National Communication Association, for “Age-adapted speech in an assisted living facility,” November 2011

Danielle Catona – Outstanding Thesis Award, Communication and Aging Division of the National Communication Association, for “Age-adapted speech in an assisted living facility,” November 2011

Erik Choi and Jacob Sanchez – Best Graduate Student Paper Award, New Jersey Communication Association, for “Startup and mature company uses of microblogging for information sharing”

Michael J. Cole & Chang Liu – Best Paper Award, Interactive Information & Design Track, American Society for Information Science and Technology (ASIS&T), for “Dynamic Assessment of Information Acquisition Effort during Interactive Search,” October 2011

Roi Estlein – Student submission award, International Association for Relationship Research (IARR), April 2011

Debra E. Glassco – Best Paper Honorable Mention award, New York Communication Association, for “Miles beneath the bus: The construction of Jeremiah Wright Jr. in the public imagination,” October 2011

Debra E. Glassco – New Voices in Cultural Studies Distinction, National Communication Association, November 2011

Nathan E. Graham – International Guest Lectureship at Hochschule Darmstadt (Dieburg campus), to teach five-week course called "Collaborative Archives" and deliver a lecture to 200 scholars at the conclusion of the course, 2011


Vaibhavi Kulkarni – Top Graduate Student Paper award, Public Relations Division of the National Communication Association, for “Use of social media in crisis communication: A comparative study,” November 2011

Kevin Lerner – Top Poster, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC), for “Intellectual heft: A.J. Liebling as an opponent of anti-intellectualism in American journalism,” August 2011

Jessica Lingel – Bohdan S. Wynar Research Paper Competition, Association for Library and Information Science Education (ALISE), for “Improvisation, Tactics, and Wandering: Urban
Information Practices of Migrational Individuals," January 2012

Chang Liu & Michael J. Cole – Best Information Behavior Conference Poster Award, Special Interest Group on Information Needs, Seeking, and Use (SIG USE), American Society for Information Science and Technology (ASIS&T), for “Using dwell time as an implicit measure of usefulness in different task types,” October 2011

Teresa Luettel-Keeler – Innovation through Institutional Integration (I3) grant, Project AGER/Advancing Graduate Education at Rutgers, an NSF-funded project of the Graduate School New Brunswick, for project entitled "Learning to manage conflict in group projects"

Dara P. Murray – Dissertation Teaching Award, Graduate School New Brunswick, Rutgers University, 2011-2012

Susanna Sabolcsi-Boros and Hannah Kwon – RUSA Best paper published in the past two years, with Marie L. Radford, Lynn Silipigni Connaway, and Patrick Confer, for "Are we getting warmer?"

Fellowships and Scholarships

Brian D. Agnew – Fellowship, Pre-Doctoral Leadership Development Institute, Rutgers University, 2010-2012

Isra Ali – Graduate Assistantship, Center for Race and Ethnicity, Rutgers University, 2011-2012

Jorge N. Amador - Ralph Bunche Fellowship, Rutgers University, 2010-2012

Lisa A. Ambrose – Fellowship, Pre-Doctoral Leadership Development Institute, Rutgers University, 2010-2012

Eun Jung Baik and Go Un Kim – SC&I Summer Research Fellowship with Rebecca Reynolds and Nicholas J. Belkin, Summer 2012

Malgorzata Boyraz – SC&I Summer Research Fellowship with Jennifer Gibbs, Summer 2012

Frank Bridges – SC&I Summer Research Fellowship with John Pavlik, Summer 2012

Santanu Chakrabarthi – Tejeshwar Singh Memorial Fellowship in the category of Media and Communication Studies, Sage Publications India, 2011-2012

Seung Won (Erik) Choi – SC&I Summer Research Fellowship with Chirag Shah and Craig Scott, Summer 2012

Nicole Cooke – Fellowship, Pre-Doctoral Leadership Development Institute, Rutgers University, 2010-2012

Punit Dadlani – Barham Scholarship (Graduate Assistantship), Center for International Scholarship in School Libraries (CISSSL), Rutgers University, 2012

Maria Dwyer – Fellowship, Pre-Doctoral Leadership Development Institute, Rutgers University, 2011-2012

Charles F. File – Graduate Fellowship, Command, Control, and Interoperability Center for Advanced Data Analysis (CCICADA), 2011-2012

Roberto González-Ibáñez – SC&I Summer Research Fellowship with Chirag Shah, Summer 2012

Elizabeth W. Gough-Gordon – Graduate Student Fellowship, Rutgers Academy for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning (RASTL), 2010-2012

Hee Won Kim and Muge Haseki – SC&I Summer Research Fellowship with Matt Weber, Summer 2012

Vaibhavi Kulkarni - University Merit Graduate Scholarship, Rutgers University, 2011-2012

Kevin Lerner and Andrew Salvati – SC&I Summer Research Fellowship Award with David Greenberg, Summer 2012

Jessica Lingel - AAUP Doctoral Fellowship, Fall 2011

Chang Liu – Tung-Li & Huin-Hsi Yuan Endowed Scholarship, SC&I, Rutgers University, 2011

Vyshali Manivannan – SC&I Summer Research Fellowship with Jack Bratich, Summer 2012

Alexander E. Pichugin – Pamela Richards Endowed Memorial Fellowship, SC&I, Rutgers
University, 2011


Sheena P. Raja – Graduate Student Fellowship, Cultures of Finance Working Group, Institute for Public Knowledge, New York University

Nik Ahmad R. Nik Abdul Rashid – Scholarship, Bank Negara Malaysia, 2007-2014

Bryce Renninger – Fellowship, Rutgers’ Institute for Research on Women, 2012-2013

Si Sun – SC&I Summer Research Fellowship with Xiaomu Zhou, Summer 2012

Iulian Vamanu – Pamela Richards Endowed Memorial Scholarship, SC&I, Rutgers University, 2011

Stephen S. Voorhees – Fellowship, Academy of Television Arts & Sciences, Faculty Seminar, November 2011

Research Grants

Lora Appel – Funding from Jennifer Warren (SC&I) and Michelle Azu (Assistant Professor of Surgery, UMDNJ/Robert Wood Johnson Medical School and The Cancer Institute of New Jersey) for “The Internet, social media and surgeon selection: An analysis of online factors influencing a patient’s decision in choosing a surgeon,” Summer 2012

Marie Haverfield – Financial award from the Graduate School for International Pre-Dissertation/Special Study to conduct research on families dealing with alcoholism in Berlin, Germany, Summer 2012

Alexander E. Pichugin – Research grant from the Max Kade Center for Contemporary German Literature at Washington University in St. Louis, funded by the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD), 2012; Workshop Organization Grant from the German Language School Conference (GLSC), 2011

Editing, Reviewing, Blogging

Frank Bridges – Peer reviewer, Information Polity: Special Issue on Open Government and Public Participation; Peer reviewer, Pervasive 2012 Conference

Jonathan Bullinger – Blogger, The Playgrounds: The blog about labor and play


Roi Estlein – Ad hoc reviewer, Journal of Social and Personal Relationship; Young Scholar reviewer, Journal of Family Communication


Nathan Graham – Editorial assistant, Journal of Education in Library and Information Science

Zhe Li – Reviewer, International Communication Association, Communication and Technology Division, 2012

Chang Liu – Poster and paper reviewer, iConference 2012; Poster reviewer, ASIS&T 2011 Conference

Kate Magasamen Conrad – Guest reviewer, Journal of Intercultural Communication Research

Alexander E. Pichugin – Reviewer, ASIS&T 2011 Conference
Camille Reyes – Blogger, Rutgers University Graduate School-New Brunswick Graduate Student Blog
Iulian Vamanu – Reviewer, Meta: Research in Hermeneutics, Phenomenology, and Practical Philosophy

Invitational Workshops and Seminars
Isra Ali – Doctoral Honors Seminar, National Communication Association 2011
Hannah Kwon – Doctoral Colloquium, iConference 2012
Sun Kyong Lee – Doctoral Colloquium, Association of Internet Researchers Annual Conference 2011
Jessica Lingel – 2011 Association of Internet Researchers PhD colloquium
Jessica Lingel – Doctoral Colloquium, iConference 2012
Rannie Teodoro – Workshop researcher at the 2012 ACM Conference on Computer Supported Cooperative Work, Bellevue, WA; 2011 Health Communication Doctoral Fellows Seminar

Publications
Bonfield, B. (2011, September 21). Is the United States training too many librarians or too few? (part 1) [Web log post]. Retrieved from


Lingel, J., & Naaman, M. (2012). You should have been there, man: Live music, DIY content and online communities. *New Media & Society, 14*(2), 332-34.


Oh, K., & Gwizdka, J. (in press). Using tablet computers to increase interaction and collaboration in a higher education classroom. In M. Barnett & J. Vanides (Eds.), *Reimagining the classroom: Innovations in teaching and learning with technology (Vol. 2): Collaborative and distributed learning: Beyond the individual*. Eugene, OR: ISTE.


Conference Presentations


Amador, J. (2011, November). *The power of Glee: the use of positive televisual representations of gay father-son relationships to stop the spiral of silence.* Poster session presented at the National Communication Association 97th Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA.


Bonanno, G. B. (2011, November). *Let’s hear that story one more time! Helping students to become more confident in a public speaking class through a simple story-telling exercise.* Presentation at the National Communication Association 97th Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA.

Boyraz, M., & Ki, S. (2012, April). *What is the impact of communication overload on employees? Should we or could we alleviate the impact on well-being?* Paper to be presented at the New Jersey Communication Association 16th Annual Conference, Monmouth University, West Long Branch, NJ.


Bridges, F. (2012, March). *The Hub City rocks and rolls with the changing times: How the New Brunswick music scene has developed over the past 30 years.* Paper presented at the Meeting of the Eastern American Studies Association, New Brunswick, NJ.


Carpenter, A., Magsamen-Conrad, K., Greene, K., & Catona, D. (2012, July). *A brief disclosure intervention to increase HIV disclosure efficacy and access to social support.* Paper to be presented at the International Association of Relationship Research Conference, Chicago, IL.


Crowell, J. (2011, October). Mediating the American prison: communication as connection, power, stimulation and escape. Poster session presented at the National Communication Association 97th Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA.


Estlein, R. (2012, July). *The dynamics of social support in message boards for new parents: Receiving and providing informational, emotional, and companionate support.* Paper to be presented at the International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Chicago, IL.

Estlein, R. (2012, July). *Parenting styles through an interpersonal communication lens: Applying constructivism and relational framing theory to understand parent-child dynamics.* Paper to be presented at the International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Chicago, IL.

Estlein, R., & Theiss, J. A. (2012, July). *Perceptions of responsiveness and control in husbands' and wives' marital and parental communication.* Paper to be presented at the International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Chicago, IL.


the Society for the History of Authorship, Reading and Publishing (SHARP) Annual Conference, Washington, DC.


**Haseki, M.** (2011, May). *Communication @ the center of ICT policy practices of teleworkers.* Poster presented at the 61st Annual International Communication Association (ICA) Conference, Boston, MA.


**Haverfield, M. C.** (2012, July). *Theoretical foundations for examining the communication behaviors of adult children of alcoholics.* Panel presentation at the International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Chicago, IL.


Keeler, T. L. (2011, July). *The intersection of family communication patterns and family communication schemata: An alternative framework for family conflict resolution.* Presentation at the Association for Conflict Resolution (ACR) Family Mediation Section Conference, Minneapolis, MN.


Lingel, J. (2012, February). “We realized we had to become librarians”: DJs, information practices and music libraries. Poster session presented at iConference, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.


Manivannan, V. (2011, May). *‘I think writing is a pretty cool guy, eh makes meaning and doesn’t afraid of anything!’: Grammatical memes and linguistic practice on 4chan.* Paper presented at Computers & Writing: Writing in Motion. University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.


Communication: When Images Cause Trouble, Rochester Institute of Technology, New York, NY.

Joo, S., & Oh, K. (2012, April). *Investigation of users' preference of access points in using online health resources.* Poster session to be presented at the 3rd Annual SLIS-SOIS Forum, Madison, WI.


Pozzi, E. M. (2012, September). *Protesting negative stereotypes in children’s literature: From the ‘all-white world’ of 1965 to the present.* Paper to be presented at the Protest on the Page: Print Culture History in Opposition to Almost Anything* (*you can think of), Center for the History of Print and Digital Culture, Madison, WI.


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Reyes, C. (2012, April). We can’t stop the music: Finding the unlimited resource under layers of industrial culture. Paper to be presented at the Popular Culture Association/American Culture Association National Conference, Boston, MA.

Reyes, C. (2012, May). Occupy messages. Paper to be presented at the Union for Democratic Communications Conference, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL.


Sacks, B. (2012, May). Monitoring the monitors: Civil regulation and collective intelligence within the digital enclosure. Paper to be presented at the Union For Democratic Communications Conference, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL.


Spicer, R. N. (2012, March). Media literacy as an ethical education for new(s) media students. Panel presentation at the Transforming Journalism forum, Millersville University, Millersville, PA.


Teodoro, R. (2011, November). *Tuning in to tuning out: Effects of MP3 player use on social interaction.* Poster session presented in the Scholar-to-Scholar Division of the National Communication Association 97th Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA.


Ethnic and Pluralism Studies Graduate Research Conference, Munk School of Global Affairs, University of Toronto, Canada.


