

# October 2005 Advisory Committee Update

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## Introduction

For October I planned to:

- Continue teaching I101 Introduction to Informatics, SoI, IUPUI.
- Assist with BROG research for Association of Internet Researchers (AoIR) 2005 presentation.
- Attend the Association of Internet Researchers (AoIR) 2005, Chicago IL, October 5-9, 2005.
- Present "Teaching Hurricane Katrina" at AoIR, Chicago IL, October 8, 2005.
- Program chair for AoIR session, Chicago IL, October 7, 2005.
- Attend IRB Workshop at IUB, October 14, 2005.
- Submit final version of National Communication Association (NCA) paper "The Performativity of Naming: Adolescent Weblog Names as Metaphor" to the respondent, October 15, 2005.
- Attend "Proposal Budget Preparation" training from the Office of Teaching and Learning, IUPUI, October 19, 2005.
- Attend IRB Meeting, IUB, October 20, 2005.

My goals were met through the following with the exception of "Proposal Budget Preparation" training and IRB Meeting attendance, which were not completed due to time constraints:

## Activities (alphabetically by area)

### Conference

- Submit final version of National Communication Association (NCA) paper *The Performativity of Naming: Adolescent Weblog Names as Metaphor* to the respondent, October 29, 2005.
- Individual Presentation at Association of Internet Researchers Conference. Title: *Teaching Hurricane Katrina*, October 9, 2005.
- BROG Presentation at Association of Internet Researchers Conference. Title: *Conversation and Connectivity in the Blogosphere*, October 8, 2005.
- Attended: Association of Internet Researchers Conference. Internet Research 6.0: Generations, October 6-9, 2005, Chicago IL.

## **Professional Development**

- Attended: *Facing IRB Challenges Together*, IUB, Sponsored by the Office of the Vice President for Research, October 14, 2005.

## **Research**

- Continued literature review for quals paper.
- Assisted BROG members with research leading to AoIR presentation.

## **Service**

### *To the Profession*

- Chair panel at Association of Internet Researchers Conference. Panel title: CMC Characteristics, October 8, 2005.

## **Teaching**

- Continue teaching fall semester classes at IUPUI August 24, 2005. I101 Introduction to Informatics, 4 credit hours, 47 students, Wednesday 4:00-5:15 Lab, 5:45-7:00 Lecture, 7:15-8:25 Lab.

## **Plans for next month**

- Continue teaching I101 Introduction to Informatics, SoI, IUPUI.
- Attend School of Informatics Faculty Meeting, November 4, 2005.
- Attend *Proposal Development* training, IUPUI, November 8, 2005.
- Attend the National Communication Association Conference, Boston, MA, Ethnography Division Pre-Conference, Historical Ethnography: Bringing Cultures from the Past into the Present through Archival Resources, November 16, 2005.
- Attend the National Communication Association Conference, Boston, MA, November 17-20, 2005.
- Present *The Performativity of Naming: Adolescent Weblog Names as Metaphor* at the National Communication Association Conference, Boston MA, November 20, 2005.