

# NAKHE NEWSLETTER

July 2024

## LDW 2024 Recap!

Jeremy Elliott of The University of Alabama in Huntsville and Jamie Gilbert Mikell of Athens State University collaborated to host an exceptional NAKHE 2024 Leadership Development Workshop (LDW) at the University of Alabama in Huntsville. The 2024 LDW welcomed multiple speakers and presenters, including Paralympic champions Bob Lujano and Willard Brooks, as well as leadership experts from the Huntsville community, UAH, and Athens State University.



In addition to the LDW, the 2024 Department Head Certification Training (DHCT) cohort commenced and will collaborate over the next 18 months. This year's event was a resounding success as participants engaged in a blend of learning, collaboration, and growth, highlighted by an inspiring quad rugby game as the culminating event of day one. The LDW also featured excellent food and fostered a strong camaraderie among attendees, creating a place to learn, grow, collaborate, and reinforce the mission of NAKHE.

NAKHE extends its gratitude to all who contributed to the workshop's success. From the dedicated attendees and insightful presenters to the many individuals working diligently behind the scenes, everyone's efforts were invaluable. Thank you for making NAKHE 2024 LDW and DHCT an unforgettable experience. We look forward to seeing everyone in Puerto Rico in 2025!

## LDW 24 recap



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**DEADLINE FOR NAKHE AWARD NOMINATIONS IS AUGUST 1!** 🏆

### Nominate a deserving colleague!

NAKHE invites nominations for the **Distinguished Administrator, Scholar, Service, and Teaching Awards** for consideration for the 2025 NAKHE Conference in San Juan, Puerto Rico, on January 4-9, 2025. Nominations for the **Hally Beth Poindexter Young Scholar Award** and **NAKHE Fellow** are also due August 1. These prestigious awards are given each year at the NAKHE conference to honor and celebrate individuals who have dedicated their professional lives to the disciplines of Kinesiology, Physical Education, and Higher Education. For more information or to submit a nomination, [CLICK HERE](#).



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# NAKHE 2025



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## 2025 ANNUAL NAKHE CONFERENCE UNIQUE AND CONNECTED – EMBRACING OUR INTERDISCIPLINARY PERSPECTIVES ÚNICO Y CONECTADO

The 2025 Annual NAKHE Conference will be held January 4-8, 2025, in San Juan, Puerto Rico. The conference hotel is the **Royal Sonesta San Juan**. [You can make your reservations at NAKHE's group rate here.](#)



### A note from Jaimie McMullen, NAKHE Vice-President

We received a record number (157) of proposals for the 2025 Annual Conference in Puerto Rico! Submissions are currently under review, and presenters will be notified by August 1 if proposals have been accepted. The Conference Planning Committee would like to extend our gratitude to all those who submitted proposals and each NAKHE member that is taking time

to review those proposals. The 2025 Conference is shaping up to be a great one!! We hope to see you there!

### Call for Nominations for President-Elect, Vice President & Secretary



Are you interested in one of these positions, or perhaps you know another NAKHE member who you believe would be great at one of these positions? If so, please email the Nominations and Elections Committee Chair (Beth Hersman - [bethany.hersman@wright.edu](mailto:bethany.hersman@wright.edu)) with your nomination or any questions. Self-nominations are welcomed. Clearly indicate your preferred contact email and office of interest. Please review each officer position's respective NAKHE Operating Code ([https://www.nakhe.org/operating\\_codes.html](https://www.nakhe.org/operating_codes.html)).



### ★NAKHE Member of the month: Lynda Ransdell

**Position & Affiliation:** Chair, Kinesiology | Boise State University

**Research/Teaching Focus:** Enhancing Sport Performance in Female Athletes; PA and Public Health; Mentoring; Faculty Development

- Why are you a NAKHE member? "This is a tight knit community that openly shares information and cares deeply about the future of Kinesiology."

# NAKHE Members Accomplishments

Please complete the form below and let us know about your or a colleague's accomplishment(s). After screening by the Marketing Committee, we will use the information to promote NAKHE members on our social media.

Example accomplishments are:

- Awards
- Presentations
- New positions

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\* Indicates required question

## NAKHE Member Highlight Form 📄

The NAKHE Marketing Committee would like to highlight our members in our social media and newsletter! Please fill out the information form by [clicking here](#) to be considered as our next featured member. If you have any questions, please contact Kanae Haneishi (the committee chair) at [khaneishi@western.edu](mailto:khaneishi@western.edu). Thank you so much!



Sincerely,

**NAKHE Marketing Committee**

## OPERA (OPPORTUNITIES IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND RELATED AREAS) JOBS

### Looking for a career move?

Check out the [NAKHE website](#) for current job openings at higher education institutions. The most recent position postings are listed below.





# Career Development Specialist - West Virginia University

College of Applied Human Sciences | Application Deadline July 29, 2024



## Get Published!

Please consider submitting an article to [#NAKHE](#) 's Journals-

IJKHE -

<https://www.nakhe.org/submit-to-the-journal.html>

Quest -

<https://www.nakhe.org/submit-to-quest.html>

## Featured Article

**Olson, L., & O'Neil, K. (2023).**

A Comparative Case Study of Student Teaching Placement Procedures in Physical Education Teacher Education.

*International Journal of Kinesiology in Higher Education*, 8(2), 71–83.

<https://doi.org/10.1080/24711616.2023.2201572>

## Featured Article

**Stewart, C., & Barker-Ruchti, N. (2024).**

Unraveling Gender and Non-Accidental Violence in Women's Gymnastics Research: A Critical Interpretive Synthesis. *Quest*, 76(2), 169–189.

<https://doi.org/10.1080/00336297.2023.2261581>



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## **#NAKHE**

### **We want to celebrate and share your work**

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### **Have Exciting News?**

We have now a link for the members to send us their information for our social media: [Share Your News Here!](#) Our members can use this form to send us the information that they want us to announce on our social media. For example, if they are presenting at a conference, they can send us the information!



### **NAKHE Newsletter**



The purpose of the NAKHE Newsletter is to send updated information to NAKHE members and friends. Much of the information overlaps with our social media sites. If you have any questions and comments, feel free to reach out to NAKHE at [admin@nakhe.org](mailto:admin@nakhe.org).