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EDUCATION: Ph.D. (2000) University of Georgia  
Major Areas: Health Communication, Communication Theory  
Dissertation Title: Volunteering to Provide Social Support to Hospice Patients: A Test of Problematic Integration Theory

M.A. (1996) University of Northern Iowa  
Major Area: Communication Studies  
Thesis Title: Dimensions of Social Support: Cardiac Patients and Their Spouses

B.A. (1994) Augustana College (Rock Island, IL)  
Majors: Speech Communication, Biology  
Minor: Psychology

EXPERIENCE: Visiting Professor, Sichuan University, China (June-July, 2013)

Affiliated Faculty Member, College of Public Health, Kent State University  
(March 2011-present)

Associate Professor, School of Communication Studies, Kent State University (Aug. 2006- present)

Graduate Coordinator, School of Communication Studies, Kent State University (Aug. 2007- August 2010)

Assistant Professor, School of Communication Studies, Kent State University (Aug. 2000- Aug. 2006)

Courses Taught (Kent State University)  
COMM 20000: Foundations of Communication  
COMM 20001: Interpersonal Communication

COMM 35860: Interviewing  
COMM 35864: Organizational Communication  
COMM 38501: Communication in Healthcare  
COMM 45095: Special Topics: Patient/Provider Communication  
COMM 45959: Nonverbal Communication  
COMM 45960/55960: Health Communication  
COMM 46503: Health Communication & Media  
COMM 36505: Communication, Aging & Culture  
COMM 65000/75000: Foundations of Communication Inquiry  
COMM 65652/75652: Theories of Communication  
COMM 55095/75095: Health Literacy  
COMM 55095/75095: Health Communication Campaigns  
COMM 55095/75095: Special Topics Workshop: Getting Published  
COMM 65891/75891: Seminar in Organizational  
Communication:  
Training and Development  
COMM 65851/75851: Organizational Communication  
COMM 66501/86501: Health Communication  
COMM 66507/86507: Interpersonal Communication and Health  
CCI 80000: Foundations of Communication and Information Inquiry

Teaching Assistant University of Georgia (1996-2000)  
Communication Theory  
Applied Public Communication  
Introduction to Public Speaking  
Introduction to Interpersonal Communication  
Health Communication  
Introduction to Human Communication  
Business and Professional Communication

Research Assistant, University of Georgia (Fall, 1998)  
Research Assistant, University of Northern Iowa (Fall, 1994)  
Forensics Assistant, University of Northern Iowa (Spring, 1995)  
Teaching Assistant, University of Northern Iowa (Aug. 1994 - May 1996)  
Research Assistant, Northeast Iowa Medical Education Foundation (October, 1994-December 1995)  
Cardiac Rehabilitation Intern, Illini Medical Center (Spring, 1993)

#### REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES:

**Egbert, N.,** Child, J. T., Lin, M-C, Savery, C., & Bosley, T. (2017). How older adults and their families perceive family talk about aging-related issues: A dialectical analysis. *Behavioral Sciences*, 7, 21. DOI: doi:10.3390/bs7020021

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- Polk, D., & **Egbert, N.** (2013). Speaking the language of love: On whether Chapman's (1992) claims stand up to empirical testing. *The Open Communication Journal*, 7, 1-11.
- Wright, K. B., Rosenberg, J., **Egbert, N.**, Ploeger, N., & Bernard, D. (2013). Communication competence, social support, and depression among college students: A model of Facebook and face-to-face support network influence. *Journal of Health Communication*, 18, 41-57.
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- Rosenberg, J., & **Egbert, N.** (2011). Online impression management: Personality traits and concern for secondary goals as predictors of self-presentation tactics on Facebook. *Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication*, 17, 1-18.
- Savery, C., & **Egbert, N.** (2009). Hospice volunteer as advocate for patient-centered end-of-life care. *Palliative and Supportive Care*, 8, 1-9.

- Hollenbaugh, E., & **Egbert, N.** (2009). A test of Communication Privacy Management Theory in cross-sex friendships. *Ohio Journal of Communication, 47*, 113-136.
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- Kleman, E. E., Everett, M. & **Egbert, N.** (2009). Social support strategies among women of faith. *Journal of Communication & Religion, 32*, 157-193.
- Gore, T. D., Caine-Bish, N., Olds, R. S., DeJulius, A., Mitchell, S. Juvancic-Heltzel, J., Pierce, K., & **Egbert, N.** (2008). The 4:3:2:1 Healthy Kids Project: A pilot intervention to reduce childhood obesity in elementary school students. *Cases in Public Health Communication & Marketing, 2*, 87-104. Retrieved from <http://www.casesjournal.org/volume2>
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- Baxter, L. E., **Egbert, N.**, & Ho, E. (2008). Everyday health communication experiences of college students. *Journal of American College Health, 56*, 427-436.
- Egbert, N.**, Koch, L., Coeling, H., & Ayers, D. (2006). The role of social support in the family and community integration of right hemisphere stroke survivors. *Health Communication, 20*, 45-55.
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- Koch, L., **Egbert, N.**, & Coeling, H. (2005). Speaking of research: The Working Alliance as a model for interdisciplinary collaboration. *Work: A Journal of Prevention, Assessment, and Rehabilitation, 25*, 369-373.
- Koch, L., **Egbert, N.**, Coeling, H., & Ayers, D. (2005). Returning to work

after the onset of illness: The experiences of right hemisphere stroke survivors in their attempts to return to work. *Rehabilitation Counseling Bulletin*, 48, 209-218.

**Egbert, N., Mickley, J., & Coeling, H. (2004).** A review and application of social scientific measures of religiosity and spirituality: Assessing a missing component in health communication research. *Health Communication*, 16, 7-27.

**Egbert, N. (2003).** Support provider mood and familiar versus unfamiliar events: An investigation of social support quality. *Communication Quarterly*, 51, 209-224.

**Egbert, N., & Parrott, R. (2003).** Empathy and social support for the terminally ill: Implications for recruiting and retaining hospice and hospital volunteers. *Communication Studies*, 54, 18-34.

**Egbert, N., & Parrott, R. (2001).** Self-efficacy and rural women's performance of breast and cervical cancer detection practices. *Journal of Health Communication*, 6, 219-233.

Sutherland, J., **Egbert, N.**, Gjerde, C., Pint-Burke, T., Franklin, C., & Walker, D., (1998). Dictation in the presence of the patient. *Archives of Family Medicine*, 7, 281-284.

**Egbert, N. (1998).** A surprising health resource for non-native speakers of English: Advocating social support networks in medical encounters. *TESOL in Action*, 12(10), 11-12.

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**Egbert, N. (2015).** Hospice care and communication. In J. Nussbaum and H. Giles (Eds.), *Communication at the end of life* (pp. 158-173). New York: Peter Lang Publishing.

**Egbert N. (2013).** Religion, fatalism, and health locus of control: Persuading African American women to obtain mammography screenings. In C.

Lieberman (Ed.), *Casing persuasive communication* (pp. 213-224). Dubuque, IA: Kendall Hunt.

**Egbert, N., & Hall, S. R.** (2012). Health communication and religion. In S. Croucher and T. Harris (Eds.), *Religion and communication: An anthology of extensions in theory, research, and method* (pp. 103-118). New York: Peter Lang Publishing.

**Egbert, N.** Query, J. L., Jr., Quinlan, M. M., Savery, C. A., & Martinez, A. R. (2011). (Re) viewing health communication and related interdisciplinary curricula: Towards a transdisciplinary perspective. In T. L., Thompson, J. Nussbaum, & R. L. Parrott (Eds.), *Handbook of Health Communication* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed., pp. 610-631). New York: Taylor & Francis.

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**Egbert, N., Sparks, L., Kreps, G., & du Pre, A.** (2008). In L. Sparks, D. H. O'Hair, & G. L. Kreps, (Eds.). Finding meaning in the journey: Methods of spiritual coping for aging cancer patients. *Cancer communication and aging* (pp. 277-291), Cresskill, NJ: Hampton Press.

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Parrott, R., **Egbert, N.**, Anderton, J., & Sefcovic, E. (2002). Enlarging the role of environment as a social influence construct in health campaigns. In J. P. Dillard & Michael Pfau (Eds.), *The persuasion handbook: Theory and practice* (pp. 633-660), Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

#### ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES:

**Egbert, N., & Omosun, F.** (2017). "Message-induced self-efficacy and its role in health behavior change." In R. Parrott (Ed), *Encyclopedia of Health and Risk Message Design and Processing*. New York: Oxford University Press. DOI:

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- Egbert, N.** (2014). "Health communication curricula." In T. Thompson (Ed.), *SAGE encyclopedia of health communication* (pp. 574-576) Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
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- Egbert, N.** (2014). "Social support interventions." In T. Thompson (Ed.), *SAGE encyclopedia of health communication* (pp. 1318-1319). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
- Egbert, N.** "Teacher comforting and social support," 4963-4965. *The international encyclopedia of communication* (ed. Donsbach), Volume 11. Wiley-Blackwell (Oxford, UK and Malden, MA), 2008.

#### MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS:

- Child, J., **Egbert, N.**, Lin, M-C, Starcher, S., & Savery, C. Aging-related issues that older adults report discussing with family. Under second review with *Communication Quarterly*.
- Heeman, V., & **Egbert, N.** A social cognitive model of parent-preschooler nutritional communication. Under review with *Family Relations*.
- Egbert, N.**, Bosley, T., & Omosun, F. Applying the Communication Theory of Identity to family caregivers of cancer patients. In progress.
- Heeman, V., & **Egbert, N.** The effects of father-daughter communication on daughter's psychological well-being. In progress.

#### TECHNICAL REPORTS:

- Egbert, N.**, Parrott, R., & Steiner, C. (June, 1997). *Building environmental and social support for Georgia's cancer control activities: Georgia's data-based cancer control project*. Report prepared for Georgia's Department of Human Resources.

GRANT ACTIVITY:

**Egbert, N.**, Katila, S., Khazraee, E., & Meehan, R. (Co-PIs listed alphabetically),  
(2017). CCI Research and Creative Activity Fund. “Smart translation enabling and aiding multi-cultural populations,” \$4,000 (funded).

Olds, R. (PI), **Egbert, N.**, Caine-Bish, N., Mickelson, K., & Grey, S. (Co-Is), (2011).  
National Institute of Child Health and Human Development  
(R21),”Environmental Risk Regulators & Diet Behaviors of Parents of Children Ages 5-10,” \$383,000 direct costs (not funded).

**Egbert, N.** (2011). University Research Council, Kent State University (Summer Appointment). “A Qualitative Analysis of Three Virtual Support Groups: Targeting Depression among Stroke Survivors and Their Caregivers,” \$6,500 (funded).

**Egbert, N.**, Olds, R. (PIs). Caine-Bish, N., Mickelson, K., & Grey, S. (Co-Is), (2009). National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (R21),”Mothers’ Views of Risk Regulators Affecting Food Purchases and Preschoolers’ Diet,” \$383,000 direct costs (not funded).

Smith, G. (PI), Coeling, H., **Egbert, N.**, & Dellman-Jenkins, M. (Co-Is), (2005). National Institute of Nursing Research (R21), “Online Intervention to Improve Stroke Care From Spouses,” \$360,000 direct costs (funded).

Huttlinger, K. (PI), DuMont, R., **Egbert, N.**, Ludwick, R., & Stansbury, M. (Co-Is), (2004). National Institute of Aging (R01), “A Causal Examination and Evaluation of Health Literacy,” \$500,000 direct costs (not funded).

Coeling, H. (PI), Koch, L., & **Egbert, N.** (Co-Is). (2003). National Institute of Nursing Research (R01), “Assessment of Stroke Survivor Resources,” \$144,500 direct costs (not funded).

**Egbert, N.** (PI), (2002). University Research Council, Kent State University  
(Summer Appointment). “Barriers and Strategies to Life Participation in Survivors of Right Hemisphere Stroke,” \$6,500 (funded).



**Egbert, N.** (PI), Coeling, H., & Koch, L. (CO-Is). (2002). University Research Council, Kent State University. "Barriers and Strategies to Life Participation in Survivors of Right Hemisphere Stroke," \$2,338 (funded).

Smith, G. (PI), Coeling, H., Dellman-Jenkins, M., **Egbert, N.**, & Johnson, R. (Co-Is). (2001). University Research Council, Kent State University, Research Challenge Proposal. "Use of Information Technology by Family Caregivers of the Elderly: Quality of Care," \$86,457 (not funded).

#### COMPETITIVE CONVENTION PAPERS AND POSTERS:

Murniadi, K., & Egbert, N. (2018, May). Curbing excessive pornography consumption using traditional and religious identity-based EPPM. Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of the International Communication Association, Prague, Czech Republic.

Lee, S., Egbert, N., & Chung, D. (2018, May). A cross-cultural investigation of individual versus group-based fear appeals; Effects of culturally-tailored threat and self-efficacy on perceived threat, perceived self-efficacy, and behavioral intention. Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of the International Communication Association, Prague, Czech Republic.

Egbert, N., Bosley, T., & Omosun, F. (2017, April). Applying the Communication Theory of Identity to family caregivers of cancer patients. Poster presented at the biannual D.C. Health Communication Conference, Washington, DC.

Egbert, N., & Reed, P. R. (2016, April). Assessing the health literacy of falls prevention websites designed for older adults and their caregivers. Poster presented at the biannual Kentucky Conference for Health Communication, Lexington, KY.

Egbert, N., Daggs, J. L., & Reed, P. R. (2016, April). Students' perceptions and misperceptions of the communication major: Opportunities and challenges of reputation. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Grand Rapids, MI.

Egbert, N. (2015, April). A model of protective communication in hospice care. Poster presented at the biannual D.C. Health Communication Conference,

Washington, DC.

- Egbert, N., Reed, P. R., Omosun, F., & Lin, M-C. (2014, November). Assessing health literacy of online falls prevention messages for older adults and their caregivers. Poster presented at the annual Kent State Symposium on Aging, Kent, OH.
- Egbert, N. (2013, November). *Identity, attribution, and relationship: Integrating intergenerational family caregiving research across discipline and culture*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Washington, DC.
- Egbert, N., Murniadi, K., & Hall, S. R. (2012, November). *Are you scared of HPV? The effects of knowledge and health literacy on college students' understanding of health news*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Orlando, FL.
- Egbert, N., Rosenberg, J., Heeman, V., Tomko, C., Christian, S., Bernat, D., Smith, G., Nanna, K., & Dellman-Jenkins, M. (2012, November). *Helping the helpers: Stroke caregivers' reflections at the conclusion of an online intervention involving peer and professional social support*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Orlando, FL.
- Smith, G. C., Egbert, N., Dellman-Jenkins, M., & Nanna, K. (November, 2011). *A Web-based intervention for improving the psychological well-being of male stroke survivors and their spousal caregivers*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Association of America, Boston, MA.
- Rosenberg, J., & Egbert, N. (2010, November). *Online impression management: Personality traits and concern for secondary goals as predictors of self-presentation tactics on Facebook*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Heeman, V., & Egbert, N. (2010, November). *The effects of father-daughter communication on daughter's psychological well-being*. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Goodall, C.E., Sabo, J., Cline, R., & Egbert, N. (2010, April). *Threat, efficacy, and*

*uncertainty in the first five months of national print and electronic news coverage of the H1N1 virus.* Paper presented to the Kentucky Conference on Health Communication, Lexington, Kentucky.

Egbert, N., Goodall, C.E., Sabo, J., Hargis, J., & Cline, R. (2010, April). *Individual health literacy and news story readability: An H1N1 case study.* Paper presented to the Kentucky Conference on Health Communication, Lexington, Kentucky.

Egbert, N., & Belcher, J. D. (2009, November). *Reality bites: An investigation of reality television and the cultivation of body image.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Savery, C. A., & Egbert, N. (2008, November). *Hospice volunteer as patient advocate: First steps toward conceptualization and measurement.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, San Diego, CA.

Egbert, N., Corr, M., & Heeman, V. (2008, April). *Reality television and the cultivation of body image.* Paper presented at the biannual meeting of the Kentucky Conference on Health Communication, Lexington, KY.

Kleman, E. E., Everett, M. K., & Egbert, N. L. (2007, November). *Communicating in faith communities: Effective social support strategies.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Egbert, N., Gore, T., Caine-Bish, N., Olds, S., Mitchell, S., de Julius, A., Juvancic-Hetzel, J., & Pierce, K. (2007, May) *The 4:3:2:1 Healthy Kids Project Part I: A pilot intervention to reduce childhood obesity in*

*elementary school students.*

Paper presented at the annual meeting of the  
International Communication  
Association, San Francisco, CA.

A Kleman, E. E., & Egbert, N. (2006, November). *Requesting relationship escalation: test of communication boundary management in cross-sex friendships.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, San Antonio, TX.

Dellman-Jenkins, M., Smith, G., Egbert, N., Coeling, H.,  
Johnson, R. (2005,  
November). *Perceived difficulty in meeting the care  
recipient's emotional  
needs and the psychological well-being of family  
caregivers.* Poster presented  
at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of  
America, Orlando, FL.

Gore, T., & Egbert, N. (2005, November). *Examining locus of control and cognitive or emotional responses regarding health risk perceptions.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Boston, MA.

Polk, D., & Egbert, N. (2005, November). *Speaking the language of love: Scale validation and test of Chapman's (1992) five love languages on couples' perceived relational quality.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Boston, MA.

Daniel, L. B., & Egbert, N. (2005, May). *The effects of  
knowledge and empathy in a  
theoretically-based intervention campaign targeting  
depression.* Paper  
presented at the annual meeting of the International  
Communication  
Association, New York, NY.

Popa, C., Dumrongsiri, N., Egbert, N., & Sharp, K. (2005, May). *Source, type, and impact of network members' communication on college students' drinking and smoking behaviors.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Communication Association, Pittsburgh, PA.

Egbert, N., Coeling, H., & Mickley, J. (2005, April). *Communicating worldviews:*

*Interrelationships of spirituality, culture, and health behavior.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Kansas City, MO.

Parrott, R., Krieger, J., Silk, K., & Egbert, N. (2004, November). *Aging adults and online cancer information: Promises and pitfalls in an era of genomic health care.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Egbert, N., & Haridakis, P. (2004, November). *Investigating the precursors of why and how we communicate about health.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Egbert, N., Koch, L., Coeling, H., & Ayers, D. (2004, May). *The role of social support in the family and community integration of right hemisphere stroke survivors.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Communication Association, New Orleans, LA.

Baxter, L. A., Egbert, N., & Ho, E. (2004, February). *Everyday health communication among college students.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Western Communication Association, Albuquerque, NM.

Egbert, N., & Polk, D. (2003, November). *Speaking the language of love: Couples' attachment styles, love languages, and perceived relational quality.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Miami Beach, FL.

Egbert, N., & Haridakis, P. (2003, April). *Motivation, channel selectivity, and health communication.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Omaha, NE.

Egbert, N., Coeling, H., & Mickley, J. (2002, November). *A review and application of social scientific measures of religiosity and spirituality: Assessing a missing component in health communication research*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, New Orleans, LA.

Egbert, N., & Parrott, R. (2001, November). *Volunteering to provide social support to hospice patients: A test of problematic integration theory*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Atlanta, GA.

Egbert, N., & Parrott, R. (2001, April). *Empathy and social support for the terminally ill: Comparisons between hospice and hospital volunteers*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Cincinnati, OH.

Parrott, R., Egbert, N., Anderton, J., & Sefcovic, E. (2000, November). *Enlarging the role of environment as a social influence construct in health campaigns*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Seattle, WA.

Egbert, N. (1999, November). *Support provider mood and familiar versus unfamiliar events: An investigation of social support quality*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Egbert, N., & Parrott, R. (1999, November). *Perceived self-efficacy and women's use of cancer screening tests*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Egbert, N., & Parrott, R. (1999, September). *Using perceived self-efficacy to promote women's use of cancer screening tests*. Poster session presented at the 1999 Cancer Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Egbert, N. (1999, April). *Determining the success of supportive interactions: A proposed modification of social exchange theory*. Paper presented at the joint meeting of the Central States Communication Association and the Southern States Communication Association, St. Louis, MO.

Egbert, N. & Parrott, R. (1998, November). *Communication channels and the use of cancer screening tests among rural women*. Paper presented at the annual

- meeting of the National Communication Association, New York, NY.
- Egbert, N., Laliker, M., & Hale, J. (1998, November). *Serial argument goals, outcome satisfaction, and relational satisfaction*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, New York, NY.
- Turk, D., Laliker, M., Egbert, N., Lannutti, P., Winn, L., & Hale, J. (1998, April). *An analysis of hatred attributions and related issues*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern States Communication Association, San Antonio, TX.
- Ramsey, M., & Egbert, N. (1998, April). *Genetics, race and crime: An analysis of public vs. private discourse*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern States Communication Association, San Antonio, TX.
- Egbert, N. & Parrott, R. (1997, September). *Dispelling myths regarding women's cancer screening tests*. Poster session presented at the 1997 Cancer Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- Egbert, N. (1997, November). *Communicating help and health: Spousal support of cardiac patients*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
- Egbert, N. (1997, November). *Student communication apprehension and the distance learning classroom (Two-Way Interactive Video)*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
- Egbert, N. (1997, April). *Cardiac patients' perceptions of supportive behaviors: An interpersonal perspective*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, St. Louis, MO.
- Egbert, N. (1995, October). *Dictation during medical consultations: Patients' perceived satisfaction and understanding*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Iowa Communication Association, Bettendorf, IA.

#### PARTICIPATION IN COMPETITIVELY SELECTED PANELS:

- Egbert, N., Pawlowski, D. R., Child, J. T., Brann, M., & Kim, J. (2017, April) *Theoretical directions in research linking health and family communication*. Panel to be presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Minneapolis, MN.
- Egbert, N., Alfeir, N., Butauski, M., Kovacs, N., Omosun, F., Wehr, A., & Wu, L. (2015, April). *Health literacy and intercultural communication: A case study*

*of an experiential learning project in Akron, Ohio.* Presentation at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Madison, WI.

Egbert, N. (2014, April). “*Service courses,*” “*easy A’s,*” and *parodies in The Onion: “Elevating” the communication discipline.* Presentation at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Minneapolis, MN.

Egbert, N. (2009, November). *Religion & health communication: A survey of the landscape.* Presentation at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Egbert, N., Smith, G., Nanna, K., Dellman-Jenkins, M., & Tomko, C. (2009, November). *Discovering new ways of coping and sharing through emotional support.* Presentation at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Nanna, K., Smith, G., Egbert, N., Dellman-Jenkins, M., & Tomko, C. (2009, November). *Recruiting caregiving families into online intervention studies.* Presentation at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.

Egbert, N., Smith, G., Nanna, K., Dellman-Jenkins, M., & Tomko, C. (2009, November). *Exploring the relationship between care receiver psychological well-being and perceptions of self and strain within the caregiving context.* Presentation at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.

Coeling, H. V., Egbert, N., Koch, L., & Ayers, D. (2005, April). *Community integration for stroke survivors.* Presentation at the 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Midwest Nursing Research Society Annual Research Conference, Cincinnati, OH.

Egbert, N. (2005, April). *Improving Quality of Care through Newer Communication Technologies.* Panel presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Kansas City, MO.

Egbert, N. (2005, April). (Panel member). *The Pitfalls and Possibilities of Applied*



*Health Communication Scholarship*. Panel presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Communication Association, Pittsburgh, PA.

Ayers, D., Coeling, H., Egbert, N., & Koch, L. (2003, November). *Family and community integration for stroke survivors*. Presentation to the Honor Society of Nursing, Toronto, Canada.

Rubin, R., & Egbert, N. (2003, November). *Foundations of communication: A technology-rich cornerstone course*. Agora presentation at the National Communication Association, Miami Beach, FL.

Ayers, D., Coeling, H., Egbert, N., Knapik, G., Koch, L., Polk, D., & Pierce, R. (2003, May). *Family and community integration for stroke survivors*. Presentation to the Robinson Memorial Hospital's 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Nursing Research Day, Ravenna, OH.

Egbert, N. (2003, April). (Panel submitter and chair). *Formative Research Strategies for Conducting Communication-Based Health Campaigns*. Panel presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Cleveland, OH.

Egbert, N. (2002, April). (Panel member and chair). *How to Win Friends And Influence Organizational Gatekeepers: Instilling Interest and Gaining Cooperation from Professional Organizations*. Panel presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Milwaukee, WI.

Egbert, N. (1995, November). (Panel member). *Technology to Enhance Learning in the Basic Speech Communication Course*. Panel presented at the annual meeting of the Speech Communication Association, San Antonio, TX.

REVIEWS: Egbert, N. (2005). Handbook of communication and aging research (2<sup>nd</sup> ed.). *Journal of Health Communication*, 10, 673-678.

Egbert, N. (2002). Video review: Beyond consumption, retail at the edge. *Journal of Health Communication*, 7, 249-252.

#### INVITED PRESENTATIONS:

Egbert, N. (2017, March). *Pitfalls and Procrastinations: How Older Adults Talk About Aging Issues with their Families*. Presentation to the Kent State University Retirees Association, Kent Ohio.

- Egbert, N. (2017, January). *Identity and Caregiving: Negotiating What It Means to Be a Cancer Caregiver*. Presentation to the faculty and graduate students of the School of Communication Studies, Kent State University.
- Egbert, N., Smith, G., Nanna, K., Dellman-Jenkins, M., & Tomko, C. (2010, November). *Exploring the Relationship Between Care Receiver Psychological Well-being and Perceptions of Self and Strain within the Caregiving Context*. Presentation to the faculty and graduate students of the School of Communication Studies, Kent State University.
- Lin, M-C, Egbert, N., J., & Savery, C. (2010, November). *Difficult conversations related to aging: A dialectic approach*. Panel presented at the annual meeting of the National Communication Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Egbert, N. (2008, November). *Mentoring in graduate education*. Participant in preconference entitled “Doctoral and Early Career Preconference in Health Communication: Theory and Practice in Health Communication” sponsored by the Health Communication Division of the National Communication Association.
- Egbert, N. (2005, April). *Literacy is at the Heart of Health Communication: A Discussion about Health Literacy*. Panel presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Kansas City, MO.
- Egbert, N. (2003, April). *Undergraduate Student Organizations: Bringing the Communication Discipline into the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*. Panel presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Omaha, NE.
- Egbert, N. (2003, April). *Innovative Ideas for Teaching Health Communication: Shadowing a Health Professional*. Panel presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Omaha, NE.
- Egbert, N., & Parrott, R. (2003, April). *Empathy and Social Support for the Terminally Ill: Comparisons Between Hospice and Hospital Volunteers*. Paper invited and re-presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, Omaha, NE.
- Egbert, N. (2002, November). *How Volunteers Provide Social Support to Hospice Patients*. Presentation to Sigma Phi Omega (A professional and honorary

society in gerontology at Kent State University).

Egbert, N. (2002, November). *Doing Health Communication Dissertations: A View from the Trenches*. Participant in preconference entitled “Doctoral and Early Career Preconference in Health Communication: Theory and Practice in Health Communication” sponsored by the Health Communication Division of the National Communication Association.

Egbert, N. (2002, March). *Providing Social Support and the Problem of Problematic Integration Theory*. A presentation to the Health Research Group, Department of Psychology, Kent State University.

Parrott, R., Dorgan, K., Egbert, N., Jones, K., & Silk, K. (1999, May). *Georgia’s Skin Cancer Projects*. A workshop to train public health practitioners to plan a program to promote skin cancer prevention in their own communities.

Egbert, N. (1999, April). *Support Provider Mood and Familiar Versus Unfamiliar Events: An Investigation of Social Support Quality*. Colloquium presentation to the students and faculty in the Department of Speech Communication at the University of Georgia.

Egbert, N. (1996, April). *Dictation During Medical Consultations: Patients’ Perceived Satisfaction and Understanding*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Communication Association, St. Paul, MN. (Paper was named a Showcase Panel at the Iowa Communication Association, 1995, and repeated for Central States.)

#### SERVICE TO THE DISCIPLINE:

Reviewer  
and  
Editorial  
Board  
Member

Guest Reviewer (2017), *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*

Guest Reviewer (2016), *Sex Roles*

Paper Reader (2009, 2016), Communication and Aging Division, NCA

External Reviewer (2016), Application for Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor at University of Illinois, Chicago

External Reviewer (2014), Application for Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor at

Virginia  
Commonwealth  
University  
Guest  
reviewer  
(2014,  
2016),  
*Health and  
Social  
Care in the  
Community*  
Paper  
Reader  
(2013),  
Health  
Communication  
Division,  
ICA

External Reviewer (2013), Application for Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor at

IU  
PUI  
Editorial  
Board  
Member  
(2003-  
2007,  
2013-  
2015),  
*Communication  
Studies*  
Editorial  
Board  
Member  
(2013-  
present),  
*Communication  
Quarterly*

Editorial Board Member (2012-present), *Journal of Health Communication*

Guest  
reviewer  
(2012),  
*Western  
Journal of  
Communic  
ation*  
Guest  
reviewer  
(2012,  
2013),  
*Journal of  
Intercultur  
al  
Communic  
ation  
Research*  
Guest  
reviewer  
(2010),  
*Communic  
ation  
Quarterly*

Guest reviewer (2010, 2013-2016), *Human Communication Research*

Editorial Board Member (2010), *Contemporary issues in health communication: Theoretical and practical case studies*

External Reviewer (2010), Application for Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor at WVU

External  
reviewer  
(2009),  
Enhancem  
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Research  
Grant,  
Sam  
Houston  
State  
University  
Editorial  
Board  
Member  
(2009-

	present), <i>Health Communication</i>
Stage 1 reviewer (2009), NIH Challenge Grants in Health and Science Research	
Guest reviewer (2008), <i>Journal of American College Student Health</i>	
Guest reviewer (2005), <i>Journal of Palliative Care</i>	
Guest reviewer (2005-2009), <i>Health Communication</i>	
	Editorial Board Member (2005- 2009), <i>Communication Research Reports</i>
	Guest reviewer (2004), <i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i>
	Guest reviewer (2004, 2008), <i>Communication Reports</i>
	Guest reviewer (2004), <i>British Journal of Social Psychology</i>
Guest reviewer (2003, 2006, 2008, 2014, 2016), <i>Journal of Applied Communication Research</i>	
	Guest reviewer (2002, 2003,

2005,  
2009-  
2012),  
*Journal of  
Health  
Communic  
ation*  
Guest  
reviewer  
(1999),  
*Women's  
Studies in  
Communic  
ation*

Elected  
Office and  
Ex Officio  
Chair  
(2011-  
2012),  
Health  
Communic  
ation  
Division,  
NCA  
Chair  
(2013),  
Dale  
Brashers  
Outstandin  
g Mentor  
Award  
Committee  
, NCA  
Chair  
(2013),  
Outstandin  
g Book  
and  
Outstandin  
g Article  
Award  
Committee

Health Communication Scholar Award

, NCA  
Vice-Chair  
(2010-  
2011),  
Health  
Communic  
ation  
Division,  
NCA  
Member  
(2010,  
2012,  
2013),  
NCA  
Legislative  
Assembly  
Member  
(2010,  
2011),  
Selection  
Committee  
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Vice-Chair  
Elect  
(2009-  
2010),  
Health  
Communic  
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Division,  
NCA  
Historian  
(2004-  
2005)  
Health  
Communic  
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Interest  
Group,  
CSCA



Secretary  
(2003-  
2004),  
Health  
Communic  
ation  
Division,  
NCA

Health Communication Division Representative to the Resolutions Committee (2003-2004),  
NCA

Chair (2003-2004), Health Communication Interest Group, CSCA

Vice Chair (2002-2003), Health Communication Interest Group, CSCA

Paper Reader (2002), Health Communication Division, NCA

Paper Reader, (2002), Interpersonal Communication Division, NCA

Secretary  
(2001-  
2002),  
Health  
Communic  
ation  
Interest  
Group,  
CSCA  
Paper  
Reader  
(2001),  
Interperso  
nal and  
Small  
Group  
Interest  
Group,  
CSCA

Other  
Disciplinar  
y Service  
Panel  
Chair  
(2010),  
Top Paper  
Panel,  
Health  
Communic

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Division,  
NCA  
Member  
(2010),  
CSCA  
Outstandin  
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Teacher  
Award  
Selection  
Committee  
Member  
(2010),  
Ad-Hoc  
Nominatin  
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Committee  
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for Health  
Communic  
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Panel  
Responden  
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Communic  
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Aging  
Division,  
NCA  
Member  
(2009,  
2015),  
Outstandin  
g Thesis  
and  
Dissertatio  
n Awards  
selection  
Committee  
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Communication & Aging Division, NCA  
Member (2007), Outstanding article and book award selection committee, Applied  
Communication Division, NCA

Respondent (2005), Interpersonal and Small Group Interest Group and Health  
Communication Interest Group (Joint panel), CSCA

Panel  
Chair  
(2004,  
2005),  
Health  
Communic  
ation  
Interest  
Group,  
CSCA  
Panel  
Chair  
(2002),  
Health  
Communic  
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Group,  
CSCA  
Responden  
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Group  
Interest  
Group,  
CSCA

**SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY:**

Member, Joint Appeals Board, Representing Unit 4 (Colleges of Architecture &

Environmental Design, Communication & Information, and the Arts) (2017-2019)  
Provost's Promotion Advisory Board (2016, 2017)  
Advisory Board Member for KSU Graduate Certificate in Gerontology (2015-present)  
Guest Faculty Speaker to Graduate Student Orientation (August, 2014)

Member  
(2013-  
2015)  
Planning  
Committee  
for Kent  
State  
University  
Symposiu  
m on  
Aging

Guest Faculty Speaker to KSU Readmitted Students (2012-2014)  
KSU Graduate Faculty Representative (2014) Petronelli Dissertation Defense (English)  
KSU Graduate Faculty Representative (2013) Venugopal Dissertation Defense  
(Psychology)  
Member (2012-2015) KSU Citation and Recognition Committee  
Alternate (2012-2013) KSU University Research Council  
Member (2010-2012) CCI College Advisory Committee  
Member (2010) Tenure Advisory Board to the Provost  
Committee Member (2007-2010, 2015-present) CCI Graduate Coordinators Council  
Committee Member (2007-2010) College Doctoral Program Policy Committee  
Member (2009-2010; 2015-2016) KSU Educational Policies Council  
Committee Member (2007-2008) Review committee for Dean James Gaudino  
Committee Member (2004-2005) University Priorities and Budget Advisory Committee  
Committee Member (2003, 2004, 2006) Research and Graduate Studies Summer  
Research/Creative Activity Review Committee  
Committee Member (2002-2005), KSU Educational Policies Council Library Subcommittee  
Committee Member (2003, 2004) KSU Library Research Award Committee

Responde  
nt (2001,  
2005)  
Annual  
Graduate  
Student  
Senate  
Research  
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Presentatio  
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SERVICE TO THE SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION STUDIES:

Graduate Student Advising and Committees

Currently directing 1 M.A. student thesis (Garlinger)  
Currently directing 2 Ph.D. students in coursework (Omosun, Bosley)  
Currently directing 2 Internship MA students (Hancock, Kashi)  
Currently co/directing 2 Ph.D. Dissertations (Hall, Murniadi)  
Directed 2 PhD. Dissertations to Completion (Kleman, Heeman)  
Co-directed 2 Ph.D. Dissertations to Completion (Polk, Williams)  
Directed 4 M.A. Internships to completion (Fazio, Pittman, Lin, Martz)  
Directed 3 MA Coursework only students to completion (Custer, Stiffler, Ellwood)  
Directed 5 M.A. Theses to completion (Daniel, Kleman, Heeman, Rosenberg, Lee)  
Committee Member, 5 M.A. Thesis Committees (Alfano, Popa, Hayman, Reed, Banduch)  
Committee Member, 8 Dissertation Committees (Everett, Bartolini, Wagner, Chikombero, Sharp, Streit, Gallagher, Rosenberg)  
Advisor (2007-2010; 2105-2017), Communication Graduate Student Association

Other Service to the School of Communication Studies

Chair (2017-2018) Curriculum Committee, School of Communication Studies  
Member (2015-2016) Search Committee for Director, School of Communication Studies  
Chair (2014) Search Committee for Assistant Professor in Health Communication, School of Communication Studies

Mock  
Interviewer (2011),  
Dr. Rozell  
Duncan's  
Senior  
Seminar  
Students

Coordinated the development and approval of an undergraduate Health Communication concentration (2010).

Assisted in  
the  
development  
and  
approval  
of six new  
graduate-  
level

	<p>courses  Member  (2006-  present)  Ad-hoc  Committee  for  Reappoint  ment,  Promotion  to  Associate</p>
	<p>Pro  fessor and  Tenure</p>
Member (2009-2010) Search Committee for Open Rank Health Communication Faculty Member, School of Communication Studies	
Chair (2009) Search Committee for 2 Open Rank Faculty Members, School of Communication Studies	
Chair (2008-2009) CCI PhD Program Ad-hoc Planning Committee Chair (2008-2009) Graduate Coordinator (2007-2010, 2015-2017), School of Communication Studies	
Chair (2007) Search Committee for One-Year Visiting Professor and NTT Assistant Professor	
Coordinator (2006-2007) Communication Studies Instructional Resource Center	
Member (2004-2005) Search Committee for Director, School of Communication Studies Chair (2004-2005) School Handbook Revision Committee	
	<p>Advisor,  (2001-  2006)  Lambda Pi  Eta, Kent  State  University  chapter</p>
Judge (2004) Top Senior Portfolio, School of Communication Studies	
Member (2003-2004) Search Committee for Associate/Full Professor, School of Communication Studies	
	<p>Member  (2001,  2003,  2012)  Search  Committee</p>

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Assistant  
Professor,  
School of

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Member (2000-2003, 2004-2010, 2012-2017), School of Communication Studies,  
Graduate Studies Committee  
Kent State University Library Representative (2000-2003)  
Member (2000- present), School of Communication Studies Faculty Advisory Committee

#### MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE:

President (1997-1998), Graduate Student Forum, Department of Speech  
Communication, University of Georgia  
Judge (1998) Athens Area Optimist Club Oratorical Contest.  
Panel Member hearing cases of Academic Dishonesty (1996-1997, 1999-2000), Office of the  
Vice President for Academic Affairs, University of Georgia  
President (1996), Communication Studies Graduate Student Association, Department of  
Communication Studies, University of Northern Iowa  
Officer (1994), Lambda Pi Eta, Augustana College chapter

#### HONORS AND AWARDS:

Distinguished Scholar Award, College of Communication & Information  
(2014)  
Top Four Paper (2013), Communication and Aging Division, NCA  
Distinguished Advising Award, College of Communication & Information  
(2011)  
Directed the NCA/ICA Outstanding Health Communication Thesis of the Year (Lori Daniel,  
2005)  
CSCA Outstanding New Teacher Award (2005)  
Top Three Paper (2005), Applied Communication Interest Group, ECA  
Nominee (2004), Mentorship Excellence Award, KSU Graduate Student  
Senate  
Summer Research and Creative Activity Award (2003, 2011), KSU University Research  
Council  
Top Paper (2003), Health Communication Interest Group, CSCA  
Kent State University Graduate's Applause (2001)  
NCA/ICA Outstanding Health Communication Dissertation (2001)  
Top Four Paper (2001), Health Communication Interest Group, CSCA  
Award Recipient: Graduate School Assistantship for Fourth Year Doctoral Students (1999-

2000)  
Top Paper (1999), Health Communication Division, NCA.  
Lambda Pi Eta (1993-1994)  
Presidential Scholar (1990-1994), Augustana College  
Dean's List (1990-1994), Augustana College

AFFILIATIONS:      National Communication Association  
                            Central States Communication Association  
                            International Communication Association