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EDUCATION

Ph.D. 1996 University of North Carolina at Greensboro - Physical Education Teaching and Teacher Education

M.A.T. 1993 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill - Master of Arts in Teaching

B. A. 1990 Calvin College - Physical Education

EMPLOYMENT

2009-present Professor/Department Chairperson, Kinesiology Department, Calvin College, Grand Rapids, MI (Men's Varsity Golf Coach)

2006-2008 Professor, Kinesiology Department, Calvin College, Grand Rapids, MI (Men's Varsity Golf Coach)

2004-2006 Associate Professor, Kinesiology Department, Calvin College, Grand Rapids, MI (Men's Varsity Golf Coach)

2002-2004 Associate Professor/Department Chair, Department of Education, Health & Human Performance, Roanoke College, VA

1996-2001 Assistant Professor: Roanoke College, VA

1993-1995 Research and Teaching Assistant: University of North Carolina at Greensboro

1991-1993 Graduate Teaching Assistant: University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

1990-1991 Physical Education/Social Studies Teacher: Grades 5-8 North Christian School Kalamazoo, Michigan

RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

1992-1993 Assistant Varsity Men's Basketball Coach: Jordan High School, Durham, NC

1991-1992 Assistant JV Men's Basketball Coach: Chapel Hill High, Chapel Hill, NC

1990-1991 Men's and Women's 8th Grade Basketball Coach: North Christian School, Kalamazoo, Michigan

1989-90 Men's 7th Grade Basketball Coach: Millbrook Middle School: Grand Rapids, Michigan

PUBLICATIONS

- Watson, N. J. & Bolt, B. R. (2015). Mixed martial arts and Christianity: Where feet, fist, and faith collide. *The Conversation*, January. <http://theconversation.com/mixed-martial-arts-and-christianity-where-feet-fist-and-faith-collide-34836>
- Bolt, B. R. (2014) with Sport and Christianity Group (11 members). Declaration of sport and the Christian life. *Sportandchristianity.com*, September.
- Bolt, B. R. (2012). Bubba, Tiger, and the nature of sport. *The Christian Courier*, June, 10-11.
- Bolt, B. R., Timmer, J. R., & Walton, J. (2008). Touchdown Jesus: Whose team? *Christian School Teacher*. Grand Rapids: Christian Schools International, Winter.
- Bolt, B. R., Timmer, J. R., & Walton, J. (2008). For the Love of the game. *Christian School Teacher*. Grand Rapids: Christian Schools International, Spring.
- Bolt, B. R. & Zuidema, M. (2006). Faith and the physical education curriculum. In M. Zuidema (Ed.) *Physical Education: K-2*. Grand Rapids: Christian Schools International.
- Bolt, B. R. (2003). Are the bears bad news? Toward a Christian perspective on youth sport. *The Cresset*, 17-23.
- Bolt, B. R. (2000). Using computers for qualitative analysis of movement. *Journal of Physical Education, Recreation and Dance* 71 (3), 15-18.
- Lambert, L. & Bolt, B. R. (2000). Physical education. In Sandra Tonnsen, (Ed.). *What Principals Should Know About Teaching* (pp. 90-105). Springfield, IL: Charles C. Thomas.
- Bolt, B. R. (1998). Encouraging cognitive growth through case discussions. *Journal of Teaching in Physical Education*, 18, 90-102.

REVIEWS

- Bolt, B. R. (2014) *Sports and Christianity: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives*, by Parker, A. and Watson, N. (Eds.). *Christian Scholars Review*, 43, no. 4.

PEER PRESENTATIONS

- Bolt, B. R. & Timmer, J. (2014). Is there a Reformed perspective on sport? *Christian Educators Association Annual Convention*, Holland Christian High School, Holland, MI, October.
- Bolt, B. R. (2012). Faith in sport: Key questions and dilemmas. *Christianity and Sport Consortium*, Raleigh, NC, January.
- Bolt, B. R. (2012) Amazing race: Learning to race, racing to learn. *Christian Society for Kinesiology and Leisure Studies*. Baylor University, Waco, Texas, June.
- De Graaf, D. & Bolt, B. R. (2010). Adventure fitness: Problem solving, exercise, and fun. *Christian Educators Association Convention*, Century Center, South Bend, IN, October.
- Timmer, J., Walton, J., & Bolt, B. R. (2010). From Tiger to Tebow, “Blind Side” to “Giants”: Theological perspectives on sport in a culture of heroic and counterfeit

- images. Paper presented to the annual conference for the Christian Society for Kinesiology and Leisure Studies. Grand Rapids, MI, June.
- Bolt, B. R. (2010). Dancing with the stars: Ballroom dance teaching in a diverse high school setting. Presentation to the annual conference of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance. Indianapolis, April.
- Bolt, B.R. & Steketee, L. (2008). The Warm heart of Africa. Presentation to the annual meeting of the Michigan Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance. Grand Rapids, MI, November.
- Bolt, B.R. & DeYoung, R. (2008). Journey to the games of ancient Greece. Presentation to the annual meeting of the Michigan Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance. Kalamazoo, MI, November.
- Bolt, B. R., Walton, J., Timmer, J.R. (2007). True excellence in sport: Playing and delighting in God's company. Reimagining Educational Excellence Conference, Calvin College, Grand Rapids, Michigan, October.
- Bolt, B. R., Timmer, J.R., Walton, J. (2007). Sport in the academy amid the iniquitous bondage of modern sport culture. Paper presentation to the International Conference on Sport and Spirituality. York St. John University, York, England, August.
- Oosterhouse, E. & Bolt, B.R. (2007). Intercollegiate sport at division III Christian college: Perceptions of former athletes. Paper presentation to annual conference of the Christian Society for Kinesiology and Leisure Studies. Chicago, June.
- Bolt, B. R. (2007). The games of ancient Greece: A travel course. presentation to annual conference of the Christian Society for Kinesiology and Leisure Studies. Chicago, June.
- Moes, P., Bolt, B., Medeiros-Ward, N., Zuidema, K., Ward, M., & Simon, T. (2007). The Effect of training with the Makoto apparatus on neurocognitive performance. Presentation to the annual Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society. Portland, Oregon, February.
- Bolt, B.R. (2006). Ballroom blitz. Presentation to the annual meeting of the Michigan Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance. Kalamazoo, MI, November.
- Bolt, B. R. & Moes, P. (2006). Comparison of Makoto training to other training conditions: A preliminary study of Makoto benefits. Presentation to the annual conference of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance. Salt Lake City, April.
- Bolt, B. R. & Buriak, J. (2006). Jump now, play later: Combating knee injuries through jump training in physical education and sport. Presentation to the annual conference of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance. Salt Lake City, April.
- Bolt, B. R. (2005). STOMP for middle and high school physical education. Presentation to the annual meeting of the Michigan Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance. Traverse City, MI, November.
- Bolt, B. R., & Buriak, J. (2005). The games of ancient Greece. Paper presented to the annual conference of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance. Chicago, April.
- Bolt, B. R. (2004). What has Olympia to do with Jerusalem? Paper presentation to Faith and Learning Consortium of Roanoke College, Salem, Virginia, January.

- Bolt, B. R. (2003). Reaching your teaching potential through practical self-study. Panel presentation and discussion to the annual convention of the American Alliance of Health Physical Education, Recreation and Dance. Philadelphia, PA, April.
- Bolt, B. R., Bunn, J., Swope, P., Morse, T., Williams, T. (2002). Dance they'll do – and do well. Presentation to the annual meeting of the Virginia Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance. Williamsburg, VA, November.
- Bolt, B. R. (2002) Exploring teaching complexity through the case method in a secondary physical education methods class. Paper presented to the annual conference of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance. San Diego, April.
- Bolt, B. R. (2001). Are the bears bad news? Toward a Christian perspective on youth sport. Paper presented to the annual conference for the Christian Society for Kinesiology and Leisure Studies. Grand Rapids, MI, June.
- Bolt, B. R. , Meyers, A. & Godbout, J. (2000). Lights, camera, action! Digital video editing in physical education. Presentation to the annual meeting of the Virginia Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance. Williamsburg, VA, November.
- Bolt, B. R. (2000). Fostering motivation and student through the sport education model. Presentation to the annual meeting of the Virginia Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance. Williamsburg, VA, November.
- Bolt, B. R. (2000). Sport Education: Recapturing the essence of sport. Seminars in Physical Education sponsored by Roanoke County Schools and Virginia Western Community College, October.
- Bolt, B. R., & Buriak, J. (2000). Web-based portfolios and assessment in physical education and athletic training. Presentation to the annual conference of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, Orlando, FL, March.
- Bolt, B. R. & Buriak, J. (1999). Web-based portfolios in physical education and athletic training. Presentation to the National Association for Sport and Physical Education Conference on Technology, Chattanooga, TN, July.
- Bolt, B. R. (1999). Understanding and analyzing movement using NEAT system software. Presentation to the National Association for Sport and Physical Education Conference on Technology, Chattanooga, TN, July.
- Bolt, B. R. (1999). Web-based portfolios in athletic training. Presentation to the annual meeting of the Virginia Athletic Trainers Association, Williamsburg, January.
- Bolt, B. R. (1999). Web-based portfolios in athletic training. Presented at the annual meeting of the Virginia Athletic Trainers Association. Hampton, January.
- Bolt, B.R. & McCallum, A. (1998). Web-based portfolios in physical education. Presentation to the annual meeting of the Virginia Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance. Hampton, November.
- Bolt, B.R., Dlugos, A., & Plunkett, S. (1998). Computer-based movement analysis is N.E.A.T. Presentation to the annual meeting of the Virginia Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance. Hampton, November.
- Bolt, B.R. (1998). Fostering reflective orientations through case discussions in physical education teacher education. Paper presented to the annual meeting of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance. Reno, April.

- Sluder, D. & Bolt, B. R. (1997). Juggling instruction and assessment. Presentation to the annual conference of the North Carolina Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance. Greensboro, November.
- Bolt, B. R. (1997). The influence of case discussions on physical education preservice teachers' reflection in an educational games class. Presentation to the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association. Chicago, March.
- Veal, M. L., Griffith, J. B., Bolt, B. R., & Sluder, D. (1996). The effects of formative assessment on learning. Presentation to the annual conference of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Atlanta, GA, November.
- Veal, M. L., Griffith, J. B., Bolt, B. R., & Sluder, D. (1995). How badminton assessment improves skills and motivation. Presentation to the annual conference of the North Carolina Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Greensboro, November.
- Veal, M. L. & Bolt, B.R. (1995). Reflection groups in a teacher preparation program. Presentation to the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association. San Francisco, CA, April.
- Veal, M. L., Martinek, T. & Bolt, B. R. (1995). Profiling students of the 90s: Implications for preparing teachers of the 21st century. Presentation to the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association. San Francisco, CA, April.
- Bolt, B. R. (1995). Practical issues of mentoring and modeling for graduate students through joint research projects. Panel Discussion (Pat Dodds, Facilitator). San Francisco, CA, April.
- Veal, M. L., Bolt, B. R., & Russell, M. (1994). Thinking, talking, and writing about teaching. Presentation to the annual conference of the North Carolina Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, Greensboro, November.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS AND WORKSHOPS

- Bolt, B.R. (2012). The games of ancient Greece and London 2012. Invited lecture to York St. John University. York, UK, February.
- Bolt, B. R. (2011). Football feasibility at Calvin College. Multiple presentations to Calvin College community (Faculty/Staff Conference, Students, Alumni, Board of Trustees), Grand Rapids, MI, August –December.
- Bolt, B.R. (2010) Good game, good book. Presentation and book review for keynote address of the annual conference for the Christian Society for Kinesiology and Leisure Studies. Grand Rapids, June.
- Bolt, B.R. (2007). Exploring new territory in physical education: Stomp and juggle. Presentation and Workshop for Grand Rapids Public Schools. Grand Rapids, MI, January.
- Bolt, B, R. (2006). Faith perspectives on youth sport, health, and body image. Presentation to Kelloggsville CRC evening educational series (3 sessions). Kentwood, MI, March.
- Bolt, B.R. (2006) Juggle and jive: The thrill of skill in the gym, classroom, and beyond. Presentation to the annual Fire Up Conference for student teacher. Grand Valley University, Allendale, MI, March.

- Bolt, B. R. (2005). Dance for dummies: Ballroom, swing, and line dance workshops presented to Pathway ministries (3 sessions). Byron Center, MI
- Bolt, B. R. (2004). Lessons from the upper room. Invited address to Roanoke College Intervarsity, Salem, VA, April.
- Bolt, B. R. & Buriak (2004). Ancient Greek athletics. Presentation to Roanoke College Elderscholar Program, April.
- Bolt, B. R. (2003) Exploring faith through the content we teach. Invited address to the Margaret Sue Copenhaver Institute Annual Conference. Roanoke, Virginia, July.
- Bolt, B. R. (2003). Answering the call. Invited address to Roanoke College Intervarsity, Salem, VA, April.
- Bolt, B. R. (2002) Christianity in leisure and sport. Invited address to St. Elizabeth's Church. Roanoke, VA, November.
- Bolt, B. R. (2002). Youth sport. Invited presentation to the Salem Rotary Club. Salem, VA, September.
- Bolt, B. R. (2002). Youth sport. Invited presentation to the Collinsville Jaycees, Collinsville, VA, July.
- Bolt, B. R. (2002) A biblical perspective on youth sport. Invited address to the Salem Baptist Men's Club. Salem, VA, June.
- Acquaviva, J., & Bolt, B. R. (2002) Teaching health related fitness. Presentation and Workshop for Roanoke County Schools. Roanoke, VA, August.
- Bolt, B. R. (2001). Meeting the Virginia health and physical education standards of learning through dance. Presentation and Workshop for Botetourt County Schools. Botetourt, VA, September.
- Bolt, B. R. (2001). Christianity in leisure and sport. Invited address to the Roanoke College Elderscholar Program, April.
- Bolt, B. R. (2000). Dance for dummies. Seminars in Physical Education sponsored by Roanoke County Schools and Virginia Western Community College, October.
- Bolt, B. R. (2000). Without a prayer. Invited address to the Roanoke College Intervarsity Fellowship, November.
- Bolt, B. R. (1999). Godly materialism. Invited address to the Roanoke College Intervarsity Fellowship, September.
- Bolt, B. R. (1999). The ABC's of movement. Presentation to the Virginia State Reading Association Conference, Roanoke, March.
- Bolt, B.R. (1998). Toward a biblical view of leisure. Invited address to retreat of the Church of the Holy Spirit, Roanoke, October.
- Bolt, B.R. (1998). Case discussion methodology for teacher preparation. Roanoke College Front Burner, October.
- Bolt, B.R. (1998). True heroism. Invited address to Roanoke College Intervarsity chapter, December.
- Bolt, B. R. (1996). The reflective teacher. Invited address the Roanoke Association of Kappa Delta Phi, Roanoke, December.
- Bolt, B. R. (1996). Touchdown Jesus: Christianity and leisure. Invited Address to Roanoke College Intervarsity Fellowship, Roanoke, November.
- Bolt, B. R. (1994) Fitness in the curriculum. PEA Regional Physical Education Workshop. University of North Carolina at Greensboro, August.

FUNDED GRANTS

- Bolt, B. R. & Raleigh Accord Group (2013). A Declaration on Faith and Sport. Calvin Center for Christian Scholarship. \$11,000 for 2014-15.
- Bolt, B. R. (2006). Calvin College Summer MacGregor Student Program, Funded.
- Bolt, B. R. (2001) Roanoke College Curriculum Development Grant, Funded \$1490.00.
- Bolt, B. R. (1999) NASPE Conference Grant. Roanoke College Center for Teaching and Learning. \$600
- Bolt, B. R. (1999) Physical Education Teacher Education. Roanoke College Center for Teaching and Learning. \$350.
- Bolt, B.R. (1998) Developing case materials and methods in physical education teacher education. Roanoke College Starter Grant. \$2,000.00
- Bolt, B. R. (1995) Susan Stout Graduate Student Research Fellowship. \$800.00
- Veal, M. L., Griffith, J. B., Bolt, B. R., & Sluder, D. (1994). The effects of formative assessment on learning in physical education. Funded by the North Carolina Small Grants School-Based Research Program. \$7,993.00
- Veal, M. L., Griffith, J. B., Bolt, B. R., & Sluder, D. (1994). The effects of formative assessment on learning in physical education. Funded by the National Association for Sport and Physical Education. \$1,200.00

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Calvin College Employment Service

- Kinesiology Department Chairperson 2009-present
- Director of Calvin College Semester in Britain, Spring, 2012
- Calvin College Educational Policy Committee 2007-2009
- Kinesiology Personnel Committee
- HPERDS Educator Coach Task force 2005-2007
- HPERDS Curriculum Committee 2004-2006
- HPERDS Core Committee 2004-2006
- Secondary Education Committee 2004-2007

Roanoke College Employment Service

- Assessment Council 2001-2004
- Member of Planning Committee, Executive Committee, and Task Force Chair for Lilly Foundation Grant Proposal, 2001.
- Summer Scholar Supervision - Ann Meyers - Summer 2000
- Student Conduct Council - Roanoke College, 1999 – 2004
- Academic Integrity Council - Roanoke College, 1999 - 2004
- Positive Pastime Day presentation for Craig County Schools, May, 1999
- Chemistry PEP Internal Review Panel Member, 1998
- Business PEP Internal Review Panel Member, 1998
- Faculty Representative for Roanoke College Judicial Panel, October 1998.
- Conducted comparison study and Physical Education Teacher Education Review for PEP Report, Spring 1998.
- Member of Sports Medicine Application Committee, Spring 1998.
- Member of Departmental Restructuring Project Committee, 1998-2000

- Member of the Academic Computer Advisory Group (ACAG), 1998-2001
- Academic Integrity Presentation during freshmen orientation, August, 1997.
- Co-leader for Distinctive Initiatives Project: Assessment and Internships Revisited, May, 1997-1999.
- Marshall at Roanoke College Ceremonies, 1997-2002
- Presentation of N.E.A.T Software at Departmental Technology Workshop, May, 1997.
- Interviewer for Roanoke College Scholarship Competition, March, 1997.
- Faculty Advisor for Roanoke College Physical Education Major's Club, 1996-2004.
- Faculty Representative for Roanoke College Orientation Committee, 1996-2000.
- Elected member of Exercise and Sport Science Student Society, 1994-1995.

HONORS/EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

2005 Community Partnership Appreciation Award. Calvin College, April.

1995 Susan Stout Graduate Student Research Fellowship (Awarded by the Exercise & Sport Science Department at UNCG to promote and support research of exceptional quality)

1992 Outstanding Teaching Award: UNC-Chapel Hill Physical Education Department (Awarded to two graduate assistants per year: Approximately 30 graduate assistants)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Sport and Christianity Group (Co-Chair), 2014-present.

American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, 1993-present.

Christian Society for Kinesiology and Leisure Studies , 2001-present.

National Golf Coaches Association of America, 2004-present.

Michigan Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, 2004-present.

COURSES TAUGHT

- Sport Psychology
- Philosophy of Physical Education and Sport (Senior Capstone)
- Motor Learning
- Curriculum and Instruction in Physical Education
- Secondary Physical Education Methods and Materials
- Elementary Physical Education Methods and Materials
- Adapted and Developmental Physical Education
- Behavioral Perspectives: Sport Psychology and Sociology
- Physical Education for the Elementary School Teacher
- Educational Games
- Skill Analysis: Team Sports I & II - Basketball, Soccer, Field Hockey, Volleyball
- Skill Analysis: Individual Sports I & II - Tennis, Badminton, Track & Field, Gymnastics
- Skill Analysis: Fundamentals of Dance
- Social Dance

- Fitness for Life
- Weight Training
- Golf
- Tennis
- Badminton

SPECIALTY/INTERIM COURSES TAUGHT

- Life and Sport in Britain: Past and Present (Semester in Britain)
- Faster, Higher, Stronger: The Ancient and Modern Olympics (Semester in Britain)
- Amazing Race: Learning to Race, Racing to Learn (Calvin College Interim Travel Course)
- The Warm Heart of Africa: Health and Physical Activity in South Central Africa (Calvin College Interim Travel Course)
- The Games of Ancient Greece (Calvin College Interim Travel Course)
- Sport in Film and Fiction (Calvin College Interim Course)