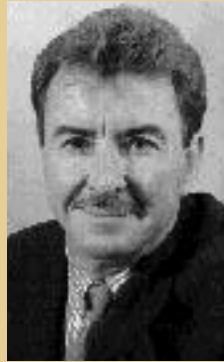


SCHOLARS

Here's a brief glance at just a few of the College of Education's senior scholars whose work has influenced their profession, state and nation.



ROD DISHMAN
*professor,
exercise science*

Dishman is co-director of the Exercise Psychology Laboratory in the College of Education where he advises graduate students studying behavioral and biopsychological aspects of exercise and physical activity.

His research and writing focus on neurobiological aspects of the mental health outcomes associated with physical activity and on behavioral determinants of habitual exercise. He has been invited to speak on his research around the world.

Dishman has authored or co-authored six books: *Essentials of Fitness, Exercise Adherence: Its Impact on Public Health, Advances in Exercise Adherence, Physical Activity for Fitness and Health, Exercise Psychology*, and *Physical Activity Epidemiology*. He has also authored more than three dozen book chapters and written or co-written more than 170 articles in journals dealing with psychology of exercise and sport and has served on the editorial boards for numerous journals in behavioral medicine, psychology, and exercise science.

Since joining the UGA faculty in 1985, Dishman has received more than \$2.3 million in external research grants.

He is a fellow of the American College of Sports Medicine, the American Psychological Association, and the American Academy of Kinesiology and Physical Education. He has served as a consultant on exercise behavior to more than two dozen institutes and various health groups including: the National Institute of Mental Health, the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, the Study Section on Chronic Disease and Epidemiology of the National Institutes of Health, the Sports Medicine Council for the United States Olympic Committee, and the Olympic Prize sub-committee of the Medical Commission of the International Olympic Committee (IOC). He also is one of 22 founding members of the IOC's Olympic Academy of Sport Sciences. He received his PhD from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

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