

Dr. DAVID MANN

HIGHER EDUCATION FACULTY & ADMINISTRATOR

SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Strong knowledge of curriculum, pedagogy, assessment and administration.
- Tenured faculty with over a decade of progressive administrative experience.
- Strong academic and program administration background and education.
- Nearly two decades of highly successful experience coaching at the intercollegiate, club, recreational, and K-12 levels.
- Lengthy background and training in student recruitment and retention.
- Skilled writer with extensive work experience with public relations, marketing and communication principles.
- Solid background in communications as a journalist, communications director and department spokesperson.
- Proven leadership skills through work experiences with fellow faculty, staff, and student-athletes.
- Excellent classroom, hybrid and online teaching experiences.
- Over a decade of academic advising experience meeting the needs of diverse students.
- Persuasive, with ability to communicate effectively with culturally diverse staff and students.
- Computer/software skills include iLearn, BANNER, Degree Works, Office 365, Quark, WebCT, Blackboard, D2L, Photoshop, Illustrator, and InDesign.
- Experience leading department through assessment cycles and SACS accreditation.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, EXERCISE SCIENCE
TENNESSEE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

2017 to Present
Cookeville, TN

- Serve on dissertation committees
- Research regarding exercise technique, coaching, exercise as medicine
- Involvement in College of Education student recruitment efforts
- Committee Service
- Faculty Advisor of Registered Student Organizations
- Faculty Advisor, PEK
- EdTPA Coach
- New course development
- Creation of course “shells” for online delivery
- Train graduate assistants in methods of teaching activity courses.
- Teach the following courses:
 - EDUH 7300 Behavioral Aspects of Physical Activity
 - EXPW 6140 Adapted Physical Education & Sport
 - EXPW 6700 Independent Study

- o EXPW 6881 Professional Seminar in Physical Education
- o EXPW 4731 Assessment in Physical Education Classroom
- o EXPW 4712 Methods of Teaching Secondary Physical Education
- o EXPW 4874 Professional Seminar in Physical Education
- o EXPW 3170 Motor Learning
- o EXPW 3180 Introduction To Coaching
- o EXPW 3410 Lifetime Motor Development
- o EXPW 2160 Drug Use and Abuse
- o PHED 1005 Lifetime Fitness and Wellness
- o PHED 1221 Fitness Walking
- o PHED 1010 Tennis

INTERIM DEPARTMENT CHAIR & ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF THE COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN PERFORMANCE

2016 to 2017

ALBANY STATE UNIVERSITY

Albany, GA

Regional university within the University System of Georgia.

- Supervision of six full-time and 30 part-time faculty among three campus locations.
- Lead HHUP faculty and staff through process of change, as a result of the consolidation of Darton State College and Albany State University as effective January 2017.
- Align curriculum paths from associate's degrees to bachelor's degrees.
- Assess needs and plan for graduate degrees within the College.
- Schedule courses in BANNER software, designate classrooms, develop online course content.
- Other duties similar to those listed in the following job description.

HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION CHAIR & ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

2015 to 2016

DARTON STATE COLLEGE

Albany, GA

Residential, state college within the University System of Georgia.

- Plan, coordinate and monitor all components of the Division.
- Supervise faculty and staff assigned to the Division.
- Mentor new faculty.
- Assess and plan for new programs and revision of existing programs and direct and oversee the development, approval, and implementation of new bachelor degree programs appropriate for a State College.
- Develop and implement long-range Divisional plans and goals.
- Plan, supervise and participate in student recruitment activities.
- Advise students in academic coursework.
- Serve on community, advisory, Division and college committees.
- Seek grants to support Division and college programs.
- Assist in preparation of specialized accreditation.
- Develop and conduct educational programs for the community.
- Recruit and screen for faculty appointments.
- Evaluate faculty and staff assigned to the Division.
- Recommend annual salary adjustments.
- Develop and manage Division budget.
- Act as Division representative to program advisory committees.
- As needed teach courses in area of educational background.

- Oversee the Division's online marketing efforts to include hard copy brochures, Divisional and individual program pages on the College's website and other web venues and social media mediums.
- Develop, implement and oversee the Division's online Physical Education Program.
- Involvement in System and professional organizations related to Physical Education.
- Supervise a Division online support specialist dedicated to promoting, recruiting and assisting the Division's online students.
- In unison with the other Division deans, work closely with the College's Coordinator of Online Education program.
- Actively, aggressively, and continually work toward growing the Division's online programs.
- Responsible for Divisional Fundraising.
- Schedule PHED and HLTH courses in BANNER.
- Recent highlights include hiring of new faculty, a \$30,000 fitness center equipment upgrade and renovations of physical education building through development of "fitness" fee program, and enhanced mandatory institutional physical education requirements beyond the core curriculum.

ASST. PROFESSOR/ DIRECTOR OF SPORTS INFORMATION

2011 to 2015

DARTON STATE COLLEGE

Albany, GA

State college in the University System of Georgia.

- Received tenure in academic year 2015.
- Teach lecture, online, and activity courses.
- Led the physical education department through SACS reaccreditation in 2014.
- Advise students within physical education, recreation, exercise science and sports management degree tracks.
- Played a major role in the development of Darton's first faculty senate. Serve on several academic committees such as strategic planning, academic and student services committee.
- Creation of Darton's first sports information department, encompassing 11 athletic teams at one of the NJCAA's most competitive athletics programs.
- Creation of all content for the athletic website, including photography, press releases, feature stories, student-athlete bios and other information.
- Production of media guides for athletic teams and events such as the NJCAA D1 National Championship, the Region 17 Championship, and District J Championship.
- Production of daily press releases for athletic department and local, statewide and national media outlets.
- Nominations of student athletes for relevant honors and awards.
- Provide all media outlets with relevant sports news, statistics and images.
- Work proactively with media to encourage coverage of college athletics events and news.
- Serve as the public relations agent for the athletics department.
- Provide presentations representing the athletics department and its mission to various entities.
- Magazine article writing and photography.

ASST. PROFESSOR/ HEAD CROSS COUNTRY COACH

2007 to 2011

DARTON STATE COLLEGE

Albany, GA

State college in the University System of Georgia.

- Created a lecture course "Introduction to Physical Education," for PE majors that focuses upon kinesiology, biomechanics and other physical education sub-disciplines.
- Developed online classes for physical education, wellness and health courses.

- Created “Walk, Jog, or Run for Fitness,” lecture/activity course teaching cardiovascular training principles and benefits combined with a progressive walk/run program.
- Teach lecture-based and fitness-related activity courses including:
 - Tennis I,
 - Tennis II,
 - Fitness for Seniors,
 - Walking I,
 - Walking II,
 - Fitness I,
 - Fitness II,
 - Introduction to Physical Education,
 - Strength Training,
 - Bowling,
 - Personal Fitness,
 - Walk, Jog or Run for Fitness,
 - Drug Use & Abuse,
 - Stress Management,
 - Personal Health
- Provide online instruction and course development for *Fitness I*, *Fitness II* and *Introduction to PE*.
- Incorporate technology including pedometers, SMARTboard interactive chalkboard, heart-rate monitors, audio-visual aids and online chat sessions into classroom environment.
- Serve as academic advisor for Physical Education majors, student-athletes of all majors and transient students.
- Provide writing skills tutoring for student-athletes.
- Established new, highly successful collegiate cross-country programs.
- Handle athlete recruitment, retention, training and serve academic advisor.
- Perform department budgeting, competition scheduling, arrange travel, arrange on- and off-campus housing, monitor academic progress and ensure NJCAA compliance.
- Hold a class "B" commercial driver's license for team travel and student travel (as a volunteer guide).
- 5-time Region 17 Coach of the Year

INSTRUCTOR/ ASSISTANT MEN’S AND WOMEN’S SOCCER COACH

2005 to 2006

DARTON COLLEGE

Albany, GA

Community college in the University System of Georgia.

- Teaching, advising, and committee service duties similar to those listed above.
- Recruited and coached student athletes for nationally recognized men and women’s soccer programs.
- Upon hire in 2005, assisted in the program’s first Region 17 Championship, District 7 Championship, and tournament berth in the NJCAA’s National Soccer Championship.
- Still hold NJCAA records for most consecutive wins and most wins in a single season (25).

GRADUATE ASSISTANT 2003 to 2004 DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY Cleveland, MS

Regional public university in the heart of the Mississippi Delta.

- Assisted with research for the Delta Health Initiative program designed by Professor Dr. John Alvarez to increase health awareness for diabetes, CVD, and obesity rates.
- Served as a teaching assistant to the University’s HPER dept.

- Two research studies published in JOPERD as a graduate student.
- Involved creating and successfully maintaining new men's and women's NCAA D-II soccer programs. This included building a soccer complex, recruiting student-athletes, scheduling, fundraising, leading summer camps and other duties assigned by the head soccer coach.
- Served as "copy editor" for *The Delta Statement*, the campus's student-led newspaper.

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Presenter, National Alliance of Health and Physical Literacy, 2024

- "The Cardiovascular Fitness Effect of Zone 2 Training Among High School Soccer Athletes"

Club Advisor, Mann United Indoor Futbol Club

Club Advisor, TTU Women's Soccer Club

Club Advisor, Tech On The Fly

Club Advisor, TTU Climbing Club

Club Advisor, TTU Men's Soccer

Presenter, Tennessee Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, 2022

- "Implementing the National Archery In Schools Program into your PETE methods courses"

Presenter, National Health and Physical Literacy Summit, 2021

- "The efficacy of an online, concepts-based fitness and wellness course"

Presenter, TAHPERD 2018

- "The back squat" with Dr. Michael Phillips.

Presenter, DSC Faculty Development 2014

- "Quick Calorimetry"

Presenter, DSC Faculty Development 2013

- "Couch to 5K"

Guest Speaker, Westover High School Athletics Banquet 2012

- "What it takes to win"

Guest Speaker, Albany Rotary Club 2013-2017 (annual visit)

- "Darton State College Athletics and Economic Impact"

Staff Writer/Business Editor, *The Bolivar Commercial*, Cleveland, MS from 2000 to 2003

- Began as route driver and developed into roles of reporter, photographer, and finally editor.

Teacher's Manual Reviser, Cengage Learning from 2009 to 2012

- Revised test banks and instructor's manuals to create new instructional editions of "Fitness and Wellness" texts.

Reviewer, Benjamin Cummings/Pearson Education

- Reviewed/edited editions of "Get Fit, Stay Well."

Director of Summer Camps, Darton State College

- Camp director for tennis and cross country summer day camps at Darton College.

Researcher and writer, "History of Darton State College" project.

Feature writer and photographer, *Capstones*, a quarterly publication of the College designed to attract students and build alumni support.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

COLUMBUS STATE UNIVERSITY

Columbus, GA

- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society member.
- Graduated December 2019.
- 2020 Doctor of Education - Higher Education Administration Award recipient
- Dissertation: *The efficacy of an online, concepts-based fitness & wellness course*
- 4.0 GPA

MASTER OF EDUCATION

DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY

Cleveland, MS

- Health & Physical Education
- 3.82 GPA.
- Graduate Assistant Men's Soccer Coach.
- Teacher Assistant.
- Copy Editor, *The Delta Statement*, student newspaper.

BACHELOR OF ARTS

DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY

Cleveland, MS

- Award-winning student-newspaper photographer, columnist and reporter.
- Double major, English and journalism.

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

NORTHWEST MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Southaven, MS

- Writer/photographer for student newspaper.

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

- NFSP Certified Fly-Fishing Instructor.
- Quality Matters Online Educator Rubric Certified.
- SACS COC accreditation standards, outcomes assessment, and SLOs training.
- University System of Georgia New Chairs and Deans Workshop, September 2015.
- American Red Cross CPR/AED, and Lifeguard/Professional Rescuer certifications.
- Class "B" commercial driver's license.
- NASP Certified Archery Instructor.
- U.S. Soccer Grass Roots Coaching License.

AFFILIATIONS

- Member, SHAPE
- Member, TAHPERD
- Member, NAHPL
- NASP Level One Certified Archery Instructor
- NFSP Level One Fly Fishing Instructor
- Advisor, Mann United Indoor Football Club
- Advisor, Tech On The Fly
- Advisor, TTU Men's Soccer
- Advisor, TTU Climbing Club
- Volunteer coach for Livingston Academy High School

- Head coach for All-In FC TN 2008 Boys and 2011 Girls
 - Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society
 - Who's Who Among American College Teachers
 - FlintRiverKeeper.org member
 - Involve students with charities such as: TOP Soccer, Shrine Club, Multiple Sclerosis Society, American Cancer Society, Humane Society, and Special Olympics.
 - Delta State University Alumni Association
 - Southaven High School Athletics Booster Club
 - Northwest Mississippi Community College Athletics Booster Club
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AWARDS

- 2020 Doctor of Education - Higher Education Administration Award (Given annually to honor the top dissertation received by the Columbus State University Department of Leadership & Counseling)
- 2017 Lee County All-Stars Coach (as volunteer for local YMCA)
- 2015 Tenure, Darton State College
- 2014 College Service Award, Darton State College
- 2013 Sports Media Award, National Wrestling Coaches Association
- 2010 Region XVII Women's XC Coach of the Year
- 2010 Region XVII Men's XC Coach of the Year
- 2010 Academic All-America Team
- 2010 Men's and Women's Conference Champions
- 2009 Region XVII Women's XC Coach of the Year
- 2009 Region XVII Men's XC Coach of the Year
- 2009 Academic All-America Team
- 2009 Men's and Women's Conference Champions
- 2007 Region XVII Women's Coach of the Year (inaugural season)
- 2007 Women's Conference Champion
- 2007 Academic All-America Team
- 2005 NJCAA National Runners-Up, women's soccer
- 2005 NJCAA record wins in a single season, women's soccer, 25-1
- 2005 NJCAA record most consecutive wins, women's soccer, 25
- 2002 Mississippi College Press Association, 1st Place, best general news story
- 2002 Mississippi College Press Association, 1st Place, best editorial