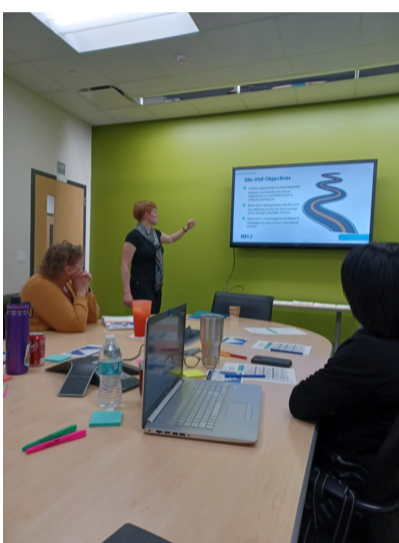


COE Programs Nationally Recognized

Three of the College of Education's master's programs were ranked by Best Accredited Colleges as top programs.

- [#9 Best Online Master's in Reading and Literacy Programs](#)
- [#9 Best Online Master's Degrees in Special Education](#)
- [#16 Best Online Master's Degrees in Curriculum and Instruction](#)

People of the COE



Drs. Nickson, Martin, Harte, Johnson, Ingram, Berg and Foster participated in the Learning by Scientific Design Network Site Visit at The Woodlands Center. Dr. Sarah McKibbin and Dr. Randi Blair, Deans for Impact coaches, worked with SoTL faculty to support our EC-6 and 4-8 curriculum alignment and coaching clinical practice work.

Submitted by Dr. Andrea Foster

Meet Author Ruta Sepetys!

Carnegie medalist and New York Times Bestselling author **Ruta Sepetys** will be joining the Department of Library Science to celebrate Bearkats, libraries, and You: The Story. This virtual event will take place on **April 4 at 6:00 pm via Zoom**. Don't miss this exciting event with one of the most celebrated authors in contemporary literature!

Join the celebration on [Zoom](#)

Submitted By Dr. Rose Brock

Project Starfish

Kappa Delta Pi is continuing to sponsor Project Starfish to specifically target College of Education senior students with financial need as they prepare for graduation.

Selected Starfish will have regalia including a cap and gown loaned to them before graduation along with other swag to help them celebrate their accomplishment. While this program focuses on the needs of undergraduate students, there are a small quantity of masters and doctorate regalia available for graduate students as well.

Interested students should **apply for Project Starfish [here](#), apply by Wednesday, 4/5 at 11:59 pm (central)**.

Please contact [Dr. Amber Godwin](#) for questions about Project Starfish.

Diversity Summit

The Diversity Summit is April 19, 2023, 12:00-5:00 pm. The theme is: Incidental Designation or Enduring Commitment? Making Good Use of Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) Status at SHSU.

[View informational flyer](#)

[Register for the Diversity Summit](#)

Contact [Dr. Benita Brooks](#) for more information.

Undergrad Scholarship Opportunity

240 Tutoring is offering a **scholarship for the summer semester**. The 240 Tutoring Gives Back scholarship will award **\$1,000** to one teacher candidate. The scholarship deadline is **May 12th, 2023**.

[Apply here](#)

Email [240 Tutoring](#) for assistance.

Dissertation Announcements

Laura Christine Walters' Dissertation Final Defense, THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN MULTIPLICATION FACT AUTOMATICITY, MATURE NUMBER SENSE, MATHEMATICS ANXIETY, AND MATHEMATICS SUCCESS: A COMMUNITY COLLEGE STUDY, has been scheduled via Zoom for April 3, 2023, at 9:00 AM. You can access the meeting by using the Zoom ID: 883 2056 9746 or at <https://shsu.zoom.us/j/88320569746>. The dissertation committee consists of: Dr. Linda Reichwein Zientek, Dr. Susan Troncoso Skidmore, and Peggy C. Holzweiss.

Holly Tetreault Moore's Dissertation Final Defense, PERCEPTIONS OF NOVICE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHERS ON THEIR PREPAREDNESS FOR TEACHING IN INCLUSIVE CLASSROOMS, has been scheduled for April 3, 2023, at 9:30 a.m. at The Woodlands Center Room 111. You can also attend via Zoom. Zoom ID: 881 9123 3645 | Zoom link: <https://shsu.zoom.us/j/88191233645>. The dissertation committee consists of: Dr. Julie Combs, Dr. William Blackwell III, Dr. Christina Gushanas, and Dr. Christine Butler.

Upcoming COE Events

Inclusive Dialogue Book Series - Various dates, 4:00 - 5:00 pm, Zoom, [contact Dr. Benita Brooks](#) for more information

SHSU Library Science presents Ruta Sepetys - April 4, 6:00 pm, [Zoom](#)

Using IPEDS & Other Data Sets for Research - April 5, 12:30-1:30 pm, Zoom (890 7982 4751)

COE Scholarship and Recognition Banquet - April 14, 5:30 pm, LSC White Ballroom

Diversity Summit - April 19, 12:00-5:00 pm, LSC White Ballroom, contact [Dr. Benita Brooks](#) for more information

RULE - May 4, 3:00-5:00 pm, TEC 279

Pinning Ceremony - May 9, 2:00 pm, LSC Orange Ballroom

Pre-Graduation Reception - May 12, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm, TEC 279

Hooding Ceremony - May 12, 10:00 am, LSC 241

COE Commencement - May 12, 2:30 pm, Johnson Coliseum

Art in Education - May 25, 4:00 pm, TEC 279

[See all events](#)



To be included in the next N3, [Share your news](#) with Shelle Goodwin in the COE Communications Hub by noon on Monday.

This email was sent to students in the College of Education.