

Telephone interview with Rob Moorman
2/6/08, 11 a.m.
753 Engineering Sciences Building

Interview start time: 10:59 a.m.

Roy Nutter: Explained Jan Boyles' role as recorder. Instructed Moorman that any comments may be made public once investigation concludes.

RN: Can you bring us up to speed with what you know?

Rob Moorman: "I just know what I've read in the papers."

RN: You are listed as teaching a couple of courses. Can you first provide us with a little background?

RM: Sure. Received Ph.D. from Indiana University-Bloomington in 1990. Came to WVU in Fall 1990. Left WVU in 1999. Started as visiting professor at Creighton. Hired as tenure-track faculty in 2000. Now full professor in the Robert Dougherty Chair in Management. Serves as Associate Dean for graduate programs.

RN: [Refers to BUE 4]. Did you teach [redacted] - [redacted] - for [redacted] [redacted]? Also, there's a second course in Fall 1997 - [redacted] - for [redacted]. Do you have records to help us determine if she was in the class?

RM: "I looked and I have no paper records." Kept grades on computer files - Excel spreadsheets. Doesn't have any records from the [redacted] credit course. Searched for Heather Kirby and Heather Bresch on the computer. Found nothing.

RN: So you have no records from these semesters?

RM: Nothing from 1997. Did find another cohort - BBLM (Beckley, Bluefield, Lewisburg, Morgantown). But not Bresch's cohort.

Michael Lastinger: Actually, Moorman taught three courses. There's another class that he instructed in Fall 1996 - [redacted]. [Refers to BUE 4]. Do you have any documentation on how this credit could have been accomplished?

RM: Will look again for 491s. Doesn't have any memory. Will contact Jan with results.

RN: Every class is listed as 491. Had Bresch for three semesters straight. Asks Moorman to contact Jan with results of searching for records.

ML: Student went by three different names - Manchin, Kirby, Bresch.

RM: "I would have remembered if she went by the name Manchin."

Interview ending time: 11:07 a.m.