

RAYMOND N. ANKNEY, Ph.D.

EDUCATION

August 1997 to August 2001
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
School of Journalism and Mass Communication
Ph.D. in Mass Communication (Honors/pass system)
Major: Communication Effects and Society; Minor: Political
Communication
Dissertation: Cultural Catalysis Theory: A Communication Theory to
Supplement Social Capital Theory
Committee chair: Jane Brown

August 1996 to December 1998
Syracuse University
S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications
M.A. in Public Communication Studies, GPA: 3.96
Thesis: How Exposure to News Media Shapes Political Knowledge: An
Examination of Multiple Media Reliances
Committee chair: Pamela Shoemaker

August 1983 to May 1987
Indiana University of Pennsylvania
College of Humanities and Social Sciences
B.A. in Journalism, Political Science Minor

ADMINISTRATION, TEACHING EXPERIENCE

August 2006 to present
Samford University
Birmingham, AL
Associate professor and chair of journalism and mass communication
(August 2006 through May 2019), interim chair of communication studies
(August 2017 through May 2019), tenured professor (August 2019 to
present)

University Service

- Chaired the president's university-wide task force on enrollment that gave the president proposals to generate millions in new revenue by restructuring schools and colleges and overhauling academic programs. Also developed proposals to strengthen student recruitment and retention efforts
- Reviewed and vetted a proposal to establish a new College of Health Sciences at Samford that will bring 1,000 graduate and undergraduate students per year to Samford
- Chaired the university's enrollment committee that has restructured and enhanced recruitment and retention at Samford, leading to record-setting enrollments and a lower discounting rate

- Interviewed students for Samford's scholars' day (Beeson and presidential scholarships)
- Worked with the athletics department to recruit student-athletes
- Served two terms on the university academic affairs committee
- Worked with the provost's office on ensuring compliance with Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) accreditation standards
- Served on the committee to develop a strategic plan for the Howard College of Arts and Sciences
- Served on the university dean of admissions search committee
- Interviewed by local TV stations about journalism, public relations, and advertising issues
- Served on the values and Title IX committees
- Advised the university's banner transition team
- Worked to have the department recognized as one of the country's 35 best journalism and mass communication programs by *USA Today*/College Factual
- Served as the university representative on the local board of directors of the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation
- Performed outside program review for the communication department at Slippery Rock University
- Agreed to do outside program review for the communication department at Berry College in fall 2019

Departmental Service

- Served as chair of journalism and mass communication (August 2006 to May 2019)
- Served as interim chair of communication studies (August 2017 to May 2019)
- Oversaw merger of the journalism and mass communication (JMC) and communication studies (COMS) departments in spring 2019
- Supervised and wrote annual evaluations for 11 tenured and tenure-track faculty members, three adjunct faculty members, and four staff members
- Managed departmental and student media budgets of \$1.5 million and supervised and managed a debate program, student newspaper, student magazine, student TV station, sports broadcasting show, and photojournalism publication
- Created a mentoring program for tenure-track faculty
- Worked to establish a research mentoring seminar for tenure-track faculty
- Developed facilities utilization plan for JMC and COMS to move into Divinity North space
- Generated approximately \$40 million in additional revenue for Samford from increased enrollments in JMC and COMS
- Initiated student recruitment activities that raised JMC enrollment from 104 to 228 students, making JMC Samford's third largest major
- Increased the incoming JMC class size from 18 students (before I was chair) to 40 to 58 students annually

- Increased enrollment in COMS 43 percent in one year and helped to recruit the largest incoming class ever
- Developed a plan for the department to receive PRSA certification and managed the site survey visit during spring 2019
- Attended student recruitment events and contacted prospective students and their families
- Increased the average ACT of incoming JMC majors from 24 to 27
- Developed a national student recruitment and retention plan for JMC that has brought students from nearly 40 states to Samford
- Increased the department's cost effectiveness by eliminating the need for underenrolled courses through an enrollment management plan
- Raised the percentage of JMC majors from racial and ethnic minorities from 1.5 percent to 20 percent
- Worked with University Advancement to secure a \$1 million donation for JMC
- Dramatically increased development in JMC (\$21,000 in 2005 to \$133,000 in 2018)
- Worked with University Advancement to establish estate gifts for JMC alumni
- Worked with University Advancement to endow departmental scholarships
- Submitted fundraising plan to Samford's Big Give for a TV studio upgrade
- Developed a five-year JMC-MBA program with the Brock School of Business
- Partnered with the Cumberland School of Law to establish a six-year JD program
- Developed a proposal for JMC to create an online master's program in public relations, advertising, and social media
- Contributed to a plan for JMC and COMS to establish a health communication minor with the College of Health Sciences
- Oversaw a JMC curriculum overhaul
- Created interdisciplinary sports-media minor
- Oversaw the approval and implementation of the department's film production minor
- Proposed and developed media entrepreneurship coursework
- Scheduled the first online class in JMC and worked with faculty to ensure all classes had online content in Canvas
- Implemented a comprehensive, SACS-approved outcomes assessment plan and submitted yearly assessment reports to the provost's office for quantitative literacy, information literacy, ethics, law, and writing
- Chaired the department's scholarship, search, and curriculum committees
- Served on the technology and alumni committees
- Worked with the departmental faculty to establish listservs for internal and external publics
- Edited weekly alumni e-newsletter
- Hired adjunct faculty members and created JMC schedule
- Managed departmental, technology, and student-media budgets

- Worked with departmental faculty to create JMC advisory council
- Planned and chaired advisory council meetings
- Planned and coordinated the annual Timothy Sumner Robinson Speakers Forum in collaboration with *The Washington Post*
- Oversaw the installation of multimedia classrooms in JMC
- Supervised the digitization of the student newspaper
- Oversaw creation of photojournalism magazine, *Sojourn*
- Served as interim *Crimson* media adviser spring 2016
- Coordinated workshops for high school journalism students and their advisers

Teaching Activities

- Taught eight to 12 credits per semester (mass media law, mass media and society, introduction to storytelling, print and web storytelling, mass media writing and editing, feature writing, media practices, public relations principles, public relations communication, public relations campaigns, health care public relations)
- Received teaching evaluations in the outstanding range in nearly every class
- Served as newspaper division officer in AEJMC from 2006 through 2014
- Gave talk at the Southeast Journalism Conference meeting on communication law
- Gave talks at Samford's high school journalism workshop on writing and media law
- Gave lecture on writing and issuing press releases to the Birmingham Regional Chamber of Commerce's PR 101 Seminar
- Graded the public relations entries for the 2007 Southeast Journalism Conference
- Advised 40 to 80 students per semester
- Served as faculty adviser for the Public Relations Student Society of America chapter

Research Activities

- Coauthored a panel presentation for AEJMC on censorship of student media at religiously affiliated universities. Moderated the panel at the 2017 meeting in Chicago
- Started a research project on Ford Frick's role in quelling an alleged strike by St. Louis Cardinals players over Jackie Robinson breaking baseball's color barrier
- Co-presented a paper on Ford Fricks' columns about Babe Ruth at the 2007 AEJMC meeting
- Revising paper on magazine coverage of the first artificial heart transplant for journal submission
- Moderated a panel on how private schools, teaching-oriented state schools, and research-oriented state schools have implemented media convergence at the 2009 AEJMC meeting
- Served as a panelist on political cartoons at the 2007 American Journalism Historians Association meeting

- Served on the editorial review board of *Environmental Communication: A Journal of Nature and Culture*
- Serve on the editorial review board of *Newspaper Research Journal*
- Presented a lecture at Samford's Shop Talk on the effect of communication technologies on political participation and social interaction and magazine coverage of the first artificial heart transplant

June 2002 through August 2006

Indiana University of Pennsylvania

Indiana, PA

Assistant professor and program director (August 2005 through July 2006)

University Service

- Served on the 2004 IUP presidential search committee
- Worked on the university's Ad-Hoc Information Literacy Task Force
- Chosen as Faculty Senator
- Received a grant from admissions to recruit a more diverse student body
- Played leadership role in the Wiley Partnership Program, a program to increase diversity at Pennsylvania state universities
- Assisted with IUP's Legislative Open House, a yearly event with local political leaders
- Served as faculty representative for IUP admissions events
- Served as the university representative on the local board of directors of Big Brothers Big Sisters
- Acted as the faculty adviser for the university chapter of International Justice Mission, a Christian organization that attempts to free women and children from human trafficking
- Helped to develop a marketing plan for the College of Humanities and Social Sciences

Journalism Service

- Served as program director for the journalism department (2005-2006)
- Designed and implemented student recruitment programs
- Increased the number of journalism majors from 129 to 259 over four years
- Oversaw department's efforts to become an accredited journalism program
- Worked on the department's efforts to add a Public Relations Student Society of America chapter (occurred fall 2006)
- Acted as faculty adviser for Lasting Impressions, a student-run, public relations agency
- Served as chair of the departmental curriculum committee
- Served on the departmental scholarship, search, and technology committees
- Worked with institutional advancement to set up an alumni listserv
- Coordinated the department's new advisory board and oversaw development. Helped to establish the Jesick and Heilman scholarships.
- Helped to organize the department's 25th anniversary celebration

- Developed new magazine and public relations courses
- Arranged for journalism law course to visit the U.S. Supreme Court
- Coordinated the department's efforts in the College of Humanities and Social Science's Spring Research Forum
- Wrote the executive summary for the department's five-year self-evaluation

Teaching Activities

- Taught four undergraduate journalism and public relations classes per semester
- Received student class evaluations ranging between 85 and 98 percent above average or superior
- Met with 50 to 100 advisees per semester
- Chosen by dean to teach in the First Year Experience program, an interdisciplinary approach to teaching journalism and mass media. Class participated in the first undergraduate scholars conference
- Accepted for Phi Kappa Phi membership for outstanding teaching, research, and service
- Gave guest lectures to news reporting classes on computer-assisted reporting
- Developed partnership with *Indiana Gazette* to publish survey research findings from public opinion and the news media class
- Conducted a training seminar on computer-assisted reporting for 10 *Indiana Gazette* staffers
- Acted as a statistical consultant to the *Pittsburgh Tribune-Review*, *Indiana Gazette* and *Harrisburg Patriot-News*
- Oversaw a plan for the department's students to compete in the Society of Professional Journalists' Mark of Excellence competition. Two journalism students won awards
- Gave keynote address to the Indiana Gazette High School Reporters Annual Banquet in 2003
- Served as secretary-treasurer for the newspaper division of AEJMC (2004, 2005)

Research Activities

- Taught research methods in the McNair Scholars Program
- Served on the editorial review board for the *Environmental Communication Yearbook*
- Served as a paper reviewer for the Religion and the Media Interest Group for the 2006 Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC) conference
- Presented a paper on libel law at the 2006 Hawaii International Conference on Social Sciences
- Moderated a panel on communications law at the 2006 Hawaii International Conference on Social Sciences
- Served as a book reviewer for *Journalism & Mass Communications Quarterly*
- Served as a manuscript reviewer for *Public Understanding of Science*
- Served as a manuscript reviewer for *Communication Research*

- Served as a manuscript reviewer for the *Southwestern Mass Communication Journal*
- Served as a manuscript reviewer for the 2003 Hawaii International Conference on Social Sciences
- Earned the 2003 runner-up award for the College of Humanities and Social Sciences promising young scholar award
- Earned the top faculty paper award at the 2002 AEJMC Technology and Policy Division

July 2000 through June 2002

Temple University

Philadelphia, PA

Assistant professor (tenure-track) and head of the news-editorial sequence

Journalism, Public Relations and Advertising Service

- Served as head for the news-editorial sequence
- Assisted with new student orientation
- Assisted with student recruitment
- Oversaw an initiative to restructure reporting and writing courses
- Analyzed the structure of the internship program. Gave a proposal to the department chair on ways to improve the program
- Co-directed the internship program
- Created diversity mentoring program with *Philadelphia Inquirer*
- Played leadership role in the department's accreditation review site survey. Developed ways to bring the department back into compliance with ACEJMC standards after Temple was put on provisional status for issues with advising and alumni contact
- Served on masters in journalism planning committee
- Served on dean's committee examining faculty members' use of technology
- Developed schedule for news-editorial track

Teaching Activities

- Taught three undergraduate and graduate print-journalism classes per semester
- Ranked in the top 10 to 20 percent of teachers in the college on student evaluations
- Lectured at the department's student press day
- Supervised student-advising sessions

Research Activities

- Helped to create a peer-reviewed academic journal about environmental communication issues (*Environmental Communication Yearbook*)
- Served as a manuscript reviewer for the 2002 Entertainment Studies Interest Group at AEJMC
- Served as a manuscript reviewer for the 2002 Newspaper Division at AEJMC
- Presented at the International Communication Association's annual meeting (2001)

- Presented at the Southern Association for Public Opinion Research (2000)
- Published a manuscript in *American Medical Writers Association Journal*

January 2000 through May 2000
 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
 Instructor
 Chapel Hill, NC

- Taught advanced print medical journalism class
- Developed the course
- Prepared the syllabus
- Created handouts
- Graded writing assignments
- Evaluated computer-assisted reporting assignment

August 1999 through December 1999
 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
 Chapel Hill, NC
 Graduate teaching assistant

- Taught three discussion sections for the World of Mass Communication
- Prepared lectures
- Created syllabus
- Designed handouts
- Graded papers

ASSISTANTSHIPS

August 1997 to May 2000
 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
 Chapel Hill, NC

Park Fellow/Research Assistant: Worked as a research assistant for the medical journalism professor. Graded writing assignments, contributed to lectures, taught classes, and advised students. Performed administrative tasks, including the planning and coordination of the medical journalism conference.

September 1996 to May 1997
 Syracuse University
 Syracuse, NY

Teaching Assistant: Served as a teaching assistant for a college course that examined ethical issues in journalism. Helped to prepare Socratic dialogues, taught part of several classes, graded writing assignments, and monitored class attendance. Assisted in teaching the Write Stuff, a weekly seminar for students with grammar problems. Led group discussions, advised students on projects, and held office hours.

**WORK
EXPERIENCE**

August 1992 to August 1996
Conemaugh's Memorial Medical Center
Johnstown, PA

Medical Editor/Director of Scientific Communications: Managed scientific communications for regional teaching hospital. Placed stories in national trade publications and local newspapers. Set up interviews with television stations. Planned press conferences and prepared media materials. Researched and wrote press releases. Served as the medical editor for the Department of Surgery. Edited the hospital's medical journal and *The Newsletter of the Laurel Highlands Cancer Program*. Prepared manuscripts for national medical journals. Conducted communication, social science and surgical research. Wrote, edited, and submitted grants to the National Institutes of Health.

January 1993 to June 1995
Western PA Medicine
Johnstown, PA

Publisher and Managing Editor: Served as managing editor for trade publication covering hospitals and nursing homes located between Pittsburgh and Harrisburg. Interviewed 10 to 15 physicians and hospital executives each month for news and feature stories. Assigned stories and supervised freelance reporters. Directed the Johnstown office. Handled layout and design. Produced entire publication with PageMaker.

April 1989 to July 1992
U.S. Medicine
Washington, D.C.

Associate Editor: Covered Capitol Hill and the Pentagon for national medical newspaper. Helped to break several major stories, including the mysterious diseases afflicting Persian Gulf veterans and Reston Ebola outbreak. Performed desktop publishing, handled layout and design, and oversaw printing production.

May 1987 to April 1989
Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, *Status Report*
Washington, D.C.

Editorial Assistant, Writer: Worked in the Communications Department of a large, insurance-sponsored association. Contributed six news stories each month to *Status Report*, the premiere newsmagazine covering highway safety. Also wrote press releases on traffic-safety issues, covered Congressional hearings, and proofread copy.

September 1986 to May 1987
Indiana University of Pennsylvania, *The Penn*
Indiana, PA

Sports Editor: Served as the sports editor for *The Penn*, the student-run newspaper at Indiana University of Pennsylvania. Assigned and edited stories. Covered the football, basketball, golf, gymnastics, and volleyball teams. Wrote news and feature stories. Oversaw staff writers and managed the sports desk.

March 1987 to May 1987
The Indiana Gazette
Indiana, PA

Sports Writer: Covered the Indiana University of Pennsylvania baseball team for the local daily newspaper. Also wrote high school wrestling stories.

June 1986 to August 1986
Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Sports Information Office
Indiana, PA

Intern: Completed an internship with the Indiana University of Pennsylvania Sports Information Office. Wrote the 1986-87 football press releases. Helped to plan and write the men's basketball media guide.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Communication technologies and their effects on community involvement
- Media coverage of medicine and science
- Communication law
- Political communication
- Survey research

Refereed Book

1. *Ankney RN*. (2003). *The Influence of Communication Technologies on Political Participation and Social Interaction*. Lewiston, NY: The Edwin Mellen Press.

Refereed Journal Publications

1. Carvalho J and *Ankney RN*. "Haunted by the Babe: Baseball Commissioner Ford Frick's Columns about Babe Ruth." *American Journalism*, 2008;25:65-82.

2. *Ankney RN*. Media Reliance and Political Knowledge: Have Researchers Underestimated the Effects of Radio and TV News. *The Twenty-Sixth: An Academic Journal of Government and Politics*. Spring 2003:5-6, 18.

3. *Ankney RN* and Procopio DA. Corporate Culture, Minority Hiring, and Newspaper Coverage of Affirmative Action. *Howard Journal of Communications* 2003;14:159-176.

4. *Ankney RN*. The Viability of the Libel-proof Plaintiff Doctrine Following the Masson decision. *Newspaper Research Journal* 2002;23(2-3):79-87.

5. *Ankney RN*. Delineating (and delimiting) the Boundary Spanning Role of the Medical Public Information Officer. *Public Relations Review* 2002;28:229-241.

6. *Ankney RN*. Newspaper Coverage of Medicine: A Survey of Editors and Cardiothoracic Surgeons. *American Medical Writers Association Journal* 2001;16(1):23-32.
7. Lee JO, *Ankney RN*, Moore RA. Transrectal Ultrasonography: A Survey of the Society of Colon and Rectal Surgeons. *Conemaugh Medical Journal* 2000;6:12-15.
8. *Ankney RN*. Miracle in South Africa: A Historical Review of U.S. Magazines' Coverage of the First Heart Transplant. *Ecquid Novi* 1999;19(2):26-38.
9. *Ankney RN*, Vizza J, Coil JA, Kurek S, DeFrehn R, Shomo H. Cofactors of Alcohol-related Trauma at a Rural Trauma Center. *American Journal of Emergency Medicine* 1998;16:228-231.
10. *Ankney RN*, Kurek S, Hughes KM, Miller SL, Coil JA. HIV Infection Among Rural Trauma Patients: A Blind Serosurvey and Literature Review. *American Surgeon* 1998;64:447-449.
11. Lagares-Garcia JA, Kurek S, *Ankney RN*, Miller SL, Hughes KM. Foot Fractures and Associated Injuries in Motor-vehicle Crashes: Do Restraints Offer Protection? *Foot and Ankle Surgery* 1997;3:199-203.
12. *Ankney RN*, Kolff J, Loeffler K. Safety Valve May Reduce Adverse Events during Open-heart Surgery. *Journal of Healthcare Risk Management* 1997;17(2):12-18.
13. *Ankney RN*, Heilman P, Kolff J. Newspaper Coverage of the Coronary Artery Bypass Grafting Report. *Science Communication* 1996;18:153-164.
14. Budayr M, *Ankney RN*, Moore RA. Condyloma Acuminata in Infants and Children: A Survey of Colon and Rectal Surgeons. *Diseases of the Colon and Rectum* 1996;39:1112-1115.
15. Kolff J, *Ankney RN*, Wurzel D, Devineni R. Centrifugal Pump Failures. *Journal of Extra-Corporeal Technology* 1996;28:118-122.
16. Kolff J, *Ankney RN*, Wurzel D, and Devineni R. Centrifugal Pump Safety. *Cardiovascular Engineering* 1996;1(3):1-2.
17. *Ankney RN*, Kolff J, Moore RA. The role of a medical editor in a surgical residency program. *American Medical Writers Association Journal* 1995;10:66-68.
18. McKenzie HJ, Coil JA, *Ankney RN*. Experimental Thoracoabdominal Airgun Wounds in a Porcine Model. *Journal of Trauma* 1995;39:1164-1167.
19. *Ankney RN*, Coil JA, Esper E, Kolff J. Physician understanding of the National Practitioner Data Bank. *Southern Medical Journal* 1995;88:200-203.
20. *Ankney RN* and Coil JA. Residents' knowledge of the National Practitioner Data Bank. *Academic Medicine* 1994;69:243.

Peer-reviewed Panel Presentations

1. *Raymond N. Ankney* and Clay Carey. Challenges and Opportunities for Student Journalists at Religious-affiliated Universities. Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, Chicago, IL, 8/10/2017.
2. *Raymond N. Ankney*, Randy Jesick, Dennis Jones, Andrew Mendelson. Teaching Writing and Basic Journalistic Skills in a Media Convergence Environment.” Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, Boston, MA, 8/5/2009.
3. Edward J. Lordan, V. Cullum Rogers, *Raymond N. Ankney*. The History of Editorial Cartoons in American Newspapers: From Franklin’s Snake to Online Agitation. Presented at the 2007 American Journalism Historians Association, Richmond, VA, 10/11/2007.

Peer-reviewed Conference Presentations

1. John Carvalho and *Raymond N. Ankney*. Haunted by the Babe: Baseball Commissioner Ford Frick’s Newspaper Columns about Babe Ruth. Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, Washington, DC, 8/11/07.
2. *Raymond N. Ankney*. The Viability of the Libel-proof Plaintiff Doctrine Following the Masson Decision: A Two-year Follow-up. Presented at the 2006 Hawaii International Conference on Social Sciences, Honolulu, HI, 6/2/2006.
3. *Raymond N. Ankney*. Cultural Catalysis Theory: A Communication Theory to Supplement Social Capital Theory. Presented at the 2003 Hawaii International Conference on Social Sciences, Honolulu, HI, 6/14/2003.
4. *Raymond N. Ankney*. The Effect of Internet Usage on Social Capital. Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 85th Annual Convention, Communication Technology & Policy Division, Miami Beach, FL, 8/10/2002. ***(Selected as the top faculty paper)***
5. *Raymond N. Ankney* and Deborah A. Procopio. The Effect of Corporate Culture on Minority Hiring and Newspaper Coverage of Affirmative Action. Presented at the International Communication Association, Washington, DC, 5/26/2001.
6. *Raymond N. Ankney* and Deborah A. Procopio. The Effect of Corporate Culture on Minority Hiring and Newspaper Coverage of Affirmative Action. Presented at the Southern Association for Public Opinion Research, Raleigh, NC, 10/6/2000. ***(Honorable mention in the Prothro Student Paper Competition)***
7. *Raymond N. Ankney*. Media Reliance and Science Knowledge: Do People Learn Science Information from the Media the Same Way They Learn Political Information? Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 83rd Annual Convention, Newspaper Division, Phoenix, AZ, 8/10/2000. ***(Selected as the top student paper)***
8. *Raymond N. Ankney*. The Effect of Internet Usage on Social Capital: A Survey and Literature Review. Presented at the 25th Annual Southeast Colloquium of the Association for Education in Journalism and

Mass Communication, Chapel Hill, NC, 3/16-18/99. **(Selected as the open division's second best student paper)**

9. *Raymond N. Ankney*. Media Reliance and Science Knowledge: Do People Learn Science Information from the Media the Same Way They Learn Political Information? Presented at the Southern Association for Public Opinion Research, Raleigh, NC, 10/8/99. **(Honorable mention in the Prothro Student Paper Competition)**

10. *Raymond N. Ankney*. Online Love: Have Chatrooms Changed How People Make Friends and Date People? Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 82nd Annual Convention, Mass Communication and Society Division, New Orleans, LA, 8/7/99.

11. *Raymond N. Ankney*. Coverage of Three Disruptive International Events in U.S. Newspapers. Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 82nd Annual Convention, International Communication Division, New Orleans, LA, 8/7/99.

12. *Raymond N. Ankney*. Media Reliance and Political Knowledge: Have Researchers Underestimated the Effects of Radio and Television News Because of an Operationalization Artifact? Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 82nd Annual Convention, Radio-Television Journalism Division, New Orleans, LA, 8/7/99.

13. *Raymond N. Ankney*. False Hope: A Historical Review of Magazine Coverage of the First Artificial Heart Transplant. Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 82nd Annual Convention, Magazine Division, New Orleans, LA, 8/6/99.

14. *Raymond N. Ankney* and Patricia Curtin. Delineating (and Delimiting) the Boundary Spanning Role of the Medical Public Information Officer. Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 82nd Annual Convention, Public Relations Division, New Orleans, LA, 8/4/99.

15. *Raymond N. Ankney*. The Operationalization of "Political Knowledge" in Communication and Political Science Research. Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 82nd Annual Convention, Comm Theory and Methodology Division, New Orleans, LA, 8/4/99.

16. *Raymond N. Ankney*. The Influence of Online Chatrooms on Interpersonal Communication and Social Interactions. Presented at the International Communication Association, Interpersonal Communication Division, San Francisco, CA, 5/29/99.

17. *Raymond N. Ankney*. False Hope: A Historical Review of Magazine Coverage of the First Artificial Heart Transplant. Presented at the Mid-Year Conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication's Graduate Education Interest Group, University Park, PA, 4/10/99.

18. *Raymond N. Ankney*. The Influence of Online Chatrooms on Interpersonal Communication and Social Interactions. Presented at the Mid-Year Conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication's Graduate Education Interest Group, University Park, PA, 4/10/99. **(Selected as the conference's third best paper)**

19. *Raymond N. Ankney*. Coverage of Three Disruptive International Events in U.S. Newspapers. Presented at the Mid-Year Conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication's Graduate Education Interest Group, University Park, PA, 4/10/99.
20. *Raymond N. Ankney*. Miracle in South Africa: A Historical Review of U.S. Magazines' Coverage of the First Heart Transplant. Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 81st Annual Convention, Magazine Division, Baltimore, MD, 8/8/98.
21. *Raymond N. Ankney*. The Viability of the Libel-proof Plaintiff Doctrine Following the Masson Decision. Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 81st Annual Convention, Law Division, Baltimore, MD, 8/7/98.
22. *Raymond N. Ankney*, Richard A. Moore, and Patricia Heilman. Newspaper Coverage of Medicine: A Survey of Editors and Cardiac Surgeons. Presented at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 81st Annual Convention, Newspaper Division, Baltimore, MD, 8/7/98.
23. *Raymond N. Ankney*. The Viability of the Libel-proof Plaintiff Doctrine Following the Masson Decision. Presented at the Mid-Year Conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication's Graduate Education Interest Group, Athens, OH, 4/18/98.
24. *Raymond N. Ankney*. Media Reliance and Political Knowledge. Presented at the Mid-Year Conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication's Graduate Education Interest Group, Athens, OH, 4/18/98. **(Selected as the conference's third best paper)**
25. *Raymond N. Ankney*, Richard A. Moore, and Patricia Heilman. Newspaper Coverage of Medicine: A Survey of Editors and Cardiac Surgeons. Presented at the Mid-Year Conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication's Graduate Education Interest Group, Athens, OH, 4/18/98.
26. *Raymond N. Ankney*. Miracle in South Africa: A Review of U.S. Magazines' Coverage of the First Heart Transplant. Presented at the Mid-Year Conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication's Graduate Education Interest Group, Athens, OH, 4/18/98.
27. Anthony Firilas, *Raymond N. Ankney*, S. Lee Miller, K. Michael Hughes, and James A. Coil. HIV Infection Among Rural Trauma Patients: A Blind Serosurvey and Literature Review. Presented at the Pennsylvania Committee on Trauma, Hershey, PA, 11/13/96.
28. *Raymond N. Ankney*, Patricia Heilman, Richard A. Moore, and Jacob Kolff. Newspaper Coverage of Medicine: A Survey of Cardiothoracic Surgeons and Editors. Presented at the 1996 Annual Meeting of the Pennsylvania Association for Thoracic Surgery, Farmington, PA, 9/20/96.
29. *Raymond N. Ankney*, Patricia Heilman, and Richard A. Moore. How Accurate Is Newspaper Coverage of Medicine? A Survey of Editors and Physicians. Presented at the 1996 American Medical Writers Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, 9/6/96.
30. Jorge A. Lagares-Garcia, Stanley Kurek, *Raymond N. Ankney*, S. Lee Miller, and K. Michael Hughes. Foot Fractures and Associated Injuries in Motor-vehicle Crashes: Do Restraints Protect? Presented at the International Conference of Pelvic and Lower Extremity Injuries, Washington, DC, 12/5/95.

31. Jacob Kolff and *Raymond N. Ankney*. A New Safety Device for Cardiopulmonary Bypass. Presented at the 10th World Congress of the International Society for Artificial Internal Organs, Taipei, Taiwan, 11/17/95.
32. *Raymond N. Ankney*, Richard A. Moore, and Jacob Kolff. The Role of a Science Writer in a Surgical Residency Program. Presented at the American College of Surgeons' 81st Annual Clinical Congress, New Orleans, LA, 10/22-27/95.
33. Mahdi Budayr, Anthony Firilas, *Raymond N. Ankney*, and Richard A. Moore. Condyloma Acuminata in Infants and Children: A Survey of Colon and Rectal Surgeons. Presented at the American College of Surgeons' 81st Annual Clinical Congress, New Orleans, LA, 10/22-27/95.
34. *Raymond N. Ankney*, Patricia Heilman, and Jacob Kolff. Media Coverage of the Coronary Artery Bypass Grafting Report. Presented at the Pennsylvania Association for Thoracic Surgery, Philadelphia, PA, 9/16/95.
35. James Tretter, Mahdi Budayr, *Raymond N. Ankney*, and Richard A. Moore. A Comparison of General Surgery Training Programs in Community Hospital Centers... Where Do We Stand? Presented at the Richard P. Zimmerman, MD, Memorial Lectureship, Johnstown, PA, 4/27/95.
36. Saami J. Shaibani and *Raymond N. Ankney*. Sources of Error in the Measurement of Vehicle Speed. Presented at the 1995 Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, Seattle, WA, 2/16/95.
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