



Frostburg State University **2007** Professional Achievements

This booklet highlights the many professional achievements during the past year of Frostburg State University's diverse and talented faculty and staff. As you will see in the following pages, Frostburg's faculty members and professional staff contribute to their fields by producing original research, creative works and performances, and scholarship in teaching and learning. Faculty and staff also engage in widespread service to their fields and in the community. These professional activities enhance performance in the classroom and bolster the University's role in supporting regional, cultural, and economic development activities. Please join me in celebrating the professional achievements of members of the Frostburg State University Community and thanking them for their efforts.

Dr. Stephen J. Simpson, Provost
Frostburg State University

The professional achievements listed are those reported by faculty and staff in response to surveys distributed during the spring of 2007 or in the *StateLines* campus publication during the 2006-2007 academic year. They encompass achievements during the period from June 1, 2006 to May 30, 2007. There may have been notable achievements that were unreported and thus unlisted.

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Messages from the Deans

College of Business

Greetings! As I write this, I have served over four years as Dean of the College of Business at Frostburg State University. It has been one of the most gratifying times of my more than 30 years in higher education.

When I arrived, I found an excellent College of Business with a good faculty, good students and good courses. The College was seeking accreditation by AACSB International, which awards accreditation to business schools that meet specified standards. Essentially, it is an external validation of quality.

I am happy to report that the goal has been achieved – the college received initial accreditation from AACSB International. Only about one-third of the business programs in the US are accredited! This honor is a tribute to the quality of the faculty and students of FSU.

The faculty made many changes to achieve accreditation. And, the faculty are not “resting on their laurels.” They are continuously addressing the question, “What can we do now to make the college better and deliver a better education to students?”

The future is bright! I am delighted to be associated with FSU and the College of Business. And, if I still had college-aged children, I would be delighted for them to attend this University.



Dr. Danny Arnold
Dean of the College of Business

College of Education

I am pleased to report that the College of Education has achieved reaccreditation by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education and the Maryland State Department of Education, a task that has dominated our time and energy this last year. All programs in Education must meet newly established standards that emphasize assessment and impact on student learning. Previous accreditations only looked at outcomes and not the assessment of those outcomes. This new process more clearly focuses on evidence.

In all of these efforts, the quality and credibility of programs in the College of Education are enriched.

Frostburg State University continues to provide leadership in increasing and disseminating knowledge about Professional Development Schools (PDSs), technology and instructional leadership. Faculty members play prominent roles in the PDS Network, provide leadership to the Preparing Tomorrow's Teachers for Technology Consortium and assist in reframing the work of the principal.

The Children's Literature Centre held its 25th Annual, Silver Anniversary, Spring Festival of Children's Literature. The Centre continues to be a dynamic force in the region, providing students with the opportunity to learn and gain a passion for reading.

Faculty members are actively involved in helping the school districts meet the demands of the federal No Child Left Behind legislation. Middle school and special education teachers will receive the necessary courses to become highly qualified. Faculty members are working with colleagues at Coppin State University in this endeavor. In addition, the College has provided support to the Allegany Acceleration and Enrichment Program.

Dr. Kenneth D. Witmer Jr.
Dean of the College of Education



College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

One of the critical core values of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences is “a high standard of excellence in teaching, service, research, and other professional endeavors.” During the last year, our faculty have demonstrated extraordinary achievements, as evidenced by the number and quality of faculty publications, presentations, performances, reviews and exhibits, as well as the many hours faculty have spent in academic, community, and professional service. And this impressive list only touches on the contributions, many unreported, made by our faculty. Confirmation of the quality of this work is provided by the number of awards, funded grants, honors, and other distinctions bestowed upon the faculty.

Especially in times of budgetary constraints, it is important to develop partnerships and collaborations with community businesses. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences is working with the university to develop relationships with the Maryland Department of Business and Economic Development (DBED), Technology Development Corporation (TEDCO), and the Small Business Innovative Research Program to enhance the prospects for economic development within the region. The groundbreaking for the first building at ABC@FSU was held this spring. An anchor tenant was identified, and construction began in February. These alliances will bring not only additional financial resources to the area, but also opportunities for student internships and jobs for our graduates.

One of the many exciting events hosted by the college this year was the initiation of two alumni recognition awards. Five alumni were honored with Who's FSU Awards. In addition, three alumni, Barry Phillips, John Pipino, and Krista McGowan, were honored with the prestigious Alumni Circle of Excellence Award. A recognition event to celebrate their achievements was held on March 29 and 30. A highlight of this event was their interactions with students and sharing of tips for success in the “real world.”

Other highlights this year included hosting the Sixth International Carnivorous Plant Society Conference, the Ethnobotany Symposium on Ginseng, the Baseball Forever Conference, the Appalachian Festival, and the opening of the Compton Exploratorium with tours conducted for approximately 1,000 guests. Another achievement was the success demonstrated by CLAS faculty in obtaining external grant funding. Over 17 grant awards, totaling \$660,000, were received in fiscal year 2007. Additional college program accomplishments can be viewed on our Web site: www.frostburg.edu/colleges/clas/index.htm.

The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences will continue to place the highest priority on lifelong learning and professional development for faculty, as stated in our college's Strategic Plan. For it is through example that faculty will instill this same commitment to lifelong learning in our students.

Dr. Joseph M. Hoffman
Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

Faculty Achievement Awards, 2007

Academic Accomplishment

Dr. Joan DeVee Dixon

Department of Music



When Dr. Dixon arrived at FSU, she was a nationally known pianist. Today, most of her international programs are on the pipe organ. Her transformation from piano to the pipe organ has entailed years of practice and dedication. Her organ recordings include three volumes of "The Psalms of Emma Lou Diemer," "Psalms: The Lord's My Shepherd," "Psalms II: I Lift My Eyes to the Hills" and "Raise the Roof." Her piano recordings include "Something Old, Something New" and sacred favorites in "Jubilee" and "Spirituals" by Diemer, and "Christmas" by Dixon. Dr. Dixon has performed at major venues for sacred music

throughout the world. She shares her expertise with students through her teaching in performance studies as well as in music management classes. Her contributions—both her teaching and performances—have brought international recognition to FSU.

Academic Accomplishment

Dr. George W. White

Department of Geography

Dr. White, Associate Professor of Geography, focuses his teaching and research specifically on political geography, with emphasis on the complex and nuanced attributes of national identity. His work on the nations of Eastern Europe influences the debate on the role of territory in intergroup relations. He regularly presents papers at national and international conferences. His publications include "Contemporary World Regional Geography: Global Connections, Local Voices"; "Nation, State, and Territory, Vol. 1: Origins, Evolutions, and Developments" and "Multi-

Ethnicity and Islamic Identity in Muslim Countries" in "Teaching about the Islamic World." Dr. White has emerged as an important figure in academic geography circles. As chair of the Department of Geography, he ceaselessly promotes the department and FSU at the local, national and international levels.



Faculty Achievement Awards, 2007

University and Community Service

Dr. Amit J. Shah

Department of Management

Dr. Shah gives back to his students, FSU, the community and his profession at all levels. He has served as Director of The Center for Community Partnerships, Director of External Relations for the College of Business, Chair of the Economic Development and Community Outreach Committee and Associate Chair for the Department of Business Administration. He also has served on the Cultural Events and International Studies Steering Committees, assisted University marketing efforts and has been the adviser of the award-winning student chapter of the Society for the Advancement of Management since 1990. In the community he has worked with the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, the Allegany County Chamber of Commerce, Leadership Allegany! and the Frostburg Business and Professional Association. Dr. Shah's outreach activities have built positive connections that enhance the University and the region.



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Books

- Dr. William L. Anderson**, Economics
Introduction to Austrian Economics, Ludwig von Mises Institute, forthcoming.
- Brad Barkley**, English
Dream Factory, Dutton Books, May 2007.
Scrambled Eggs at Midnight, Dutton Books, May 2006.
- Dr. Megan E. Bradley**, Psychology
Student Study Guide for Use with Child Development, Version 11, Boston: McGraw-Hill, 2006.
- Dr. Joan DeVee Dixon**, Music and Performing Arts
Raise the Roof! CD, Dixon-Broyles Productions, with Zimbel Press, New York, 2006, (released January 2007).
- Dr. Ellen Grolman**, Music
Joan Tower: The Comprehensive Bio-Bibliography, Scarecrow Press, June 2007.
- Dr. Barbara Hurd**, English
Walking the Wrack Line: On Tidal Shifts and What Remains, University of Georgia Press, forthcoming, March 2008.
- Gerry LaFemina**, English
Figures from The Big Time Circus Book/The Book of Clown Baby, Mayapple Press, May 2007.
- Dr. Robert Moore III**, Sociology
They Always Said I Would Marry a White Girl: Coming to Grips with Race in America, Hamilton Books, May 2007.
- Dr. David Morton**, Biology
Laboratory Manual for General Biology, with J.W. Perry and J.B. Perry, Wadsworth Inc., 2007.
Essential Laboratory Exercises for General Biology, with J.W. Perry and J.B. Perry, Wadsworth Inc., 2007.
Instructors Manual for Laboratory Manual for General Biology, with K. W Mbutia, J. W. Perry and J. B. Perry, Wadsworth Inc., 2007.
- Dr. Oguz Soysal**, Physics and Engineering
Electric Energy Systems, Vol. 2: Short Circuit Analysis (Turkish), with Neriman Serifoglu, Papatya Yayincilik, Istanbul, Turkey, October 2006.
- Dr. Ahmad Tootoonchi**, Management, and **Dr. Danny Arnold**, College of Business
101 Leadership Tips, Pearson Prentice-Hall, 2007.
- Dr. George W. White**, Geography
Contemporary World Regional Geography: Global Connections, Local Voices, with Michael Bradshaw, Joseph Dymond and Elizabeth Chacko, 2nd ed. Dubuque, Iowa, McGraw-Hill, 2007.

Books Edited

Katherine E. Jenkins, Library, and Dr. Judith J. Pula, English

A Ten-Year Archive of the Garrett County, Maryland, Alpha Alpha Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International: May 1994-May 2004, Alpha Alpha Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International, Oakland, Md., 2007.

Gerry LaFemina, English

Evensong: Contemporary American Poets on Spirituality, co-edited with Chad Prevost, Bottom Dog Press, July 2006.

Tom Mappes, Philosophy

Social Ethics, with co-editor Jane A. Zembaty, 7th Edition, McGraw-Hill 2007.

Dr. Robert Moore III, Sociology

African American and Whites: Changing Relationships on College Campuses, University Press of America, Fall 2006.



Shorter Publications

Articles, Excerpts

Dr. Katherine Almquist, Foreign Language and Literature

"Montaigne at la politique du Parlement de Bordeaux" in *Montaigne Politique: Actes du colloque international tenu a University of Chicago* (Paris), les 29 et 30 avril 2005, pp. 129-138, ed. Philippe Desan, Paris: Honore Champion, 2006.

Dr. Frank A. Ammer, Biology

"Comparison of Two Double-Observer Point Count Methods for Estimating Breeding Bird Abundance," with G. M. Forcey, J.T. Anderson and R.C. Whitmore, *Journal of Wildlife Management* 70:1674-1681, 2006.

Dr. Frank K. Ammer, Biology

"Gender Identification of Grasshopper Sparrows Comparing Behavioral, Morphological, and Molecular Techniques," with Petra Bohall Wood and Roger J. McPherson, accepted for publication in *The Wilson Journal of Ornithology*, 2007.

Dr. William L. Anderson, Economics, **Dr. Amit Shah**, **Dr. Thomas Hawk**

and **Dr. Jaquelynne McLellan**, Management

"Economic Calculation and Managerial Decisions: A Misesian Examination of the Successes and Failures of Total Quality Management," *Coastal Business Review*, forthcoming.

"Economic Calculation and Managerial Decisions" A Misesian Examination of the Successes and Failures of Total Quality Management," *Carolina Business Journal*, May 2007.

Dr. Rahim Ashkeboussi, Marketing and Finance

"Evaluation of International Joint Venture Agreements: Real Options in Practice," with C. Juan and F. Olmos, *International Journal of Business*, Vol. 12, No. 2, Spring 2007.

"Compensation Options in Joint Ventures. A Real Options Approach," with C. Juan and F. Olmos, *The Engineering Economist*, Vol. 52, Issue 1, 2007.

Dr. Yan Bao, Accounting

"Trends of Increasing Earnings: An Examination of the Earnings Response Coefficients," with Chuo-Hsuan Lee and Chris Luchs, *International Journal of Business and Economics Perspectives*, Vol. 1, No. 2, 2006.

Dr. Ronald E. Barry, Biology

"Seasonal Home Range and Daily Movements of the Appalachian Cottontail (*Sylvilagus obscurus*) at Dolly Sods, West Virginia," with K.A Boyce, *Northeastern Naturalist* 14 (1): 99-110. March 2007.

Dr. D. Alan Bensley, Psychology

"Why Great Thinkers Sometimes Fail to Think Critically," *Skeptical Inquirer* 30, 47-52, 2006.

Dr. Diane C. Blankenship, Recreation and Parks Management

"Creating a Once in a Lifetime Experience," *National Recreation and Park Association*, January 2007.

Dr. Sally A. Boniece, History

"Maria Spiridonova," *Oxford Encyclopedia of Women in World History*, 2007.

Dr. Nicholas H. Clulee, History

"John Dee's Natural Philosophy Revisited," Stephen Clucas, ed., *John Dee: Interdisciplinary Studies in English Renaissance Thought*, International Archives of the History of Ideas 193, 23-37, Dordrecht: Springer, 2006.

Dr. Thomas F. Hawk and Dr. Amit Shah, Management

"Using Learning Style Instruments to Enhance Student Learning," *Decision Sciences Journal of Innovative Education*, January 2007.

M. Eileen Higgins, Management

"Workplace Stress: Etiology and Consequences," *Journal of Workplace Behavior Health*, Vol. 1(2), pp.89-97, 2006.

Dr. Barbara Hurd, English

"Impurities," (reprint) *Conservation in Practice*, July-September 2006.

"Fine Distinctions," *Fourth Genre*, fall 2006.

"Wentletrap," *Orion*, September/October 2006.

"Wordwrack," *Brevity*, May/summer 2007.

Dr. Robert B. Kauffman, Recreation and Parks Management

"River Kayaking Wallchart," *American Canoe Association*, Newington, Va.

"Coastal Kayaking Wallchart," *American Canoe Association*, Newington, Va..

"Decide to Return -- Final Cut," (11-minute video), project manager and co-wrote script, *The American Canoe Association*, November 2006.

"The Accident Process -- Decide to Return," brochure and PowerPoint distributed as part of the video, *American Canoe Association*, February 2007.

"Chapter 6: Building Your Canoeing Basics," edited by the *American Canoe Association*, primary author of Chapter 6, forthcoming, Human Kinetics, Champaign, Ill.

"Chapter 8: Overnight Camping Skills Outdoor Adventures: Canoeing," edited by the *American Canoe Association*, primary author of Chapter 8, forthcoming, Human Kinetics, Champaign, Ill.

Gerry LaFemina, English

"A Kind of Holiness," *Shenandoah* 57,1: 112-113, Spring 2007.

"Poem with the Morning Sun Reflected in Freshly Shined Shoes" (reprint) and "The Silence that Follows," *McSweeney's* 22, book 3: 190-194 .

"Maybe in Syncopated Time," *Asheville Poetry Review* 13,1:138-139, 2006.

"Although I've Stopped Believing in Miracles" and "The Hawk and its Shadow," 5 AM 25: 30-31.

"St. Sparrow," *Ratapallax* 13: 96.

"Poem Found Among the Scraps of a Lower East Side Gutter," *Pleiades* 26,2: 110-111.

"The Baptism of Clown Baby" and "Figure 9: Animal Suits Worn by Individual Performers," *Passages North* 28. 1: 103-104, Winter/Spring 2007.

"Women & Birds" and "Pay No Attention to the Baby with the Cup in its Hands," *Sentence* 4: 73-74.

- "The Hare," *Mid-American Review* 27,1: 47, Fall 2006.
- "Figure 12: Horses" and "Vaudeville Family Therapy," *Gargoyle* 51: 73-74.
- "Prom," *ABZ* 1: 22, 2006.
- "Tracking the Past," *True North Spring*: 64-65, 2007.
- "Fields of Inquiry: Poetic Composition, Revision and Transcendence," *Text, the Journal of the Australian Association of Writing Programs*, 10,2, October 2006. (www.gu.edu.au/school/art/text/)

Sonya A. Lawyer, Visual Arts

Artwork Review, "NW#10 Honorable Mention Artists," Alison Devine Nordstrom, *Nueva Luz Photographic Journal*, 11:3, 35, 2007.

Dr. Hongqi Li, Biology

"An Early Infructescence *Hyrantha Decussata* (comb. nov.) from the Yixian Formation in Northeastern China," with Qiang Ji, Ge Sun and David Dilcher, *PNAS*, May 22, 2007. (<http://www.pnas.org/cgi/content/abstract/0703497104v1>)

Dr. John Lombardi, Mass Communication

"Virtual and Augmented Reality in Communication Technology Update," Book Chapter, 10th Edition, July 2006.

Dr. Martha Mattare and Dr. Ahmad Tootoonchi, Management

"Building the Virtual Learning Community: A Model for Success," *Global Digital Journal*, June 2007.

Dr. Michael Monahan, Management

"Molson Coors Brewing Company," *2007 David: Strategic Management: Text and Cases*, 11th edition.

"An Exploration of the Relationship between the Type of Strategy and the Type of Environmental Scanning Activity: A Cross Cultural Study," *Journal Business Management and Change*, August 2006.

Dr. Michael Monahan and Dr. Shakil M. Rahman, Management

"Who Says Decision Making is Rational: Implications for Responding to A Foreseeable Disaster," *Journal of International Business Disciplines*, August 2006.

Dr. Shakil M. Rahman, Management

"Global Leadership Mentality: A Major Contributing Factor to Success in Global Competition," *Journal of Business and Behavioral Sciences*, Vol. 14, No. 1, Fall 2006.

Natalia M. Ramirez, Foreign Language and Literature

"La vigencia simbolica de la Virgen de Guadalupe en diferentes manifestaciones textuales y culturales: imaginarios edificados en el papel simbolico de la mujer en Mexico," in *Tatuana*, online Review of the University of Alabama, Spring 2007.

"Lapida para Montserrat," in *Sin Frontera, Revista Academica y Literaria* 1.2-07, RLL University of Florida, 2007.

Becca Ramspott, News and Media Services

Short essays discussing work by six contemporary artists, *Phantasmia*, Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art, Kansas City, Mo., June -August 2007.

"'Newcomer' show highlights spectrum of talent, ability, in the Queen City,"

Cumberland Times-News, November 2006.

"Will's Creek Survey: Juried exhibit offers glimpses into art world's many mindscapes," *Cumberland Times-News*, September 2006.

"Flights of Fancy," *Allegheny Magazine*, April 2007.

Richard A. Repac, Michael E. Sheetz and Tina S. Nightingale, Administration and Finance

National Association of College and University Business Offices (NACUBO) *Student Centered Financial Services*, Chapter 6.

Dr. James C. Saku, Geography

"The State of Maryland," *World Book Online* (www.worldbookonline.com), January 2007.

"Comparative Analysis of the Alaskan Native Claim Settlement Act and the Inuvialuit Final Agreement," *Australasian Canadian Studies*, 24:1, 105-125, October 2006.

"Understanding the Population Dynamics of Aboriginal Canadians," *Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of Pennsylvania Geographical Society*, Vol. XIII, August 2006.

Dr. Thomas Serfass, Biology

"*Lontra Canadensis*," chapter in *Terrestrial Species of Concern in Pennsylvania: a Guide for Research, Conservation, and Management*, M. Steele, J. Merritt, M. Brittingham and Maret, editors, accepted.

"Martes Pennanti," with M. Dzialak, chapter in *Terrestrial Species of Concern in Pennsylvania: a Guide for Research, Conservation, and Management*, M. Steele, J. Merritt, M. Brittingham and Maret, editors, accepted.

"Survival and Post-Release Movements of River Otters Translocated to Western New York," with R.M. Spinola and R. P. Brooks, *The Northeastern Naturalist*, accepted.

Kathie J. Shaffer, Accounting

"Modeling Housing Start: A Managerial Planning Tool," *International Journal of Business and Economics Perspectives (IJBEP)*, Vol. 1, No. 2, 2006.

Dr. Amit J. Shah, Management

"Enhancing Organizational Competitiveness: Causes and Effects of Stress on Women," co-author, *Journal of Workplace Behavioral Health*, Vol. 21, No. 2, July 2006.

"Using Learning Style Instruments to Enhance Student Learning," co-author, *Decision Sciences Journal of Innovative Education*, January 2007.

"Mentoring Programs and Jobs: A Contingency Approach, Review of Business," co-author, accepted for publication.

Dr. Sally Stephenson, Educational Professions

"A Drug Evaluation Curriculum with Drama as its Base: The Target Project," with R. Iannone, *College Student Journal* 40(3), 631-640, peer-reviewed, September 2006.

Dr. Kasif Teker, Physics and Engineering

"Biomolecular Tuning of Electronic Transport Properties of Carbon Nanotubes via Antibody Functionalization," with B. Panchapakesan and Eric Wickstrom, *IEEE Sensors Journal*, Vol. 6, Issue 6, December 2006.

Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas, Sociology

"Between Scylla and Charybdis: Charting the Course for a Folklore Hybrid," *Middle Atlantic Folklife Forum*, March 2007.

Jamey Tobery-Nystrom, Educational Professions

"We Are All Teachers: Creating Reflective Practice for PreK-16 and Graduate Studies Through Professional Development Schools," *School-University Partnerships*, Vol 1, No. 1, Spring 2007.

Dr. Ahmad Tootoonchi, Management

"Does a Company's Commitment to Entrepreneurship Make any Difference? Evidence from Two Countries," co-author, *Journal of Global Information Technology*, Vol. 1, No. 1, June 2006.

"Teams and Teamwork in an Era of Digital Business," co-author, *Journal of Global Information Technology*, Vol. 1, No. 1, June 2006.

"Global Leadership Mentality: A Major Contributing Factor to Success in Global Competition," co-author, *Journal of Business and Behavioral Sciences*, Vol. 14, No. 1, Fall 2006.

"Managing the Barriers to Strategic Flexibility," co-author, *Competition Forum*, Vol. 4, No. 1, 2006.

"Building the Virtual Learning Community: A Model for Success," published in the *Proceedings of the Global Digital Business Association Conference*, Las Vegas, Nev., October 2006.

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"The Impact of Human Resource Flexibility on the Firm Financial Performance: an Exploratory Study," published in the *Proceedings of the 2007 New England Business Administration Association Conference*, Stamford, Conn., May 2007.

Dave Treber, Conferences and Events

"Educators Talking About More Students Taking Classes On-Line," *ACCED-Eye*, September 2006.

"The Uninvited Guest," *Campus Events Professional*, November 2006.

"Turning a Problem into a Thank-You," *Campus Events Professional*, December 2006.

"The Art of the Tour," *Campus Events Professional*, January 2007.

"Conference Director or Circus Ringleader?" *Campus Events Professional*, February 2007.

"Campus Gyms and Residence Halls Lure Students with Luxury Perks," *ACCED-Eye*, March 2007.

"Doing Things His Way," *Campus Events Professional*, March 2007.

Dr. Daniel Welsch, Geography

"Simulation of Future Stream Alkalinity Under Changing Deposition and Climate Scenarios," with B.J. Cosby and G.M. Hornberger, *Science of the Total Environment*, 367(3) 800-810, doi:10.1016/j.scitotenv.2006.01.019, 2006.

Dr. George W. White, Geography

Kiel Canal, *World Book Encyclopedia*, s.v., p. 313, 2007.

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Pamela S. Williams, Lewis J. Ort User Services

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Scott Brill, Philosophy

"Does It Matter That Nothing We Do Will Matter in a Million Years?" *Dialogue*, Vol. 46, No. 1, 2007.

Book Reviews

Dr. Nicholas H. Clulee, History

Medicine and Magic in Elizabethan London. Simon Forman: Astrologer, Alchemist, and Physician, by Lauren Kassell (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2005), in *Renaissance Quarterly* 59:606-608, 2006.

Distilling Knowledge: Alchemy, Chemistry and the Scientific Revolution, by Bruce T. Moran (New Histories of Science, Technology, and Medicine.) Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 2005; in *Isis*, forthcoming .

Atoms and Alchemy. Chymistry and the Experimental Origins of the Scientific Revolution, by William R. Newman, Chicago and London: The University of Chicago Press, 2006; in *Renaissance Quarterly*, forthcoming.

Dr. Robert B. Kauffman, Recreation and Parks Management

"Lessons Learned II: Using Case Studies and History to Improve Safety Education," in *Journal of Experimental Education*, Vol. 29, No. 1, August 2006.

Jeff Maehre, Library

Necessary Lies, by Kerry Neville Bakker, *Pleiades*, September 2007.

MaryJo A. Price, Library-Special Collections

Workin' on the Railroad: Reminiscences from the Age of Steam, by Richard Reinhard, published in 2003, c1970, Review accepted by *Material Culture*, anticipated 2008 or early 2009.

Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas, Sociology

Staging Tradition: John Lair and Sarah Gertrude Knott, by Michael Ann Williams, *Journal of Folklore Research*, "Book Notes," March 2007.

Dr. Joyce E. Wheaton, Educational Professions

How to Reach and Teach All Children Through Balanced Literacy (Grades 3-8), by S. Rief and J. Heimburge, Jossey-Bass Publishers, a Wiley imprint, forthcoming.

George W. White, Geography

"Multi Ethnicity and Islamic Identity in Muslim Countries," *Teaching About the Islamic World*, National Council of Geographic Education (NCGE), 2006.

Presentations

Dr. Frank A. Ammer, Biology

"Gender Determination of Grasshopper Sparrows Comparing Behavioral, Morphological, and Molecular Techniques," 61st Annual Maryland Ornithological Society, Rocky Gap Lodge, Allegany County, Md., June 2006.

"The Ecology of Grasshopper Sparrows on Reclaimed Coal Mines in West Virginia," invited presentation for the D.C. Science Writers Association, Frostburg State University, summer 2006.

Dr. William L. Anderson, Economics

"Economic Calculation and the Courts: A Theory of Hoaxes," Austrian Scholars Conference, Auburn, Ala., March 2006.

Dr. Rahim Ashkeboussi, Marketing and Finance

"Valuation of Termination Clauses in Joint Ventures and Strategic Alliances: A Real Options Approach," with C. Jaun and F. Olmos, Real Options: Theory Meets Practice, 10th Annual International Conference, New York, N.Y., June 2006.

Dr. Yan Bao, Accounting

"Using an Online Homework System in Financial Accounting Courses," with Chuo-Hsuan Lee, Effective Learning Strategies Forum, American Accounting Association Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., August 2006.

Dr. Yan Bao and Sharon L. Robinson, Accounting

"Using Learning Journals in Introductory Accounting Courses," Southeastern Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences Annual Conference, Myrtle Beach, S.C., October 2006.

Brad Barkley, English

Panel, Texas Book Festival, October, 2006.

Visiting Writer, Lovette School, February, 2007.

Panel, Bluegrass Festival of Books, March, 2007.

Dr. Ronald E. Barry, Biology

"Responses of Small Forest-Floor Mammals to Invasion by Japanese Stilt Grass (*Microstegium vimineum*) in Colonial National Historical Park, Virginia," with H.P. Warchalowski, poster presentation at 86th annual meeting of the American Society of Mammalogists, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Mass., June 2006.

Dr. D. Alan Bensley, Psychology

"Reported OBE Occurrence: Be Careful How You Ask," with B. Blachfield, J. Hierstetter and V. Rowan, poster presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association, Philadelphia, Pa., March 2007.

"Testing a Method for Teaching Students to Distinguish Pseudoscience from Science," with D. Crowe and R. Peterson, poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Psychological Science, Washington, D.C., May 2007.

"A Factor Analytic Study of the Inventory of Thinking Dispositions in Psychology," with V. Rowan, a poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Psychological Science, Washington, D.C., May 2007.

"Direct Infusion Versus Traditional Instruction of Critical Thinking Skills," with K. Biggs and D. Crowe, a poster presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association, Philadelphia, Pa., March 2007.

"Relationships Between Dissociation, Absorption, Self Consciousness and Unusual Experiences," with A. Mahdavi, V. Rowan and J. Hierstetter, a poster presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association, Philadelphia, Pa., March 2007.

"Effects of Rational Versus Intuitive Decision Strategies on Career Decision Making," with D. Raver and J.M. Stark, a poster presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association, Philadelphia, Pa., March 2007.

"Cognitive Style and Interest in Psychology: How are they Related?" with V. Rowan, a poster presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association, Philadelphia, Pa., March 2007.

Dr. William S. Bingman, Education

West Virginia Reading Association Conference, December 2006.

Mineral County In-service, June 2006.

Somerset County In-service, October 2006.

Grant County Staff Development Facilitator, August –February, 2006.

Dr. Sally A. Boniece, History

"On the Margins of the Early Soviet Republic: Maria Spiridonova, Revolutionary Terrorist, in the 1920s," paper presented as part of a panel titled "People on the Margins of Revolutionary Society, 1905-1930," 45th annual Southern Conference on Slavic Studies, Montgomery, Ala., March 2007.

Dr. Thomas L. Bowling, Student and Educational Services

Plenary speaker, "Early Planning: The Campus Environment and the Self-Study Design," Middle States Self-Study Institute, Philadelphia, Pa., October 2006.

"Helping First-Year Students Find the Open Road," Students in Transition Conference, St. Louis, Mo., November 2006.

Dr. Megan E. Bradley, Psychology

"Go Deep: Promoting a Deep Approach to Learning Through Rubric Development," with K. Keifer and J. Hayes, poster presented at the meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association, Philadelphia, Pa., 2007.

Dr. Amy Branam, English

"*Politian's* Significance for Early American Drama," 122nd Modern Language Association Convention for the panel on Poe and Drama, Philadelphia, Pa., December 30, 2006.

"From the Dialectic of Sex to the Erasure of Culture: Firestone's Vision Today," for the Women's Caucus-sponsored panel titled "Legacies of the Second Wave," Northeast Modern Language Association Convention, Baltimore, March 3, 2007.

Dr. Yun Chu, Marketing

"The Indicators of Successful Small Business: Case on Small Business in the USA," with Karen Starkey, Andrew Pabst and Daniel Soresi, 16th ACME Annual Meeting, Honolulu, Hawaii, July 2006.

- Dr. Nicholas H. Clulee**, History
"Alchemy and the Development of Science," Western Maryland Chapter of the American Chemical Society Annual Awards Banquet, May 2006.
- Dr. Mikal Crawford**, Education Professions and School Counseling
"Women, Power and Privilege: Navigating the Maze," North Atlantic Region for Counselor Education & Supervision, Lake George, N.Y., October 2006.
- Dr. Spencer Deakin**, Counseling and Psychological Services
"Moving Into a New Paradigm: Campus Wide Collaboration for Prevention and the Care of Students," Association for University and College Counseling Center Directors Annual Conference, Vail, Colo., October 2006.
- Dr. Joan DeVeë Dixon**, Music and Performing Arts
"The Spirituals of Emma Lou Diemer," Athena Festival, Murray State University, Murray, Ky., March 2007.
- Dr. Martha R. Dolly**, English
"Communicating with English Language Learners: Myth, Misconception, Fact?" FSU Special Education Summer Institute, Communication Issues for Allegany County Teachers; Frostburg, Md., July 2006.
- Dr. Robert Doyle**, Physics and Engineering
"Skepticism and Alternatives in Science Education," Meeting of the Appalachian Section and Southern Ohio Section of the American Association of Physics Teachers, Morgantown, W.Va., November 2006.
- Dr. Sydney Duncan**, English
"Lost Girl: The Diminution of Dorothy Gale," International Conference on the Fantastic in the Arts, Dania, Fla., March 2007.
- Dr. Jason H. Edwards**, Psychology
"Children in Family Therapy," with L. Wark, B.L. Davenport and D.R. Haslam, 64th annual conference of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Austin, Texas, October 2006.
- Dr. Charles Ewers**, English
"Ethos and Ethics in Time of War," College English Association, Mid-Atlantic Group, Rockville, Md., March 2007.
- Dr. Mark Gallagher**, Music
Masterclass at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, Wis., March 2007.
- Dr. Steven Hartsock**, Social Work
"From Prison to Community: Treatment of Sexual Offenders," West Virginia National Association of Social Workers State Conference, Charleston, W.Va., April 2007.
- Dr. Thomas F. Hawk**, Management
"Please Don't Give Up On Me: When Faculty Fail to Care," Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Ga., August 2006.
- Dr. Seán Henry**, Library
"Breaking Down the Garden Wall: Web 2.0: RSS and Blogs in Library Settings," Maryland Information Literacy Exchange Meeting, Adelphi, Md., August 2006.

M. Eileen Higgins, Management

"How Do I Love...or Hate Thee (and Thy Class)? Let Me Count the Ways: A Workshop on Student Feedback Instruments," Organizational Behavior Teaching Conference, Nazareth College, Rochester, N.Y., June 2006.

"Moral Intelligence: Connecting Mind, Body, Spirit, and the Workplace," Organizational Behavior Teaching Conference, Nazareth College, Rochester, N.Y., June 2006.

"Teaching Soft Skills: Adapting a Tested Model across the Business Curriculum," Southeastern Chapter of the Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences, October 2006.

"The Future of Leadership: Women in the Workforce — From Feminine Mystique to Feminine Unique," Southeast Decision Sciences Institute, Savannah, Ga., February 2007.

Dr. Veronica Hill, Recreation and Parks Management

"Programming 101," Military Recreation; Morale, Welfare, Recreation International Conference, Louisville, Ky., August 2006.

Dr. Veronica Hill and Dr. Diane Blankenship, Recreation and Parks Management

"Writing Across the Curriculum," Society of Park and Recreation Educators Annual Conference, Clemson, S.C., January 2007.

Angela Hovatter, Financial Aid Office

"Verification," Neophyte Conference, Rehoboth Beach, Del., October 2006.

"Needs Analysis," Neophyte Conference, Rehoboth Beach, Del., October 2006.

"Surviving an Audit," DC-DE-MD Fall Conference, Easton, Md., November 2006.

Dr. Robert B. Kauffman, Recreation and Parks Management

"So You've Just Been Sued: The Deerfield Case Study," co-presenter with Laurie Gullian from the University of New Hampshire, St. Paul, Minn. November 2006.

"Beyond the Last Buoy/Did You Plan to Return," primary presenter, Association of Experimental Educators, St. Paul, Minn., November 2006.

Dr. David M. Kiriazis, Economics

"Wages and Work During Industrialization: Factory Inspection Reports for Detroit, 1898-1902," 62nd International Atlantic Economic Conference, Philadelphia, Pa., October 2006.

"Did Real Wages in Manufacturing Decline Between 1890 and 1900? Evidence from Factory Inspection Reports for Detroit," Eastern Economic Association Annual Conference, New York, N.Y., February 2007.

Sonya A. Lawyer, Visual Arts

Artist's Talk during opening reception for "Searching for Beulah (limit of disturbance)," Howard County Center of African American Culture Research Library, Columbia, Md., February 2007.

Dr. Hongqi Li, Biology

"Using SEM LAV Model to Observe Carnivorous Plants," with Michael Gould, Program of the 6th International Carnivorous Plants Society Conference, Frostburg State University, June 2006.

"Comparative Study of the Fossil Archaemphora with Sarraceniaceans," Program of the 6th International Carnivorous Plants Society Conference, Frostburg State University, June 2006.

"Using THz Spectrum to Examine Dynamic Inter-Change Between Naphthoquinones and Glutathione," Program of the 6th International Carnivorous Plants Society Conference, Frostburg State University, June 2006.

Dr. Mary Anne Lutz, English

"Washington Irving and the Native American Presence in Landscape," College English Association-Middle Atlantic Group Conference, Rockville Md., March 2007.

Tom Mappes, Philosophy

"Persistent Vegetative State, Prospective Thinking, and Advanced Directives," Frostburg State University Philosophical Forum, September 2006.

Dr. Martha Mattare, Dr. Ahmad Tootoonchi and Dr. Shakil Rahman, Management

"Differences Between Business & Non-business Students' Perceptions of Effective Instructional Techniques and Instructor Characteristics," NE Business Administration Association International Conference, Stamford, Conn., May 2007.

"Strategies on a Timeline: How Home-based Entrepreneurs' Personality Types Play a Role," Eastern Academy of Management, New Brunswick, N.J., May, 2007.

"MBTI-in-Action: Home-based Entrepreneurs' Personality Preferences and the Relationship to Strategy Perspectives," IABD International Conference, Orlando, Fla., April 2007.

"Entrepreneurial Strategies: The Relationship to Myers-Briggs Preference," Southeast Decision Sciences Institute, Savannah, Ga., February 2007.

Marthe A. McClive, Management, and Ron Ross, Accounting

"Assurance of Learning: Student Perspectives on Assessment, Assessing the Student's Ability to Adapt," Southeast Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences, Myrtle Beach, October 2006.

"Toward a Model of Graduate Program Assessment," Southeast Decision Sciences Institute, Savanna, Ga., November, 2006.

Marthe A. McClive, Management

"Using the Learning Environment to Foster Understanding of the Managerial Control Function," Southeast Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences, Myrtle Beach, S.C., October 2006.

Dr. Mark D. Michael, Mathematics

"Integrating Discrete Mathematics into the Middle Grades," 36th Annual Mathematics Symposium, Frostburg State University, April 2007.

Dr. Joyce M. Middleton, Accounting

"Visual Web Developer – Drag and Drop, Data Connected, and Ready for Management/Accounting Information Systems Education," with Eddy Burks and Richard Johnson, Southeast Decision Sciences Institute Annual Conference, Savannah, Ga., February 2007.

"Evaluating and Selecting Small Business Accounting Software," with Eddy Burks and Richard Johnson, The Academy of Business Disciplines Annual Conference, Ft. Myers Beach, Fla., November 2006.

"Integrating Streaming Video Resources Into Accounting and Business Education," with Richard Johnson, The Academy of Business Disciplines Annual Conference, Ft. Myers Beach, Fla., November 2006.

"Certain Tax Incentives for Homeowners in the Energy Policy Act of 2005," with Richard Johnson and Eddy Burks, Southeastern Chapter of The Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences Annual Meeting, Myrtle Beach, S.C., October 2006.

Dr. Michael Monahan, Management

"A Comparison of the Leadership Styles of University Presidents and Future Leaders," SAM (Society of Advancement for Management) Conference, Las Vegas, Nev., March 2007.

Dr. Frank Parks, English

"William Parks and the Context of Provincial English Book Publishing," Annual Meeting of the British Society for Eighteenth Century Studies, St. Hugh's College, Oxford, U.K., January 2007.

"Unsung Heroes: Honus Wagner and Jimmie Foxx," Baseball Forever Conference, Frostburg State University, November 2006.

"William Parks and the Context of Provincial English Book Publishing," 37th Annual Meeting of the East-Central American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, Gettysburg College, Gettysburg, Pa., October 2006.

"Imagining an Audience: Stephen Bryan's *Worcester Post-Man* and His Tory Readers," 2006 Society for the History of Authorship, Readership and Publishing Conference, The Hague, Netherlands, July 2006.

Dr. Judith Pula, English

"Tips from Students for Students: How to Have a Successful Freshman Year at Frostburg State University" and "College Study Partners: Possible Applications to Other Contexts," a PowerPoint kiosk presentation, with Kathryn E. Greenbeck and Christopher R. Murphy, presented for parents of students with disabilities, Annual Life Beyond High School Conference, sponsored by Allegany County Board of Education partners for Success, Cumberland, Md., May 2007.

"Helping Differently-Abled Students Succeed in Freshman Composition at Frostburg State," presented to parents of students with learning disabilities and other special needs during Summer Planning Conference sessions at Frostburg State University, June 2006.

"Understanding Change: A Model for Academic and Personal Growth" to students and parents at Frostburg State University's Family Weekend, October 2006.

"Using Structure, Repetition, and High Expectations to Teach English 101 to Underprepared First-Year Students," to Department of Juvenile Services Youth Centers' Office of Education personnel, Backbone School, Swanton, Md., September 2006.

Dr. Shakil M. Rahman, Management

"Who Says Decision-Making is Rational: Implications for Responding to an Impending Foreseeable Disaster," International Academy of Business Discipline 16th Annual International Conference, San Diego, Calif., April 2006.

"Arational Decision Stages: The Breakdown of Rationality in Strategic Planning and Implementation," American Society for Competitiveness Conference, Fairfax, Va., November 2006.

Dr. Matt Ramspott, Geography

"Remote Sensing-based Characterization and Classification of Managed Grasslands," FSU Geography Club and GTU Research Presentation Series, December 2006.

"Effects of Grassland Management Practices on the Estimation of Photosynthetic Capacity from the Normalized Difference Vegetation Index," as first author and presenter, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, San Francisco, Calif., April 2007.

"Estimating Cover of Red Cedar and Modeling its Invasion Patterns in a Central Great Plains Tallgrass Ecosystem," co-author, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, San Francisco, Calif., April 2007.

"Discrimination of Managed Grassland Classes with NDVI and Image Texture," as first author and presenter, Joint Meeting of the Mid Atlantic and the Southeastern Divisions of the Association of American Geographers, Morgantown, W.Va., November 2006.

Dr. Randall Rhodes, Visual Arts

"Consuming Subjects and Affecting Objects," National Conference on Liberal Arts and the Education of Artists, School of Visual Arts, New York, N.Y., October 2006.

Dr. Kim H. Rotruck, Educational Professions

"Promoting Student Achievement through Teacher Research: Preparing Teacher Candidates to Assume the Role of Teacher Researchers," 2006 SRATE Annual Conference, Towson, Md., November 2006.

Dr. James C. Saku, Geography

"Aboriginal Development Corporations of the Canadian North: The Case Example of the Inuvialuit of Western Arctic," 2006 Joint Meeting of Mid Atlantic and the Southeastern Divisions of the Association of American Geographers, Morgantown, W.Va., November 2006.

"The Endemic Problem of Ethnic Conflict in Sub-Saharan Africa," presented to MDFL 111 "Intercultural Understanding" Class, Frostburg State University, October 2006.

Kathie J. Shaffer, Accounting

"Strategic Management of the Supply Chain," International Academy of Business and Public Administration Disciplines Annual Conference, Dallas, Texas, May 2007.

Dr. Amit J. Shah, Management

"Effects of CEO-BoD Mentoring on Firm Competitive Behavior," co-author, 2006 Academy of Management Conference, Atlanta, Ga., August 2006.

"Informing vs. Information Design: In the Age of Technology," co-author, annual meeting of Academy of Business and Information Technology, Pittsburgh, Pa., April 2007.

"Creating Effective Learning with Developmental Feedback," co-author, 2006 Annual Meeting of the Decision Sciences Institute, San Antonio, Texas, November 2006.

Dr. Amit Shah and Dr. Michael Monahan, Management

"Leadership Tools for Competitive Advantage: An Analysis of Master I Presidents," (Shah presented), Four AIMS International Conference on Management, Indore, India, December 2006.

"Gender and Leadership: An Analysis of Academic Presidents," Southeast Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences Conference, Myrtle Beach, S.C., October 2006.

"Buying a Car! Are We Making Rational Decisions with Irrational Information?" annual meeting of SE Decision Sciences Institute, Savannah, Ga., February 2007.

"A Comparison of the Leadership Styles of University Presidents and Future Leaders," annual meeting of the Society for the Advancement of Management, Las Vegas, Nev., April 2007.

Dr. Thomas D. Sigerstad, Management

"Pay for Publication: A Case Study in Implementing New Scholarly Productivity Requirements," The International Academy of Business and Public Administration Disciplines (IABPAD) Conference, 2007, Dallas, Texas, 2007.

"Local Tourism Demand: Modeling and Forecasting," with Nicole R. Wigfield, 42nd Annual Conference of the Southeastern Chapter of the Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences, Myrtle Beach, S.C., October 2006.

Dr. Oma Gail Simmons, Educational Professions

"Boys and Brains: Engaging Boys in the Reading Process," Virginia State Reading Association, Roanoke, Va., March 2007.

"Boys and Brains: Engaging Boys in the Reading Process," Wisconsin State Reading Association, February 2007.

"Boys and Brains: Engaging Boys in the Reading Process," South Carolina Reading Association, Myrtle Beach, February 2007.

"Boys and Brains: Engaging Boys in the Reading Process," North Carolina Reading Association, Greensboro, March 2007.

Dr. Oguz Soysal and Hilkat S. Soysal, Physics and Engineering

"Freshman Course on Science, Technology, and Society," annual conference of American Society for Engineering Education, Chicago, Ill., June 2006.

"University-State Partnership to Promote Residential Electric Generation from Solar and Wind Energy in Western Maryland," with Crissy Godfrey and Tim LaRonde, accepted for presentation at the IEEE Power Engineering Society 2007 General Meeting, Tampa, Fla., June 2007.

Dr. Sally Stephenson, Educational Professions

"Aesthetics of the Heart," with L. Cohen and G. Herman, National Association of Gifted Children, Charlotte, N.C., peer-reviewed, November 2006.

"Increasing Flow Through Active Learning," with P. Hollingsworth, G. Herman and G. Lewis, National Association of Gifted Children, Charlotte, N.C., Board of Directors' Institute, invited presenter, November 2006.

Dr. Jacob Straus, Political Science

"The Evolution of U.S. Governmental Attitudes and Responses to Terrorism," with Adam L. Silverman, annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Ill., April 2007

"Is My Seat Safe?: Legislative Success of Freshmen Members of Congress," annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, Ill., April 2007.

Francis M. Tam, Physics and Engineering

"Quantum Leap from a Collector to an Entrepreneur," poster paper, The Trident Initiative, Frostburg State University, July 2006.

Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas, Sociology

"Trusting In Tradition: Concepts of Place in Western Maryland," American Folklore Society, Milwaukee, Wis., October 2007.

Dr. Ahmad Tootoonchi, Management

"The Twin Drivers of Corporate Corruptibility: Exploration of Management Arrogance & Greed," International Academy of Business Disciplines Conference, Orlando, Fla., March-April 2007.

"The Intrinsic Elements of Internal Ambience of Corporate Corruptibility," New England Business Administration Association Conference, Stamford, Conn., May 2007.

Dave Treber, Conference and Events

"Cool Summer Nights...Warm Mountain Hospitality," Session at Annual Conference of the Association of Collegiate Conferences & Events Directors, Baltimore, Md., March 2007.

"The Making of a Conferences Quilt," Session at Regional Conference of the Association of Collegiate Conferences & Events Directors, Baltimore, Md., November 2006.

Dr. Daniel Welsch, Geography

"Soil CO₂ Concentration and Surface CO₂ Efflux Across Riparian/Hillslope Transitions," with V.J. Pacific, D.A. Riveros, B.L. McGlynn and H. Epstein, 2006 Annual Meeting, American Geophysical Union, San Francisco, Calif., December 2006.

"Watershed-Scale Heterogeneity of the Biophysical Controls on Soil Respiration," with D.A. Riveros, V.J. Pacific, B.L. McGlynn, H. Epstein, D. Muth, L. Marshall and J. Wraith, Annual Meeting, American Geophysical Union, San Francisco, Calif., December 2006.

"Net Ecosystem Exchange in Complex Terrain: A Case Study from a Subalpine, Montane Forest System," D.J. Muth, H. Epstein, and B. McGlynn, Annual Meeting, American Geophysical Union, San Francisco, Calif., December 2006.

Dr. Jodi Welsch, Educational Professions

"Graduate Reading Candidates and the PDS Experience at FSU," Professional Development Schools National Conference, Las Vegas, Nev., March–April 2007.

Dr. Joyce E. Wheaton, Educational Professions

"Graduate Reading Candidates and the PDS Experience at FSU," National Professional Development School Conference, Las Vegas, Nev., March–April 2007.

Dr. George W. White, Geography

"Leon Dominian and Language Mapping at the Paris Peace Conference." Joint Annual Meeting of the Mid-Atlantic Division and the Southeast Division of the Association of American Geographers, Morgantown, W.Va., November 2006.

"Environmental Determinism and Boundary Delineation at the Paris Peace Conference," Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, San Francisco, Calif., April 2007.

Workshops, Discussions Led:

- Dr. Katherine Almquist**, Foreign Language and Literature
Organized panel discussion on "Immigration and Integration in the French National Elections" and presented a paper for the panel. Frostburg State University, February 2007.
- Dr. Frank A. Ammer**, Biology
"Electrophoresis of DNA; Restriction Fragment Analysis Workshop," 18th Annual Western Maryland Science Expo, Frostburg State University, Md.
DNA Isolation Workshop, Regional Math and Science Center, Frostburg State University, Md.
"Evidence, Collection and Identification Techniques Currently Used by Wildlife Forensics Professionals," The Wildlife Society, Frostburg State University, Md.
"DNA Analysis and Electrophoresis Techniques," Fort Hill AP Biology Class, Frostburg State University, Md.
- Dr. Frank A. Ammer and Dr. Bill Seddon**, Biology
"Fingerprint Analysis" and "DNA Isolation" workshops for the Allegany County Public Schools GEAR-UP Summer Camp.
- Dr. Joan Andorfer and Dr. John O'Rorke**, Political Science
"Constructing Good Courses: From Learning Goals to Assessment," 38th Annual Northeastern Political Science Association Meeting. Boston, Mass. November 2006.
- Dr. D. Alan Bensley**, Psychology
"Mapping from Institutional to Program to Course Objectives and Further," College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Frostburg State University, March 2007.
"Program and Classroom Assessment Strategies," College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Frostburg State University, April 2007.
- Mary Ann Chapman**, English
Lecture "The Archetypal Hero," Jane Roderick's 10th-grade class, Fort Hill High School, January 2007.
Lecture "Making the Case for Pronouns," Megan Tichinel's 12th-grade class, Southern High School, Garrett County, May 2007.
Lecture "Getting Even with Grammar," Megan Tichinel's 12th-grade merit class, Southern High School, Garrett County, May 2007.
- Lisa Toni Clark**, Center for Volunteerism, AmeriCorps
"ISAFE Internet Safety for Parents" workshop presentation Frederick, Md., May 2007.
Kids Safety, Self Defense Workshop, Frederick, Md., March 2006, January 2007 and May 2007.
- Dr. Martha R. Dolly**, English
"Journaling for a Purpose," Western Maryland Health System's Institute on Medicine and Religion, "Opening to the Healer Within," Allegany College of Maryland, Cumberland, Md., October 2006.
- Dr. Spencer Deakin**, Counseling and Psychological Services
"BASICS Network Workshop," The Network Addressing Collegiate Alcohol and Drug Issues, Fairfax, Va., May 2007.

Dr. Thomas F. Hawk, Management

"Using Learning Style Models to Enhance Your Course Design and Teaching," Southeast Decision Sciences Institute Annual Meeting, Myrtle Beach, S.C., October 2006.

"Integrating Brain Research and Learning Style Models to Achieve Learning Excellence," Organizational Behavior Teaching Conference, Rochester, N.Y., June 2006.

M. Eileen Higgins, Management

"How Do I Love ... or Hate Thee (and Thy Class)? Let Me Count the Ways: A Workshop on Student Feedback Instruments," Organizational Behavior Teaching Conference, Nazareth College, Rochester, N.Y., June 2006.

Angela Hovatter, Financial Aid Office

Discussion on New Loan Issue, DC-DE-Md. Fall Conference, Easton, Md., November 2006.

Dr. Barbara Hurd, English

Presenter, Chautauqua Writers Festival, Chautauqua, N.Y., June 2006.

Presenter, Solstice Writers Conference, Boston, Mass., June 2006.

Presenter, Discovery Center, Deep Creek Lake, September 2006.

Keynote Speaker, "Soul of Beauty" Conference, Houston, Texas, November 2006.

Katherine Jenkins, Library

Business Databases Research Session, Lewis J. Ort Library, Frostburg State University, January, 2007.

Faculty & Staff Open Library Sessions, Lewis J. Ort Library, Frostburg State University, September 2006 and February 2007.

Patricia Kelby, Music

Conducted and organized a vocal workshop titled "Finding Your Voice 101," sponsored by the Allegany Arts Council, Cumberland, Md.

Vocal Master Class sponsored by Frostburg State University and The Allegany Arts Council for Frostburg State University students and high school students, Cumberland, Md., September 2006.

Dr. Jesse M. Ketterman, Student and Educational Services

Guest Lecturer, Higher Educational Law, West Virginia University, Potomac State Cohort, Fall 2006.

Dr. Joy Kroeger-Mappes, Philosophy

"Ethics for Health Professionals," Allegany College of Maryland, Cumberland, Md., September 2006.

Gerry LaFemina, English

Director/Prose Poetry Workshop Teacher, Controlled Burn Seminar for Young Writers, Higgins Lake, Mich., July 2006.

Poetry Workshop Teacher, Milton Poetry Festival, Milton, Del., December 2006.

Poetry Workshop Teacher, Meacham Conference, Chattanooga, Tenn., March 2007.

Dr. John Lowe and Dr. Jesse Ketterman, Student and Educational Services

"Current Legal Issues in Student Life," West Virginia University doctoral program in higher education, Keyser, W.Va., September 2006.

Dr. Martha Mattare, Management

"Striking Group Gold: Achieving a Communications Contract," Chesapeake Rehab Group Inc. Rocky Gap, Md., May 2007.

"Classroom Culture: Methods to Increase Community in an Online Course," MOBTC, Philadelphia, Pa., March 2007.

Dr. Mark D. Michael, Mathematics

A Panel Discussion with Blended Course Veterans, sponsored by the Center for Instructional Technology, Frostburg State University, June 2006.

Dr. Michael Monahan, Management

"Ethics in the Workplace," Workshop, Western Maryland Health System, Cumberland, Md., October 2006.

Dr. John J. O'Rourke, Political Science

"Innovative Ideas about Teaching: Who, What, How," Northeastern Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Boston, Mass., November 2006.

Kathleen H. Powell, Social Work

"Capturing the Story: Narrative Approaches with Older Adults," 28th Annual International Symposium on Social Work with Groups, San Diego, Calif., October 2006.

Dr. Rich Raesly, Biology

Taxonomy of Fishes Workshop, Mid-Atlantic Aquatic Biologists Meeting, Cacapon, W.Va., April 2007.

Maryland Biological Stream Survey Summer Training Workshop, Frostburg State University, Frostburg, Md., May 2007.

Dr. Kim H. Rotruck, Educational Professions

Mentor Teacher Seminar, Middletown Middle School, Middletown, Md., June 2006.

Dr. Amit J. Shah, Management

"Using Learning Style Models to Enhance Your Course Design and Teaching: A Workshop," co-authored, annual meeting of SE Decision Sciences Institute, Savannah, Ga., February 2007.

"Workshop: Using a Strategy Lab to Enhance Learning in Undergraduate and Graduate Capstone Strategy Courses," co-authored, presented at the 2006 annual meeting of Southeastern Chapter of the Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences, Myrtle Beach, October 2006.

Dr. Thomas D. Sigerstad, Management

"Strategy Lab: A Concept to Augment Capstone Strategy Courses," 42nd Annual Conference of the Southeastern Chapter of the Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences (SE INFORMS), Myrtle Beach, S.C., October 2006.

Dr. Oma Gail Simmons, Educational Professions

"Use of Assistive Technology in Content Area Reading," Southeast Region Association of Teacher Educators, Baltimore, November 2006, Council for Exceptional Children, Louisville, Ky., April 2007.

Dr. Karen Soderberg-Sarnaker, Division of Performing Arts-Music

Clinician, Morgantown High School Concert Choir, Frostburg State University, March 2007.

Clinician, Chesapeake Bay Middle School, Frostburg State University, April 2007.

Dr. Oguz Soysal and Hilkat Soysal, Physics and Engineering

"Renewable Energy Focus Group Meeting," Frostburg State University, January 2007.

"Residential Use of Solar and Wind Power: Benefits and Challenges," public presentation First Presbyterian Church, Cumberland, Md., February 2007.

"Renewable Energy at FSU: WISE (Wind and Solar Energy) Initiative," Earth Day presentation, Frostburg State University, April 2007.

Dr. Sally Stephenson, Educational Professions

"What the Eye Reads Leads the Ear to Hear: Business Writing for Musicians," Frostburg State University Creative Writing Center Conference, Music and Writing, November 2006.

Dr. Sally Stephenson and Dr. Joyce Wheaton, Educational Professions

"Building Comprehension and Summarizing Skills," Mineral County Schools, Professional Development for Teachers, June 2006.

Francis M. Tam, Physics and Engineering

Math-Science Summer Camp for Seventh Graders, "Weatherwise & Otherwise" Workshop, Gaining Early Awareness & Readiness for Undergraduate Programs (GEAR-UP), Frostburg State University, June 2006.

Physics Workshop, GEAR-UP, Math-Science Summer Camp, Frostburg State University, June 2006.

"Momentum, Energy & Power," Workshop for Talented High/Middle School students in Robotics Camp, Frostburg State University, July 2006.

Electricity Workshop, Rural Physics Teaching Resource Agents (RPTRA) of American Association of Physics Teachers (AAPT), Frostburg State University, July 2006.

Meteorology Workshop for Talented High School Students in Regional Math-Science Program, Frostburg State University, July 2006.

"Electrostatics," Physics Unraveled Workshop, Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE), Math-Science Partnership Program for Howard-Washington Counties, Middle School Science Teachers, Hagerstown, Md., October 2006.

"Electrostatics," Physics Unraveled Workshop, MSDE Math-Science Partnership for Howard-Washington Counties, elementary school science teachers, Hagerstown, Md., October 2006.

Fall Follow-Up Workshop on Electricity, Rural Physics Teaching Resource Agents (RPTRA) of American Association of Physics Teachers (AAPT), Frostburg State University, October 2006.

"Physics is Fun," demonstration for area fourth graders, Physics Outreach Program, Frostburg State University, December 2006.

Science Demonstration Workshop for Salem School, Grantsville, Md., at Frostburg State University, January 2007.

"Magnetism," Physics Unraveled Workshop, MSDE Math-Science Partnership for Washington County elementary school teachers, Hagerstown, Md., March 2007.

"Magnetism," Physics Unraveled Workshop, MSDE Math-Science Partnership for Washington County middle school science teachers, Hagerstown, Md., March 2007.

Spring Follow-Up Workshop on Electricity, Rural Physics Teaching Resource Agents (RPTRA) of American Association of Physics Teachers (AAPT), Frostburg State University, April 2007.

Meteorology Workshop for Talented Earth-Science High School Students from Fort Hill High School, Frostburg State University, April 2007.

"Weatherwise or Otherwise" & "Physics is Fun" Workshops for Professional Development Day of Physics/Science Teachers, Baltimore, Md., May 2007.

Presider of Session, "Students' Use of Mathematics in Physics Contexts" Joint Meeting of American Association of Physics Teachers and American Astronomical Society, Seattle, Wash., January 2007.

Presider of Session, "Assessment Instruments and Teaching/Learning Theories." Annual Summer Meeting, American Association of Physics Teachers, Syracuse, N.Y., July 2006.

Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas, Sociology

"Preserving Living Traditions: A Workshop on Cultural Documentation," Preservation Maryland, Annapolis, Md., May 2006.

Dr. Ahmad Tootoonchi, Management

"Principles of Effective Classroom Leadership in Higher Education," Global Digital Business Association Conference, Las Vegas, Nev., October 2006.

Session Chair, 2006 American Society for Competitiveness Annual Conference, Fairfax, Va., November 2006.

Session Chair, 2007 International Academy of Business Disciplines Conference, Orlando, Fla., March-April 2007.

Session Chair, 2007 New England Business Administration Association Conference, Stamford, Conn., May 2007.

Dr. Daniel Welsch, Geography

"Towards Defining a Quantitative Carbon Mass Balance for Watersheds," organized and chaired with Brian McGlynn, Mike Gooseff and Howard Epstein, American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, San Francisco, Calif., December 2006.

Dr. Joyce E. Wheaton, Educational Professions

"Building Comprehension and Summarizing Skills, West Virginia Reading Academy, Mineral County Schools, Keyser, W.Va., June 2006.

John Wright, Health, Physical Education and Recreation

"Approved Clinical Instructor Training Workshop," Frostburg State University, Frostburg, Md., June 2006.

"Tri-State Hand and Occupational Therapy Weekly Lunchtime Seminar Series: Lumbar Spine and Lower Extremity Rehabilitation," Cumberland, Md., September-November 2006.



Exhibits

Dr. Yan Bao, Accounting

"Using an Online Homework System in Accounting Courses," Frostburg State University Family Weekend Science, Engineering and Technology Showcase, Compton Science Center, October 2006.

Katherine Jenkins, Library

"Research Port-Gateway to Information and Research," Technology Showcase, Frostburg State University, October 2006.

Sonya A. Lawyer, Visual Arts

Solo Exhibit, "Searching for Beulah (limit of disturbance)," Howard County Center of African American Culture Research Library, Columbia, Md., February-March 2007.

Solo Exhibit, "Searching for Beulah (limit of disturbance)," School 33, Gallery II, Baltimore, Md., June-July 2006.

Group Exhibition, Portfolio Viewing at Review Santa Fe, El Museo De Cultural, Santa Fe, N.M., May 2007.

Group Exhibition, 10th New Works Exhibition, En Foco, Longwood Art Gallery, The Bronx, N.Y., April-May 2007.

Group Exhibition, Annual Members' Juried Exhibition, Delaware Center for the Contemporary Arts, Wilmington, Del., January-April 2007.

Group Exhibition, National Juried Photography Exhibition, 1212 Gallery, Richmond, Va., September-October 2006.

Group Exhibition, "ReFresh Print Biennial II (Global Networks and Intimate Exchanges)," Lawton Gallery, University of Wisconsin, Green Bay, Wis., September-October 2006.

Group Exhibition, "Migrations of the African Diaspora," Pittsburgh Center for the Arts, Pittsburgh, Pa., May-August 2006.

Patricia Limbaugh, Visual Arts

"Feats of Clay XX," Lincoln Arts Center, Lincoln, Calif., May 2007.

"Brush and Wheel," Featured Artist, Arts at Canal Place, Cumberland, Md., December, 2006.

Allegany Arts Council Juried Member Exhibition, First Place-3D, Saville Gallery, Cumberland, Md., November 2006.

"Do Not Fold, Bend, Spindle or Mutilate: Computer Punch Card Art," Visual Arts Center, Washington Pavilion of Arts and Science, Sioux Falls, S.D., June 2006.

Robert Llewellyn, Visual Arts

Bradley Print International, Bradley University, March-May 2007.

Frostburg State University Faculty Exhibition, Frostburg State University, March 2007.

The Print Consortium, Traveling Exhibitions, Exhibition Catalogue 2006-2007.

Melissa Martz, Student and Community Involvement

Coal Miners' Legacy Project, Technology Showcase at Frostburg State University, October 2007.

Dr. Matt Ramspott, Geography

"Advances in Geospatial Technology," Science, Engineering and Technology Showcase, Frostburg State University, October 2006.

"Remote Sensing and Earth Image Analysis: The REALLY Big Picture!" development of a lab demo activity for GIS Day, Frostburg State University, November 2006.

Dr. Sally Stephenson, Educational Professions

Photographs accepted, 5th Annual Members' Exhibition, Allegany Arts Council, Cumberland, Md., November-December 2006.

Photographs accepted, 14th Annual Tri-State Photography Juried Exhibition, Allegany Arts Council, Cumberland, Md., February-March 2007.

Colleen Stump, Publications

Two photographs accepted, 14th Annual Tri-State Photography Juried Exhibition, Allegany Arts Council, Cumberland, Md., February-March 2007.

Francis M. Tam, Physics and Engineering

The Tam Collection, Chinese antiques of rare porcelain, furniture and embroidery, 979-1850s, Frostburg State University Exploratorium, July 2006-2007.

Ann Townsell, Publications

Photographs accepted, 14th Annual Tri-State Photography Exhibition, Allegany Arts Council, Saville Gallery, February 2007.

Pamela S. Williams, Lewis J. Ort User Services

"Maryland Archeology Month," Library Display, Frostburg State University, April 2007.

"Joseph A. Murray: Local Author," Library Display, Frostburg State University, May 2007.



Performances

Regina Alderton, Foreign Languages and Literature

Performer, "The Vagina Monologues," Frostburg State University, February 2007.

Dr. William L. Anderson, Economics

Tenor Solo, Cumberland Choral Society Winter Concert, Cumberland, Md., December 2006.

Dr. William S. Bingman, Education

Spring Festival of Children's Literature, April 2006.

Summer Author Institute, Frostburg, July 2006.

Summer Author Institute, Hagerstown, July 2006.

Frostburg Storybook Holiday, December 2006.

Fall and Spring Author Series, November 2006, May 2007.

Judith A. Dieruf, Visual Arts

Faculty Exhibition, Frostburg State University, March 2007.

Dr. Joan DeVee Dixon, Music

Solo performer, St. Wenceslaus Church, Spillville, Iowa, June 2006.

Solo performer, St. Joseph's Catholic Church, New Hampton, Iowa, June 2006.

Solo performer, Montauk (Governor's Estate), Sunday School Series, Clermont, Iowa, June 2006.

Organ Recital, Oxford Town Hall, Oxford, England, August 2006.

Organ Recital, Pennsylvania Consort Series, Bedford, Pa., September 2006.

FSU Piano Ensemble, Faculty Gala, Frostburg State University, October 2006.

Faculty Piano Recital, Frostburg State University, October 2006.

Organ Recital, "Dickens of a Christmas," Ebensburg, Pa., December 2006.

Collaborative performance, St. Michael's Lutheran Church, Bloomington, Minn., January 2007.

Collaborative performance, St. Michael's Lutheran Church, Bloomington, Minn., January 2007.

Faculty Recital, Spirituals of Emma Lou Diemer, Frostburg State University, February 2007.

Fifth Anniversary Charter Celebration, Cherry Street Baptist Church, Clarksville, Ark., March 2007.

Piano Recital, First Baptist Church, Clarksville, Ark., March 2007.

Organ Recital, First United Methodist Church, Waynesville, N.C., March 2007.

Pre-service program, Good Friday, St. Michael's Lutheran Church, Bloomington, Minn., April 2007.

Pre-service program, Easter, St. Michael's Lutheran Church, Bloomington, Minn., April 2007.

Organ Recital, St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Hancock, Md., April 2007.

Orchestra musician, Organ, Spring Choir Concert, Frostburg State University, May 2007.

Dr. Joan DeVeve Dixon and Dr. Ellen Grolman, Music

Sigma Alpha Iota, "Music She Wrote," Frostburg State University, October 2006.

Dr. Mark Gallagher, Music

Clarinet Soloist, President's Concert, Frostburg State University, October 2006.

Clarinet Recital, Faculty Artist Series, Frostburg State University, November 2006.

Clarinet Recital, University of Wisconsin-Madison, School of Music, Madison, Wis., March 2007.

Clarinet Recital, Faculty Artist Series, Frostburg State University, February 2007.

Performance, Opera Theatre, Frostburg State University, April 2007.

Jonathan Hodel, Music

Performed the role of Nemorino in Asheville Lyric Opera's production of "L'elisir d'amore," Asheville, N.C., October 2006.

Radames in Verdi's Opera, "Aida," Opera Fort Collins, Fort Collins, Colo., February 2007.

Tenor Soloist in Verdi's Requiem, Sacramento Choral Society, Sacramento, Calif., February 2007.

Pollione in Bellini's Opera, "Norma," South Florida Opera Company, Wellington, Fla., March 2007.

Conductor of Verdi's Opera, "La Traviata," Asheville Lyric Opera, Asheville, N.C., April 2007.

Tenor Soloist in the Beethoven's "9th Symphony," Boulder Philharmonic, Boulder, Colo., April 2007.

Tenor soloist for Haydn's "Lord Nelson Mass," Frostburg State University, May 2007.

Rodolfo in Puccini's "La Bohème," St. Petersburg Opera, St. Petersburg, Fla., June 2007.

Dr. Barbara Hurd, English

Reading, Chautauqua Writers Festival, Chautauqua, N.Y., June 2006.

Reading, Solstice Writers Conference, Boston, Mass., June 2006.

Reading, Brookdale Community College, Brookdale, N.J., September 2006.

Reading, "Becoming an Outdoorswoman" Conference, Pleasant Valley, Md., 2006.

Patricia Kelby, Music

"Bella Voce," a concert of soprano/mezzo-soprano arias, lieder and art songs, in joint concert with Myra Garcia, soprano, and Judith Brown, piano, Frostburg State University, September 2006.

Soloist for "Mozart in Vienna," a birthday concert celebration, Westchester County, N.Y., January 2007.

Mezzo-Soprano soloist in the FSU Music production of Haydn's "Nelson Mass" and Poulenc's "Gloria," Frostburg State University, May 2007.

Jean Wood Kobert, Music

Accompanist for Second Annual Darfur Benefit Variety Show, Windsor Hall, Cumberland, Md., April 2007.

Gerry LaFemina, English

Readings performed at Juniata College, Garrett College, City College of New York and The Phoenix Poetry Series, 2006-2007.

Nicole Mattis, Division of Performing Arts - Theatre

Myra in *"Deathtrap,"* The Cumberland Theatre, Cumberland, Md., October 2006.

Dr. Marthe A. McClive, Management

Marsh Mountain Renaissance Consort, Deep Creek Lake Yacht Club, Swanton, Md., September 2006.

Steve McKnight, Brian Plitnik, Duane Salisbury and Marissa Ulmer, Music

Concert/demonstration of brass instruments for students from Cresaptown and Bel Air elementary school students, in a follow-up to the "Arts in the Schools Week" sponsored by the Allegany Arts Council, Frostburg State University, April 2007.

Dr. Mary W. Mumper, Chemistry

Performer, Hayden "Lord Nelson" Mass and Poulenc "Gloria," May 2007.

Betty Jane Phillips, Music

Musical Director and accompanist for FSU's Opera Theatre's production of Seymour Barab's *"Little Red Riding Hood,"* for Mt. Savage Elementary School as part of the music's outreach program and concert at FSU.

Accompanist, Autumn Avila's Senior Voice Recital.

Accompanist, FSU Faculty Gala, President's Concert.

Accompanist, Ryan Bowie's Broadway production.

Accompanist, FSU Winter Choral Concert.

Accompanist, Cumberland Choral Society's Holiday Concerts.

Brian Plitnik, Music

Tour to Urbana High School and Governor Thomas Johnson High School, Frederick County, Md., December 2006.

Conductor, Brass section of the Allegany Community Orchestra, Cumberland, Md., December 2006.

Brian Plitnik and Duane Salisbury, Music

Faculty Recital, Frostburg State University, April 2007.

Timothy Powell, Music

Played a series with the Baltimore Symphony and Guest Artist/Clinician at a Jazz Festival in Philadelphia.

Dr. Karen Soderberg-Sarnaker, Division of Performing Arts-Music

Conductor, Chamber Choir, President's Concert, Frostburg State University, October 2006.

Toured with the FSU Chamber Choir to McDonough, Chopticon and Leonardtown High Schools in Southern Maryland, October 2006.

Conductor, Chamber Choir and University Chorale Winter Choral Concert, Frostburg State University, December 2006.

Conductor, Cumberland Choral Society Holiday Concerts, Christ Lutheran Church, LaVale, Md., and St. Mary's Catholic Church, Cumberland, Md., December 2006.

Guest Conductor, Tri-County Honor Choir Festival, Northern High School, Owings, Md., February 2007.

Conductor, FSU Chamber Choir performance at Presidential Inauguration, April 2007.

Directed the FSU Chamber Choir performance at MLK Convocation, April 2007.

Directed the FSU Chamber Choir in Outreach performance for Garrett County.

Middle School students at Garrett Community College, April 2007.

Director, FSU Chamber Choir Spring Concerts, St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Hancock, Md., and Emmanuel Episcopal Church Cumberland, Md., April 2007.

Conductor, FSU University Chorale, the Cumberland Choral Society and the Orchestra of the Alleghenies performance of Haydn's "Nelson Mass" and Poulenc's "Gloria," Frostburg State University, May 2006.

Dr. Sally Stephenson, Educational Professions

Arion Band, summer 2006.

Frostburg State University Chorale, fall 2006.

Frostburg State University Wind Ensemble and Percussion Ensemble, spring 2007.

Kristin Baccocchi Stewart, Music

Recitals along the East Coast with two duo partners, Joel Brown on guitar, and Michael Zell on percussion.

Tritonis (flute, cello and guitar trio) held a residency in Lake Placid, N.Y., where they played concerts.

Solo flute recital, Frostburg State University, May 2007.

Flute and percussion duo recital, Emmanuel Episcopal, Cumberland, Md., May 2007.

Marissa Ulmer, Music

Faculty Recital, Frostburg State University, April 2007.



Grants

Dr. Frank A. Ammer, Biology

\$1,820 from the MD/DE Chapter of the Nature Conservancy for Community Analysis and Habitat Associations of Bird Assemblages Breeding at Finzel Swamp, Md.

Dr. Rahim Ashkeboussi, Marketing and Finance

\$700 from the FSU Faculty Development Subcommittee in support of the presentation of my paper at the 2007 FMA European Conference May 30 to June 1, 2007, in Barcelona, Spain.

Rene G Atkinson, WFWM Station Director

\$67,306 from Corporation of Public Broadcasting for radio program acquisition and technical assistance.

\$7,600 from Maryland State Arts Council to support music and cultural programming at WFWM.

\$2,700 from Allegany Arts Council to support music programming on WFWM.

Dr. Peggy S. Biser, Chemistry

\$1,000 from UROS for student research.

\$2,500 Innovative Projects Grant from the American Chemical Society for the Taste Symposium to accompany the Smithsonian Exhibit.

Dr. Diane C. Blankenship, Recreation and Parks Management

\$750 for National Recreation and Park Association for the Teens Outside Program.

Dr. Megan E. Bradley, Psychology

\$53,355 from the National Science Foundation Research and Undergraduate Institutions program to examine children's understanding of social situations.

\$11,470 from the National Science Foundation Research and Undergraduate Institutions supplemental grant to examine children's understanding of social situations.

Center for Volunteerism and National Service

\$883,320 from from outside funds which includes any HUDCOPC funding from the previous year has been raised by the Center staff to maintain national service, volunteer and service-learning programs and their infrastructure. This does not include over \$58,098 cash contributions raised to support for our community partners including Relay for Life, 2006 Charity Homecoming King and Queen, Earth Day and V-Day.

Lisa Toni Clark, Center for Volunteerism, Americorps

\$588,120 A STAR! In Western Maryland AmeriCorps Grant from the Governor's Office on Service and Volunteerism to Build Capacity, Increase Volunteerism and Build Leaders in the four western counties of Maryland, 2006-2007.

\$500 Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service Grant from the Governor's Office on Service and Volunteerism for A STAY on Not a Day Off.

\$500 from Governor's Office on Service and Volunteerism for Make A Difference Day for Glories Happy Hats.

\$500 from Governor's Office on Service and Volunteerism for National Volunteer Week to increase volunteerism throughout the community.

\$500 from the Governor's Office on Service and Volunteerism for National AmeriCorps Week for Inclusive Recruitment and Awareness.

Dr. Spencer Deakin, Counseling and Psychological Services

\$133,652 from the Maryland Alcohol and Drug Abuse Administration for Substance Abuse Prevention.

Dr. Jason H. Edwards, Psychology

Frostburg State University Faculty Development Conference Presentation Grant, 2007.

Dr. Robert B. Kauffman, Recreation and Parks Management

\$120,000 from the U.S. Coast Guard for "Defensive Boating: Sharing the Waterways," American Canoe Association proposal, FY 2007.

Cherie Krug, Center for Volunteerism and National Service

\$5,000 USM Alumni Association to disseminate the Glories Happy Hats service project at four locations throughout the state. (Partnered with the FSU Alumni Association and Glories Happy Hats).

Sonya A. Lawyer, Visual Arts

\$350 from the Allegany Arts Council to bring internationally-renowned photographic artist John Paul Caponigro to campus.

Jeff Maehre, Library

\$1,000, Frostburg State University Speaker Grant for the Dave King Fiction Reading, October 2007.

Timothy J. Malloy, Upward Bound

\$397,486 per year for four years, U.S. Department of Education, funding the Upward Bound Project at Frostburg State University for 77 students.

Dr. Rich Raesly, Biology

\$31,000, Maryland Department of Natural Resources, Determination of sampling protocols for streambank salamanders, with G. Strain, FSU graduate student.

\$40,000, Maryland Department of Natural Resources, Development of a manuscript for "Fishes of Maryland" book.

\$149,821 (first year funding), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Quantifying ecological thresholds and resilience in stream ecosystems, with R.H. Hilderbrand (PI), UMCES Appalachian Laboratory.

Dr. Shakil M. Rahman, Management

\$30,000, Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, HIV/AIDS capacity building mini-grant project, January to December 2006.

\$50,000, Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, CD Data Security Enhancement, May to December 2006.

Dr. Matt Ramspott, Geography

\$770, Internal Grant Award, Conference Presentation Grant from the Faculty Development and Sabbatical Subcommittee.

- Rhonda Schwinabart**, Center for Volunteerism and National Service
 \$237,894 from Corporation for National and Community Service Maryland/Delaware State Office, to fund year four of AmeriCorps*VISTA Project.
 Each non-profit and state agency partner with the *VISTA program continues to match \$5,500 per slot (\$66,000), supporting the salary of the Director of the Institute for Service-Learning and the operating costs of the project.
 \$20,000 from the Allegany County Local Management Board for the Institute for Service-Learning READ TO SUCCEED! Program to fund the READ TO SUCCEED! College Advantage Program (RTSCAP) in South Cumberland. The RTSCAP program provides one-on-one tutoring, cultural enrichment, and service opportunities to South Cumberland youth in grades K-12.
- Dr. Thomas Serfass**, Biology
 \$164,395, Federal State Wildlife Grant for evaluating the distribution and abundance of river otters and other meso-carnivores in eastern North Dakota, 2005-2007.
 \$75,000, Wilson H. Elkins Professorship, University of Maryland System, 2006-2007.
- Dr. Amit J. Shah**, Management
 \$30,000, Technical Assistance Center, Community Based Organizations' Capacity Building, Maryland State Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, AIDS Administration, Team Project, 2007.
- Dr. Oma Gail Simmons**, Educational Professions
 \$25,000, Tutoring Grants, Maryland State Department of Education, Provides tutoring services to area school students and specialized training to area teachers.
- Dr. Rochelle Smith**, English
 \$628 for Shakespeare Festival, Artvantage Grant from Maryland State Arts Council.
- Dr. Karen Soderberg-Sarnaker**, Division of Performing Arts-Music
 \$1,000, State of Maryland Grant for Poulenc's "Gloria" and Haydn's "Nelson Mass" performance through the Cumberland Choral Society.
- Dr. Oguz Soysal and Hilkat S. Soysal**, Physics and Engineering
 \$25,821, Maryland State Department of Education, "Summer Center for Future Engineers: Robot Design," March-August 2007.
 \$53,813, November 2006 – April 2008, Maryland Energy Administration, "Construction of a Solar-Wind Powered Hybrid Generation System and Renewable Energy Outreach Program Development."
 \$6,277, December 5, 2006 – May 30, 2008, Maryland Energy Administration, "Maryland Anemometer Loan Program Coordination."
- Francis M. Tam**, Physics and Engineering
 \$295,910, Maryland Higher Education Council Grant (MHEC), Improving Teacher Quality, ITQ/Teaching Opportunities in Physics and Physical Science, TOPPS, 3-Year grant to upgrade and refresh physics content, and best practices in teaching physics and science in the high and middle school classrooms, using American Association of Physics Teachers research-based curriculum.

Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas, Sociology

\$7,500, Appalachian Regional Commission Governor's Internship to support an internship to assist with Folklore & Folklife Programming Initiatives.

\$20,000, Maryland Traditions to support and develop Folklore and Folklife Programming Initiatives.

Awarded the Smithsonian Traveling Exhibition, Key Ingredients: America by Food by the Maryland Humanities Council, on display at FSU's Exploratorium September-November 2007.

Jamey Tobery-Nystrom, Educational Professions

\$25,000, Maryland State Department of Education, Special Interest Grant, development of online instruction for Special Education coursework, June 15, 2007 pending.

Mary Tola, Brady Health Center

\$7,459, Allegany County Health Department, Smoke Cessation Grant.

Tammara Wiley, Student and Community Involvement

\$1,800, Tournees Festival, awarded by the French American Cultural Exchange for the showing of current French Films on campus.

\$1,500, Pennsylvania Performing Arts On Tour, awarded to present "Simple Gifts" as part of the Appalachian Festival in September 2006.

\$1,190, Pennsylvania Performing Arts On Tour, awarded to present Jeffrey Gaines in March 2007.



Awards, Honors & Other Distinctions

Regina Alderton, Foreign Language and Literature

Vagina Warrior Certificate in recognition of valuable contribution to V-Day events at Frostburg State University, February 2007.

Brad Barkley, English

Ten Best Teen Novels, Booklist.

Booksense 76 Selection.

Teddy Award.

Texas Institute of Arts and Letters Award.

Lisa Toni Clark, Center for Volunteerism, AmeriCorps

Citations from the Governor, Awarded to A STAR! for the services provided in the grants we were awarded.

Citation from Senator Mikulski for outstanding service and volunteerism.

Sgt. Scott Donahue and Cpl. Jamie Winters University Police

Maryland Chiefs' Challenge Award, for outstanding efforts on behalf of highway safety through seatbelt use, 2006.

Dr. Jason H. Edwards, Psychology

2007 winner of FSU's Institute for Service-Learning Unsung Hero Award. This award recognizes members of the FSU community who give selflessly to promote change in their communities. Dr. Edwards was selected as this year's Unsung Hero for his PSYC 489 Child and Adolescent Disorders service-learning program. Since the beginning of his service learning program, over 300 of his students have served with area at-risk children at various social and educational organizations.

Dr. Thomas F. Hawk, Management

Outstanding Reviewer Award, Management Education and Development Division, Academy of Management, August 2007.

Dr. Seán Henry, Library

Given special recognition and an award by the Maryland Chapter of the Special Libraries Association for design and implementation of the Chapter's new website, 2006.

M. Eileen Higgins, Management

Honor Roll for Accomplishments in Teaching, Organizational Behavior Teaching Society, 2006.

Dr. Barbara Hurd, English

Pushcart Prize 2007.

Katherine Jenkins, Library

Inducted into the Alpha Alpha Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International, Deep Creek Lake, Md., September 2007.

Sonya A. Lawyer, Visual Arts

Honorable Mention in 10th Annual New Works Awards sponsored by En Foco Inc. Included monetary award, photography equipment, exhibition at Longwood Art Gallery and publication in *Nueva Luz*.

Dr. Hongqi Li, Biology

Honored by International Carnivorous Plant Society for organizing 6th International Carnivorous Plants Society Conference, Frostburg State University, June 2006.
Nominee, University System of Maryland Regents Award for Research.

Dr. Stephen Luzader, Physics & Engineering

Distinguished Service, excellent paper given in the section and national meetings of AAPT and for many outreach contributions in local, regional and national levels, November 2006.

Timothy J. Malloy, Upward Bound

USDA Summer Champion Award, UB'S Summer Food Service Program, awarded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Melissa Martz, Student and Community Involvement

One Year of Service Volunteer Award, Allegany County 4-H.

Dr. Martha Mattare, Management

Washington County Teacher of the Year, Higher Education, 2007.

Dr. Joyce M. Middleton, Accounting

Outstanding Service Learning Faculty Award 2006-2007.

Rusty Ruszin, Recreation and Parks Management

Service's Edmund Prince award, for his contributions during his 30 years of service with the Marland Park Service, as well as his educational, personal, and professional experience as an advocate for resource-based recreation, parks and open spaces in Maryland.

Cpl. James Satterfield, University Police

Impaired Driving (DUI) Prevention Award, October 2006.

Rhonda Schwinabart, Center for Volunteerism and National Service

2007 Governor's Volunteer Service Award, National Service Category, for service to Maryland through AmeriCorps and AmeriCorps*VISTA programs.
Special Olympics Maryland High Five Volunteer Award for continued dedication to Special Olympics Maryland and its athletes.

Dr. Art Seimann, Health and Physical Education

2006 Allegany County Human Resource Development Commission Inc. Volunteer of the Year.

Dr. Sally Stephenson, Educational Professions

Finalist, 23rd Annual Mid-Atlantic Song Contest, Open Category, "Belle of St. Michael's."

Capt. Clyde W. Stewart, Jr., University Police

Named "Non Academy, Instructor of the Year," by the Maryland Police and Correctional Training Commissions.

Karen Treber, General Counsel of Frostburg State University

Featured in August 13 edition of *USA Weekend*, "Making math fun for elementary students," August 2006.

University Police

Governor's Crime Prevention Award.
Chief's Challenge Safety Belt Award.

Offices and Services

Offices in Academic & Professional Organizations

Dr. Frank A. Ammer, Biology

Chair of Student Affairs – The Md./DE State Chapter of The Wildlife Society.

Dr. Peggy S. Biser, Chemistry

Chair Elect of Western Maryland Chapter of the American Chemical Society, 2006

Chair of Western Maryland Chapter of the American Chemical Society, 2007.

Dr. Sally A. Boniece, History

Chair, Committee on Education, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies.

Dr. Spencer Deakin, Counseling and Psychological Services

Regional Director, U.S. Department of Education Network Addressing Alcohol and Other Drug Issues.

Dr. Joan DeVee Dixon, Music and Performing Arts

Chair, Friends of Music at Frostburg.

Dr. Susan Gray, Recreation and Parks Management,

Chair, Faculty Senate Promotion and Tenure Committee.

Dr. Amy Harman, Biology

Chair, Chapter Achievement Awards for Key Women Educators in the Alpha Beta State Organization Maryland of The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International.

Dr. Seán Henry, Library

Co-Chair, University System of Maryland and Affiliated Institutions Consortium of Libraries Aleph Version 18 Implementation Task Group.

Dr. Veronica Hill, Recreation and Parks Management

Associate Editor, "Schole," *A Journal of Leisure Studies and Recreation Education*, May 2007.

Angela Hovatter, Financial Aid Office

Co-Chair, Professional Development and Training Committee, DC-DE-MD Financial Aid Association.

Dr. John Lombardi, Mass Communication

Chair, Marketing and Development Subcommittee of the Community Outreach Partnership Center Grant.

Melissa Martz, Student and Community Involvement

Silent Auction Coordinator, Association of College Unions International Region 4 Conference Planning Team, fall 2006.

Dr. Joyce M. Middleton, Accounting

President (Western Maryland Chapter), Maryland Association of Certified Public Accountants (MACPA).

Dr. John J. O'Rourke, Political Science

Section Chair, Teaching, Learning, and the Profession, Northeastern Political Science Association.

Dr. Judith Pula, English

Chair, Permanent Records Committee, Alpha Alpha Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International.

Chair, Chapter Standing Rules Committee, Alpha Alpha Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International.

Dr. Shakil M. Rahman, Management

Track Chair, Computer Information Systems, International Academy of Business Discipline Sixteenth Annual International Conference, San Diego, Calif., April 2006.

Sharon L. Robinson, Accounting

Past President, Board Member, Western Maryland Chapter, Maryland Association of CPAs.

Dr. James C. Saku, Geography

Awards Chair, Mid-Atlantic Division of the Association of American Geographers.

Dana Severence, Residence Life

President, Mid-Atlantic Association of College and University Housing Officers.

Dr. Amit J. Shah, Management

Program Chair, SE Decision Sciences Institute 2007 Annual Meeting, Savannah, Ga.

Dr. Thomas D. Sigerstad, Management

Chapter Vice President, Beta Gamma Sigma business honor society.

Francis M. Tam, Physics and Engineering

Chair, Nominating Committee of the Appalachian Section of the AAPT.

Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas, Sociology

Vice President, Middle Atlantic Folklife Association.

Dr. Ahmad Tootoonchi, Management

President, International Academy of Business Disciplines.

Chief Editor, *Journal of International Business Disciplines*, co-sponsored by Frostburg State University and International Academy of Business Disciplines.

Associate Editor, *Journal of Business Management and Change*.

Conference Coordinator, Global Digital Business Association Conference, Las Vegas, Nev., October 2006.

Don B. Weser, Chemistry

Chair, Western Maryland Local Section of the American Chemical Society (ACS).

Dr. Joyce E. Wheaton, Educational Professions

Chair, Balanced Reading Instruction Special Interest Group of the International Reading Association.

Chair, Tri-State Chapter Phi Delta Kappa.

Offices in Community Organizations

Dr. William S. Bingman, Education

President, Friends of the Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped.

Dr. Nicholas H. Clulee, History

Treasurer, Allegheny Highlands Trail of Maryland.

Co-Executive Director, Miss Cumberland Scholarship Organization.

Dr. Spencer Deakin, Counseling and Psychological Services

Chair, Frostburg Parks and Recreation Commission.

Dr. Joan DeVee Dixon, Music and Performing Arts

Co-Chair, Fridays at First, First Presbyterian Church, Cumberland, Md.

Dr. Thomas F. Hawk, Management

Treasurer, Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Greater Cumberland.

Dr. Seán Henry, Library

President, Board of Directors, Frostburg Museum Association.

Katherine Jenkins, Library

Treasurer, Arion Band.

Cherie Krug, Center for Volunteerism and National Service

Board President, Volunteer Center of Allegany County.

Dr. John Lombardi, Mass Communication

Chair, Marketing and Development Subcommittee of the Community Outreach Partnership Center Grant.

Nicole Mattis, Division of Performing Arts - Theatre

Corresponding and Recording Secretary, Board of Directors, Family Crisis Resource Center.

Dr. Michael Monahan, Management

Secretary, Foundation for Frostburg, 501c3 Community Foundation.

Dr. Mary W. Mumper, Chemistry

Treasurer, Frostburg House and Garden Club.

Chair, Depot Project, Frostburg House and Garden Club.

Kathleen H. Powell, Social Work

President, Board of Directors, Allegany County Human Resources Development Commission.

Chair, Allegany County Board of Homelessness.

MaryJo A. Price, Library-Special Collections

President, Council of the Alleghenies.

Secretary, American Legion Auxiliary Post #24.

Dr. John J. O'Rourke, Political Science

Chair, Frostburg Housing Authority Board of Commissioners.

Becca Ramspott, News and Media Service

Co-chair, "Flourish," spring 2007 show for the Western Maryland Watercolor Society.

Sharon L. Robinson, Accounting

Treasurer, Frostburg Branch, American Association of University Women.
Treasurer, Grace Baptist Church.
Treasurer, Baptist Student Ministries, Frostburg State University.
Assistant Treasurer, Western Baptist Association.

Dr. Terry Russell, Social Work

Vice President, Board of Directors, Maryland Salem Children's Trust.

Dr. James C. Saku, Geography

Financial Secretary, Knights of Columbus, Council 1442, Frostburg, Md.

Rhonda Schwinbart, Center for Volunteerism and National Service

Vice President, Board of Directors, Volunteer Center of Allegany County.
Co-Chair, Special Olympics Maryland Winter Games Volunteer Committee.

Dana Severence, Residence Life

President, Beall High School Band Parent Association.
President, Frostburg Girl's Little League Softball Association.

Dr. Thomas D. Sigerstad, Management

Co-Chair, Board of Directors, Cultural Event Series, FSU.

Dr. Karen Soderberg-Sarnaker, Division of Performing Arts-Music

Director of Music, Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Cumberland, Md.
Director of Music, Cumberland Choral Society.

Jamey Tobery-Nystrom, Educational Professions

President, Bester Elementary School PTA.

Ann Townsell, Publications

President, Allegany Arts Council Board of Directors.
Chair, Wills Creek Survey Exhibition 2007.

Emily White, Mathematics

Secretary/Treasurer, Volunteer Center of Allegany County.

Pamela S. Williams, Lewis J. Ort User Services

Treasurer and Board Member, Mineral County Historical Society.



Academic and Professional Service

Dr. Frank A. Ammer, Biology

Technical Representative of the Chesapeake Watershed Cooperative Ecosystems Studies Unit.

Represented the FSU Biology Department and Wildlife and Fisheries Program at the Md. Natural Resources Careers Conference – July 26, 2006 at the Hickory Environmental Education Center, Garrett County, Md..

Coordinated and moderated the student poster session at the Spring Md./DE Chapter meeting of The Wildlife Society. Posters were presented by eight Frostburg State University graduate students and one undergraduate student.

Coordinated and moderated the professional presentation session at the Spring Md./DE Chapter meeting of The Wildlife Society. Two Frostburg State University biology faculty members and one Appalachian Laboratory Faculty member presented at the meeting.

Dr. William S. Bingman, Education

Co-advisor for Maryland State Education Association.

Review advisor for Enslow Publishing Company, which publishes juvenile nonfiction for school and public libraries. Completed three reviews this year.

Maryland State Arts in Communities Review Panelist.

Allegheny Arts Council Review Panel.

Board of Trustees Allegheny County Library.

Dr. Peggy S. Biser, Chemistry

ACES Scientific Advisory Committee.

Dr. Diane C. Blankenship, Recreation and Parks Management

Education committee meeting and student mentor coordinator for the Maryland Recreation and Park Association conference.

Dr. Thomas L. Bowling, Student and Educational Services

Maryland/DC State Representative, ACT.

Advisory Board, Outside the Classroom.

Executive Committee, Fulbright Association.

Evaluator, Middle States Commission on Higher Education, The University of the Virgin Islands, St. Thomas and St. Croix, USVI, April 2007.

Team Leader, Graduation Rates Outcomes Study, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville, sponsored by the American Association of State Colleges and Universities, April 2007.

Dr. Spencer Deakin, Counseling and Psychological Services

Site Visitor for U.S. Department of Education Model Substance Abuse Prevention Grant Competition.

Field Visitor for the International Association of Counseling Services.

Board Member, Inter-Association Task Force for Alcohol and Other Substance Abuse Issues.

Board of Directors, International Association of Counseling Services.

Dr. Jason H. Edwards, Psychology

Editorial Board Reviewer, *Journal of Mental Health Counseling*.

Proposal Reviewer, 2007 Annual Conference of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy.

Paper Reviewer, 2007 Annual Conference of the American Psychological Association.

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Paper Reviewer, 2007 Annual Conference of the American Psychological Association.

Dr. Charles Ewers, English

Member, Executive Board, College English Association, Mid-Atlantic Group.

Dr. Mark Gallagher, Music

Advisor to Coolidge Concert Series at the Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Maryland Music Adjudicator and Clinics:

High School Honor Band, Frostburg State University, December 2006.

Frederick County Public Schools, Frederick County, Maryland -Classes given at Governor Thomas Johnson High School and Urbana High School, December 2006.

Alexander Technique Workshop at Duke Ellington School for the Performing Arts, Washington, D.C., November 2006.

Washington County Solo and Ensemble Festival, Hagerstown, Md., March 2007.

Maryland State Solo and Ensemble Festival, Towson, Md., May 2007.

Clinician for Morgantown, W.Va., High School Band and Chorus. Co-hosted with Dr. Karen Soderberg-Sarnaker. Frostburg, Md., March 2007.

Dr. Ellen Grolman, Music

Reviews Editor, *Journal of the International Alliance for Women in Music*.

Dr. Amy Harman, Biology

Member, Leadership Development Committee, Alpha Beta State.

Dr. Thomas F. Hawk, Management

Board of Reviewers, *Journal of Management Education*.

Board of Reviewers, *Decision Sciences Journal of Innovative Education*.

Dr. Seán Henry, Library

Webmaster, Maryland Chapter of the Special Libraries Association.

Member, University System of Maryland and Affiliated Institutions Consortium of Libraries User Interface Task Group.

Local Arrangements Committee and Hospitality Booth, 2006 Special Libraries Association Convention, Baltimore, Md., June 2006.

M. Eileen Higgins, Management

Member, University of Avila, France, International Committee for Program Development, 2006.

Appointed "Colleague" of the International Institute for Spiritual Leadership, August 2006.

Manuscript reviewer for *The Journal of International Business Disciplines*, 2006.

Paper discussant/Session Chair, Southeast Decision Sciences Institute, 2007, Savannah, Ga.

Paper reviewer for *The Journal of International Business Disciplines*, August 2006.

Dr. Veronica Hill, Recreation and Parks Management
Society of Park and Recreation Educators (SPRE).

Jonathan Hodel, Music

Adjudicator, Allegany High School and Middle School Choral Festival, Cumberland, Md., February 2007.

Adjudicator, Maryland State Choral Festival, Morgan State University, Baltimore, Md., May 2007.

Adjudicator, Allegany High School and Middle School Choral Festival, Cumberland, Md., February 2007.

Angela Hovatter, Financial Aid Office
Executive Board Member, DC DE MD Financial Aid Association.

Katherine Jenkins, Library

Member, Permanent Records Committee, Alpha Alpha Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International, a professional honor society of women educators.

Member, Chapter Standing Rules Committee, Alpha Alpha Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International.

Dr. Robert B. Kauffman, Recreation and Parks Management
Arkansas Tech University, NRPA/AAPAR Council on Accreditation-Team Leader, lead visitor on a two-person team for a 10-year accreditation review, Russellville, Ark., December 2006.

Gerry LaFemina, English

Serve as co-publisher and co-editor of *Review Revue*, a journal of poetry reviews, interviews with poets and prosody essays.

Dr. John Lombardi, Mass Communication

Judge for Broadcast Education Association's National Video Production Competition, December 2006-January 2007.

Melissa Martz, Student and Community Involvement

HOW Design Conference 2007, College/University Designers Discussion Group, Atlanta, Ga., June 2007.

Dr. Martha Mattare, Management

Pro Bono Consulting for small venture startup.

Fielding Graduate University Governance Team Committee, Professional Practice.

Dr. Mark D. Michael, Mathematics

Served as a reviewer for *Mathematics Teacher*, a monthly journal for high school teachers published by the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics.

Member of the judging team for the 2006 Maryland Mathalon, sponsored by Maryland State Department of Education, Maryland Council of Teachers of Mathematics, National Security Agency and Anne Arundel County Public Schools, Ft. Meade, October 2006.

Dr. Joyce M. Middleton, Accounting

Paper Reviewer and Discussant, 2006 Southeastern Chapter of the Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences (SEInFORMS) Annual Meeting.

Dr. Michael Monahan, Management

Coordinator of Placement Services, SEDSI Southeast Decision Science Institute, Savannah, Ga., February 2007.

Dr. Robert Moore III, Sociology

Five-year program review of the sociology department at Lock Haven University, March 2007.

Timothy Powell, Music

Adjudicator, State Solo and Ensemble Festival at Towson University, Towson, Md., May 2007.

Dr. Judith Pula, English

Member, Statewide Standards for College English Committee and the only four-year college representative.

Dr. Rich Raesly, Biology

Member, Maryland Wildlife Diversity Advisory Committee, nine-person group appointed by the Secretary of the Maryland Department of Natural Resources, provides input to the Natural Heritage Program regarding policies and resource allocation.

Dr. Shakil M. Rahman, Management

Reviewer for professional publications: "Workplace Privacy and the Use of Technology: Control and Challenges," Southeast INFORMS, June/July 2006, "Can the Policies, Practices, and Procedures Associated with Enforcement of Local Zoning Ordinances Violate the Equal Protection Clause of the US Constitution?" Southeast INFORMS, June/July 2006.

Dr. Matt Ramspott, Geography

Invited Judge for the Remote Sensing Specialty Group Student Honors Paper Competition, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, San Francisco, Calif., April 2007.

Comparative review for Prentice Hall of a section of two physical geography textbooks, Robert W. Christopherson's *Elemental Geosystems*, 2007 and Alan F. Arbogast's *Discovering Physical Geography*, forthcoming.

Paper Discussant: "Comparisons of Multiple Digital Elevation Models: A Revisit of the Randleman Reservoir, North Carolina" by Yong Wang and Scott Wade of East Carolina University. Joint Meeting of the Mid Atlantic and the Southeastern Divisions of the Association of American Geographers, Morgantown, W.Va., November 2006.

Dr. Matt Ramspott, Geography

Development of materials for the FSU Exploratorium, "What is Geography?" a short presentation with information on careers in geography and with background information to enhance student appreciation of the *Earth As Art* display in the FSU Exploratorium, Presented to visiting ninth-grade students from Allegany High School, November 2006.

Development of materials for the FSU Exploratorium, "A Short Primer on North Pole Geography" a standalone PowerPoint presentation intended for exploration by visitors.

Dr. Trina Redmond-Matz, Psychology

Frostburg State University Senate and Academic Affairs.

Dr. Kim H. Rotruck, Educational Professions

Frederick County PDS County Council.

Dr. Terry Russell, Social Work

Served on the Education Track Committee for selection of presentations at the national conference of the North American Association of Christians in Social Work (NACSW).

Editorial review board for "Christianity and Social Work," and also reviewed articles for "Research on Social Work Practice."

Dr. James C. Saku, Geography

Reviewer, Book Proposal by Chris Mayda, Environmental and Regional Visions of the U.S. and Canada, Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, June 2007.

Paper Discussant, 'Securing Boundaries, Securing Children and Sustaining Networks: Gated Communities in the Kingston Metropolitan Area' by Robert Kinlocke, University of the West Indies, 2006 Joint Meeting of Mid Atlantic and the Southeastern Divisions of the Association of American Geographers, November 2006, Morgantown, W.Va.

Reviewer, Publisher's Manuscript, *Geography of U.S. and Canada* by Mayda and Kieffer, June 2006.

Reviewer, *Teachers Guide to Modern Geography*, The Association of American Geographers, June 2006.

Dr. Amit J. Shah, Management

Council Member, South Eastern Chapter of The Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences (SE INFORMS), 2006-2007.

Editorial Board, Coastal Business Journal.

Editorial Board, Advanced Management Journal.

Editorial Board, AIMS International Journal of Management.

Dr. Karen Soderberg-Sarnaker, Division of Performing Arts-Music

Adjudicator, St. Mary's County Solo and Ensemble Festival, Leonardtown High School, March 2007.

Adjudicator, St. Mary's County Choral Adjudication Festival, Leonardtown High School, February 2007.

Adjudicator, Maryland Choral Educators Association State Choral Festival, Morgan State University, April 2007.

Dr. Bill Southerly, Psychology

Manager, Teaching in the Psychological Services (TIPS) International Listserv.
Moderator, Psychteacher Listserv managed by the Society for the Teaching of Psychology (a division of the American Psychological Association).

Hilkat S. Soysal, Physics and Engineering

Served on the "Maryland Wind Working Group Steering Committee," assigned by the Maryland Energy Administration.

Dr. Oguz Soysal, Physics and Engineering

Served on the "Maryland Wind Working Group Steering Committee," assigned by the Maryland Energy Administration.

Kristin Baccocchi Stewart, Music

Adjudicator, Allegany County Solo and Ensemble Festival.

Francis M. Tam, Physics and Engineering

Section Representative, Appalachian Section to the Council of American Association of Physics Teachers (AAPT).

Science Fair Judge & American Meteorological Society (AMS) representative for W.Va. Eastern Panhandle Regional Science Fair, Potomac State College, Keyser, W.Va.

Member, Distinguished Service Committee of the Appalachian Section of the American Association of Physics Teachers (AAPT).

Organizer, Appalachian Section and Southern Ohio Section Joint Meeting at West Virginia University, November 2007.

Dr. Kasif Teker, Physics and Engineering

Referee to a journal article submitted to *IEEE Sensors Journal* "Detection of Moisture and Methanol Gas Using a Single Electrospun Tin Oxide Nanofiber," April 2007.

Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas, Sociology

Assisted in coordinating event and organizing a workshop on Cultural Documentation, Appalachian Center for Ethnobotanical Studies, January Symposium, January 2007.

Jamey Tobery-Nystrom, Educational Professions

Editorial Board, National Association of Professional Development Schools, Las Vegas, March 2007.

Dr. Ahmad Tootoonchi, Management

Editorial Board of *International Journal of Education Research*, Vol. 1, No. 1, fall 2006 and Competition Forum, Vol. 4, No. 1, 2006.

Reviewed papers, 2007 International Academy of Business Disciplines Conference, Orlando, Fla., March-April 2007.

Reviewed papers, 2006 American Society for Competitiveness Annual Conference, Fairfax, Va., November 2006.

Reviewed papers, 2006 Global Digital Business Association Conference, Las Vegas, Nev., October 2006.

Mary Tola, Brady Health Center

Member, Nurse Practitioner Caucus of Western Maryland.

Don B. Weser, Chemistry

Member, Committee on Meetings and Expositions of the ACS (M&E).

Member, Expositions and Logistics Subcommittees of M&E.

Serves on the Speakers Advisory Board of the ACS.

External Reviewer for the Chemistry Program at Shepherd University, Spring 2006.

Dr. Joyce E. Wheaton, Educational Professions

Coordinator, Balanced Reading Instruction Special Interest Group of International Reading Association programs, International Reading Association Conference, Chicago, 2006, and Toronto, Canada, 2007.

Dr. George W. White, Geography

Panel discussant, "A Common Experience? National Identity at the Periphery of the European Union," Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, San Francisco, Calif., April 2007.

John Wright, Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Regional Representative, Maryland Athletic Trainer's Association.

Athletic Training Coverage, Meyersdale Area High School Athletics.

Bernard Wynder, Advising Center

Member, Board of Directors of the Allegany County Mediation Advisory Council.

Community Service

Regina Alderton, Foreign Language and Literature

Spearheaded V-Day scarf project which raised approximately \$1,000 to benefit the Dove Center and The Family Crisis Resource center.

Dr. Frank A. Ammer, Biology

Conducted three guided bird walks - 61st Annual Maryland Ornithological Society, June 2006, Allegany County, Md.

Conducted breeding season avian surveys for the Maryland and the District of Columbia Breeding Bird Atlas, Garrett County, Md.

Dr. William L. Anderson, Economics

Member, Cumberland Choral Society.

Dr. William S. Bingman, Education

Board member, Frostburg's Main Street Program.

Dr. Peggy S. Biser, Chemistry

Served on the Scientific Review Committee for the Regional Science Fair.

Judge for the Regional Science Fair.

Dr. Sally A. Boniece, History

Member, Chancel Choir, Emmanuel Parish of Episcopal Church, Cumberland.

Member, Cumberland Choral Society.

Mary Ann Chapman, English

Member of the Human Rights Board, Brandenburg Center, Cumberland, Md.

- Lisa Toni Clark**, Center for Volunteerism, AmeriCorps
Board Member, CitizenCorps of Washington County.
Member, Big Brother Big Sisters of Frederick County.
Member, Good Will Industries of Frederick.
Mentor trainer, Governor's Office on Service and Volunteerism.
- Dr. Mikal Crawford**, Education Professions and School Counseling
Co-conducted a session for the parents of the New Horizons Montessori School following the death of a student.
- Dr. Spencer Deakin**, Counseling and Psychological Services
Allegheny County Alcohol and Drug Advisory Council.
4/20 Awareness Day.
- Joan DeVee Dixon**, Music
Missions Committee, First Presbyterian Church, Cumberland, Md.
Papers presented: Dec. 7 and 14: "Let Us Go to Bethlehem" (based on my travels in the spring), Kirk Night, First Presbyterian Church, Cumberland, Md.
Self Development of People (SDOP), Baltimore Presbytery, Baltimore, Md.
Co-Moderator, Fridays and First, First Presbyterian Church, Cumberland, Md.
Missions Committee, First Presbyterian Church, Cumberland, Md.
Western Maryland Wheelmen, Allegheny County, Md.
Trail Ambassador, Great Allegheny Passage, Allegheny County.
- Dr. Martha R. Dolly**, English
Consultant for Allegheny County Board of Education, English as a Second or Other Language (ESOL) issues, fall 2006.
- Dr. Jason H. Edwards**, Psychology
Board of Directors, Western Maryland Area Health Education Center.
- Dr. R. Scott Fritz**, Biology
Hosted Gary Athey's 10th Grade Honor's Biology Class from Beall High School on a field trip to FSU. In addition to a tour of the Compton Science Center, the students isolated DNA from their cheek cells and performed gel electrophoresis to separate DNA fragments.
Served as a judge for the Westmar Middle School Science Fair.
Served as a mentor for two student science fair projects (one from Northern High School and one from Beall High School). The Northern student took first place and the Beall student took second place in microbiology at the Regional Science Fair.
- Dr. Susan Gray**, Recreation and Parks Management,
Service learning involvement to include: campus and community health fairs and seminars, workshops for school and health professionals, work with multiple local services and agencies in disseminating health information and teaching health skills.
Community Health Improvement Program (CHIP) member.
Western Maryland Health System Kids Korner healthy activities for kids Health Fair.
HRDC Spring Fling Health Fair.
Hearts N' Parks at the Senior Center, Fall and Spring.

Dr. Seán Henry, Library

Member, Board of Directors, Frostburg Palace Theatre.

Frostburg Museum Volunteer Worker.

Museum Exhibitor, 2006 Frostburg Block Party.

Volunteer, 2006 United Way Frostburg Day of Caring and Sharing.

Member, Steering Committee for the 2007 United Way Frostburg Day of Caring and Sharing.

Dr. Veronica Hill, Recreations and Parks Management

Steering Committee Member, Whitewater Courses and Parks Conference, WISP Resort, McHenry, Md., April 2007.

Angela Hovatter, Financial Aid Office

Sponsor of College Goal Sunday, February 2007.

Dr. Jesse M. Ketterman, Student and Educational Services

Youth Vestry Member, St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Cherie Krug, Center for Volunteerism and National Service

Rural Maryland Council statewide group of Tri-County Council directors, non-profit directors and government officials committed to the rural community issues.

Member, Allegany County Chamber of Commerce, Legislative Committee.

Member, Statewide Alumni Committee.

Leadership Allegany Steering Committee.

United Way of the Potomac Highlands Board member.

Retired Senior Volunteer Person Advisory Board member.

City of Cumberland Parks and Recreation Committee.

Katherine Jenkins, Library

Musician, Arion Community Band.

Gerry LaFemina, English

Board Member, Allegany Arts Council.

Sonya A. Lawyer, Visual Arts

Volunteered photography and graphic design expertise towards production of Souvenir Book for the 30th Annual Debutante Cotillion sponsored by Columbia, Md., Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc.

Dr. Hongqi Li, Biology

Allegany County Parent and Teacher Council, Maryland, participated in monthly meetings and the National Partnership Workshops.

Dr. John Lombardi, Mass Communication

Member of the Emmanuel Bethel United Methodist Church Scholarship Committee.

Member of the Emmanuel Bethel United Methodist Church Advisory Council.

Dr. Martha Mattare, Management

Board of Advisors, UNESCO, Frederick, Md.

Melissa Martz, Student and Community Involvement

Volunteer for Special Olympics of Maryland, Capering Kids Goat Club 4-H, George's Creek Rangers 4-H.

Dr. Martha Mattare, Management

Volunteer for Political Party, Frederick, Md.

Dr. Mark D. Michael, Mathematics

Offered mathematics instruction for Allegany County Public Schools' Gear Up Math and Science Camp, Frostburg State University, June 2006.

Member of the judging team for the 2007 Science Expo, sponsored by Tri-County Council for Western Maryland, Inc., Frostburg State University, April 2007.

Dr. Mary W. Mumper, Chemistry

Six Flower Baskets at Frostburg Depot, planted and maintained.

Frostburg Day of Caring and Sharing.

Relay for Life, stayed all night with Frostburg State University students.

Dr. Stephanie Pack, Educational Professions

Lector, St. John's Episcopal Church, Frostburg.

Kathleen H. Powell, Social Work

Technical Assistant to University Neighbors, an association of residents and property owners in the neighborhood adjacent to the Frostburg State University campus.

Dr. Shakil M. Rahman, Management

Member, Executive Committee & Steering Committees, County United Way (CUW), Cumberland, Md.

Becca Ramspott, News and Media Service

Member, Western Maryland Watercolor Society.

Member, Allegany Arts Council.

Guest juror for "Second Helping," community art exhibition October 2006 at the Saville Gallery in Cumberland, Md. This show was organized in conjunction with the FSU Art Club and encouraged artists to utilize recyclable materials to create one-of-a-kind works of art, touching on issues of conservation and non-traditional media.

Dr. Kim H. Rotruck, Educational Professions

Teaching Academy Advisory Committee, Washington County Public Schools.

Early Childhood Advisory Committee, Washington County Public Schools.

Dr. Terry Russell, Social Work

Member, Board of Directors, Maryland Salem Children's Trust.

Volunteer, Western Maryland Correctional Institution.

Dr. James C. Saku, Geography

Organized Mount Savage Bee Finalists' visit to FSU Geography Department, March 2007.

Judge of Geography Bee, Braddock Middle School, January 2007.

Soccer Coach, American Youth Soccer Organization, Frostburg, Md..

Member, Frostburg Food Pantry Advisory Group.

Participant, Mount Savage School Career Day, April 2007.

Parent Volunteer, St. Michaels School, Frostburg.

- Rhonda Schwinabart**, Center for Volunteerism and National Service
 Allegany County Citizens Corps.
 Allegany County Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) Advisory Board.
 Allegany County Superintendent's Parent Advisory Council.
- Dr. Amit J. Shah**, Management
 Conducted a session on Strategic Analysis of Allegany County for Leadership Allegany! Class, Cumberland, Md., May 2007.
- Dr. Art Seimann**, Health and Physical Education
 Bishop Walsh Strength and Conditioning Coach, 2006.
 Bishop Walsh Boy's Tennis Coach, 2007.
 Westernport Senior Center Fitness Instructor, 2006/2007.
- Dr. Thomas D. Sigerstad**, Management
 Strategic Planning Facilitator, The Greater Cumberland Committee, Pro Bono.
 Ethics training, Western Maryland Health System.
- Dr. Oma Gail Simmons**, Educational Professions
 Member, Cresaptown Elementary School Improvement Team.
- Dr. Sally Stephenson**, Educational Professions
 Hadra Scholarship Fund Committee, Allegany Arts Council, Cumberland, Md..
- Colleen Stump**, Publications
 Member, Cumberland YMCA Membership and Marketing Committee.
- Francis M. Tam**, Physics and Engineering
 Curriculum Committee, Allegany Board of Education, Cumberland, Md..
- Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas**, Sociology
 Produced "Spruce Forest Artisan Village: An Appalachian Gem," working in collaboration with FSU Mass Communication student James Egan, the Department of Mass Communication and Spruce Forest Artisan Village.
 Presentation "Uncovering Ethnicity: Archeology's Role in Tracing the Roots of Regional Folk Culture," Western Maryland Chapter of the Archeological Society of Maryland, April 2007.
 Presentation "Appalachian Ballads," Springs Historical Society, Springs, Pa., April 2007.
- Dave Treber**, Conference and Events
 Director, Great Allegany Run.
- Emily White**, Mathematics
 County United Way Frostburg Day of Caring and Sharing.
- Pamela S. Williams**, Lewis J. Ort User Services
 Historical Preservation Fundraiser, Carskadon Mansion, Keyser, W.Va..
 Pastoral Advisory Council and Liturgical Minister, Assumption Parish.
- John Wright**, Health, Physical Education and Recreation
 Senior Fitness Class Instructor, Allegany County HRDC, George's Creek Senior Center and Cumberland Senior Center.

University Service

Regina Alderton, Foreign Language and Literature

Participated in the Round Table on Translation with Alexis Levitin, an event co-sponsored by the English Department and the FLL Department, April 2007.

Advisor to Spanish Club.

Dr. Katherine Almquist, Foreign Language and Literature

Participated in the Tournees Film Festival committee and assisted in organizing the "Mondovino" pre-screening panel discussion and wine tasting, March 8, 2007.

Organized a weekly French "Atelier de grammaire" (grammar workshop) and conversation table together with Thomas Carr, open to students and members of the larger campus community.

Dr. Yan Bao, Accounting

Graduate Policy Committee, College of Business.

Economic Development and Outreach Committee, College of Business.

Assessment Exams Committee, Department of Accounting, Chair.

Scholarship Committee, Department of Accounting.

Curriculum Review Committee, Department of Accounting.

Introductory Accounting/Financial Accounting Committee, Department of Accounting.

Faculty Search Committee, Department of Accounting.

Dr. William S. Bingman, Education

Advisor to Phi Delta Kappa.

Organizer, Director, Spring Festival of Children's Literature, April 2006.

Organizer, Director, Instructor, Summer Author Institute, Frostburg, July 2006.

Organizer, Director, Instructor, Summer Author Institute, Hagerstown, July 2006.

Organizer, Director, Frostburg Storybook Holiday, December 2006.

Organizer, Director, Fall and Spring Author Series, November 2006, May 2007.

Dr. Megan E. Bradley, Psychology

Co-facilitated online faculty training for Frostburg State University faculty, January 2007.

Judith A. Dieruf, Visual Arts

Honors Committee.

Distance Education Committee.

Career Day Chair.

Substance Abuse Committee.

Alternative Programming Committee.

Joan DeVee Dixon, Music

Faculty Advisor, Sigma Alpha Iota (SAI).

Dr. Sydney Duncan, English

Planning committee, Appalachian Festival.

Dr. Jason H. Edwards, Psychology

Internal Review Board (Human Subjects Committee), Member.

Faculty Development and Sabbatical Subcommittee, Member.
Coordinator of undergraduate Child and Family Psychology Certificate Program.
Faculty Advisor for the graduate Child and Family Counseling Psychology Certificate Program.

Dr. Mark Gallagher, Music

Coordinator/Developer of Summer Wind Chamber Music Camp as part of the Savage Mountain Summer Arts Academy, Frostburg State University.

Dr. Susan Gray, Recreation and Parks Management

President's Task Force on Alcohol.

Member of Faculty Senate and Faculty Senate Committees and Subcommittees.
Frostburg State University Health Fair.

Dr. Amy Harman, Biology

Co-Advisor, Tri-Beta National Honor Society for Biology Students.

M. Eileen Higgins, Management

Member of the Frostburg State University Resource Speaker's Bureau.

Katherine Jenkins, Library

Secretary, Graduate Council.

Dr. Robert B. Kauffman, Recreation and Parks Management

Chair of Faculty Senate, fall 2005 to present.

IPR Committee Member, fall 2005 to present.

Steering Committee of the Senate (Chair), fall 2005 to present.

Jean Wood Kobert, Music

Adjudicator, FSU Spring Piano Auditions, Frostburg State University, March 2007.

Cherie Krug, Center for Volunteerism and National Services

President's Alcohol Taskforce Committee on University and Community

President's Advisory Council on Diversity.

Martin Luther King, Jr. Convocation Committee.

Host Sheltering Committee.

President's Inauguration Committee.

Dr. Hongqi Li, Biology

FSU President's Advisory Council on Diversity.

FSU Faculty Appeals Committee.

FSU Arboretum committee, arboretum clean up.

Advisor and helped establish Chinese Culture Club (CCC).

Organized Chinese New Year Celebration, February 2007.

Organized CCC activities to celebrate Chinese Lantern Festival, March 2007.

Biology Department webmaster.

Department Graduate Studies Committee.

Chair of Plant Physiology/Cell Biology Position Search Committee.

Dr. John Lombardi, Mass Communication

Chair, MCOM Search Committee.

Member, Faculty Senate.

Member, Institutional Priorities and Resources Committee.

Member, Academic Standards Sub-Committee.

Member, Tenure and Promotion Committee.

Member, Athletic Program Advisory Group.

Member, VP for Communication and Media Relations Search Committee.

Member, Center for Communication and Instructional Technology (CCIT) Planning Committee.

Dr. Joyce M. Middleton, Accounting

Frostburg State University Site Co-Coordinator, IRS' Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program.

Dr. Michael Monahan, Management

Faculty Advisor, Society for the Advancement of Management (SAM).

Faculty Advisor, Alpha Phi Omega, National Coed Service Fraternity.

Dr. Mary W. Mumper, Chemistry

Vice President, Faculty Senate.

Advisor, Pre-Professional Medical Society, Frostburg State University.

Dr. Stephanie Pack, Educational Professions

Graduate Council.

Special Education Advisory Council.

Faculty Senate.

MaryJo A. Price, Library-Special Collections

Chair, Faculty Development and Sabbatical Subcommittee.

Co-Advisor, Sigma Alpha Iota.

Arboretum Restoration.

Volunteer Usher, Cultural Events Series.

Dr. Judith Pula, English

Faculty mentor, selected by the Honors Program Advisory Group to collaborate with FSU Undergraduate Research Opportunity Stipend (UROS) student recipient Christopher R. Murphy, Spring 2006.

Placement essay reader and English 101/105 placement teams for the six sessions of Frostburg State University's Summer Planning Conference, 2006.

Department of English Lewis J. Ort Library liaison, 2006-2007.

Member of Frostburg State University Special Education Advisory Council, 2007.

Becca Ramspott, News and Media Service

Organizer and founder of exploratory committee that is examining YouTube as a viable online communication tool for marketing and publicity purposes.

Dr. Matt Ramspott, Geography

Development of materials for the FSU Exploratorium, "What is Geography?" a short presentation with information on careers in geography and with background information to enhance student appreciation of the *Earth As Art* display in the FSU Exploratorium, Presented to visiting ninth-grade students from Allegany High School, November 2006.

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Dr. Trina Redmond-Matz, Psychology

Frostburg State University Senate and Academic Affairs.

Dr. Kim H. Rotruck, Educational Professions

Council for University Faculty (CUSF).

Cabinet, Senate, Co-Chair, Unit Disposition Committee.

Department Technology Committee.

MAT Advisory Committee.

Middletown Middle/High School PDS Site Liaison.

Dr. Art Seimann, Health and Physical Education

FSU Human Subjects Review Board, 2006/2007.

FSU Golf League Commissioner, 2006.

Dr. Thomas D. Sigerstad, Management

Graduate Council.

University Advisory Council on Retention.

Faculty Senate.

Beta Gamma Sigma local chapter Vice President.

Ad hoc Committee on Faculty Incentives.

Liberal Studies Advisory Group.

Graduate Policy Committee.

Management (Faculty) Evaluation Committee (DEC).

Leadership Studies Minor Committee.

Edgewood Commons Advisory Board.

Academic Affairs – Subcommittee on Academic Standards (Appeals).

Dr. Karen Soderberg-Sarnaker, Division of Performing Arts-Music

Member, Faculty Senate.

Member, IPR.

Member, Search Committee for VP for Advancement.

Conducted Chamber Choir at Frostburg State University Thanksgiving Service, Cook Chapel, November 2006.

Dr. Rochelle Smith, English

Organized Frostburg State University's 5th Annual Shakespeare Festival.

Brought Cambridge American Stage Tour (CAST) to Frostburg State University to perform *Twelfth Night* and workshops, September 2006.

Colleen Stump, Publications

Juror for President's Exhibit for Frostburg State University Department of Visual Arts.

Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas, Sociology

Arranged performance, assisted in field trip organization and presented "Trading in Tradition," First Annual Trident Initiative Conference at Frostburg State University, July 2006.

Jamey Tobery-Nystrom, Educational Professions

Washington County Public Schools Professional Development School Celebration,
Frostburg State University, May 2007.

Ann Townsell, Publications

Judge for Frostburg State University Homecoming banners and fence decorating.
Juror for President's Exhibit, Frostburg State University Department of Visual Arts.

Dr. Jodi Welsch, Educational Professions

Committee Member, Frostburg's Storybook Holiday, December 2007.

Coordinator, R. Margaret Hamilton Children's Hour, Spring Festival of Children's
Literature, April 2007.

Don B. Weser, Chemistry

Advisor for the Student Affiliates of the ACS on the FSU Campus.

Involved with arranging for outside speakers for the Chemistry Department at FSU
and the ACS Western Maryland Local Section.

Enrollment Management Committee

From Academic Affairs:

Steve Simpson, Provost

John Bowman, Vice Provost

Mary Gartner, Associate Provost

Danny Arnold, Dean, College of Business

Joe Hoffman, Dean, College of Liberal Arts & Sciences

Ken Witmer, Dean, College of Education

Rob Smith, Director of Institutional Research

Vickie Mazer, Director of Graduate Services

Art Siemann, Representative from Chairs' Council

James Limbaugh, Associate Vice President for Institutional Effectiveness

From Student & Educational Services (SES):

Tom Bowling, VP, SES

Bernard Wynder, Director, Advising Center

Morris Willey, Registrar

Jay Hegeman, Director of PASS

From Administration & Finance:

Troy Dell, Director of Athletics

Dave Rose, Vice President, Administration and Finance

From Enrollment Management:

Tricia Gregory, Director of Admissions

Angie Hovatter, Director of Financial Aid

Wray Blair, Associate Vice President for Enrollment Management (Chair)

From Communications and Media Relations:

Tim Kershner, Vice President for Communications and Media Relations

Student Representative:

Christopher Uhl

Marketing and Branding Task Force

Rene Atkinson, Director, WFWM

Dennis Baker, Alumni Board

Noah Becker, Sports Information Director

Dr. John Bowman, Associate Vice President, Academic Affairs

Tom Finan, USM Board of Regents

Dr. Carol Gaumer (Chair), College of Business

Dr. Jonathan Gibraltar, President

Trisha Gregory, Director, Admissions

William Mandicott, Student Services

Liz Medcalf, Director, Media Relations

Dr. Tom Palardy, College of Education

Becca Ramspott, Media Relations

Dr. Randall Rhodes, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

Shavonne Shorter, President, SGA

Rob Smith, Director, Information Services

Patty Spiker/Vickie Mazer, Director, Graduate Services

Colleen Stump, Director, Publications



Other Items of Interest

Dr. Frank A. Ammer, Biology

Participated in the College Board Advanced Placement Best Practices Course Study. Ammer's Biology 149 course was identified as an example of a best practices course by the Center for Educational Policy Research.

Rene G. Atkinson, WFWM Station Director

Awarded certificate from the Professional Broadcasting Management Association for completion of specialized training in financial reporting to the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

Dr. D. Alan Bensley, Psychology

Interviewed by Sharon Begley for *Wall Street Journal* article on critical thinking.

Dr. Peggy S. Biser, Chemistry

Taught the chemistry component of Health Careers Opportunity Program (HCOP), Summer 2006.

Dr. Diane C. Blankenship, Recreation and Parks Management

Certified Park and Recreation Professional (CPRP) and took one online course.

Dr. Megan E. Bradley, Psychology

Chair, University System of Maryland's NCAT Initiative for Frostburg State University.

Lisa Toni Clark, Center for Volunteerism, Americorps

Served as program mentor for the Governor's Office on Service and Volunteerism since 2003, trains and monitors the newly funded programs for the first six months of service, provides fiscal and programmatic trainings and support to these programs for the first full year of operation.

Judith A. Dieruf, Visual Arts

Participation in National Honors Conference, Philadelphia.

Participation in Children's Literature Conference, Frostburg State University.

Joan DeVee Dixon, Music

Friends of Music at Frostburg achievements include the naming of a steering committee, music needs list, publications and mailings, and a complete musical instrument inventory. \$20,000 in grants received.

Rebecca A. Gallagher, Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Achieved candidacy in doctorate program at Indiana University of Pennsylvania in curriculum and instruction, January 2007.

Dr. Susan Gray, Recreation and Parks Management

HEED 125 Health & Culture has been accepted as an Identity and Difference course and will be offered in Fall 2007.

Development of Health Promotion minor; revised Field Experience guidelines and assessment tool.

Teens Outside Program, in addition to "general" assistance, delivered two educational sessions and worked with two HP students delivering 2 educational sessions.

Dr. Amy Harman, Biology

Presented awards for Chapter Achievement during the Alpha Beta State Convention, Bowie, Md., April 2007.

Christopher J. Harmon, University Advancement

The Advancement Academy Faculty, Campus Call Users Group, created and managed a manual program from scratch, Phonathon Phiring Line, Las Vegas, Nev., July 2006.

Dr. Veronica Hill, Recreation and Parks Management

Service Learning 2006-2007:

Maryland Winter Special Olympics, 50 students provided the staff for Winter Special Olympics, WISP Resort, McHenry, Md., February 2007.

Whitewater Courses and Parks Conferences, 45 students provided the staff for the Whitewater Courses and Parks Conference, WISP Resort, McHenry, Md., April 2007.

RECR 382 Program Planning, students organized, planned and implemented 16 programs (e.g. talent show, dances, sporting events, parties) for members of the Frostburg Senior Center.

RECR 342 Park and Facility Design and Maintenance, students researched, designed, proposed and/or built the following:

McHenry, Md., Model of the Whitewater Course at Adventure Sports Center International.

City of Frostburg Department of Parks and Recreation, four playground assessments.

City of Cumberland Department of Park and Recreation, park use plans for Will's Mountain.

Frostburg State University, Department of Student and Community Involvement and City of Frostburg Parks and Recreation Department, proposal and design for low ropes/high ropes course.

Dr. Farhad Idris, English

Worked as field editor for ARIEL, a scholarly journal published by the department of English at the University of Calgary, Canada.

Edited a manuscript.

Dr. Robert B. Kauffman, Recreation and Parks Management

Dumoine River Trip, Camp Kwonish, co-leader; took a group of eight campers on 12-day trip in Quebec, Canada, July 2006.

Member, Maryland Recreation and Parks Association.

Member, National Recreation and Park Association.

Member, Association of Experiential Educators.

Member, American Canoe Association.

Member, YMCA.

Member, Wilderness Education Association.

Patricia Kelby, Music

Received certification for 35 hours of coursework, master classes and recitals at the Eastman School of Music Summer Session entitled "Eastman Sings!," July 2006.

Dr. Hongqi Li, Biology

Organized and participated in the 6th International Carnivorous Plants Society Conference, Frostburg State University, June 2006.

Reviewed three chapters of a textbook in environmental sciences for publisher *Pearson Education-Benjamin Cummings*.

Dr. John Lombardi, Mass Communication

Attended the 2007 United States Association of Small Business and Entrepreneurship National Convention in Orlando, Fla., January 2007.

Developed a video production class where students were paired with “real-life” clients in order to produce a professional video project for the actual client.

Clients included the Western Maryland March of Dimes, Adventure Sports Center International, the Whitewater Conference, and a couple of University Departments.

Developed an audio oriented class where students produced a two-CD set (The Mind Culture Original Music Project) featuring original music from local, regional, and international performers.

Member, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication.

Member, Broadcast Education Association (BEA).

Member, National Association of Television Programming Executives.

Susan Manger, Cultural Events Series

Continued certification work in pre-natal pilates and small equipment at the Stott Pilates International Certification Center in Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Melissa Martz, Student and Community Involvement

Coordinated Appalachian Festival Wagon Train, 2006.

Dr. Mark D. Michael, Mathematics

Completed a mini-course, *Infusing Connections Into Courses for Secondary Teachers*, at the summer planning of the Mathematical Association of America, Knoxville, Tenn., August 2006.

Dr. Michael Monahan, Management

Community Representative for Hunter Douglas 5 S program, April 2007.

Career connections trip with 20 students to Hunter Douglas, April 2007.

Career connection trip with 22 students to Rick Hill's Metropolitan Steel and Metropolitan Choppers, April 2007.

Took three students to compete in the student case competition at the SAM conference, Las Vegas, March 2007.

MaryJo A. Price, Library-Special Collections

As part of National Library Week, April 2007, responsible for coordinating a disaster preparedness workshop. Susan Koutsky and Yvonne Carignan, preservation/conservation librarians from McKeldin Library at UMCP, were the presenters of the workshop entitled “Disaster Preparedness and Salvage Techniques.” Library staff from Allegany, Garrett and Mineral Counties attended.

Master Gardener certification.

Dr. Judith Pula, English

Contributed to the Department of English/Allegany County English Education Open Forum, FSU, October 2006.

Dr. Kim H. Rotruck, Educational Professions

Maryland State Department of Education Accreditation Training, St. Michaels, Md., August 2006.

Dr. Terry Russell, Social Work

Completed the Social Work Program Self-Study and hosted the site visit for re-affirmation of accreditation with the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE).

Dr. Sally Stephenson, Educational Professions

Managing Director, Mountain Stage NewSong Academy, Shepherdstown, W.Va., National Songwriting Event, August 2006.

Kristin Baccocchi Stewart, Music

Taught at Ithaca College for half of the fall semester and gave master classes at various institutions.

Francis M. Tam, Physics and Engineering

Physics Program Reviewer, Salisbury University, Salisbury, Md. , March 14-16, 2007.

Book Reviewer of text "Physics for Future Presidents," by Richard Muller, Brooks/Cole Publishing Co.

Taught on-line courses DataStreme Water in Fall 2006, and DataStreme Ocean, Spring 2007 for the American Meteorological Society.

Dr. Kasif Teker, Physics and Engineering

Submitted a grant proposal to Department of Defense, Breast Cancer Research Program in February 2007. The title of the proposal is "Photothermal Local Ablative Therapy of Breast Cancer via Functionalized Carbon Nanotubes". The requested funding is \$72,413.57 for one year.

Submitted a grant proposal to Appalachian Regional Commission (Preliminary Project) to establish a "Nanotechnology Laboratory" at FSU. The requested funding is \$192,000.

Dr. Kara Rogers Thomas, Sociology

Partnered with FSU's Cultural Events Series to host the University's First Appalachian Festival, September 2006.

Organized and hosted performance by Sparky and Rhonda Rucker, FSU, February 2007.

Created WFWM's "Featuring Folklore," short radio segments highlighting regional traditions.

Dave Treber, Conference and Events

Regular column on running in *Cumberland Times-News*.

Don B. Weser, Chemistry

Participated as Counselor and Committee Member of the ACS national Meetings in San Francisco, September 2006, and Chicago, March 2007.

Pamela S. Williams, Lewis J. Ort User Services

Member, Faculty Handbook Subcommittee.

Lewis J. Ort Library Coordinator of Constitution Day Activities, September 2006.

John Wright, Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Jumps Coach, Frostburg State University Track and Field.

Bernard Wynder, Advising Center

Quest Speaker Oak Street AME Church, Children Day Program on "The Value of Education," Baltimore, Md.