

## David LaVetter, Ph.D.

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### Education

Ph.D. Sport Administration

University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM (2004)

M.Ed. Educational Leadership

University of Nevada-Las Vegas, Las Vegas, NV (2001)

B.S. Behavioral Sciences & Health

University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT (1992)

### Professional Teaching Experience

**Arkansas State University**, Jonesboro, AR

May 2017- present

Professor, M.S. Sport Administration

Program Coordinator

**Arkansas State University**, Jonesboro, AR

May 2010-May 2017

Associate Professor, B.S. Sport Management/M.S. Sport Administration

Program Coordinator

**Arkansas State University**, Jonesboro, AR

Aug 2004-May 2010

Assistant Professor, B.S. Sport Management

Program Coordinator

**University of New Mexico**, Albuquerque, NM

Aug 2002-May 2004

Teaching Assistant, M.S. Sport Administration

**Utah Tech University**, St. George, UT

Aug 1993-May 2001

Instructor, Physical Education

Head Coach, Women's Basketball

### Professional Practitioner Experience

**University of New Mexico**, Albuquerque, NM

May 2001-Jul 2004

Senior Academic Specialist, Personnel Development

Department of Athletics

**Utah Tech University**, St. George, UT

Aug 1993-May 2001

Head Coach, Women's Basketball

Instructor/Assistant Director, Campus Fitness Center

Department of Athletics

**University of Nevada-Las Vegas**, Las Vegas, NV

May 2000-Sep 2000

Intern, Offices of Compliance & Marketing

Department of Athletics

**Deer Valley**, UT

Jan 1990-May 1992

David LaVetter

Customer Service Representative  
Deer Valley Recreation & Ski

Salt Lake City, UT  
Basketball Official, Adult/Youth Basketball League Assistant Manager  
Salt Lake City Parks & Recreation Division

May 1990-May 1992

Tucson Athletic Club, Tucson, AZ  
Membership Services Coordinator

May 1988-Aug 1989  
Summers

Eastern Arizona College, Thatcher, AZ  
Community Pool Lifeguard Supervisor  
Summer Youth Sport Camps, Assistant Director

May 1984-Aug 1985  
Summers

### ***Sport Management/Business Industry***

Coordinated 1000+ internship agreements (undergraduate and graduate programs)

### **Supervisor, Student Sport Management Club, Volunteer Events**

NCAA Basketball Tournament (First/Second rounds/Regionals)  
NCAA Men's Basketball Final Four (2)  
Super Bowl (2)  
College Football Bowl Games  
SEC Men's & Women's Basketball Conference Tournaments  
Conference USA Men's & Women's Basketball Conference Tournaments  
Sun Belt Men's & Women's Basketball Conference Tournaments  
Special Olympics (Jonesboro, AR)  
Miracle League (Jonesboro, AR)  
Various community youth sport events (NE Arkansas)

### **Faculty Director, Sport Management Study Abroad Programs**

Arkansas State University, Jonesboro, AR  
London, England (3) and Barcelona, Spain (2)

### **Project Lead, Commission on Sport Management Accreditation**

Arkansas State University 1) 2016-17, 2023-24  
Fully Accredited Programs: B.S. Sport Management and M.S. Sport Administration  
<https://www.cosmaweb.org/list-of-accredited-programs1.html>

### **Scholarship**

#### **Publications/Proceedings in Refereed Journals**

LaVetter, D. (2017). Volunteering in school athletics programs: School asset or liability?  
*Arkansas Journal* 52, (1), 23-35.

Kim, D., LaVetter, D., Sung, J., Benavides-Espinoza, C., & Choi, M. (2016) Impact of the smart device interactivity on the co-creation of value in the sport industry. *Journal of Physical Education and Sport*, 5 (1), 32-41.

Ferguson, K., LaVetter, D., Wheeler, A. A., Benavides, C., & (2016). Perceived Leadership Qualities as Hiring Criteria for Athletic Trainers at NCAA Institutions in the Southeast Region of the United States. *Journal of Athletic Training, 11*(4), 17-28.

LaVetter, D. (2015). Accessibility of Public Schools' Extracurricular activities for homeschooled students. *Arkansas Journal, 50* (1), 18-26.

LaVetter, D. Kim, H.D., Ham, S.W., & Kim, S.Y. (2013). Leadership traits of intercollegiate athletic directors for collegiate golf programs. *Society of Golf Studies, 5* (1), 27-38.

LaVetter, D. & Behunin, C. (2012). Economic impact of youth sporting events in a small mid-South community. *Arkansas Journal, 47* (1), 37-41.

LaVetter, D. (2011). Transportation practices in community college athletics. *Journal of Community College Research & Practice 34* (6), 1-13.

LaVetter, D. (2010). Negligent hiring in youth sports: Background screening of volunteers. *Journal of Youth Sports, 6* (2), 15-22.

LaVetter, D. & Y.S. Choi (2010). Implications of toppling goal posts in college football: Managing institutional risk. *Journal of Sport Administration & Supervision, 2* (1), 52-62.

LaVetter, D. (2009). Split on the uprights: Football tradition v. institutional liability. *Athletic Management*. [www.athleticmanagement.com](http://www.athleticmanagement.com).

LaVetter, D. (2009). Legal duties of school coaches. *Arkansas Journal, 44* (1), 6-12.

LaVetter, D. (2007). Employee job satisfaction in intercollegiate athletics: The influences of leadership style. Conference proceedings. *Mid-South Research Quarterly*.

Kim, H. D., LaVetter, D., & Lee, J. H. (2006). The influence of service quality factors on customer satisfaction and repurchase intention in the Korean professional basketball league. *International Journal of Applied Sport Science, 18* (1), 39-58.

LaVetter, D. & Hardigree, C.E. (2005). Risk management and liability issues for youth sports camps directors hosting camps on school campuses. *Journal of Youth Sports, 1* (1), 17-21.

LaVetter, D. (2005). Safety must drive decisions in van use. *National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA), 42*(25), 4-5.

### **Dissertation**

*Transportation practice and liability in NAIA and NJCAA intercollegiate athletic departments.* University of New Mexico, 2004.

### **Refereed Scholarly Presentations**

Garcia, A.N. & LaVetter, D. (February, 2019). Motivational factors of students volunteering at the NCAA Men's Basketball Final Four event. Applied Sport Management Conference, Nashville, TN.

- LaVetter, D., & Garcia, L.M. (March, 2019). Prevalence of law-based courses in sport management degree curricula in the U.S. Sport & Recreation Law Conference, Philadelphia, PA.
- LaVetter, D. & Garcia, A.N. (October, 2018). Students' perceptions of sport degree program efficacy: A Bi-national university analysis. International FOD Congreso Conference, Monterrey, Mexico.
- LaVetter, D. (February, 2018). Sport management curriculum and program standards: Considerations for program accreditation. Council on National and International Department of Sport Sciences. University of Nuevo Leon, Monterrey, Mexico.
- LaVetter, D. & Benavides, C. (2017). *Sport industry employment qualifications in the U.S.* Universidad Automata Nuevo Leon, Federacion Organizacion de Deportes (October). UANL, Monterrey, Mexico.
- LaVetter, D. (April, 2017). Amateur athletics policy issues in sports medicine: Legal implications for the interscholastic/intercollegiate coaching staff. Sports Medicine Conference. Jonesboro, AR.
- LaVetter, D., & Aguirre, E. (March, 2017). Volunteer coaches in our schools: A continued asset or increased liability? Sport & Recreation Association Law Conference. Las Vegas, NV.
- LaVetter, D. & Aguirre, E. (November, 2016). Volunteer coaching in Arkansas: Potential liability for schools. Arkansas Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance Convention, Little Rock, AR.
- LaVetter, D. (November, 2016). Bridging the funding gap: Sponsorship strategies and practices in interscholastic athletics. Arkansas Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance Convention, Little Rock, AR.
- LaVetter, D., Hines, J. & Oprea, M. (March, 2015). Analysis of Codes of Conduct in NCAA Divisions I-III Athletic Departments. Sport & Recreation Law Association Conference. Charlotte, NC.
- Sanapala, D. & LaVetter, D. (November, 2014). Cross cultural marketing: Application in professional and amateur soccer. Arkansas Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance Convention, Little Rock, AR.
- LaVetter, D., & Bateman, L.S. (March, 2014). Dual participation of non-school sport and interscholastic athletics: Organizational policy and state legislation. Sport & Recreation Association Law Conference. Orlando, FL.
- LaVetter, D. (November, 2013). Legal duties of coaches in Physical Education & athletics: Recent review of legal cases. Arkansas Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance Convention, Little Rock, AR.

- Schneider, A. & LaVetter, D. (November, 2013). Sport-centric boarding schools and Arkansas Activities Association. Arkansas Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance Convention, Little Rock, AR.
- Schneider, A. LaVetter, D. (April, 2013). Legal issues of sport boarding schools in the U.S. College Sport Research Institute Conference, Chapel Hill, NC.
- LaVetter, D. (October, 2012). Using economic impact data to assess orientation strategy of recreational sport events in host small community. American Higher Education Conference, Williamsburg, VA.
- LaVetter, D. (October, 2012). College sport management students' moral reasoning inventory: Exploring future amateur and professional sport leaders' values. American Higher Education Conference, Williamsburg, VA.
- LaVetter, D. & Benavides-Espinoza, C. (April, 2012). Analysis of codes of conduct for athletes and coaches in NCAA institutions. College Sport Research Institute Conference, Chapel Hill, NC.
- LaVetter, D., Flowers, C. & Benavides-Espinoza, C. (May, 2012). Moral reasoning among sport management majors: A troubling future? North American Society of Sport Management Conference. Seattle, WA.
- Mizuuchi, Y., Stillwell, J., Adams, T., Bryant, L. LaVetter, D., & Benavides, C. (July, 2012). Employee work motivation in Japanese fitness clubs, Congresso FOD, Monterrey, Mexico.
- Benavides-Espinoza, C. & LaVetter, D. (May, 2011). Sexual harassment in the Mexican sport context: Males' perspective. Latin American Society for Sport Management in Monterrey, México.
- LaVetter, D. (March, 2011). Homeschoolers' Accessibility to Extracurricular Activities in Public Schools. Sport & Recreation Law Association Conference, Savannah, GA.
- LaVetter, D. & Stahura, K., C. Hardigree, & Nelson, K. (November, 2010). Negligent hiring of youth sport volunteers. Sport Entertainment & Venues Tomorrow conference. Columbia, SC.
- Kim, H.D., LaVetter, D. (April, 2010). Evaluating service marketing in NCAA Division I basketball events. AAHPERD National Convention. Indianapolis, IN.
- LaVetter, D. (November, 2009). Arkansas sport consumer perspectives of college athletics. Arkansas American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance state convention, Eureka Springs, AR.
- Kim, H.D. & LaVetter, D. (June, 2009). Service Marketing, Spectator Satisfaction and Revisit Intention in the NCAA D - I Basketball Events. North American Society for Sport Management conference, Columbia, SC.

LaVetter, D. (2009). Legal perspectives and policy in managing parks & recreation in Arkansas. Arkansas Parks & Recreation Association. Paragould, AR.

LaVetter, D. (2009). Marketing parks and recreation: Connecting with communities through developing technologies. Arkansas Parks & Recreation Association. Paragould, AR.

LaVetter, D., Stewart, P. & McLean, W.S. (February, 2009). College athletics in Arkansas: Residents' attitudes and behaviors. Arkansas Political Science Association Conference. Russellville, AR.

LaVetter, D. (November, 2008). Improving safety and reducing liability in school weight rooms: Application of standards. Arkansas American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance state convention, Little Rock, AR.

LaVetter, D. (November, 2008). Coaches' legal duties: Minimizing risk and organizational liability. Arkansas American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance state convention, Little Rock, AR.

LaVetter, D. (April, 2008). Examining codes of conduct in selected NCAA Athletic Departments. College Sport Research Institute conference. Memphis, TN.

LaVetter, D. (April, 2008). How coaches can minimize liability in schools: Case studies. Arkansas American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance district conference, Jonesboro, AR.

LaVetter, D. (November, 2007). Let's take a knee: Legalities of school policy of religious practices in interscholastic athletics. Arkansas American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance state convention, Eureka Springs, AR.

LaVetter, D. & Kim, H.D. (March, 2007) Examining negligence of goalpost-related cases. Sport & Recreation Law Association Conference, Chapel Hill, NC.

LaVetter, D. (March, 2007). An official's duty: Implications of negligence cases in amateur sports. Sport & Recreation Law Association Conference, Chapel Hill, NC.

LaVetter, D. (November, 2007). Employee job satisfaction in intercollegiate athletics: The influences of leadership style. Mid-South Educational Research Convention, Birmingham, AL.

LaVetter, D. & Kim, H.D. (November, 2006). Hazing in high school sports: Is our head in the sand? Arkansas American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance state convention, Hot Springs, AR

LaVetter, D. & Stillwell, J.L. (November, 2006). Are high school sports in jeopardy? Influences of pay-to-play policies. Arkansas American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance state convention, Hot Springs, AR.

LaVetter, D. (November, 2006). Issues impacting mascot use decisions in secondary and higher education. Arkansas American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance state convention, Hot Springs, AR

LaVetter, D. (November, 2006). Are minor waivers enforced? The legalities of school-related sports cases. Arkansas American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance convention, Hot Springs, AR.

Kim, H.D., LaVetter, D., Stillwell, J.L., Shin, H.B. & Song, S.H. (June, 2006). Factors affecting service quality at private golf courses. North American Society for Sport Management conference, Kansas City, KS.

Pittman, A. & LaVetter, D. (April, 2006). The Dennehy/Dotson tragedy: Implications on future organizational policy in intercollegiate athletics. American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, & Dance National Convention, Salt Lake City, UT.

LaVetter, D. (March, 2006). You're fired! At-will employment contracts in intercollegiate athletics. Sport & Recreation Law Association conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Kim, H.D., LaVetter, D., Stillwell, J.L., Shin, H.B. & Song, S.H. (June, 2006). Factors affecting customer service quality at private golf courses in the U.S. North American Society for Sport Management conference. Kansas City, MO.

Kim, H.D. & LaVetter, D. (November, 2006). Factors affecting college basketball event attendees' customer satisfaction. Sport Marketing Association conference, Denver, CO.

LaVetter, D. (November, 2006). The 15-passenger van controversy: A driving concern for policy decision-making. Arkansas AAHPERD District IV conference, Arkansas State University, Jonesboro, AR.

LaVetter, D. & Seidler, T. (December, 2005). Safely transporting participants: Reducing risk and liability for sports and recreation programs. Athletic Business conference, Orlando, FL.

LaVetter, D. (September, 2005). Legal liabilities of professional sport organizations associated with in-game promotional activities at sports events: Improving spectator safety and reducing organizational liability. European Sport Management Association International conference, Newcastle-Upon-Tyne, England.

LaVetter, D. (September, 2005). Transportation practices in intercollegiate athletics in the U.S.: Policy implications for reduced organizational risk. Poster presentation. European Sport Management Association international conference, Newcastle-Upon-Tyne, England.

LaVetter, D. (November, 2005). Transportation policies and practices in college athletics: Modes of transportation legal case reviews. Conference proceedings from Mid-South Educational Research Association, Baton Rouge, LA.

LaVetter, D. & Kim, H.D. (November, 2005). Managing summer youth camps through effective marketing and risk management strategies. Arkansas American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance state convention, Eureka Springs, AR.

LaVetter, D. (November, 2005). The 15-passenger van controversy: A driving concern for school athletics administrators. Arkansas American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance state convention, Eureka Springs, AR.

LaVetter, D. & Seidler, T. (April, 2005). Safe student transportation: From A to Z in school athletics. American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance national convention. Chicago, IL.

LaVetter, D. (March, 2005). Small college and JC athletics: Transportation policies and practices. Sport & Recreation Law Association Conference, Virginia Beach, VA.

Goldfine, B., Seidler, T. & LaVetter, D. (June, 2004). Transportation practices utilized by NCAA universities in selected non-revenue producing sports. North American Society of Sport Management Conference, Atlanta, GA.

LaVetter, D. (February, 2004). Sport event promotions and management of youth summer camps on college campuses. Southwest District, American Alliance of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance convention. Albuquerque, NM.

LaVetter, D. (March, 2004). Event and risk management of youth sports camps. Sport & Recreation Law Association conference, Las Vegas, NV.

LaVetter, D. (September, 2002). Safe risk management practices in transporting students. New Mexico Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance conference. Albuquerque, NM.

### **Invited Book Reviews**

Brown, M.T., Rascher, D.A., Nagel, M.S. & McEvoy, C.D. (2018). *Financial Management in the sport industry*. Taylor & Francis Group: New York, NY.

Hoffman, J.L., & Gill, E.L. (2018). *Beyond reform: Leading college athletics from within the academy*. Taylor & Francis: New York, NY.

Simon, R.L. (2016). *Fair Play: The ethics of sport (4<sup>th</sup>)*. West View Press: Boulder, CO.

Katz et al. (2014). *Fair Play: Sport, Ethics, and Leadership*. Taylor & Francis: New York, NY.

Simon, R.L. (2012). *Fair Play: The ethics of sport (3<sup>rd</sup>)*. West View Press: Boulder, CO.

### **Book Chapters**

LaVetter, D. (2012). *Transportation in sport*. In H. Appenzeller (Ed.) *Risk management in sport (3<sup>rd</sup>)*, pp. 151-161. Carolina Academic Press: Durham, NC.

### **Research Grants**

Eleanor Lane Faculty Endowment (2017). Arkansas State University. Paper presentation at Sport & Recreation Law Association, Las Vegas, NV.

Eleanor Lane Faculty Endowment (2012). Arkansas State University. Paper presentation at North American Society for Sport Management, Seattle, WA.

Eleanor Lane Faculty Endowment (2008). Arkansas State University. Paper presentation at Sport & Recreation Law Association, San Antonio, TX.

Eleanor Lane Faculty Endowment (2007). Arkansas State University. Paper presentation at College Sport Research Institute, Raleigh, NC.

Eleanor Lane Faculty Endowment (2005). Arkansas State University. Paper presentation at European Association for Sport Management Conference, Newcastle, England.

NCAA Substance Abuse Grant (2000). University of New Mexico Athletics.

## **Service**

### ***Arkansas State University Service Committees***

Member, University Online Services

Member, University Graduate Curriculum Committee

Member, University Advisory Council, Faculty Center

Chair, University Diversity Subcommittee, Higher Learning Commission Report

Chair, College of Education, Student Grievance Committee

Member, College of Education, Graduate Curriculum Committee

Member, College of Education, Grievance Committee

Member, College of Education, Dean's Search

Member, College of Education, Professional Development Ad Hoc Committee

Member, College of Education, Point of Excellence Award Committee

Member, College of Education, Diversity Committee

Chair, Health, Physical Education, and Sport Sciences (HPESS), Diversity Committee

Chair, HPESS, Search Committees (4)

Member, HPESS, Search Committees (5)

Member, HPESS, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

Member, HPESS, Graduate Curriculum Committee

Advisor, HPESS, Sport Management Club

Advisor, HPESS, Japanese Student Club

Member, HPESS, Library Committee

Member, HPESS, Website Ad Hoc

Member, HPESS, Student and Faculty Grievance Committees

Member, HPESS, Recruitment Committee

Sport & Recreation Law Association Faculty Awards & Recognition Committee

Sport & Recreation Law Association Student Research Reviewer

### ***University of New Mexico Service Committees***

Advisor, Student-Athlete Advisory Council

Advisor, Student-Athlete Life Skills Program

Member, Search Committee, Head Coach, Men's Golf

David LaVetter

Member, Search Committee, Head Coach, Men's Basketball  
Member, Search Committee, Head Coach, Volleyball

***Utah Tech University Service Committees***

Member, Student Cultural Diversity Committee  
Member, Academic Council  
Member, Search Committee, Athletics Director  
Member, Search Committee, Head Coach, Men's Basketball  
Member, Search Committee, Head Coach, Women's Soccer  
Member, Search Committee, Head Coach, Softball  
Member, Faculty/Staff Grievance Committee  
Chair, Student-Athlete Advisory Committee  
Advisor, Freshman Class

***Other University Service***

Invited Panel Member, Arkansas State University Junior Discover Diversity  
Presenter, Office of International Programs, Study Abroad Programs Orientation  
Arkansas State University Discover Diversity Leader  
Arkansas State University Athletic Department, Football Game Timer  
Arkansas State University Athletic Department, recruitment sessions  
Arkansas State University Athletic Department, Men's Basketball Game Timer  
Arkansas State University Athletic Department, Women's Basketball Game Timer  
Arkansas State University Community & Club Fair, Club Advisor  
Arkansas State University Minority Student Recruitment Fair  
Arkansas State University Brother 2 Brother program

**Theses Chair, Arkansas State University**

Brewer, K. (2024). Influences of transformational practices among high school coaches: An exploratory qualitative study.

Bowman, S. (2022). Investigation on sports gambling preferences among sportsbook patrons.

Homatas, J. (2021). The effects of injuries on collegiate athletes' symptoms of depression: A systematic review.

Rivera, C. (2020). Effects of message framing on parents' attitudes toward concussion in youth sports.

Egnaczyk, Ryan (2019). Leadership styles of high school athletics head coaches.

Gonzalez, Katherine (2014). Perceived leadership qualities of athletic trainers at NCAA institutions in the Southeast region of the U.S.

Hagiwara, Goichi (2011). Spectator attendance motives in the Japanese Basketball League.

Behunin, Carl (2010). Economic Impact of Youth Sports: Hosting Baseball and Softball Tournaments in a Mid-South Community.

Reynolds, Lawrence (2010). College athletes' perceptions of athletic training services at NAIA member institutions.

Galafassi, M. (2009). Visualization of velocity and accuracy in NCAA Division I baseball pitchers.

Jackson, J. (2007). Athletes' perceived satisfaction of leadership behaviors among college football assistant coaches.

Tate, S. (2006). Career salience of college female basketball coaches at NCAA member institutions.

### **Dissertation Committee Member**

Renelique, S. (2019). The underrepresentation of women of color in senior management athletic administration at NCAA Division I institutions. Arkansas State University.

Dixon, D. (2018). Behavioral codes of conduct in NCAA intercollegiate athletic departments. University of Mississippi.

Snell-Flowers, C. (2010). Transportation policies and practices in HBCU athletic departments. University of New Mexico.

**Faculty Advisor**, Create@AState Student Research Symposium (2010-current)  
Arkansas State University

### **Volunteer Experience**

#### ***Sport-Related Volunteer/Supervisory Activities***

2024-2025	Mesa High School, Volunteer Cross-Country Coach, Mesa, AZ
2019-2024	Gilbert Parks & Recreation, Youth Coach, Gilbert, AZ
2016-2019	Jonesboro Parks & Recreation, City Stars Basketball Coach, Jonesboro, AR
2004-2018	Special Olympics, Supervisor, Jonesboro, AR
2015-2016	Jonesboro Parks & Recreation, Youth Football Committee
2013-2018	Gearhead Endurance Challenge, Student Supervisor, Jonesboro, AR
2010-2015	Miracle League, Supervisor, Jonesboro, AR
2007-2013	Jonesboro Parks & Recreation, Board Member
2005-2006	Little League Coach, YMCA, Jonesboro, AR
2004-2008	Official, City Stars Youth Football Program, Jonesboro, AR
1995-2001	Transportation and emergency services, marathon St. George, UT
1991-1992	Media Relations, NCAA Basketball 1st-2nd Rounds, Salt Lake City, UT
1990-1992	Junior Jazz youth basketball program coach, Salt Lake City, UT
1989-1992	Parks & Recreation, sports official & event management, Salt Lake City, UT

#### ***Community Outreach-Volunteering Disaster Relief Efforts***

2021	United Food Bank (Gilbert, AZ)
2017	Louisiana Flood Relief Volunteer (Baker, LA)
2013	Vilonia Tornado Relief Volunteer (Vilonia, AR)
2010	Tennessee Flood Relief Volunteer (Dyersburg, TN)

- 2009 Group Volunteer Organizer-Ice Storm Cleanup (Jonesboro/Paragould, AR)
- 2007 Hurricane Katrina Re-building (New Orleans, LA)
- 2006 Tornado Relief cleanup (Caruthersville, MO; Marmaduke, AR)
- 2005 Hurricane Katrina Relief cleanup (Hattiesburg, MS; Slidell, LA)

***Invited Community Speaker (Jonesboro, AR)***

Speaker, Jonesboro Lions Club  
Speaker, Jonesboro City Youth Ministries Program  
Jonesboro Public Schools

**Professional Affiliations**

National and International Advisory Board, Sport Management  
Sport Sciences Federation, University Automata of Nuevo Leon, Monterrey MX  
Arkansas Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance  
Sport Management Council Chair/Member  
SHAPE  
Arkansas Officials Association (Arkansas HS Activities Association)  
Sport Law & Recreation Association (Awards Committee 2008-2012)  
North American Society of Sport Management  
European Association for Sport Management  
National Association of Athletic Academic Advisors  
National Basketball Coaches Association

**Professional Awards**

Who's Who in Academia (2013)  
College of Education, Scholarship Award, Arkansas State University (2010)  
Department of HPESS, Scholarship Award, Arkansas State University (2010)  
Higher Educator of the Year, State of Arkansas AAHPERD, Arkansas State University (2007)  
Outstanding Doctoral Student, Division of Physical Performance, University of New Mexico (2004)

**Faculty Development, Technology**

***Webinar Training Sessions:*** Arkansas State University/Academic Partnerships

Facilitating Courses with Engaged Learners (Feb 28, 2023)  
Enhance and Improve Your Course Using Data & Analytics (Feb 15, 2023)  
Accessibility: Equal Learner Access and Compliance (Jan 23, 2023)  
Faculty Presence: Sharing Your Voice Online (Dec 13, 2022)  
Designing Purposeful Online Discussions (Oct 27, 2022)  
Mirroring Professional Experiences in Your Course (Mar 30, 2022)  
Designing Purposeful Online Discussions (Mar 3, 2022)

**Collegiate Athletic Experience, Scholarship Athlete**

***Eastern Arizona College, Thatcher, AZ***  
NJCAA Division I Football and Basketball (1987-89)  
Athlete of the Year

David LaVetter

***University of Utah***

Salt Lake City, UT, NCAA Division I Football (1989-92)

**Legal Consultation**

School transportation cases

Law Firm: Riggs, Ellsworth & Porter, PLC, Mesa, AZ.