**Health Communication Division**

**National Communication Association**

**2014 Business Meeting**

**November 21st, 3:30-4:45 PM**

**Wabash – 3rd Floor, Palmer House Hilton**

Immediate Past Chair: Lance Rintamaki, University at Buffalo, SUNY

Chair: Jake Jensen, University of Utah

Vice Chair: Elaine M. Wittenberg-Lyles, City of Hope

Vice Chair-Elect: Elaine Hsieh, University of Oklahoma

Secretary: Allison Scott, University of Kentucky

Student Representative: Jenna Reno, University of Kentucky

1. Call to Order (Jensen)
2. No more parliamentary procedure at the Health Com Division Business Meeting
3. Approval of the 2013 Minutes
4. Brief visit from LaKesha Anderson (NCA) and Christina Beck (NCA Executive Committee)
5. Nominations and Elections (Jensen)
6. Vice Chair Elect, Secretary, Graduate Student Representative, and Paper Readers
7. Officer Reports
8. Chair Report (Jensen)
9. Vice Chair Report (Wittenberg-Lyles)
10. Vice Chair Elect Report (Hsieh)
11. Award Presentations
12. NCA/ICA Dissertation and Thesis Awards (Jensen)
13. Top Student Paper Awards (Wittenberg-Lyles)
14. Top Paper Awards (Wittenberg-Lyles)
15. Distinguished Article Award (Jensen)
16. Dale E. Brashers Mentorship Award (Jensen)
17. Outstanding Scholar Award (Jensen)
18. Announcing the 2015 Call for Awards (call on the division website)
19. New Business
20. Jake Jensen - ICA/NCA Health Com Dissertation of the Year – Endowing the award in honor of Abby Prestin
21. Jake Jensen - Dale E. Brashers Mentor Award – Endowing the Award
22. Jay Bernhardt – Introducing the Center for Health Communication at UT
23. Jay Bernhardt – Organizing Efforts for a new Health Communication Professional Society
24. Lisa Van Raalte – Job Announcement at Arizona State University
25. Announcements from the Floor (time permitting)
26. Symbolic passing of the Gavel
27. Adjournment

**AWARD WINNERS**

**ICA/NCA Dissertation of the Year**

Searching from the heart: The interplay between emotions and customization in online health information seeking

Dr. Jessica Gall Myrick, Indiana University

Conferring Organization: University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Advisor: Dr. Sriram Kalyanaraman

**NCA Top Student Papers**

**Character Identification as a Moderator of the Relationship between Perceived Social Norms and Sexual Risk-Reduction Intentions and Behavior: Findings from an eHealth Interactive Video Intervention**

[*Anne Borsai*](javascript:previewAttendee(45485);), University of Connecticut

*[John Christensen](javascript:previewAttendee(47484);" \o "John Christensen)*, University of Connecticut  

**Perception of Social Power and Compliance Based on Traditional Health Beliefs in Nepal**

[*Yerina S. Ranjit*](javascript:previewAttendee(42879);), University of Connecticut

[*Merina Shrestha*](javascript:previewAttendee(48621);), Tribhuvan University

**Risk Perception, Social Support, and Alcohol Use among U.S. Adolescents: An Investigation Using the 2011 National Survey on Drug Use and Health**

[*Cindy (Yixin) Chen*](javascript:previewAttendee(40410);), Sam Houston State University

**Social Media’s Influence on Youth Smoking: Changing Attitudes, Social Norms, Self-efficacy and Stages of Change**

[*Yaguang Zhu*](javascript:previewAttendee(46722);), University of Texas, Austin

**When Feelings Continue: A Difficulty in Emotion Regulation Predicts Cancer Risk Awareness after an Entertainment-Education Intervention**

[*Georges Elias Khalil*](javascript:previewAttendee(44601);), University at Buffalo, SUNY

**NCA Top Papers**

**Co-Rumination of Fat Talk and Weight Control Practices: An Application of Confirmation Theory**

[*Analisa Arroyo*](javascript:previewAttendee(40100);), University of Georgia

[*Chris Segrin*](javascript:previewAttendee(43859);), University of Arizona     
[*Jake Harwood*](javascript:previewAttendee(47683);), University of Arizona   
[*Joseph A. Bonito*](javascript:previewAttendee(39798);), University of Arizona

**Examining the Risk Perception Gap in the Risk Convergence Model: Narrative Effects on Perceived Social Distance and Self and Character's Risk Perception**

[*Jiyeon So*](javascript:previewAttendee(43096);), University of Georgia

[*Lijiang Shen*](javascript:previewAttendee(42923);), University of Georgia

**Linguistic Cues to Perceived Trustworthiness in Online Medical Advice: A LIWC Analysis**

[*Catalina Toma*](javascript:previewAttendee(46001);), University of Wisconsin, Madison

[*Jonathan D'Angelo*](javascript:previewAttendee(49016);), University of Wisconsin, Madison

**Temporal Framing and Consideration of Future Consequences: Effects on Smokers’ and At-Risk Nonsmokers’ Responses to Cigarette Health Warnings**

[*Xiaoquan Zhao*](javascript:previewAttendee(46714);), George Mason University

[*Xiaoli Nan*](javascript:previewAttendee(44290);), University of Maryland   
[*Irina Alexandra Iles*](javascript:previewAttendee(41766);), University of Maryland     
[*Bo Yang*](javascript:previewAttendee(47554);), University of Maryland

**The Impact of Child and Parent Characteristics on Language Brokers’ Health Literacy: A Test of Three Dyadic Models**

[*Lisa Guntzviller*](javascript:previewAttendee(45235);), Utah State University

[*Jakob D. Jensen*](javascript:previewAttendee(47040);), University of Utah  
[*Luz M. Carreno*](javascript:previewAttendee(50508);), Utah State University

**Distinguished Article in Health Com**

James Dillard, Penn State University & Lijiang Shen, University of Georgia

Dillard, J., & Shen, L. (2005). On the Nature of Reactance and its Role in Persuasive Health Communication. Communication Monographs, 72, 144-168.

**Dale Brashers Distinguished Mentor**

Dr. Gary Kreps, George Mason University

**Outstanding Health Communication Scholar**

Dr. Linda Godbold Kean, East Carolina University

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Dr. K. “Vish” Vishwanath  
  
  
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Outstanding Book  
  
Communication as Comfort: Multiple Voices in Palliative Care (Comfort)  
  
Sandra L. Ragan, Elaine M. Wittenberg-Lyles,   
  
Joy Goldsmith, & Sandra Sanchez Reilly