**CURRICULUM VITAE**

**ELIZABETH BOWLES SHARP**

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**FORMAL EDUCATION**

**Ph.D., Human Performance** 2011

Concentration: Physical Education Pedagogy

Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro

Dissertation: Development of Concerns about Student Learning in Physical Education Teacher Candidates During Student Teaching

Advisor: Dr. Mary Lou Veal

**M.Ed., Physical Education** 2005

Arkansas Tech University, Russellville

Thesis: Gender Differences in Throwing Skills of First and Fourth Grade Students

Advisors: Dr. Shelia Jackson and Dr. Annette Holeyfield

**B.S., Health & Physical Education** 2004

Arkansas Tech University, Russellville

Magna Cum Laude

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Assistant Professor of Kinesiology:** 2011-Present

Colorado Mesa University. Responsibilities include teaching undergraduate courses, serving on University committees, participating in scholarship activities, sponsoring the PE Major’s Club, and advising students.

**Graduate Assistant** **of Health and Human Performance**: 2008-2011

Middle Tennessee State University. Responsibilities include teaching and assisting in undergraduate courses, involvement in ongoing research projects, planning workshops, and publishing a monthly newsletter.

**Physical Education Teacher**: 2008-2011

Homer Pittard Campus School, Rutherford County Schools, Murfreesboro, TN. Responsibilities include teaching elementary PE classes, K-6.

**Visiting Instructor** **of Health and Physical Education:** 2006-2008

Arkansas Tech University. Responsibilities included teaching undergraduate & graduate courses and co-sponsoring the HPEWS Major’s Club.

**English Teacher**: 2005-2006

Xinjiang Normal University, Urumqi, China. Responsibilities included teaching conversational English to sophomore English majors in partnership with Educational Services Exchange with China.

**Graduate Assistant** **of Health and Physical Education**: 2004-2005

Arkansas Tech University. Responsibilities included teaching and assisting in undergraduate courses and assisting in the Human Performance Lab.

**Children’s Coordinator:**  2003-2005

Grace Fellowship Church, Russellville, AR. Responsibilities included coordinating volunteers and teachers for children’s program, performing administrative duties, and creating curriculum for bi-weekly program.

**Student Secretary of Health and Physical Education Department**: 2002-2004

Arkansas Tech University. Responsibilities included performing daily office jobs and assisting instructors.

**Unit Coordinator & Assistant Athletic Director:** 2001-2004

Kanakuk Kamps, Branson, MO. Responsibilities included organizing & teaching basketball clinic every day, writing curriculum for all sport clinics, ordering and maintaining equipment, and supervising counselors and coaches.

**LICENSURE**

Arkansas Department of Education Teacher’s License. Initial Three Year. P-08 PE/Wellness/Lei; 07-12 PE/ Wellness/Lei; 07-12 Coaching. Issued 07/26/2004.

**HONORS & AWARDS**

Society of Health and Physical Educators of Colorado University   
 Physical Education Teacher of the Year 2015  
Club Advisor of the Year (CMU) 2015

Outstanding Doctoral Graduate Assistant (MTSU) 2011

Tennessee Association of Health, Physical Education,   
 Recreation, and Dance Appreciation Award 2010

Graduate Teaching Assistantship (MTSU) 2008-2011

Arkansas Association of Health, Physical Education,   
 Recreation and Dance Hoops for Heart Coordinator of the Year 2007-2008

Outstanding Advisor of the Year (ATU) 2007-2008

Jim Ed McGhee Award (ATU) 2006

Dr. John Cadle Graduate Award 2005

Graduate Assistantship (ATU) 2004-2005

NASPE Major of the Year Award 2004

Dr. Pat Gordon Most Outstanding Health and Physical   
 Education Graduate 2004

**CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS**

My interests include investigating the change in pre-service teacher concerns during the student teaching internship and the conflict of belief that they encounter during the experience. I collect data through the use of interviews, video recall, and learning communities.

**PEER-REVIEWED NATIONAL PUBLICATIONS**

**Sharp, E** & Barney, D. (2016) Required and Non-Required Physical Activity Classes. *American Journal of Health Studies, 31 (2).*

Hawkins, JR, **Sharp, EB,** & Williams, SM (2015). Take a page from your coach’s play book: Teaching technical and tactical skills in athletic training. *Athletic Training Education Journal, 10 (3), 244-248.*

**STATE PUBLICATIONS**

**Sharp, E.B.** (2016). Olympic Sized Journeys. *Society of Health and Physical Educators of Colorado Journal, 42 (1).*

**Sharp, E.B.** (2016). It is my Pleasure to Serve You. *Society of Health and Physical Educators of Colorado Journal, 41 (5).*

**Sharp, E.B.** (2016). Best Practices in Teaching. *Society of Health and Physical Educators of Colorado Journal, 41 (4).*

**Sharp, E.B.** (2015). Journey towards Potential. *Society of Health and Physical Educators of Colorado Journal, 41 (3).*

**Sharp, E.B.** (2015). Changing it up in the new school year. *Society of Health and Physical Educators of Colorado Journal, 41 (1).*

**Sharp, E.B.** (2015). 50 Million strong. *Society of Health and Physical Educators of Colorado Journal, 40 (5).*

**Sharp, E.B.** (2014). Excited for new beginnings. *Society of Health and Physical Educators of Colorado Journal, 40 (3).*

**Sharp, E.B.** (2014). Making your convention presentation shine. *Colorado Association of Health Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance Journal, 39* (2).

**Sharp, E.B.** (2013). Preparing the next generation of physical education teachers: The importance of hosting majors at your school. *Colorado Association of Health Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance Journal, 38* (2).

**Sharp, E.B.** (2012). Why you should observe yourself teaching. *Colorado Association of Health Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance Journal, 37* (2).

**NATIONAL PRESENTATIONS**

*Presentations were submitted to a committee for acceptance.*

Barney, D. & **Sharp, E.B.** (2015, June). *Required/ Non-required Physical Activity Classes Effects on Stress of College Students.* Poster presented at Southwest District SHAPE America Convention, Park City, UT.

Meyer, M. & **Sharp, E.B.** (2014, April). *Shuttleball*. Presented at AAHPERD National Convention, St. Louis, MO.

Lee, Y.S., Kim, Y., Kang, M.,& **Sharp, E.B.** (2012). *Inter- and Intra-rater Reliability in a Pedagogical Content Knowledge Measurement Tool in Physical Education.* Poster presented at AAHPERD National Convention, Boston, MA.

**Bowles, E**. & Kang, M. (2010, March). *Effect of Teaching Experiences on Pre-Service Teaching Concerns: A Meta-Analysis.*  Poster presented at AAHPERD National Convention, Indianapolis, IN. Abstract published in *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 81*(Suppl 1), 41-42.

Veal, M. L., Alstot, A., **Bowles, E.** & O'Rourke, M. (2009, October).*What Concept Maps Reveal about Teacher Candidates' Knowledge.* Presented at NASPE's Physical Education Teacher Education conference, Myrtle Beach, SC.

Jackson, S. & **Bowles, E**. (2009, April). *Rollin’ Round the Rim with the Rollin’ Razorbacks Basketball Team*. Presented at AAHPERD National Convention, Tampa, FL.

**Bowles, E**. (2008, April). *Making Hoops for Heart a College Class Project*. Presented at AAHPERD National Convention, Ft. Worth, TX.

**Bowles, E**. (2006, October). *Gender Differences in Throwing Skills of First and Fourth Grade Students*. Paper presented at the Southern Academy of Women in Physical Activity, Sport, and Health Conference, Fayetteville, AR.

**STATE PRESENTATIONS**

*Presentations were submitted to a committee for acceptance.*

**Sharp, E.B.** (2016, October). *Teacher Preparation in Colorado.* Accepted to be presented at SHAPE Colorado State Convention, Colorado Springs.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2014, October). *Evaluating Yourself using Video.* Presented at COAHPERD State Convention, Westminster, CO.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2014, October). *Foot Volleyball: Korean Jokgu.* Presented at COAHPERD State Convention, Westminster, CO.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2013, October). *Learning to Teach Game*. Presented at COAHPERD State Convention, Denver, CO.

Meyer, M. & **Sharp, E.B.** (2013, October). *Shuttleball*. Presented at COAHPERD State Convention, Denver, CO.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2012, November). *Team Handball*. Presented at COAHPERD State Convention, Loveland, CO.

**Bowles, E.** (2007, November). *Making Hoops for Heart a Class Project*. Presented at the ArkAHPERD State Convention, Eureka Springs, AR.

**INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

*Convention and workshop coordinators asked for a presentation on a specific topic.*

Meyer, M. & **Sharp, E.B.** (2016, June). *Shuttleball*. Presented at Colorado Department of Education’s Western Slope Physical Education Institute, Grand Junction, CO.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2013). *Jumping on Desks and Throwing Balls in the Classroom.* Colorado Mesa University Educators’ Symposium for Western Slope Teachers.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2013). *Combining it all with Team Handball.* Colorado Department of Education 2013 Western Slope Physical Education Workshop.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2012). *Jumping on Desks and Throwing Balls in the Classroom* and *Heart Rate Lab.* Colorado Mesa University Educators’ Symposium for Western Slope Teachers.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2012). *Geocaching*. Presented at National Disabled Veterans Winter Sports Clinic, Aspen, CO.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2010 & 2011). *Geocaching* and *Golf.* Camp ENRGY (Excellence 'N' Recreation and Games for Youth) for youth with disabilities. Murfreesboro, TN.

**Bowles, E.** (2007, June). *Elementary/Secondary Classroom Management*. Presented at the PE Cohort Workshop, Arkansas Tech University, Russellville, AR.

**GENERAL PRESENTATIONS AND WORKSHOPS**

**Sharp, E.B.** (2014, October). *Superstarz* and *Future Professional Leadership Conference*. Presented at COAHPERD State Convention, Westminster, CO.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2014, October). *Teaching in Kenya*. Presented at the CMU Faculty Colloquium.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2014, June). *Becoming an Effective Teacher*. Presented to teachers in Mathare, Kenya, Africa.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2013, October). *Superstarz* and *Future Professional Leadership Conference*. Presented at COAHPERD State Convention, Denver, CO.

**Sharp, E.B.** (2012, November). *Future Professional Leadership Conference*. Presented at COAHPERD State Convention, Loveland, CO.

**Sharp, E.B.** & Veal, M.L. (2010, November). *Jeopardy, TAHPERD Style.* Presented at TAHPERD State Convention, Murfreesboro, TN.

**Sharp, E.B.** & Starkweather, A. (2010, November). *Superstars.* Presented at TAHPERD State Convention, Murfreesboro, TN.

Veal, M.L. & **Sharp, E.B.** (2010, November). *Tennessee Board of Regents Teacher Education Redesign.* Presented at TAHPERD State Convention, Murfreesboro, TN.

**Bowles, E**. (2009, November). *Superstars*. Presented at TAHPERD State Convention, Murfreesboro, TN.

**GRANTS**

CMU Faculty Professional Development Fund October 10, 2013

Travel Grant, $1,817.00 Funded.

CMU Faculty Professional Development Fund October 6, 2011

Travel Grant, $1,729.00 Funded.

TAHPERD Talks December 3, 2010

“Tennessee Board of Regents University Discussion of Teacher Education Redesign: Problem Based Learning”

$600.00 Funded

TAHPERD Talks May 24, 2010

“Tennessee Board of Regents University Discussion: Teacher Education Redesign”

$600.00 Funded

Middle Tennessee State University Graduate Department August 6, 2009

Travel Grant, $500.00 Funded

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROJECTS**

* Began a partnership between local homeschool families and Methods of teaching PE classes (KINE 320, 408, and 251) to provide Physical Education to homeschool families. 2012-Present
* Organized and conducted a Family Fitness Night for Montrose HeadStart. 2012 & 2013.
* Responded to Conditions Report from NCATE to receive a National Recognition for Physical Education program at CMU. 2011-2012.
* Organized, edited, and e-published monthly newsletter for Health and Human Performance department graduate students and faculty. 2008-2011.
* Organized and conducted training for Graduate Teaching Assistantship recipients in the Health and Human Performance department. 2009 & 2010
* Converted Driver’s Education program (3 courses) into an online program for distance learning. 2010-2011.
* Developed “Excel Program for Meta-Analysis Calculations” as a free program to help with calculations necessary for conducting a Meta-Analysis. 2009
* Created promotional video for Health and Human Performance department. 2009

**PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS**

Society for Health and Physical Educators of America (2001-Present).

Society for Health and Physical Educators of Colorado (2011-Present)

Tennessee Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance (2008-2011).

National Association for Sports & Physical Education (2001-2014).

Kinesmetrics Club, Middle Tennessee State University (2009-2011).

Eta Sigma Pi, Middle Tennessee State University (2008-2009).

Arkansas Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance (2001-2008).

Southern Academy of Women in Physical Activity, Sport, and Health (2006-2007).

Arkansas Education Association (2004-2006).

**PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITES**

President, SHAPE Colorado 2015-2016

President-elect, SHAPE Colorado 2014-2015

Publisher, SHAPE Colorado Journal 2013-present

Chair of Higher Education and Research division, SHAPE CO 2012-2014

Co-Chair of Recognition and Convention committee, SHAPE CO 2012-2013

Chair-elect of Physical Activity section, SHAPE CO Board 2011-2012

Chair of Adapted Physical Education (appointed by president), 2010-2011

TAHPERD Board.

Member of TAHPERD Conv. Planning Com. Chair of Student 2009-2011  
Social Sub Committee and Program Design Sub-Committee

Editor, *Connections*, HHP department newsletter 2008-2011

Hoops for Heart Coordinator for Arkansas Tech University 2002-2008

Advisor of Health & PE, & Wellness Science Major’s Club 2007-2008

**CMU UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

*General Committees*

HLC Criterion 4 Committee 2015-Present

Student Conduct Board 2016-Present

Chair, K-12 PE Advisory Committee 2013-Present

Member, Internationalization Education Committee 2013-Present

Elected Senator, CMU Faculty Senate 2012-Present

Member, Distance Learning and Technology Committee 2011-2012

Member, K-12 PE Advisory Committee 2011-2013

Center for Teacher Education Liaison to Kinesiology 2011-Present

*Search Committees*

Chair, Instructor of Kinesiology/AT Clinical Education   
 Coordinator 2016

Member, Clinical Coordinator/Lab Assistant- HPL 2013

Member, Radiology Tech Faculty Search Committee 2013

Member, Special Education Faculty Search Committee 2013

Member, Athletic Director Search Committee 2012-2013

Member, Women’s Basketball Head Coach Search Committee 2012

*Advising Activities*

Advisor, Common Ground 2014-Present

Advisor, InterVarsity Club 2013-Present

Advisor, Christian Challenge 2012-Present

Advisor, Fellowship of Christian Athletes 2012-Present

Advisor, The Physical Educator’s Club 2011-Present

*Recruitment Activities*

Kinesiology representative for “Mesa Experience” 2012-Present

Kinesiology representative at Major’s Fair 2011-Present

**COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Secretary, She Has A Name Board of Directors 2015-Present

Volunteer, Mathare, Kenya trip 2014

Vacation Bible School Director, HEART of Junction 2013-Present

Member, Board of Directors, Grand Junction Christ Center 2013-2014

Volunteer, Special Olympics Colorado 2013

Volunteer, Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference Swim Meet 2013

Nursery Director, HEART of Junction 2012-Present

Bible Study Leader, Fellowship of Christian Athletes 2012-Present

Attend Monthly District 51 Elementary PE Meetings 2011-Present

Volunteer, WOC children’s ministry program 2009

Volunteer coach, 4th grade girls basketball team 2008

Volunteer, Tri Peaks Bike Challenge 2007

Volunteer, Special Olympics State Basketball Tournament. 2007

Volunteer, USA Kids Golf Tournament. 2007-2008

Participant, NCATE review of School of Education (ATU) 2005

**UNIVERSITY TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

*Colorado Mesa University*

*2011-Present*

KINE 200 History and Philosophy of Sport and Physical Education

KINE 214 Methods of Team Activities

KINE 260 School Health Education (online & classroom based)

KINE 320 Methods of Teaching Physical Education in Elementary Schools

KINE 307 Philosophy and Psychology of Coaching (hybrid style)

KINE 335 Sport in Society (online & classroom based)

KINE 408 Methods of Teaching Secondary Physical Education

KINE 497 Pre-Internship

*Middle Tennessee State University*

*2008-2011*

PHED 3500 Physical Education for Early Childhood

PHED 2020 Beginning Golf

PHED 1170 Beginning Racquetball

PHED 1080 Beginning Bowling

PHED 4900 Secondary Physical Education Teaching Methods (assistant)

PHED 4800 Elementary Physical Education Teaching Methods (assistant)

*Arkansas Tech University*

*2006-2008*

PE 6023 Curriculum Development in Physical Education

PE 4513 Organization and Administration of Health and Physical Education

PE 3603 Methods and Materials in Physical Education for Secondary Schools

PE 3413 Coaching Theory

PE 2111Methods of Teaching Individual Activities

PE 2101 Methods of Teaching Team Activities

PE 1201 Orientation to Health, Physical Education, and Wellness Science

*Xinjiang Normal University*

*2005-2006*

Conversational English

American Culture

American Experiences

English Listening Skills

*Arkansas Tech University*

*2004-2005*

PE 3403 Methods and Materials in Physical Education for Elementary (assistant)

PE 1991 Racquetball

PE 1851 Tennis and Basketball

PE 1411 Badminton

PE 1401 Archery and Recreational Games

**SUPERVISION EXPERIENCES**

KINE 408 (CMU) Secondary PE Teaching Methods (2012-Present)

*Brought MS/HS Homeschool students to campus*

KINE 320 (CMU) Elementary PE Teaching Methods (2012-Present)

*Brought 3-5 year olds and Elementary Homeschool   
students to campus for teaching*

EDUC 499D/H (CMU) Student Teaching Supervisor (2011-Present)

*Supervised internship in local schools (16 weeks)*

KINE 497 (CMU) Pre-Internship Supervisor (2011-Present)

*Supervised pre-interns in local schools (120 hours)*

PHED 7940 (MTSU) Supervision of Physical Education (2011)

*Worked one-on-one with a student teacher*

PHED 3500 (MTSU) Physical Education for Early Childhood (2010-2011)

*Took students to local schools to teach classes*

PHED 4900 (MTSU) Secondary PE Teaching Methods (assistant) (2010)

*Took students to local schools to teach classes*

PHED 4800 (MTSU) Elementary PE Teaching Methods (assistant) (2009)

*Took students to local schools to teach classes*

PE 3603 (ATU) Methods and Materials in PE for Sec. Schools (2006-2008)

*Sent students to local schools to observe & teach classes*

**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

* Faculty Workshop on “Critical Thinking Unmasked: How to Infuse it into a Discipline-Based Course,” CMU. Fall 2016.
* “Classroom Management” (July 2016) District 51 New Teacher Induction Program.
* Western Slope Physical Education Institute (June 2015, 2016).
* Brainy But Balanced: Achieving the Elusive Work-Life Balance in Academia (April 2015).
* ASIST Trained (Jan 2015): Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training.
* SHAPE America (formerly AAHPERD) National Convention/Workshops. Spring 2003, 2004, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016
* General Education Faculty Workshop, CMU. Spring, 2014.
* SHAPE Colorado (formerly COAHPERD) State Conventions. October, 2011-Present.
* Faculty Workshop on “Engaging the NeXt Generation of College Students,” CMU. Fall 2013.
* Central AHPERD District Leadership Conference, Steamboat Springs. 2013.
* CDE & COAHPERD Western Slope Physical Education Workshop. 2013.
* Teacher to Teacher Workshop on Critical Thinking, CMU. Spring, 2013.
* Annual meeting of the Association for Distance Education and Independent Learning. October, 2012.
* Faculty Workshop on “What the Best College Teachers do,” CMU. Fall 2012.
* Faculty Workshop on Learning and Study Strategies Inventory (LASSI), CMU. Fall 2011.
* “Desire 2 Learn” Training sessions, CMU. Fall, 2011.
* “Shots Fired” Video about Campus Safety. MTSU Department of Public Safety. Spring 2011.
* Tennessee Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance State Conventions. November, 2009, 2010.
* NASPE Physical Education Teacher Education Conference. Myrtle Beach, SC, October, 2009.
* Arkansas Has it All Teacher Workshop, Arkansas Game and Fish Commission. Summer 2007.
* Initial PETE Standards Orientation, NCATE Program Report Preparation, and Assessments/Rubric Development Workshop. Spring 2007.
* Arkansas Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance Annual Conference/Workshops. Fall 2001-2007.
* Southern Academy of Women in Physical Activity, Sport, and Health Annual Conference. Fall 2006
* Southern District of American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance (2005)
* American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance National Student Leadership Conference. Fall 2001

**SUPERVISED STUDENT ACTIVITIES**

* Took **4 students** to the 2016 SHAPE America National Convention in Minneapolis, WI.
* Took **12 students** to the 2015 SHAPE Colorado State Convention.
* Sent **10 students** to the 2015 SHAPE America National Convention in Seattle, WA.
* Took **16 students** to the 2014 COAHPERD State Convention.
* Took **8 students** to the 2014 AAHPERD National Convention in St. Louis, MO.
* Helped **4 students** plan and present a session at the 2014 AAHPERD National Convention.
* Supervised planning and conducting a Hoops for Heart fundraiser (money goes to American Heart Association) that included a 3 on 3 basketball tournament. **9 students** were involved.
* Took **12 students** to the 2013 COAHPERD State Convention.
* Helped **4 students** plan and present a session at the 2013 COAHPERD State Convention.
* Supervised **7 students** in conducting a golf fundraiser that raised over $5,000.
* Sent **6 students** to the 2013 Central District AAHPERD Convention in Wyoming.
* Took **7 students** to the 2012 COAHPED State Convention.
* Took **4 students** to the 2011 COAHPERD State Convention.

**SUPERVISED STUDENT RESEARCH**

Bowden, Hanna. (May 2014). Deviance in Sport Through the Media. *Poster presented at CMU Student Showcase.*

Durden, Lisa. (May 2014). Identifying how Fans Choose a Team to be Loyal Too. *Poster presented at CMU Student Showcase.*

Quakenbush, Jessica. (May 2014). Sports Influence on Young Children. *Poster presented at CMU Student Showcase.*

Neumann, Kristin. (May 2014). “My” Team: The Study of Fan Identity. *Poster presented at CMU Student Showcase.*

Meyer, Michael. (April 2013). Preparing to be a Professional. *Poster Presented at CMU Student Showcase.*

Medina, Benjamin. (April 2012). Study of Gender Interaction and Utilization of the Recreation Center. *Poster Presented at CMU Student Showcase.*

Anderson, Thane & Potter, Jeffery. (April 2012). Fans and How they Affect Sport in Society. *Poster* *Presented at CMU Student Showcase.*

Casebolt, Jessica & Mesch, Kelsey. (April 2012). How Coaches Make Decisions: An Insight to Athlete Selection, Positional Placing, and Winning. *Poster Presented at CMU Student Showcase.*

Luttrell, Matthew. (April 2012). What it Takes to be an Elite Athlete in High School. *Poster Presented at CMU Student Showcase.*

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