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EDUCATION

Ph.D., with Honors	<i>The University of Kansas</i>	2005
M.S.	<i>The University of Kansas</i>	2002
B.S.	<i>The University of Kansas</i>	1999

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Associate Professor	<i>The University of Kansas</i>	08/2011 – present
Assistant Professor	<i>Louisiana State University</i>	07/2008 – 07/2011
Assistant Professor	<i>Marshall University</i>	07/2006 – 07/2008
Adjunct Lecturer	<i>The Wichita State University</i>	01/2006 – 05/2006
Adjunct Instructor	<i>The University of Kansas</i>	01/2006 – 05/2006
Graduate Teaching Assistant	<i>The University of Kansas</i>	08/2003 – 12/2005

SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Manuscripts

- Clopton, A.W., & Dale, S.J.** (in press). Managing organizational change: A multi-level coaching perspective. Manuscript accepted for publication in the *Applied Research in Coaching and Athletics Annual*.
- Clopton, A.W., & Bourke, B** (in press). Perceptions of the impact of intercollegiate athletics along race and athlete status. Manuscript accepted for publication in the *College Student Affairs Journal*.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2011). Social capital goes to college: Examining both the overall and bridging potential of intercollegiate athletics. Manuscript accepted for publication in the *Journal of Intercollegiate Sport*, 4(2), 84-100.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2011). Re-examining the explicit connection between social capital and team performance as a competitive advantage. *Team Performance Management*, 17(7/8), 369-381.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2011). Re-examining the role of antecedent orientation in social psychological well-being through team identification. *Journal of Contemporary Athletics*, 6(2), 1-15.

- Clopton, A.W., & Finch, B.L.** (2011). Re-conceptualizing social anchors in community development: Utilizing Social Anchor Theory to create social capital's third dimension. *Community Development, 42*(1), 70-83.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2011) Examining racial differences in social capital development among college student-athletes. *Journal of African American Studies, 15*, 58-73.
- Ryan, T.D., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2011) Relationships between supervisory support, coaching satisfaction, and life satisfaction. *International Journal of Sport Management, 12*(1), 1-13.
- Clopton, A.W., & Finch, B.L.** (2010). Are college students 'bowling alone'? Examining the contribution of fan identification to the social capital of college students. *Journal of Sport Behavior, 33*(4), 333-366.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2010). The impact of intercollegiate athletic participation upon sense of community across multiple levels of competition. *International Journal of Sport Management, 12*(3), 440-456.
- Clopton, A.W., & Sagas, M.** (2009). Shattering the glass ceiling? Examining the impact of perceived gender discrimination on promotional opportunities of male and female coaches in women's athletics. *International Journal of Sport Management, 10*(1), 1-13.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2009). One for the Team: The Impact of Community upon Students as Fans and Academic and Social Integration. *Journal of Issues in Intercollegiate Athletics, Special Issue*, 24-61.
- Ryan, T.D., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2009). Improving response rates in web surveys: A 2 x 2 experiment. *Applied Research in Coaching and Athletics Annual, 24*, 147-174.
- Clopton, A.W., & Sagas, M.** (2009). Gender, support, and satisfaction: Viewing relational demography in the coaching profession. *International Journal of Sport Management, 10*(2), 136-150.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2008) From message to messenger? Assessing the impact of athletics on a college campus. *Journal for the Study of Sports and Athletes in Education, 2*(3), 299-320.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2008). College sports on campus: Uncovering the link between fan identification and sense of community. *International Journal of Sport Management, 9*(4), 343-362.
- Clopton, A.W., Ryan T.D., & Sagas, M.** (2008). For love of the game: The mediating potential of job satisfaction of college coaches upon career satisfaction. *Journal of Contemporary Athletics, 3*(1), 93-110.

Clopton, A.W. (2008). Southern comfort? Exploring regional differences in the impact of fan identification upon college students' sense of community. *Journal for the Study of Sports and Athletes in Education*, 2(1), 9-28.

Clopton, A.W. (2007). Predicting a sense of community amongst students from the presence of intercollegiate athletics: What roles do gender and BCS-affiliation play in the relationship? *The Sport Management and Related Topics (SMART) Journal*, 4(1), 95-110.

Refereed Manuscripts in Progress

Clopton, A.W. (in second review). An analysis of the potential of intercollegiate athletics as a medium for organizational commitment to the overall university. Manuscript submitted for publication in the *International Journal of Sport Management*.

Clopton, A.W. (in second review). *Re-examining social networks: Social capital, gender, and the student-athlete*. Manuscript submitted for publication in *Group Dynamics*.

Seifried, C., & **Clopton, A.W.** (in review). Reviewing Social Anchor Theory (SAT) through sport facilities: Civic monuments as home for the social capital of community residents and fan nations. Manuscript submitted for publication in *City, Culture, & Society*.

Clopton, A.W. (in review). Where does it begin? Exploring gender differences in student-athletes' perceptions of entering the coaching profession. Manuscript submitted for publication in the *Journal of Career Development*.

Ryan, T.D. & **Clopton, A.W.** (in review). Re-examining work-family conflict and work-family enhancement through both coaching mothers and fathers. Manuscript submitted for publication in the *International Journal of Sport & Coaching Science*.

Ryan, T.D. & **Clopton, A.W.** (in review). Living on a prayer: Religiosity and the college coach. Manuscript submitted for publication in the *International Journal of Sport Management*.

Clopton, A.W. (in review). The high price of success: Intercollegiate athletics' impact upon member commitment and construed external image. Manuscript submitted for publication in the *Sport Management Review*.

Clopton, A.W. & Finch, B.L. (in review). In search of the winning image: Assessing the impact of athletics success on perceptions of external prestige. Manuscript submitted for publication in the *Journal of Issues in Intercollegiate Athletics*.

Waltemyer, D. S., **Clopton, A.W.**, & Bopp, T. (in review). *Internet coverage of deviant behavior in sport*. Manuscript submitted for publication in the *International Review for the Sociology of Sport*.

Clopton, A.W. & Slavich, M. (in review). A theoretical positioning of Major League Baseball's organizational strategy. Manuscript submitted for publication in the *Journal of Contemporary Athletics*.

Clopton, A.W. & Watkins, M. (in review). Profit-maximizing and win-maximizing in the National Football League. Manuscript submitted for publication in *Sport, Business, & Management*.

Non-Refereed Manuscripts

Clopton, A.W. (2012). The impact of athletics on colleges and universities. In Devitis, J. (ed.), *Contemporary Colleges & Universities: A Reader*. New York: Peter Lang Publishing. pp.62-74.

Clopton, A.W. (2009). Students as spectators: Their academic and social integration. In J. D. Toma and D. Kramer (eds.), *The Uses of Intercollegiate Athletics: Opportunities and Challenges in Positioning Universities*. New Directions for Higher Education. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass. pp.83-90.

Refereed Abstracts

Balkovec, R., & **Clopton, A.W.** (in press). *Student-athletes, gender, and their perspectives on entering the coaching profession*. Abstract accepted for publication in the *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*.

Clopton, A.W., & Tutka, P. (in press). *The internal efficiency of Major League Baseball clubs*. Abstract accepted for publication in the *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*.

Clopton, A.W., Katz, M., & Finch, B.L.. (in press). *Athletics and the social anchoring of NCAA Division III communities*. Abstract accepted for publication in the *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*.

Ryan, T.D., Thornton, M.A., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2011). *Work-family conflict among high school officials*. *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 82(S), A-82-83.

Clopton, A.W., Montgomery, M., & Ryan, T.D. (2011). *Examining organizational effectiveness of college baseball teams through internal processes*. *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 82(S), A-79.

Clopton, A.W., Ryan, T.D., & Finch, B.L. (2011). *Prestige and image perceptions of university through team identity*. Abstract accepted for publication in the *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 82(S), A-78.

Clopton, A.W., & Hamilton, J.M. (2010). *The connection between team success and student athlete social capital*. *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 81(S), A-96.

Ryan, T.D., **Clopton, A.W.**, & Finch, B. L. (2010). *Athletics success as a mediator of organizational identity, perceived prestige*. *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 81(S), A-103.

- Hamilton, J.M., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). *Viewing female athletes' coaching intentions through the coach-athlete dyad. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 81(S), A-97.*
- Hamilton, J.M., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). *Investigating the mediating relationship between athletics and social capital. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 81(S), A-97-98.*
- Ryan, T.D., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). *Mothers and fathers as coaches: Exploring differences in work-family fit. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 81(S), A-104.*
- Clopton, A.W.**, Ryan, T.D., & Finch, B. L. (2009). *Gender differences in college athletics impact upon social capital. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 80(S), A-94.*
- Finch, B. L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2009). *Examining racial differences in social capital development among college student-athletes. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 80(S), A-109-110.*
- Clopton, A.W.**, & Finch, B. L. (2009). *Vicarious connection of athletics into university identification, adjustment of students. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 80(S), A-108.*
- Finch, B. L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2009). *Investigating social capital differences between college athletes and non-athletes. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 80(S), A-110.*
- Clopton, A.W.** (2009). *Using race to examine coaching intentions among student athletes. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 80(S), A-107-108.*
- Clopton, A.W.** (2008). *Examining the relationship between college sport and sense of community. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 79 (S), A-89-90.*
- Clopton, A.W.** & Sagas, M. (2008). *Race and gender effects upon perceived discrimination amongst college coaches. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 79 (S), A-90-91.*
- Clopton, A.W.** & LaPoint, J.D. (2008). *Investigating the impact of student fan identification upon university attachment. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 79 (S), A-90.*
- Ryan T.D., Sagas, M., & **Clopton, A. W.** (2007). *Work-family conflict as a mediator between job stressors and organizational turnover intent. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 78 (S), A-116-117.*
- Clopton, A.W.**, Ryan T.D., & Sagas, M. (2007). *Examining the role of job satisfaction as a mediator on selected work-outcomes of college coaches. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 78 (S), A-108-109.*
- Finch, B.L., Sagas, M., **Clopton, A.W.**, & Thornton, J. (2007). *Factors influencing college student-athlete overall satisfaction. Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, 78 (S). A-116-117.*

Thompson, M.A. & **Clopton, A.W.** (2007). Critical influences on college students' smoking behaviors. *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 78 (S).

Clopton, A.W., Sagas, M., & Sosa, J. (2006). Exploring the role of gender in the head coach-supervisor dyad and the subsequent levels of support and satisfaction. *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 77 (S), 106.

Book Review

Clopton, A.W. (2005). Book review of Rammer jammer yellow hammer: A journey into the heart of fan mania. By. St. John, W. *Sociology of Sport Journal*. 22(4). 518 – 520.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Refereed

Clopton, A.W., Watkins, M., & Finch, B.L. (2012). *Profit-maximizing and win-maximizing in the National Football League*. Paper accepted for presentation at the annual scholarly conference of the North American Society for Sport Management, Seattle, WA.

Finch, B.L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2012). *From Seattle to Oklahoma City: Are the Thunder a social anchor?* Paper accepted for presentation at the annual scholarly conference of the North American Society for Sport Management, Seattle, WA.

Balkovec, R., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2012). *Student-athletes, gender, and their perspectives on entering the coaching profession*. Paper accepted for presentation at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Boston, MA.

Clopton, A.W., & Tutka, P. (2012). *The internal efficiency of Major League Baseball clubs*. Paper accepted for presentation at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Boston, MA.

Clopton, A.W., Katz, M., & Finch, B.L.. (2012). *Athletics and the social anchoring of NCAA Division III communities*. Paper accepted for presentation at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Boston, MA.

Baker, B.L. & **Clopton, A.W.** (2011). *Re-examining public parks as social anchors in community development*. Paper presented at the annual scholarly conference of the National Recreation and Parks Association, Atlanta, GA.

Finch, B. L. & **Clopton, A.W.** (2011). *Big-time athletics and the 'Collegiate Ideal.'* Poster presented at the annual conference for the Sport Marketing Association, Houston, TX.

Katz, M., **Clopton, A.W.**, & Finch, B. L. (2011). *Town and gown? NCAA Division III athletics as social anchors*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the Sport Marketing Association, Houston, TX.

Williams, D.P., Pfleegor, A.G., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2011). *NCAA sanction impacts on perceptions of a college football brand*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the Sport Marketing Association, Houston, TX.

Pfleegor, A.G., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2011). *Ethical consistency of major NCAA sanctions*. Paper presented at the annual scholarly conference of the College Sport Research Institute, Chapel Hill, NC.

Williams, D., Pfleegor, A.G., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2011). *Competitive disadvantage: A link between competitive advantage and NCAA sanctions in Division I football*. Paper presented at the annual scholarly conference of the College Sport Research Institute, Chapel Hill, NC.

Clopton, A.W. . Ryan, T.D., & Ross, S. (2011). *Managing perceptions of athletics upon a campus community: The impact of race in NCAA Divisions II and III*. Poster presented at the annual scholarly conference of the College Sport Research Institute, Chapel Hill, NC.

Clopton, A.W., & Ryan, T.D. (2011). *Using Social Cognitive Career Theory and Group Social Capital to understand student-athletes' perceptions of the coaching profession*. Poster presented at the annual scholarly conference of the North American Society for Sport Management, London, OT,CA.

Clopton, A.W., & Pfleegor, A. (2011). *Team identification's impact on social networks of students at the NCAA Division II and III levels*. Poster presented at the annual scholarly conference of the North American Society for Sport Management, London, OT,CA.

Ryan, T.D., Thornton, M.A., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2011). *Work-family conflict among high school officials*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, San Diego, CA.

Clopton, A.W., Montgomery, M., & Ryan, T.D. (2011). *Examining organizational effectiveness of college baseball teams through internal processes*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, San Diego, CA.

Clopton, A.W., Ryan, T.D., & Finch, B.L. (2011). *Prestige and image perceptions of university through team identity*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, San Diego, CA.

Seifried, C., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2011). *Adjustment in Black and White: Another look at adjustment into college through athlete and race status*. Paper presented at the annual scholarly conference of the National Collegiate Athletic Association, San Antonio, TX.

- Clopton, A.W.**, Waltemyer, D.S., & Finch, B.L. (2010). Using Professional Sport for Community Enhancement. Paper presented at the annual conference of the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, San Diego, CA.
- Waltemyer, D.S., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). Balancing Team Identity and Perceptions of External Organization Prestige at NCAA Division II and III Institutions. Paper presented at the annual conference of the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, San Diego, CA.
- Clopton, A.W.**, & Finch, B. L. (2010). *New Orleans – OKC Paper*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the Sport Marketing Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Finch, B. L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). *Exploring the use of team identification to deliver perceptions of prestige at the NCAA Divisions II and III*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the Sport Marketing Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Finch, B. L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). *Examining sport as a social anchor in community and campus development*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the American Institute of Higher Education, Williamsburg, VA.
- Finch, B. L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). *A tale of two cities: A case study on New Orleans and Oklahoma City and their sport connections*. Paper presented at the annual Hawaiian International Conference on Business, Honolulu, HI.
- Finch, B. L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). *Utilizing Social Anchor Theory to create social capital's third dimension: A re-conceptualization of social anchors in community development and differentiation*. Poster presented at the annual Hawaiian International Conference on Business, Honolulu, HI.
- Clopton, A.W.**, Finch, B.L., & Ryan, T.D. (2010). *Intercollegiate athletics' impact upon member commitment and construed external image*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for Sport Management, Tampa, FL.
- Finch, B. L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). *A qualitative investigation of the effect of athletics on college student team identity, university identity, and perceived external prestige*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for Sport Management, Tampa, FL.
- Clopton, A.W.**, & Hamilton, J.M. (2010). *The connection between team success and student athlete social capital*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Indianapolis, IN.
- Ryan, T.D., **Clopton, A.W.**, & Finch, B. L. (2010). *Athletics success as a mediator of organizational identity, perceived prestige*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Indianapolis, IN.

- Hamilton, J.M., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). *Viewing female athletes' coaching intentions through the coach-athlete dyad*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Indianapolis, IN.
- Hamilton, J.M., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). *Investigating the mediating relationship between athletics and social capital*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Indianapolis, IN.
- Ryan, T.D., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010). *Mothers and fathers as coaches: Exploring differences in work-family fit*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Indianapolis, IN.
- Finch, B. L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2009). *Examining the role of athletics in the development of university image among college students*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the Sport Marketing Association, Cleveland, OH.
- Finch, B. L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2009). *Reexamining communal benefits of fan Identity for college students: An analysis of social capital and student adjustment*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the Sport Marketing Association, Cleveland, OH.
- Clopton, A.W.**, & Waltemyer, D. S. (2009). *Critically examining college sport and affective commitment to the university*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, Ottawa, OT, CA.
- Waltemyer, D. S., **Clopton, A.W.**, & Bopp, T. (2009). *Internet coverage of deviant behavior in sport*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, Ottawa, OT, CA.
- Clopton, A.W.** & Finch, B.L. (2009). *Assessing the impact of athletics success upon perceived external prestige of colleges and universities through internal stakeholders*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for Sport Management, Columbia, SC.
- Ryan, T.D., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2009). *Work-family wellness: The sum of work-family variables*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for Sport Management, Columbia, SC.
- Ryan, T.D., Sagas, M., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2009). *Exploring religiosity and the college coach*. Poster presented at the annual scholarly conference for the College Sport Research Institute, Chapel Hill, NC.
- Clopton, A.W.**, Ryan, T.D., & Finch, B. L. (2009). *Gender differences in college athletics impact upon social capital*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Tampa, FL.

- Finch, B. L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2009). *Examining racial differences in social capital development among college student-athletes*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Tampa, FL.
- Clopton, A.W.**, & Finch, B. L. (2009). *Vicarious connection of athletics into university identification, adjustment of students*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Tampa, FL.
- Finch, B. L., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2009). *Investigating social capital differences between college athletes and non-athletes*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Tampa, FL.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2009). *Using race to examine coaching intentions among student athletes*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Tampa, FL.
- Clopton, A.W.** & Waltemyer, D.S. (2008). *Gender differences in perceived coaching efficacy among student-athletes*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, Denver, CO.
- Clopton, A.W.** & Finch, B.L. (2008). *College sport and social capital: Are students 'bowling alone'?* Paper presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for Sport Management, Toronto, OT, CA.
- Ryan, T.D., **Clopton, A.W.**, & Irwin, R.L. (2008). *Super support! A supportive supervisor, life satisfaction, and the mediating presence of coaching satisfaction*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for Sport Management, Toronto, OT, CA.
- Clopton, A.W.**, Finch, B.L., & Ryan, T.D. (2008). *Perceptions of the impact of intercollegiate athletics along race and athlete status*. Poster presented at the inaugural scholarly conference for the College Sport Research Institute, Memphis, TN.
- Clopton, A.W.** & Finch, B.L. (2008). *Bridging social capital: Using intercollegiate athletics to generate social networks on campus*. Poster presented at the inaugural scholarly conference for the College Sport Research Institute, Memphis, TN.
- Clopton, A.W.** & Ryan, T.D. (2008). *Identity and community: Assessing the impact of athletics on campus*. Poster presented at the inaugural scholarly conference for the College Sport Research Institute, Memphis, TN.
- Ryan, T.D. & **Clopton, A.W.** (2008). *Perceived gender differences for work-family conflict in college coaches*. Poster presented at the inaugural scholarly conference for the College Sport Research Institute, Memphis, TN.

- Clopton, A.W.** (2008). *Examining the relationship between college sport and sense of community*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Ft.Worth, TX.
- Clopton, A.W.** & Sagas, M. (2008). *Race and gender effects upon perceived discrimination amongst college coaches*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Ft.Worth, TX.
- Clopton, A.W.** & LaPoint, J.D. (2008). *Investigating the impact of student fan identification upon university attachment*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Ft. Worth, TX.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2007). *College sport and fan identification: Are there regional differences?* Paper presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Waltemyer, D.S., Sosa, J., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2007). *Internet coverage of deviant behavior in sport*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2007). *The use of fan identification to encourage academic and social integration: Is it possible?* Poster presented at the annual conference for the Association for the Study of Higher Education, Louisville, KY.
- Clopton, A.W.** (2007). *Salient factors influencing game-day football attendance at BCS programs: A twenty-year window*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for Sport Management, Miami, FL.
- Clopton, A.W.**, Ryan, T.D., & Sagas, M. (2007). *Examining the role of job satisfaction as mediator on selected work-outcomes of college coaches*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Baltimore, MD.
- Thompson, M.A. & **Clopton, A.W.** (2007). *Critical influences on college students' smoking behaviors*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Baltimore, MD.
- Finch, B.L., Sagas, M., **Clopton, A.W.**, & Thornton, J. (2007). *Factors influencing college student-athlete overall satisfaction*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Baltimore, MD.
- Ryan, T.D., Sagas, M, & **Clopton, A.W.** (2007). *Work-family conflict as a mediator between job stressors and organizational turnover intent*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Baltimore, MD.

Clopton, A.W. (2006). *Preparing future sport managers: Preferred outcomes for sport management graduates*. Paper presented at annual conference for the West Virginia Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Huntington, WV.

Clopton, A.W., Sagas, M., & Sosa, J. (2006). *Exploring the role of gender in the head coach-supervisor dyad and the subsequent levels of support and satisfaction*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Salt Lake City, UT.

Clopton, A.W. (2005). *Exploring the role of athletics on students' sense of community*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, Winston-Salem, NC.

Sagas, M. & **Clopton, A.W.** (2005). *Truth in perceptions? Exploring the perceived gender discrimination among coaches*. Paper presented at the annual conference for the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, Winston-Salem, NC.

Media Mentions

Finch, B.L. & **Clopton, A.W.** (2010, April 13). *How does the Thunder impact Oklahoma City?* Interviewed by Chen, C. (Anchor/Reporter) for news feature on Channel 9, KWTV, Oklahoma City, OK.

Clopton, A.W. (2007, January 31). *Mayo case highlights sportsmanship and discipline*. Interviewed by Long, G. (Anchor/Reporter) for news feature on Channel 13, WOWK, Huntington, WV.

Clopton, A.W. (2006, June 11). *Sandlots have all blown away*. Interviewed by Haskin, K. (Columnist), The Topeka Capital-Journal, Topeka, KS.

Non-Refereed

Clopton, A.W. (2006, October 26-29). Sport management workshop organizer at the annual conference for the West Virginia Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Huntington, WV.

Clopton, A.W. (2006, October 27). Panel moderator for discussion over sport management curriculum at the annual conference for the West Virginia Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Huntington, WV.

Clopton, A.W. (2006, January 13). *Young age as an asset*. Invited presentation for the University of Kansas New Graduate Teaching Assistant Conference.

Clopton, A.W. (2006, January 13). *You, the students, and the professor*. Invited presentation for the University of Kansas New Graduate Teaching Assistant Conference.

Clopton, A.W. (2005, August 18). *Classroom management*. Invited presentation for the University of Kansas New Graduate Teaching Assistant Conference.

Clopton, A.W. (2005, August 18). *Preparing for class*. Invited presentation for the University of Kansas New Graduate Teaching Assistant Conference.

Clopton, A.W. (2004, October 17). *Sports spectatorship in today's society*. Invited presentation for the Universalist-Unitarians of Kansas Discussion Forum.

Clopton, A.W. (2002, January 26). *Coaching pitchers: Beginning and advanced concepts in pitching fundamentals*. Invited presentation at the annual conference for the Oklahoma State High School Fastpitch Coaches Association.

Internal/External Funding

Funded

- Baker, B., & **Clopton, A.W.** (2011-2012). Balancing community parks' potential to facilitate social capital and physical activity. Proposal submitted to the Seed Grant Program of the AAHPERD Research Consortium. Grant proposal funded for \$7, 500.
- Louisiana State University *Office of Research and Economic Development* Faculty Travel Grant
 - 2008 (\$500); 2009, 2010 (\$500)
- Marshall University *College of Education Faculty Development Funds*
 - 2006 (\$500), 2007 (\$1,500)
- Marshall University *Quinlan Endowment Fund for Research*
 - 2006-2008 (\$500)
- The University of Kansas *School of Education Graduate Student Research Fund*
 - 2005 (\$1000)
- The University of Kansas *Graduate School Student Paper Presenter Travel Fund*
 - 2005 (\$400)

Not-Funded

Clopton, A. W., Baker, B., & Solmon, M. (2010). Growing community: Utilizing community gardens to address social and physical needs of underprivileged youth. Proposal submitted to the Investigator-Initiated Grants competition of the William T. Grant Foundation. Grant proposal was submitted for \$450,000.

Clopton, A. W., & Sarangi, S. (2010). Anchoring community: Examining the role of social anchor institutions in community development. Proposal submitted to the Louisiana Board of Regents' Research Competitiveness Subprogram. Grant proposal was submitted for \$221,127.

Clopton, A. W., & Finch, B.L. (2010). Leveraging sport as a social anchor into community development. Proposal submitted to the Research Grant competition of the North American Society for Sport Management. Grant proposal was submitted for \$2,000.

Ryan, T.D., & Clopton, A.W. (2007). Teaching and coaching: The beneficial effects of multiple role membership. Proposal submitted to the Seed Grant Program of the AAHPERD Research Consortium. Grant proposal was submitted for \$5,000.

SERVICE

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

- Faculty Senate – *Senator* (College of Education)
- *Sport Management Assistant Professor Search Committee – Chair*
- Department of Kinesiology *Advisory Committee – Member*
- Department of Kinesiology *Graduate Committee – Member*
- *Faculty Advisor, LSU Student Organization for Sport Management*

MARSHALL UNIVERSITY

- College of Education and Human Services *Strategic Planning Committee – Member*
- College of Education and Human Services *Diversity Committee – Member*
- University *Core Foundation Ad Hoc Committee – Member*
- College of Education and Human Services *Planning and Review Committee – Chair*
- College of Education and Human Services *Graduate Program Committee – Member*
- University *Faculty Evaluation and Compensation Ad Hoc Committee – Member*
- *Thundering Herd Sport Management & Marketing Club – Faculty Advisor*
- *ESSR Sport Management Faculty Search Committee – Chair*
- College of Education and Human Services
Summer Research Award Committee – Member
- University *Faculty Senate Athletic Committee – Member*
- College of Education and Human Services *Leadership Design Team – Member*

THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

- School of Education *Graduate Studies Committee – Member*
- KU Running Club – *Advisor*
- University of Kansas Graduate School *Strategic Planning Committee – Member*
 - ◆ *Graduate Student Support Subcommittee – Member*
- Health, Sport, and Exercise Sciences *Faculty Search Committee – Member*
- Served on Search Committees for numerous coaching vacancies

NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL

Reviewer Activity

- *Journals*
 - ◆ Community Development
 - ◆ Tourism Management
 - ◆ Team Performance Management Journal
 - ◆ Group Dynamics: Theory, Research, & Practice
 - ◆ Journal of Issues in Intercollegiate Athletics

- ◆ Journal of the Study of Sports and Athletes in Education
- ◆ International Journal of Sport Management and Marketing
- ◆ Journal of Coaching Education
- *Conferences*
 - ◆ Midwest Academy of Management
 - Strategy and Organization Track
 - ◆ Southern Management Association
 - Organizational Behavior Track
 - Strategic Management/Organization Theory Track
 - ◆ American Marketing Association Annual Convention Program
 - *Consumer Psychology and Behavior* Track
 - *Social and Public Policy* Track
 - *Branding and Brand Management* Track
 - ◆ NASSM Annual Convention Program
 - ◆ AAHPERD, Research Consortium Annual Convention Program
 - *Sport Management* Area, 2008-2009
 - *Socio-Cultural* Area, 2009
- *Other Reviewer Activity*
 - ◆ AAHPERD, Research Consortium Grant Competition
 - ◆ Jones & Bartlett Publishers, *The Business of Sports* textbook
- *Committee Membership*
 - ◆ National Fastpitch Coaches Association – *Education and Publications* Committee
 - ◆ North American Society for the Sociology of Sport – *Outstanding Book Award* Committee
- Session Presider – AAHPERD Convention
- Chair – Abstract Review Panel for Sport Management Section

COMMUNITY

- Forum 35 Board of Directors – *Member*
 - ◆ (re)Inventing Redstick Committee - *Chair*
- Louisiana Serve Commission – *Commissioner (2009-2011)*
 - ◆ *Commission Secretary (2011)*
 - ◆ LA Serve Commission Legislative Outreach Team – *Member (2010-2011)*
 - ◆ LA Serve Commission Governmental Relations Committee – *Chair (2010)*
 - ◆ LA Serve Commission AmeriCorps Committee – *Chair (2009-2011)*
- Selected as *John W. Barton Community Fellow*
- Red Stick International Animation Festival – *Review Judge*
- Louisiana Public Broadcasting Pledge Drive
- Lawrence County, OH Voter Registration and Polling Drive
- First Presbyterian Church *Finance* Committee – *Member*

ACADEMIC ACTIVITY

Courses Taught

Undergraduate

- Administration of Physical Education and Sport
- Coaching Individual and Dual Sports
- Coaching of Football
- Coaching of Softball
- Seminar in Sport Management and Marketing
- History of Sport in America
- Coaching of Basketball
- Officiating of Basketball
- Sport Ethics
- Sociology of Sport

Graduate Courses

- Governance and Policy Development in Sport
- Management Theory in Sport
- Seminar in Intercollegiate Athletics Administration
- Organizational Behavior and Development in Sport
- Administrative Issues in Kinesiology
- Governance and Ethics in Intercollegiate Athletics
- Sport in the Social Process
- Sports Administration
- Ethics and Morality in Sport
- Social Issues in Sport
- Seminar in Sport Administration
- Sport and Social Capital

Achievements/Appointments

National

- AAHPERD Research Consortium - *Fellow*
- NASPE Sport History, Philosophy, & Sociology Research Academy – *Chair Elect*
- *College Sport Research Institute* (UNC-Chapel Hill) – Faculty Affiliate
 - ◆ 2008 - present
- *Journal for the Study of Sports and Athletes in Education* – Editorial Board Member
 - ◆ 2008 – present

Louisiana State University

- *LSU Flagship Faculty Member*
- Kinesiology Advisory Council –*Representative*
 - ◆ Chair, 2009 - present
- Sport Management Graduate Coordinator
- *Division of Sport Management* – Leader
 - ◆ 2008 – 2009
- Awarded Associate Graduate Faculty Status: August 2008

Marshall University

- *Sport Management and Marketing* Undergraduate Coordinator
- Awarded Full Graduate Faculty Status: February 2008

The University of Kansas

- School of Education Dissertation of the Year
- Wayne Osness Doctoral Student of the Year
- *Preparing Future Faculty* Fellow
- Selected for the 2005 *Public Policy Seminar* at the annual meeting for the *Association for the Study of Higher Education*, Philadelphia, PA.

Doctoral Committee Membership

Louisiana State University

- Jasmine Hamilton, PhD Kinesiology
- Adam Pfleeger, PhD Kinesiology (*Chair*)
- Dylan Williams, PhD Kinesiology
- Melissa Sorrells, PhD Kinesiology (*Chair*)
- Hunter Geisman, PhD Kinesiology (*Chair*)

Master's Committee Membership

Thesis

Louisiana State University

- Jeremy Lee, MS Mass Communication
- Kristen Chighizola, MS Mass Communication

Non-Thesis

Louisiana State University

- 35 Committees
 - 35 Chaired

Marshall University

- 22 Committees
 - 10 Chaired

ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS

Current

- North American Society for Sport Management (NASSM)
- Midwest Academy of Management (MAM)
- American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (AAHPERD)
 - National Association for Sport and Physical Education – Sport History, Philosophy, & Sociology Research Academy
 - AAHPERD Research Consortium

Former

- Southern Management Association (SMA)
- Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE)
- Organizational Behavior Teaching Society (OTBS)
- National Fastpitch Coaches Association (NFCA)
- North American Society for Sport Sociology (NASSS)
- North American Society for Sport History (NASSH)
- West Virginia Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (WVAHPERD)
- Kansas Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (KAHPERD)

INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

- **Assistant Softball Coach** *Marshall University* **01/2007 – 06/2008**
 - Direct overall instruction and strategies related to pitching and catching
 - Assist in daily administrative duties
 - Assist in planning, organization, and administration of all scouting and recruiting activities
 - Coached pitcher selected for All-Region, Second Team

- **Assistant Softball Coach** *The University of Kansas* **08/2000 – 08/2003**
 - Direct overall instruction and strategies related to pitching and catching
 - Directed and Coordinated Team Travel, Tournaments, and KU Softball Camps and Clinics
 - Assisted in booster club administration and alumni relations
 - Assisted in planning, development, and fundraising of *Arrocha Ballpark*
 - In three years, coached two All-Big XII pitchers and Conference Freshman of the Year
 - Two pitchers drafted professionally

- **Administrative Assistant**
for Softball Operations *The University of Kansas* **08/1999 – 08/2000**
 - Conducted game-day operations
 - Directed video operations and organization
 - Administered practice organization and administration
 - Assisted with recruiting administration and organization
 - Assisted coaching staff with alumni functions, booster club, and tournaments.
 - Managed daily facility operations

- **Color Commentator**, *KLWN Radio* Lawrence, KS 03/2004 – 06/2006
- **Pro Staff Assistant**, *Eagle Bend Golf Course* Lawrence, KS 03/2004 – 06/2006
- **Instructor**, *Florida State Softball Camp* Tallahassee, FL 06/2001 – 07/2001
- **Sport Specialist**, *NYSP – University of Kansas* Lawrence, KS 06/2000 – 07/2000
- **Volunteer Assistant Coach** –
 Men's Basketball / Men's Golf, *Ottawa University* Ottawa, KS 06/1998 – 11/1998
- **Student Manager**, *Kansas Jayhawk Softball* Lawrence, KS 08/1997 – 08/1999
- **Intern**, *The Coach's Edge* Lawrence, KS 09/1997 – 01/1999
- **Strength Trainer**, *KU FIT Team* Lawrence, KS 08/1997 – 02/1998