

Karen Bishop

Assistant Professor

Education

BS, The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL, Accounting

PhD, The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL, Entrepreneurship & Organizational Behavior, 2000

MA, State University of West Georgia, Carrollton, GA, Psychology, 1995

Teaching Interests

Entrepreneurship; Organizational Behavior

Research Interests

Entrepreneurship; Organizational Behavior

Special Certifications and/or Designations

Certified Internal Auditor (non-practicing).

Certified Public Accountant (inactive).

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Courses Taught

Business Start-Ups

Opportunity Recognition

Business/Professional Experience

Assistant Professor - Entrepreneurship, University of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky (August 2000 - May 2006).

INTELLECTUAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Refereed Journal Articles

Nixon, R. D., Bishop, K., Clouse, V. C. G., Kemelgor, B. (2006). Prior Knowledge and Entrepreneurial Discovery: A Classroom Methodology for Idea Generation.. *International Journal of Entrepreneurship Education*, 4.

Bishop, K., Nixon, R. D. (2006). Venture opportunity evaluations: Comparisons between venture capitalists and inexperienced pre-nascent entrepreneurs.. *Journal of Developmental Entrepreneurship*, 11(1), 19-33.

Conference Proceedings

Bishop, K. Summary - Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities used in Opportunity Recognition Processes: A Framework. *Frontiers of Entrepreneurship*.

Bishop, K., Kraiger, K., Conklin, B. (2007). *Entrepreneurial Training Transfer: Influences on Entrepreneurs' Use of Knowledge from Training*. Babson/Kauffman Entrepreneurship Research Conference.

Non-Refereed Presentations or Papers

International

Bishop, K., Nixon, R. D. (2004, March). *An individual knowledge-based theory of entrepreneurship*.. Presented at Society for Entrepreneurship Scholars, Columbus, Ohio.

National

Bishop, K., Nixon, R. D. (2005, April). *Venture opportunity evaluations: Comparisons between venture capitalists and inexperienced pre-nascent entrepreneurs*.. Presented at Lally-Darden-Fisher Conference, Columbus, Ohio.

Local

Bishop, K., Webber, S. S., O'Neill, R. M. (2009). *Doing One's Homework: The Influence of Preparatory Moves and Prior Knowledge on Issue-Selling Success*. Presented at Suffolk University Research Group, Boston, Massachusetts.

Presentation of Refereed Papers

International

Bishop, K. (2010, June). *Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities used in Opportunity Recognition Processes: A Framework*. Presented at Babson College, IMD (Lausanne), EFPL (Lausanne), Lausanne, Switzerland.

Bishop, K., Webber, S. S., O'Neill, R. M. (2009). *Doing one's homework: The influence of preparatory moves and prior experience on issue-selling success*. Presented at Academy of Management, Chicago, Illinois.

Bishop, K., Kraiger, K., Conklin, B. (2007). *Entrepreneurial Training Transfer: Influences on Entrepreneurs' Use of Knowledge from Training*. Presented at Babson/Kauffman Entrepreneurship Research Conference, Bloomington, Indiana.

Nixon, R. D., Bishop, K., Clouse, V. C. G., Kemelgor, B. (2005, July). *Systematic search: Idea generation in undergraduate entrepreneurship courses..* Presented at International Entrepreneurship Education Conference, London, United Kingdom.

Regional

Webber, S., Bishop, K., O'Neill, R. (2010, October). *'Trust Repair: Impact of Perceived Organizational Support and Issue-Selling Success'*. St. Pete Beach, Florida.

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

College/School Assignments

Committee Member

September 2010 - Present: Undergraduate Program & Curriculum Committee; Attend meetings and contribute toward SBS Assurance of Learning process, evaluation, and goals.

Other Institutional Service Activities

2008: Suffolk Showcase; Presented ENT information to 2 large groups of accepted but not enrolled students and their parents. Co-presenter: George Moker.

2007: Presentation to Sawyer School Board of Advisors; Presentation given to the Dean's Board of Advisors about the progress and activities of the ENT major and the Center.

2006 - 2007: Major fair - faculty representative; Talked with underclassmen about ENT major.

2006: Sawyer Showcase presentation; Presentation made to gathering of students accepted yet not enrolled into Sawyer School.

University Assignments

Other Institutional Service Activities

2007: Advancement Office - met with several alums; On several occasions I have been asked by the Advancement Office to help encourage both financial and personal involvement of alums in the Sawyer School and SU at large.

2007: Began creation of the Center for Ent. Research Initiative; Began setting foundation for Research activities in the MA community to provide service to community and provide venues for scholars to collect data..

2007: Speaker - Board of Trustees - Suffolk University; Presentation given to the Suffolk University Board of Trustees about the progress and activities of the ENTmajor and the Center.

2007: Suffolk University Fall Open House; Introduced major to interested students and parents (Ridgeway Gym).

Professional Service

Conference-Related

2007: Academy of Management; Facilitated Research Incubator PDW for ENT/HR/OB/OD.

2006: Academy of Management; Facilitated Research Incubator PDW for ENT/HR/OB/OD.

Reviewed 3 doctoral student papers and gave extensive coaching and feedback

July 2010 - August 7, 2010: Faculty Mentor - Academy of Management, ENT Division Doctoral Consortium; Reviewed 3 doctoral student papers, prepared extensive feedback and spent a morning coaching at the ENT Doctoral Consortium..

Reviewer, Ad Hoc Reviewer

January 2010 - Present: Academy of Management, Entrepreneurship Division; Reviewed 4 papers for the AoM Annual Meeting paper presentations in the ENT division. I volunteer annually..

Reviewer, Conference Paper

2006: Reviewer - Academy of Management - ENT division;.

Reviewer, Journal Article

2010: Academy of Management Entrepreneurship Division;.

2008: Reviewer - Human Resource Management;.

2007: Reviewer - Human Resource Management; Reviewed 2 manuscripts during 2007 for this journal..

2006: Reviewer - Organizational Research Methods;.

Public Service

Guest Speaker

2008: Framingham Rotary Club; Discussed opportunity discovery and evaluation. Proposed interaction with the Center.

Other Community Service Activities

2007: Mayor's Main Streets project - West Roxbury office; Initiated a partnership between the Center and the Mayor's Main Streets project to encourage healthy township main street business districts.

2007: Met with SBA Washington representative and MA Director; Established working relationship with local SBA representatives and obtained SBA resource guides for students.

Professional Memberships

Academy of Management.

AICPA.

IIA.

Southern Management Association.

USASBE.