



WEEKLY UPDATE	
Monday	FACULTY UPDATES
Tuesday	<p>Dr. Lawther Has Article Published in a Top PA Journal The article citation for Dr. Lawther's newly published work is "The Growing Use of Competitive Negotiations to Increase Managerial Capability: The Acquisition of e-Government Services". <i>Public Performance and Management Review</i> 30 (2): 203-220. You can read this article on e-government services in the December 2006 issue of <i>Public Performance and Management Review</i>.</p>
Wednesday	STUDENT UPDATES
Thursday	<p>Capacity Building Institute (CBI) Hires Research Assistants The CBI has hired four new Graduate Research Assistants (GRAs) to work in support of the Orange County Health Department FACTS II Project, the CBI's sixth, and largest, grant award. The GRAs are students in either the MPA or MNM program and will provide technical assistance in the areas of capacity building, human resources, fiscal management, and grant writing to eight community-based organizations serving hard to reach populations in Central Florida. GRA benefits include tuition assistance, close collaboration with Department faculty, on the job experience, possible presentation of research, networking, and community service. The Capacity Building Institute welcomes aboard Katrina Daniels, Kyle Henderson, Valynn Rose, and Cherrie Wimes!</p>
Friday	UPCOMING EVENTS
	<p>Bob Holmes to Speak at AFP Meeting February 7th The CEO and Vice President of the UCF Foundation, Bob Holmes, will speak at the February AFP meeting (HPA II room 247).</p> <p>Eric Gray Begins Nonprofit Lecture Series – February 8th The American Humanics Student Association's nonprofit lecture series begins with Eric Gray from the American Lung Association speaking on "Marketing your Mission." This event is open to everyone and will be held in HPA I room 207 from 3 - 4 PM on Thursday.</p> <p>Central Florida ASPA Chapter Meeting – February 15th ASPA has joined a local coalition of public and private sector organizations to inform members of our community about the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) in Central Florida. The luncheon is "free" at the offices of the Orlando Regional Chamber of Commerce. Please come to learn about this program, so you can become an advocate for your employees, your clients, your neighbors, your friends, and family members. RSVP by Monday, February 12, 2007 to Rebecca Reis at 407-835-2457 or e-mail at cflaspa@yahoo.com</p> <p>Nonprofit Advisory Board Meeting - February 15th held at Downtown Academic Center from 3 PM to 5 PM.</p>