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# RESEARCH ABSTRACT



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### **OhioLINK agreements offer limited open access publishing**

OhioLINK has announced new agreements with Elsevier and Springer, as well as an expanded renewal for their Wiley Open Access publishing agreement that offers authors from Franklin University limited APC-free open access publishing benefits. Franklin University affiliated authors also have OhioLINK open access publishing benefits available through IOP and Cambridge University Press. Eligibility is determined by the affiliation of the corresponding author (the primary contact throughout the publishing process), the timing of submission and acceptance for publication, and subject to availability of APCs. For additional information about these open access deals, see the "[Open Access Publishing Through OhioLINK](#)" page on the library's Open Educational Resources research guide. If you have questions about open access publishing, please contact Marc Jaffy ([marc.jaffy@franklin.edu](mailto:marc.jaffy@franklin.edu)), the Scholarly Communication and Affordable Learning Librarian.

### **IRB News**

Dr. Amiee Wagner joined Doctoral Studies & Academic Research as IRB Administrator & Lead Faculty, Doctoral Studies, effective March 1, 2024. Amiee will continue to provide guidance to our growing number of doctoral candidates and dissertation committees as they work through the Institutional Review Board (IRB) process. Dr. Wagner will also serve as Lead Faculty in scheduling, facilitating, and teaching newly planned workshops and seminars for our doctoral students and candidates, and support our Science courses offerings on an as needed basis.





## Upcoming Theory Courses

There's still time for doctoral students to register for our research core elective courses, including MTHD 817, "Social and Critical Theory." MTHD 817 will introduce students to the chief theoretical schools that inform research in the social sciences: "postmodernist" theories, queer theory, gender theory, critical race theory, disability theory, and structuralist theory among others. Students will consider how social and critical theory has been deployed in the social sciences over time as well as how this same body of work influences contemporary public and political discourse. Throughout the course, students will consider how social and critical theory can be applied to their own research.

# PUBLICATIONS

## Professor Alexander Dontre

"Weighing the Impact of Microgravity on Vestibular and Visual Functions."  
*Life Sciences in Space Research.*

## Professor Mark Gambill

"Zombie Malls - Part 1: Bringing Dead Shopping Venues Back to Life Through Multifamily Development." *Journal of the Counselors of Real Estate.*

## Professor Nabil Hamam

*Surgical Technology 2.0.* Barnes & Noble Press.

## Dr. Isidoro Talavera

"What Is Academic Inclusion." *InfoScipedia.*  
[Based on "Some Problems in Advancing Academic Inclusion: A Call for Critical Thinking." *Handbook of Research on Educational Leadership and Research Methodology.*

# PRESENTATIONS

## Dr. Brandy Bagar-Fraley

"The End-of-the-World Switch: Articulating a Suite of Departmental Best Practices for AI."  
*Modern Language Association Conference*

## Dr. Ron Black

"Climbing the Doctoral Mountain to Success in Today's Digital World."  
*ACBSP Region 1 Conference*

## Dr. Evan Chaloupka

"Gaming the Bildungsroman: Participatory Richness and Player-Character Intimacy in *Persona V.*"  
*Modern Language Association Conference*