Guest Speaker

Dr. Scott G. Paris

“Research at Educational Testing Service (ETS): Preparing the next Generation of Assessments for Education and the Workforce”

Wednesday, October 30, 2013 @ 2:00 p.m.
Recital Hall, Performing Arts Center

As Vice President of Research in the Research & Development division of Educational Testing Services, Dr. Scott G. Paris is responsible for the overall leadership and direction of research associated with all ETS testing programs; oversees advanced capability development; and provides strategic, tactical and financial oversight of all functional areas within the Research division including Assessment Innovations, Foundational and Validity Research, English Language Learning and Assessment, Center for Academic and Workforce Readiness and Success, Research Coordination and Support, and Learning, Teaching, and Cognitive Sciences.

Paris earned his bachelor’s degree in psychology from the University of Michigan and a doctorate in developmental psychology from Indiana University. His research has focused on cognitive development, reading, assessment, metacognition, and learning in museums and self-regulated learning. He has published 12 books and written more than 130 book chapters and research articles. In 2008, he received the Oscar Causey research award from the National Reading Conference and the Albert Harris research award from the International Reading Association, and was recognized by the University of Michigan with awards for outstanding undergraduate teaching in 1993, 1995 and 1997.

Paris is a Fellow of the American Psychological Association, the American Psychological Society, the Society for Research in Child Development and the American Educational Research Association. He currently serves on the editorial boards of Educational Psychologist and Cognition and Instruction, and was elected to the International Reading Association’s Reading Hall of Fame in 2009.

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