University of Louisiana at Monroe
Institutional Review Board
April 13, 2011
Minutes

Presiding: Dr. Judy Fellows (Chair)
Recorder: Dr. Connie Smith
Members present: Mrs. Sandra Blate (community); Dr. Lynn Clark; Dr. Alecia Hibbets (via conference call),
Dr. Claire Stammerjohan, Dr. Eric Pani (ex-officio).
Excused: Dr. Joydeep Bhattacharjee, Ms. Jessica Lasiter, Dr. Ann Findley

Called to order at 11:00 a.m.

I. Expedited Proposals
   A. Proposal from Dr. Debra Jackson
      1. “Epidemiology class project – student developed questionnaire and data collection”
      2. Comments:  
      3. Decision: Approved

II. New Proposals
    A. Proposal from Brian Coyne
       1. “Health & Physical Fitness Assessment & Comparison of KINS activity class students”
       2. Comments:  
       3. Decision: Approved

    B. Proposal from Michael Parker
       1. “Survey of financial literacy of college students”
       2. Comments: Add to informed consent: “By completing this survey, you indicate your voluntary consent to
                    participate in this study.”
       3. Decision: Approved – with comment

    C. Proposal from Sami Nazzal
       1. “Current pharmacy students’ reasons for attending pharmacy school”
       2. Comments: Add to all 4 student emails: “By completing this survey, you indicate your voluntary consent to
                    participate in this study.”
       3. Decision: Approved – with comment

    D. Proposal from Elizabeth C. Stammerjohan
       1. “An empirical investigation of the antecedents of competitive new service development among logistics
          service providers”
       2. Comments:  
       3. Decision: Approved

    E. Proposal from Dr. George Rice
       1. “Predicting College Persistence at Regional Louisiana Four-Year Institutions: Evaluation of the Louisiana.....”
       2. Comments:  
       3. Decision: Approved

    F. Proposal from Dr. Johanna Boult
       1. “Female Student’s Perceptions of Scientists
       2. Comments:  
       3. Decision: Approved

    G. Proposal from Tarakeshwar Mishra
1. “International Student Curricular Preferences in US Institutes of Higher Learning”
2. Comments: Add to student email: “By completing this survey, you indicate your voluntary consent to participate in this study.”
3. Decision: Approved – with comment

H. Proposal from Timothy Ford
   1. “Value-Added Teacher Preparation Action Research Study”
   2. Comments:
   3. Decision: Approved

I. Proposal from Dr. David Caldwell
   1. “Using the Myers-Briggs Type Indicator and Type Theory in a Professional Pharmacy Program”
   2. Comments:
   3. Decision: Approved

J. Proposal from Robert Kemp
   1. “Patterns of Drug Therapy for the Treatment of Hypertension in the Louisiana Medicaid Population”
   2. Comments:
   3. Decision: Approved

K. Proposal from Dr. Joseph R. McGahan
   1. “Sallie Humble Pre-Pilot Study”
   2. Comments:
   3. Decision: Approved

L. Proposal from Dr. Joseph R. McGahan
   4. “Covariation Judgments as a function of data presentation”
   5. Comments:
   6. Decision: Approved

M. Proposal from Bill McCown, PhD.
   2. Comments:
   3. Decision: Approved

III. New Business
    A. Extra Credit policy
       a. If using students as research subjects in order to fulfill course requirements or to allow them extra credit, the following must be stated in the IRB Request for Review:
          • **Explain how participants will be recruited:** Students in ULM classes may be offered the opportunity to participate in various research projects in order to fulfill requirements of the course.
          • **Statement of Possible Risks and Benefits:** Students who participate as subjects in the research, beyond that which is a course requirement, may have the opportunity to earn extra credit points for their participation. If students choose not to participate as subjects in the research, other equivalent opportunities to earn equivalent credit will be provided by the course instructor.

IV. Other Business
    A. Next Meeting – All proposals for May 11, 2011 meeting will be reviewed electronically and the IRB committees comments/recommendations will be returned to OSPA by May 11, 2011

VI. Meeting was adjourned at 11:55 a.m.