

Jacksonville State University

Institutional Review Board

2016-2017 Annual Report

I. General Information

a. Name. The name of this committee is Jacksonville State University Institutional Review Board (IRB).

b. Purpose and Scope. The Institutional Review Board (IRB) is a committee that reviews all JSU research involving human participants and is responsible to the President. The purpose of the IRB is to assure that research is conducted in an ethical manner, specifically in accordance with Department of Health and Human Services regulations (45 CFR 46 Protection of Human Subjects). This includes ensuring that risks to participants are minimized, the selection of participants, is equitable and participants are informed fully of what their participation will entail.

The policy on the use of human subjects in research applies to any activity deemed to be research at Jacksonville State University. The applicability of this policy is to all entities of the university: faculty, administration, staff, students and contracted consultants. This policy applies to any research activity using human subjects that is directly or indirectly supported by the university.

The full text of JSU's "Policy on Use of Human Subjects in Research," along with an online application, is available on the Academic Affairs web site at:

<http://www.jsu.edu/academicaffairs/irb.html> and is reviewed and updated annually.

c. Membership. For 2016-2017, the committee consisted of the following membership (in alphabetical order):

Ms. Paula Barnett-Ellis
Dr. Benji Blair
Dr. Jessie Godbey
Dr. Kimberly Helms
Dr. Keith Lowe
Dr. Claudia McDade (external member)
Dr. Allison Newton, Chair
Dr. Joe Walsh, Ex-Officio (Secretary)

d. Records. Committee Records are maintained by the Secretary and housed in the Office of the Vice Provost, 201 Bibb Graves Hall.

II. Activities and Significant Accomplishments

a. Applications. The IRB reviewed 61 research proposals during the academic year 2016-2017 (as of date of report submission). All applications were approved as exempt.

Submitted March 31, 2017 by Joe Walsh, Executive Secretary, JSU IRB

IRB APPLICATION REPORT 2016-2017

Name	Dept.	Title of Project	N	R	Date Rec'd.	Action Requested	Approved
Babot, Matthew	EM	Emergency Management and the U.S. Coast Guards Operations Specialist Rating & Emergency Management	X		10/13/2016	Exempt	10/13/2016
Barnett-Ellis, Paula	Houston Cole	Tailgate Open House Survey	X		7/25/2016	Exempt	7/25/2016
Beall, David	Library	The Effect of Co-Teaching on Academic Achievement	X		12/1/2016	Exempt	12/1/2016
Blevins, Lori	Library	Using Conferencing and Teacher Feedback with MyOn: A Study of Its Effect on Lexile Growth	X		9/8/2016	Exempt	9/8/2016
Booker, Samantha	Technology	An Examination of Preservice Teachers' Attitudes, Attifutions, and Level of Social Comfort with Poverty	X		8/31/2016	Exempt	8/31/2016
Brzek, Jennifer Lynne	Psychology	Infant Caregiving Behavior		X	12/5/2016	Exempt	12/5/2016
Christopher, Gena	Faculty	JSU Participation in ETS WAVES through AACSCU Commons	X		1/12/2017	Exempt	1/12/2017
Conway, Basil	Education	Identifying Matriculation Issues in Advanced Mathematics	X		9/29/2016	Exempt	9/29/2016
Dempsey, David	MCS	TRU/MPHS: Transforming Instruction in Undergraduate Mathematics vic Primary Historical Sources	X		11/3/2016	Exempt	11/3/2016
Deshotels, Tina	Sociology	Evaluation of Red Flag Campaign	X		8/10/2016	Exempt	8/10/2016
Franklin, Amy	MCS	Evaluating the Redesign of an Online Finite Mathematics Course	X		11/16/2016	Exempt	11/16/2016
Helms, Kimberly and Walker, Laura	Nursing	Promoting Understanding and Peer Success: The PUPS Project		X	11/8/2016	Exempt	11/8/2016
Hilderbrand, Beverly	CARCAM	Growing the Team's Technicians & Educators For the Future of Advanced Manufacturing	X		9/20/2016	Exempt	9/20/2016
Manning, Scott Robert	EM	Strategic Planning in Emergency Management	X		11/14/2016	Exempt	11/14/2016
Morgan, James	Education	Thus Am I: Narrative Inquiry into Identity	X		7/27/2016	Exempt	7/27/2016
Morrison, Leslie	University	Jacksonville State University Foundation Advanceme Stewardship Report		X	9/13/2016	Exempt	9/13/2016

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Newton, Allison	Research & Planning	JSU's Center of Excellence for Veterans Student Success	X		9/14/2016	Exempt	9/14/2016
Pietrangolo, Natalie	HPER	The Impact of Physical Activity on Students Grades & Behavior in the Classroom	X		9/15/2016	Exempt	9/15/2016
Plotnick, Linda	MCS	Non-Use of Social Media & No Internet Access Perceptions	X		9/15/2016	Exempt	9/15/2016
Richards, Gretchen and Newton, Maureen	EM	Trauma Transition Tool (T3) Introduction Validity and Reliability Phases 1 through 3	X		9/14/2016	Exempt	9/14/2016
Rosier, John	Research & Planning	Predicting Student Departure: Factors That Effect Student Departure	X		8/5/2016	Exempt	8/5/2016
Slater, Chad	HPER	Do Participation Rates Increase Based on the Teaching Styles Used?	X		9/30/2016	Exempt	9/30/2016
Thompson, John	HPER	Concussions in High School Athletes	X		9/15/2016	Exempt	9/15/2016
Tseng, Hungwei	Online@JSU	Growth Mindsets and Flexible Thinking in First-time Students	X		9/8/2016	Exempt	9/8/2016
Ward, Shanakie	Education	Breaking barriers: The Alarming Effects of an Overcrowded Middle School Physical Education Class	X		9/29/2016	Exempt	9/29/2016
Wilson, Priscilla	Education	Hair Histories and the Politics of Hair	X		8/5/2016	Exempt	8/5/2016
Burnett, Lorie Lasseter	Education	Characteristics of Persistence and Retention among First-generation College Students Majoring in Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math	X		1/17/2017	Exempt	1/17/2017
Ward, Julie	Education	An Analysis of the Relationship of a 1:1 Initiative with Integrated Digital Learning Teacher professional Development and Teacher Self-Efficacy	X		2/13/2017	Exempt	2/16/2017
Vonderschmidt, Mary	EM	Medical Surge Events: Planning for the Patient Care Continuum	X		2/16/2017	Exempt	2/17/2017
Kav Johnston, Deszarae	Biology	The Effects of Tutoring on College Students' Academic Achievement	X		2/10/2017	Exempt	2/17/2017
Lowe, Jessica	Psychology	Cross Cultural Comparison of Guilt and Shame	X		2/20/2017	Exempt	2/20/2017
Townsel, Kim	FCS	edTPA: Preservice Teachers' Impressions of edTPA Experiences	X		2/21/2017	Exempt	2/21/2017
Johns, Kyoko	C&I	Prospective Elementary Teachers' Perception about Mathematics	X		2/23/2017	Exempt	2/23/2017

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Akisanya, Oye	Nursing	ACHA-NCHA COLLEGE HEALTH ASSESSMENT		X	2/23/2017	Exempt	2/23/2017
Dean, Jason	Physical Education	Reducing Class Size to Improve Student Performance	X		2/11/2017	Exempt	2/28/2017
Lawrence, Shonda	Sociology and Social Work	Facilitating Success: Interviews with Women Formerly Involved with the Criminal Justice System	X		3/3/2017	Exempt	3/6/2017
Smith, Courtney	Learning Services	Descriptive Assessment on Student Responding	X		3/3/2017	Exempt	3/6/2017
Wang, Shuai	Technology	EdReady Evaluation Study	X		3/10/2017	Exempt	3/10/2017
Gilbreath, Aaron	Sociology and Social Work	Accessibility Study for Individuals with Vision, Hearing, or Mobility Impairments Who Are Seeking Services through Area Agency and Aaging	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Gallegly, Tiffany	Sociology and Social Work	Clinical Record Review and Study	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Burman, Margaret	Sociology and Social Work	Foster Parent Recruitment Study	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Mitchell, TeKeria	Sociology and Social Work	Teen Independent Living Program Participation Survey	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Bowers, Tionna	Sociology and Social Work	Social Worker Retention Survey	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Thompson, Sheila	Sociology and Social Work	Cultural Competency Study and Policy Development	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Streeter, Tyria	Sociology and Social Work	Community Outreach Program and Assessment for Foster Parents	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Doyal, Katherine	Sociology and Social Work	Educational Assessment (File Review Only) of Foster Children in Talladega County	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017

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Harrington, Keeley	Sociology and Social Work	Kindred Hospice -Survey of Employee Job Satisfaction, Career Passion, and Self-Reflection upon One's Career	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Jolley, Britney	Sociology and Social Work	Study of Volunteer Services Provided to Hospice Patients	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Posey, Shameria	Sociology and Social Work	6-Month Assessment - Health Service Center Substance Abuse	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Puckett, Stormy	Sociology and Social Work	Visitation Study - Educational/Developmental Activity Options During Parent-Child Visitation	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Richardson, Michael	Sociology and Social Work	Foster Parent Recruitment and Survey - Comparison of the Success of TIPS versus GPS in the Preparation of Foster/Adoptive Parents	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Smothers, Ryan	Sociology and Social Work	Foster Parent Retention and Recruitment Study	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Arnold-Swindle, Nicki	Sociology and Social Work	Analysis of the Barriers to Transitioning Individuals from Institutional Care to a Home and Community Based Setting	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Tidwell, Elizabeth	Sociology and Social Work	Research Prevention Services Available to Pregnant Women Who Test Positive for Illegal Substances	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Walker, Britney	Sociology and Social Work	Social Worker Retention Survey	X		3/13/2017	Exempt	3/14/2017
Kearns, Chris	Emergency Mgmt	Fort McMurray Evacuation Study	X		3/15/2017	Exempt	3/15/2017
Ponius, Shalisa	Kinesiology	Evaluation of Physical Activity and Classroom Management in PE Classes	X		3/15/2017	Exempt	3/15/2017
Burns, Timothy Micah	Biology	Predicting Political Preferences	X		3/16/2017	Exempt	3/16/2017
Wilson, Priscilla	Education	Baby Hair: A Child's Socialization into Ethnocentric Monoculturalism through Hair	X		3/17/2017	Exempt	3/17/2017

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Naughton, Kelly	Biology	Does the Average Amount of Sleep a Student Receives per Night Influence GPA	N		3/17/2017	Exempt	3/27/2017
Harris, Matthew	Biology	The Effect of Work on GPA	N		3/29/2017	Exempt	3/29/2017