

Two More Out the Door

A Look at the Departures of Madaris and Lewis

The recent breaking news story about the impending departures of finance instructor Michael Madaris and SAIS Director and MIS professor Stanley Lewis has been verified. The two are heading off, Madaris to William Carey University, and Lewis to Troy University. While we wait for USMNEWS staffers to update the CoB departures (since 2003) list, we have put together an update of the brain drain list that has been building since the CoB's AACSB Peer Review Team left town. In the last installment, we reported on the loss of Stephen and Dana Haggard, assistant professors in finance and management, respectively. These two are headed west, to Missouri State University. With these departures, the number of refereed journal articles that have left the CoB since Feb-07 rose to 90.

An Internet search reveals that Madaris published an article in a 1996 issue of *Managerial Finance*. For a look at Lewis' refereed journal publications list, we consulted his spring 2007 SEDONA vita. That list is presented below, and in a format similar to previous issues on this subject.

Table 1
Stanley Lewis' Refereed Journal Articles

Year	Journal Outlet
2007	
2006	
2005	Journal of Business & Behavioral Sciences
2004	
2003	
2002	
2001	
2000	Communications of the ICISA
1999	
1998	
1997	
1996	
1995	
1994	International Business Schools Computing Quarterly
1993	
1992	Interface: The Computer Education Quarterly The EDP Auditor Journal Computer Fraud and Security
1991	Detroit Business Journal Journal of Real Estate Appraisal & Economics
1990	The Woman CPA Journal of Real Estate Appraisal & Economics
1989	
1988	

1987
 1986
 1985
 1984
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 1982
 1981
 1980
 1979
 1978
 1977
 1976

As Table 1 above indicates, Lewis published 10 refereed journal articles while at USM (i.e., since 1980). With the information on the research of Madaris and Lewis, the previous report's table can be updated. That update is provided below in Table 2.

Table 2
Refereed Journal Articles Lost Since Feb-07

<u>Name</u>	<u>Articles Lost</u>
Babin, Barry	33
Babin, Laurie	11
Lopez, Tara	5
Sawyer, Charles	37
Gregory, Brian	3
Haggard, Dana	0
Haggard, Stephen	1
Madaris, Michael	1
Lewis, Stanley	<u>10</u>
	101

As Table 2 above points out, the CoB has lost 101 refereed journal articles since mid Feb-07. To have surpassed 100 publications lost, shortly after the 10-April-07 meeting to introduce Alvin Williams as the CoB's new Interim Dean – a meeting wherein Williams said that the CoB needed research more than ever before – is not a milestone worth bragging about. Knowing the history of the CoB, it's hard to imagine that this run is over yet.