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Local Math Professor Releases Debut Math Textbook
Christopher H. Dubbs releases Mathematics Education Atlas

Leesport, Pa. – Mathematics professor Christopher H. Dubbs, Ph.D., released his first textbook, *Mathematics Education Atlas: Mapping the Field of Mathematics Education Research*, through Crave Press. The textbook, which examines mathematics research with a humanities approach, is currently available on Amazon, Barnes and Noble, and IndieBound as well as available through Crave Press.

The field of mathematics education appears to be a fixed, solid product; it is, however, a foam, a volatile substance made from many bubbles (foci). In the genealogical tradition of Michel Foucault, Dubbs examines the emergence of mathematics education research, tracing the emergence of foci of study via a citation network analysis of articles from the *Journal for Research in Mathematics Education* and *Educational Studies in Mathematics*. His analysis shows the foci of the field have not been fixed nor is there consensus around so-called *proper* foci today. Thus far, the field limits what we can *say* is mathematics education research, *see* as counting as mathematics education research, *think* as mathematics education, and *do* in the name of mathematics education research. These (non)sensical limits constitute a distribution of the sensible. This book serves as an outline and perturbation of those sensible limits.

Dubbs is an assistant professor in the Department of Mathematics at East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania. His research interests include the philosophy and ethics of mathematics education, issues of equity and diversity in education, and the history of mathematics education. His research methods leverage graph theory and philosophy to map, analyze, and critique the field of mathematics education research. Dubbs is a graduate of Michigan State University where he received a Ph.D. Mathematics Education ('20) and an M.S. Industrial Mathematics ('13). He also received a B.S. Mathematics from Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania ('11). Dubbs is a Pennsylvania native who currently resides in Henryville, Pa., with his husband Edward and their ragdoll cat Jasper.

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