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Lorenz named to WCPG Board of Directors

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(Green Bay, WI) – The Board of Directors of the Wisconsin Council on Problem Gambling (WCPG) is pleased to welcome Dennis Lorenz to the board that guides the statewide, nonprofit organization.

“Dr. Lorenz will be a valuable asset as the WCPG moves forward with its commitment to providing resources, education and building public awareness of problem gambling,” said Rose Gruber, WCPG Executive Director. “He will undoubtedly bring strong, articulate leadership to our board with his experience and expertise.”

Lorenz is an Associate Professor of Psychology at the University of Wisconsin-Green Bay and has more than 30 years of teaching experience. For the last eight years he has directed his research toward understanding the gambling perceptions of college students.

“I am delighted to be appointed to the board of directors of the Wisconsin Council on Problem Gambling,” Lorenz said. “This is an exciting opportunity to be a part of guiding an organization that’s involved in such important work throughout Wisconsin.”

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The Wisconsin Council on Problem Gambling is funded by a public awareness grant from the State of Wisconsin and additional funding from donors, including Wisconsin Native American Tribes. The Council operates a 24-hour Helpline at 1-800-GAMBLE-5, distributes informational brochures, organizes an annual statewide conference, makes presentations on problem gambling and conducts training sessions for treatment providers interested in the special requirements for working with compulsive gamblers and their families. For more information, visit www.wi-problemgamblers.org. Become a fan of WCPG’s Facebook Fan Page, search for “Wisconsin Council on Problem Gambling” when logged into Facebook.

If you or someone you know has a gambling problem, call the Wisconsin Council on Problem Gambling Helpline at 1-800-GAMBLE-5 for confidential help.

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