

DOCTORAL FINAL ORAL EXAMINATIONS -- MAY AND JUNE 2008			Date, Time, and Room					DISSERTATION COMMITTEE		
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Gaetano	Adamo	<i>STUDENT PERSISTENCE: AN ANALYSIS OF A SELECTED POST-SECONDARY FOR-PROFIT INSTITUTION</i>	MON	09-Jun-08	1:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Michael Bronner	Carl Lebowitz	Robert Teranishi
Vincent	Banrey, Jr.	<i>OPEN ADMISSIONS: THE ROLE OF STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES IN STUDENT SUCCESS</i>	THU	12-Jun-08	2:00 P.M.	4:00 P.M.	Hug Room	Richard Richardson	Terry Astuto	Roy McLeod
Jennifer	Black	<i>ASSESSING THE NEIGHBORHOOD-LEVEL DETERMINANTS OF OBESITY IN NEW YORK CITY</i>	TUE	20-May-08	12:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	James Macinko	L. Beth Dixon	George Fryer
David	Bower	<i>CONSTRUCTIVISM IN MUSIC EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY: CREATING AN ENVIRONMENT FOR CHORAL COMPOSITION IN THE FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADES</i>	MON	19-May-08	2:00 P.M.	4:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	John Gilbert	Panayotis Mavromatis	Jan Plass
Kimberly	Case	<i>EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE AND OTHER VARIABLES RELATED TO PERCEIVED ROOMMATE COMPATIBILITY</i>	TUE	20-May-08	2:00 P.M.	4:00 P.M.	Hug Room	Patrick Love	Robert Teranishi	Ronald Moglia
Elaine	Chugranis	<i>THE DIFFERENCE A TEACHER CAN MAKE: CONDITIONS OF TEACHER WORK AND TEACHER QUALITY</i>	WED	04-Jun-08	2:00 P.M.	4:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Terry Astuto	Mary Driscoll	Elizabeth Quintero
Thomas	Cockbill	<i>RITUAL AND CONFLICT: CULTURAL SOURCES OF ACTION IN AN URBAN HIGH SCHOOL</i>	WED	04-Jun-08	10:00 A.M.	12:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Lisa Stulberg	Maryann Dickar	Robert Cohen
Suzanne	Collins	<i>CALLING ALL FILM STARS!: EMERGING POLITICAL AUTHORITY AND CULTURAL POLICY IN THE PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN OF WORLD WAR I</i>	TUE	03-Jun-08	2:00 P.M.	4:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Brett Gary	Susan Murray	Toby Miller

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Jonathan	deHaan	<i>VIDEO GAMES AND SECOND LANGUAGE ACQUISITION: THE EFFECT OF INTERACTIVITY WITH A RHYTHM VIDEO GAME ON SECOND LANGUAGE VOCABULARY RECALL, COGNITIVE LOAD, AND TELEPRESENCE</i>	FRI	20-Jun-08	3:00 P.M.	5:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Michael Reed	Jan Plass	Frank Tang
Sarah	Dennis	<i>REEXAMINING QUALITY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION: EXPLORING THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE WORK ENVIRONMENT AND THE CLASSROOM</i>	THU	12-Jun-08	1:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Erin O'Connor	Barbara Schwartz	Cynthia McCallister
Temitope	Erinosho	<i>NUTRITION POLICIES AND PRACTICES OF NEW YORK CITY DAYCARE CENTERS AND THE DIETARY BEHAVIORS OF CHILDREN WHO ATTEND THE DAYCARE CENTERS</i>	MON	09-Jun-08	10:00 A.M.	12:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	L. Beth Dixon	Laura Hayman	Laurie Miller Brotman
Deanne	Fitzpatrick	<i>EFFECTS OF AUDITORY TRAINING ON SPEECH RECOGNITION FOR PERSONS WITH BINAURAL SENSORINEURAL HEARING LOSS</i>	MON	19-May-08	1:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.	Hug Room	Maurice Miller	Celia Stewart	Eugene Hittelman
Ladylease	Goodridge-White	<i>STUDENTS OF COLOR IN URBAN COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES: ARTICULATION AND TRANSFER POLICIES AND PRACTICES</i>	THU	05-Jun-08	2:00 P.M.	4:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Richard Richardson	Frances Stage	Terry Astuto
John	Gunther	<i>IMPROVISING WITH TONES -- CONNECTING JAZZ IMPROVISATION AND SERIAL MUSIC THROUGH SPOOKY ACTIONS</i>	TUE	27-May-08	1:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	David Schroeder	Ronald Sadoff	Panayotis Mavromatis
Stephanie	Hopkins	<i>REINVENTING THE LANGUAGE OF FICTION</i>	WED	21-May-08	1:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Gordon Pradl	John Mayher	Pat Hoy
Darrell	Hucks	<i>NEW VISIONS OF COLLECTIVE ACHIEVEMENT: THE CROSS-GENERATIONAL SCHOOLING EXPERIENCES OF AFRICAN AMERICAN MALES</i>	MON	02-Jun-08	1:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Suzanne Carothers	Joseph McDonald	

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Tali	Hyman	<i>THE LIBERAL JEWISH DAY SCHOOL AS LABORATORY FOR DISSONANCE IN AMERICAN JEWISH IDENTITY FORMATION</i>	TUE	27-May-08	12:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.	Hug Room	Lisa Stulberg	Barry Chazan	Hasia Diner
Logan	Levkoff	<i>FATHERS' PERCEPTIONS OF THEIR ADOLESCENT DAUGHTERS' SEXUALITY: A QUALITATIVE INQUIRY</i>	TUE	20-May-08	10:00 A.M.	12:00 P.M.	Hug Room	Alyson Taub	Carla Mariano	John Sumerlin
Jonathan	Lorentz	<i>THE IMPROVISATIONAL PROCESS OF SAXOPHONIST GEORGE GARZONE WITH ANALYSIS OF SELECTED JAZZ SOLOS FROM 1995-1999</i>	MON	19-May-08	10:00 A.M.	12:00 P.M.	Hug Room	David Schroeder	Panayotis Mavromatis	Cathy Benedict
Cindy	Maguire	<i>FOSTERING CAPABILITIES: THE WORK OF SOCIAL JUSTICE IN POST-SECONDARY ART EDUCATION TEACHER TRAINING</i>	MON	09-Jun-08	10:00 A.M.	12:00 P.M.	Hug Room	Ikuko Acosta	Pedro Noguera	Norman Fruchter
Regina	Monahan	<i>AN EXAMINATION OF ADHD, ADHD SUBTYPES, AFFECT-REGULATION AND SOCIAL SKILLS IN AN ADHD ADULT POPULATION</i>	TUE	20-May-08	10:00 A.M.	12:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Mary Sue Richardson	Perry N. Halkitis	Bruce Homer
Preetika	Mukherjee	<i>PARENTAL INFLUENCES ON FRIENDSHIPS OF LOW-INCOME ETHNICALLY DIVERSE ADOLESCENTS: A LONGITUDINAL ANALYSIS OF ADOLESCENT PERSPECTIVES</i>	TUE	20-May-08	2:30 P.M.	4:30 P.M.	Anderson Room	Niobe Way	Perry N. Halkitis	Christine McWayne
Sarah	Nakamaru	<i>A LOT OF TALK ABOUT WRITING: ORAL FEEDBACK ON INTERNATIONAL AND US-EDUCATED MULTILINGUAL WRITERS' TEXTS</i>	WED	21-May-08	10:00 A.M.	12:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Frank Tang	Miriam E. Ebsworth	John Mayher
Timothy	Newman	<i>A QUALITATIVE SELF-STUDY INTO THE CREATIVE PROCESS OF MUSIC COMPOSITION</i>	TUE	27-May-08	10:00 A.M.	12:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	David Elliott	John Gilbert	Panayotis Mavromatis

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Daryl	Rock	<i>AN EXAMINATION OF MATHEMATICS EDUCATION EXPERIENCES OF CARIBBEAN IMMIGRANT HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS IN NEW YORK CITY</i>	TUE	20-May-08	12:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.	Hug Room	Kenneth Goldberg	Pamela Abder	Robert Gyles
Dani	Snyder	<i>THE RULES THAT RULE THEIR WORLDS: URBAN YOUTH DECONSTRUCT THEIR ANTAGONISTS THROUGH THEATRE OF THE OPPRESSED</i>	WED	28-May-08	2:00 P.M.	4:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Christina Marin	Anna Deavere Smith	Cathy Benedict
Marion	Wrenn	<i>INVENTING WARRIORS: US PHILANTHROPIES AND THE POST-WAR REORIENTATION OF FOREIGN JOURNALISTS</i>	WED	11-Jun-08	12:00 P.M.	2:00 P.M.	Anderson Room	Brett Gary	Ted Magder	Rodney Benson