
Research is Under Way

As we bring the fall semester to a close, we would like to highlight the students who are conducting scholarly research for the 2009 - 2010 academic year:

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Dr. Carolyn Shaw - *Political Science*

Sheila Cubbage

Dr. Rodney Boehme - *Finance*

Jeanette De La Torre

Dr. James Snyder - *Psychology*

Veronica Ealey Pyles

Dr. Orren Dale - *Social Work*

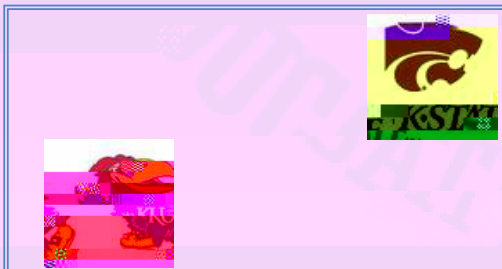
Sara Gomez

Dr. Dorothy Billings - *Anthropology*

Nicole Hill

Dr. Daisy Kabagarama - *Campus Ministry*

Source: <http://www.mindtools.com/stress/Defenses/Rest.htm>



Happy Holidays
from the McNair staff!

Hanukkah ~ **Christmas** ~
Kwanzaa ~ **Eid-Al-Adha**
~ **Happy New Year** ~

Grammatically Speaking

Major Components of a Research Paper



1. Introduction:

Answers...

- *Background:* What is the context of this problem?
- *Rationale:* Why is this research important?
- *Problem Statement:* What is it we don't know?
- *Objectives:* What steps will the research take to try and fill gaps?
- *Scope:* Is the study limited to a special geographical area or to only certain aspects of the situation?

2. Methodology:

Answers...

- How was the data collected or generated?
- How was it analyzed?
- Why was a particular method or procedure chosen?

3. Results:

Includes...

- *Statement of Results:* Results are presented in a format that is accessible to the reader: graphs, tables, diagrams, or written text.
- *Explanatory Text:* All graphs, tables, diagrams and figures should be accompanied by text that guides the reader's attention to significant results. The text simplifies results, and highlights significant trends or relationships.

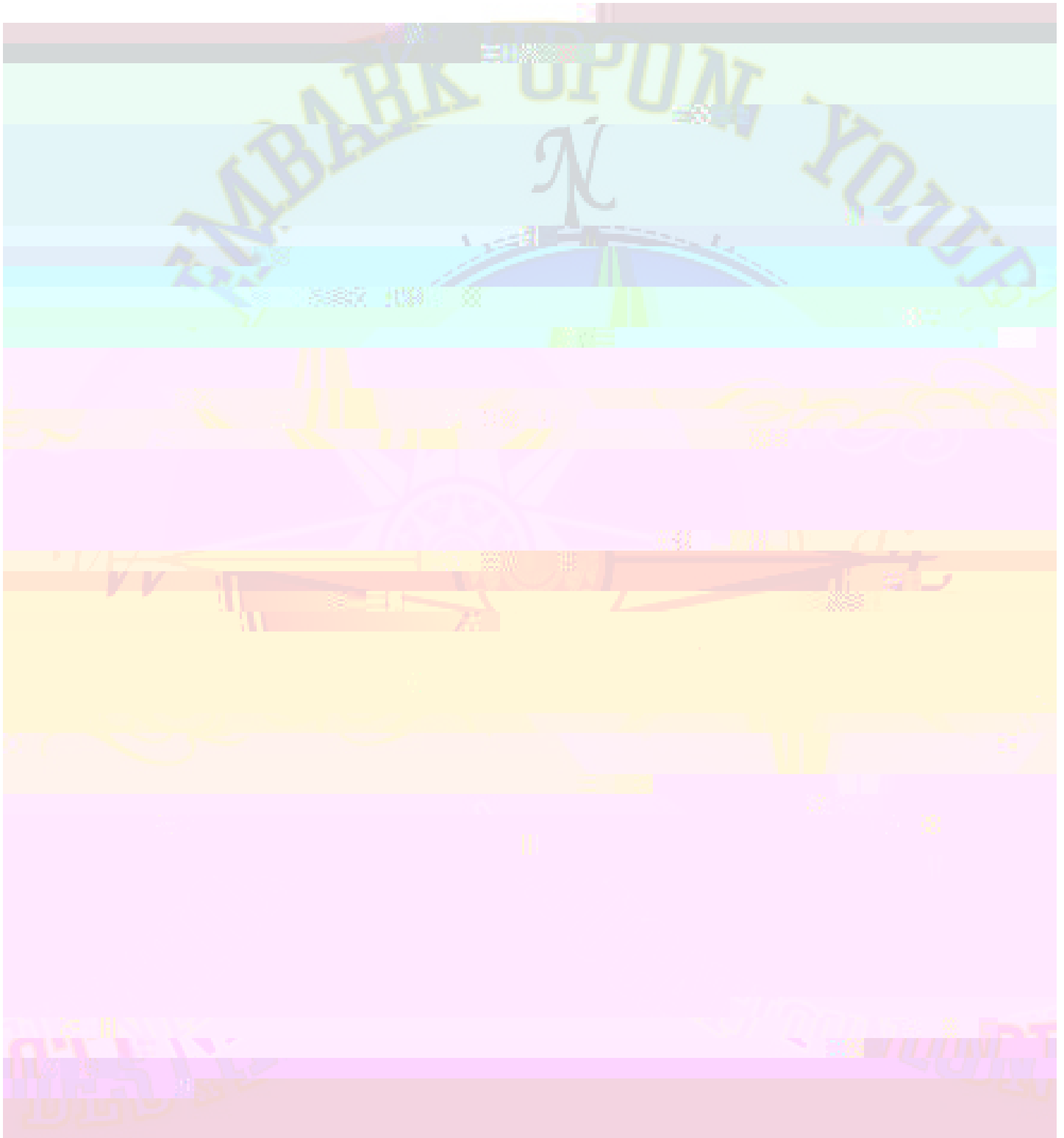
4. Discussion:

Includes...

- *Explanation of Results:* Comments on whether or not the results were expected and presents explanation.

Events to Come

- 4 **Grad Prep & Seminar**
2- 3pm, Devlin Hall, Rm 106
"Closing the Semester"



Someone Like Me?

Kishan Lara, PhD

Education, Arizona State University

Kishan Lara, is the daughter of Walt and Callie Lara of the *Hoopa tribe* and the youngest of seven siblings. She attended **Humboldt State University** at age 16 earning a Bachelor's degree in Native American studies. She earned a master's degree in linguistics at the **University of Arizona** in Tucson, Ariz., and completed her doctorate at **Arizona State University** -- all while working in tribal schools and teaching courses at HSU and Arizona State.

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