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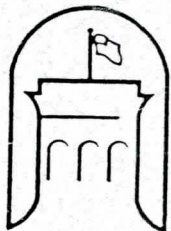
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## PUBLICATIONS

**Béla Bajnok, Associate Professor of Mathematics**, published a chapter entitled "The Spanning Number and the Independence Number of a Subset of an Abelian Group" in *Number Theory*, edited by D. Chudnovsky, G. Chudnovsky, and M. Nathanson (Springer-Verlag, 2004). The chapter describes a new extension of some well-studied concepts in additive number theory.

**Robert F. Bornstein, Professor of Psychology**, published an article entitled *Do dependency and social skills combine to predict depression? Linking two diatheses in mood disorders research* in *Individual Differences Research*, 2004, Volume 2, pages 2-16. The study examined personality variables that enhance diagnostic accuracy and treatment planning in psychiatric inpatients.

**A. Ralph Cavaliere, Professor of Biology**, published two chapters in *Art, Biology and Conservation: Biodeterioration of Works of Art*, edited by R. J. Koestler, V. R. Koestler, A. E. Charola and F. E. Nieto-Fernandez (The Metropolitan Museum of Art and Yale University Press, 2003). The first chapter, entitled "Artworks, Drawings, Prints, and Documents--Fungi Eat Them All!," was authored with H. M. Szecepanowska, and the second chapter was entitled "In Defense of the Fungi." The volume gives a timely overview of the issues and directions of research in biodeterioration of cultural property by fungi. The second chapter presents a positive image of these magnificent organisms.

**Diego Fasolini, Lecturer in Italian**, published an article entitled "E io ch'al fine di tutt' i disii appropinquava": Un'interpretazione teologica del desiderium nel XXXIII canto del Paradiso" in *Forum Italicum*, Vol. 37 (2003): 297-328. This article presents a theological interpretation of the theme of desire (desiderium Dei) in canto XXXIII of Dante's *Paradise*.

**Molly S. Hutton, Director of Schmucker Art Gallery**, presented a paper entitled "On the Streets with George Luks: Looking at Ashcan Paintings" at the Palmer Museum of Art, The Pennsylvania State University, on February 9, 2004. This presentation was part of the Palmer's annual American Art Lecture Series.

**Kenneth F. Mott, Professor and Chair of Political Science**, published an essay on the 1879 Mormon polygamy case, *Reynolds v. United States*, in the *Encyclopedia of the Supreme Court* (Facts on File, Inc., 2004). The article provides a brief history and analysis of the Court's critically important first precedent in the area of First Amendment free exercise of religion jurisprudence.



**Rajmohan Ramanathapillai, Visiting Assistant Professor of Global Studies**, published an article entitled "Prisoners of Liberation: War, Trauma and Story Telling" in *Pakistan Journal of Women's Studies: Alam-e-Niswan*, Vol. 10 (2003): 211-228. This article addresses events in northern Sri Lanka, a region devastated by more than 20 years of civil war.

**Ruihua Shen, Visiting Assistant Professor of Asian Studies**, published several pieces on literary criticism in the web journal *Century China: Weekly* (March, 2004, B) ([http://www.cc.org.cn/newcc/channel\\_zhoukan.php?itemquery](http://www.cc.org.cn/newcc/channel_zhoukan.php?itemquery)). The pieces are entitled "Motherland in the Past, Present and Future: Reading the Poem 'A Song to My Motherland' By Lin Mu," "The Chinese Woman, The Foreign Woman and The Chinese Intellectual: Reading the Poem 'A Reply' By Wang Jiaxin," and "A Soldier, The Intellectual and Politics: Reading the Poem 'A Soldier's Recollection' By Sang Ke."

**Shen** also published a film critique entitled "The Film *The Cell Phone*: A Male Fantasy in the Misogynistic Society in *Century China: Public Forum* (February, 2004, B), an online journal ([www.cc.org.cn/newcc/channel\\_pingtai.php?itemquery](http://www.cc.org.cn/newcc/channel_pingtai.php?itemquery)).

Finally, **Shen** published an article entitled "The Women's and Gender Studies Program at the University of Oregon" in *Feminism in China*, Vol. 1 (2004): 160-164.

**Dustin Beall Smith, Adjunct Assistant Professor of English**, published a piece entitled "The Blair Witch Project Revisited" in *The Gettysburg Review*, Vol. 17 (2004): 135-143. The article asks whether the \$35,000 student film unwittingly describes the uncharted territory of America's recent incursion into Iraq and perhaps predicts the deep-seated communal dread produced by the terrorist attacks of 9/11.

**Kristin J. Stuempfle, Assistant Professor and Co-Chair of Health and Exercise Sciences**, published an article entitled "Personality Profiles of Iditasport Ultramarathon Participants" in the *Journal of Applied Sport Psychology*, Vol. 15 (2003): 258-263. This paper explored the personality profiles of athletes competing in a 100 mile ultraendurance race in the Alaskan wilderness.

**Stuempfle** also published an article entitled "Comparison of Three Methods to Assess Urine Specific Gravity in Collegiate Wrestlers" which appeared in the *Journal of Athletic Training*, Vol. 38 (2003): 315-319. Co-authored with **Daniel Drury, Assistant Professor of Health and Exercise Sciences**, the paper focused on methods used to determine the specific gravity of urine, which is an important indication of a person's hydration status.

Finally, **Stuempfle**, along with co-authors **Bret Crawford, Assistant Professor of Physics**, **David F. Petrie, Lecturer in Health and Exercise Sciences**, and **Michael T. Kirkpatrick**,



**Head Coach of Women's Basketball and Softball**, published a paper entitled "Effect of Hydro-Resistance Training on Bat Velocity" in the *Journal of Exercise Physiologyonline*, Vol. 7 (2004): 63-69.

**Nina L. Tarner, Visiting Assistant Professor of Psychology**, published a paper entitled "Extinction and Spontaneous Recovery of a Conditioned Flavor Preference Based on Calories" in *Learning and Motivation*, Vol. 35 (2004): 83-101. Co-authored with Jerome Frieman of Kansas State University and Ron Mehiel of Shippensburg University, the article shows that a conditioned flavor preference is a Pavlovian procedure, demonstrating for the first time both the extinction and spontaneous recovery of a conditioned flavor preference.

**Isabel Valiela, Visiting Assistant Professor of Spanish**, published an essay entitled "Coming of Age in the Borderlands," in *Latino(a) Research Review*, Vol. 5 (2002-2003): 102-118. The essay analyses three coming of age novels, revealing the intersection of childhood-adulthood transitions with the particular transitions of Mexican-American migrant workers (Tomás Rivera, *...and the earth did not devour him*), Puerto Ricans (Esmeralda Santiago, *When I Was Puerto Rican*), and Cuban-Americans (Elías Miguel Muñoz, *Brand New Memory*).

**Randall K. Wilson, Assistant Professor of Environmental Studies**, published a chapter entitled, "Environmental Conflict, Collaborative Solutions, and the Politics of Scale," in *World Minds: Geographical Perspectives on 100 Problems* edited by D. Janelle, B. Warf, and K. Hansen (Kluwer Academic Publishers, 2004). The piece examines how community-based collaborative resource management can affect efforts to resolve conflicts over environmental resources by re-working the spatial scale and composition of socio-political and economic relations.

## PROFESSIONAL PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

**Lidia Hwa Soon Anchisi, Assistant Professor of Italian**, presented a paper entitled "Look Ma' ... No Hands!: An Analysis of Women's Hands in Gabriele D'Annunzio's Works" at the meetings of the American Association of Italian Studies in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada on April 30, 2004. This presentation analyzed the prosthetic quality of female characters' hands in order to offer an alternate understanding of the morphology of the female body image within the Freudian context that defines a non-presence as a lack.

**Martha E. Arterberry, Professor of Psychology and Assistant Provost**, presented a paper entitled "Subjective Contours and Visual Imagery" at the annual meetings of the Eastern Psychological Association on April 16, 2004 in Washington, D.C. Along with collaborators from Elizabethtown College and **Theresa Rodichok, '03**, and **Kristen Volk, '03**, Arterberry investigated whether images created by subjective contours have properties similar to imagined images.



**Béla Bajnok, Associate Professor of Mathematics**, gave an invited address entitled "From Additive Number Theory in Groups to Spherical Designs" at New College, Sarasota, FL on March 15, 2004.

**Bajnok** also gave a presentation entitled "A Generalization of Sum-free Sets in Abelian Groups and Constructions of Spherical Designs" at The 35th Southeastern International Conference on Combinatorics, Graph Theory, and Computing in Boca Raton, FL on March 11, 2004.

**Emelio R. Betances, Associate Professor of Sociology**, presented a paper entitled "Joaquín Balaguer and the Course of Contemporary Dominican Politics and Society" at the 11<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Asociación Mexicana de Estudios del Caribe, on April 28, 2004 in Campeche, Mexico.

**Robert F. Bornstein, Professor of Psychology**, presented three papers at the meetings of the Society for Personality Assessment in Miami, FL on March 12 and 13, 2004. The titles of the papers are "Rorschach Assessment of Dependent Personality Disorder," "Integrating Data from Self-report and Projective Dependency Tests," and "Religiosity and Healthy Dependency."

**Bornstein** also presented two papers at the meetings of the Eastern Psychological Association in Washington, D.C. on April 16 and 17, 2004. The titles are "Differential Effects of Self-generated Visual Imagery on Affect Ratings of Merely Exposed Stimuli in Parkinson's Disease Patients and Controls," and "Comorbidity of Dependent Personality Disorder and Anxiety Disorders: A Meta-analytic Review," coauthored with **Mei Ng, '04**.

**Judith Allen Brough, Professor of Education**, presented a session entitled "Teach Me, I Dare You," with Larry Holt from the University of Central Florida at the Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD) annual conference in New Orleans, LA, April 2-5, 2004. The session presented emerging research on effective teaching and methods of re-engaging at-risk and confrontational middle and high school students.

**Brough** also presented the keynote address at the Lehigh University annual Middle Level Conference on April 23, 2004. The address, entitled "Elements of Effective Middle Schools" presented current research regarding building schools of excellence where young adolescents are supported in a climate of high expectations. She then presented two follow-up sessions on effective teaching strategies for at-risk young adolescents and on current brain research and learning theory.



**Dan W. Butin, Assistant Professor of Education**, presented a paper entitled "Resisting Identities: Pedagogical Strategies for Social Justice within Teacher Education" at the American Education Research Association Conference in San Diego, CA on April 15, 2004. The paper examined the four dominant theories for student resistance (as failure, as unknowing, as alienation, and as uncaring) and elaborated a fifth (as identity construction). It then applied this reframing of student resistance towards elaborating strategies for teaching about culturally contentious issues such as the structural inequities of American education.

**John A. Commito, Professor of Environmental Studies and Biology**, presented an invited seminar entitled "Self-Organized Criticality in Ecological Systems: Evidence from Maine Mussel Beds" at the Department of Biology at Bates College, Lewiston, ME on March 2, 2004. The presentation dealt with research he and his students and colleagues are conducting on ecologically and economically important beds of the edible mussel, *Mytilus edulis*, and their model seafloor system. John was also a discussant in the senior Biology majors research class, where his publications were the topic for the day.

**Commito** also presented a paper entitled "Regulation of Hierarchical Spatial Pattern in Mussel Beds: Empirical and Cellular Automaton Evidence for Self-Organized Criticality" at the annual Benthic Ecology Meetings, in Mobile, AL on March 26, 2004. He and co-author Ann E. Commito of Frederick Community College compared their empirical results on fractal mussel bed spatial patterns to predictions from their computer model on recruitment-based spatial structure development. They demonstrated that so-called "power-law" recruitment of larvae and juveniles explains virtually all of the spatial variability observed in adult populations of commercially important mussels, *Mytilus edulis*.

**Eric S. Egge, Assistant Professor of Mathematics**, gave the keynote address at the Pi Mu Epsilon induction ceremony at Hood College in Frederick, MD on April 18, 2004. Pi Mu Epsilon, an Honorary Mathematics Society, was founded in 1914 at Syracuse University and currently has over 300 chapters at colleges and universities throughout the United States. Egge's talk, entitled "Mathematical Teflon: How Mathematics Made Music Scratch Resistant," described how mathematics is used to detect and correct errors in electronic media like CDs and DVDs.

**Charles F. Emmons, Professor of Sociology**, presented a paper entitled "The Spiritualist Religion as Popular Science" at the Popular Culture Association Meetings in San Antonio, TX on April 10, 2004. In this paper, Emmons argues that Spiritualist claims of providing (popular) scientific evidence for life after death lost legitimacy by the end of the nineteenth century due to the professionalization of science, and present-day Spiritualist mediums seek confirmation of accuracy in their messages in order to reduce their own skepticism.



**Diego Fasolini, Lecturer in Italian**, presented a paper entitled "Cognoscimus Deum non in se sicuti est, sed in aliquo conceptu: Ockham's Epistemology in the Case of Distinction in God and the Adequacy of the Concept of God" at the Graduate Medievalists at Berkeley Conference, University of California-Berkeley on March 6-7, 2004. This paper is about William of Ockham's treatment of univocity and adequacy in the cases of God and creature, focusing on Ockham as an example of medieval epistemological reasoning.

**Ann Harper Fender, Professor of Economics**, presented a paper entitled "Using Economic History to Teach Economic Principles" at the Midwest Conference on Student Learning in Economics at the University of Akron, Akron, OH on November 7, 2003. This work summarized Fender's use of the Great Depression as a case study to induce student interest in the causes of macroeconomic instability.

**Fender** also presented a paper entitled "The Hudson's Bay Company's Institutional Adaptation to Economic Conditions" at the European Social Science History Association Meetings in Berlin, Germany March 24-27, 2004. The session considered the costs and benefits of merchant guilds, 1300-1800, and Fender's paper looked specifically at the Hudson's Bay Company's organization as a response to information and transaction costs and risk.

**Caroline A. Hartzell, Associate Professor of Political Science and Coordinator of Latin American Studies**, and **Uzma Sheikh, '04**, presented a paper entitled "Intrastate Violence and Institutional Change in Latin America: Civil Wars as Critical Junctures" at the annual national conference of the Midwest Political Science Association held in Chicago, IL on April 15-18, 2004. This paper analyzes the thirteen civil wars that took place in Latin America between 1945 and 1999, assessing the nature of the institutional change that took place following these conflicts as well as the conditions that produced the most enduring institutional change. Hartzell presented a second paper at the meetings entitled "Civil War Settlements and Enduring Peace: A Test of the Wagner and Licklider Hypotheses."

**Pierre Hecker, Visiting Assistant Professor of English**, presented a paper entitled "'Poema Pictura Loquens': The Emblem Performed in *King Lear*" at the Shakespeare Birthplace Trust in Stratford-upon-Avon, England on March 17, 2004. In this paper, Hecker explores the complex nexus of meanings created when the iconography of late 16<sup>th</sup> century emblem books is alluded to or even deployed as part of the theatrical mise-en-scène in *King Lear*.

**Hecker** also presented a paper entitled "Demonstration More Effectual than Speech" for the seminar on Comparative Visual Cultures at the Shakespeare Association of America conference in New Orleans, LA on April 9, 2004. The paper examines Shakespeare's strategic use of stage pictures, or tableaux, as part of his dramaturgy.



**Sherman S. Hendrix, Professor of Biology**, presented a paper entitled "Functional Morphology of the *Monogenean, Bothitrema bothi* from Gills of the Flounder, *Scophthalmus aquosus*, from New Jersey, USA" at the Pennsylvania Academy of Science in Monroeville, PA on March 27, 2004. This presentation described and illustrated new information on the microecology of *Bothitrema bothi* on flounder gills as well as larval and adult anatomy using light and electron microscopy.

**Hendrix** also presented this work at the spring meeting of the Helminthological Society of Washington at Georgetown University, Washington, D.C. on April 3, 2004.

**Kathleen P. Iannello, Associate Professor of Political Science**, presented a paper entitled "The Political is Personal: Third-Wave Feminist Perspectives on Power" at the Annual Meeting of the New England Political Science Association in Portsmouth, NH on May 1, 2004. This research explores new forms of decision making and leadership that are emerging from third-wave feminist organizations.

**Yoshimitsu Khan, Assistant Professor of Asian Studies**, presented a paper entitled "Inoue Kowashi (1843-1895) and His Participation in Transforming Japan into a Modern Nation-State" at the Asian Studies Development Program, A Joint Program of the University of Hawaii and the East-West Center, on April 17, 2004 at the Johnson County Community College in Overland Park, KS.

**Darren K. MacFarland, Assistant Professor of Chemistry, Walter E. Kowtoniuk, '05, and Michelle E. Rueffer, '04**, presented a paper entitled "Synthesis and Competency of a Dicationic Phase-transfer Catalyst" at the meetings of the National American Chemical Society in Anaheim, CA on March 30, 2004. The paper describes the synthesis of a series of novel compounds, and the catalytic testing of one of them.

**Laurence A. Marschall, W. K. T. Sahm Professor and Chair of Physics**, presented a convocation talk entitled "The Age of the Universe" and a colloquium entitled "The Transit of Venus: The Space Race of the 19th Century" at Centre College, in Danville, KY on April 5, 2004. These presentations were given as a Harlow Shapley Visiting Lecturer sponsored by the American Astronomical Society.

**Kenneth F. Mott, Professor and Chair of Political Science**, presented a paper entitled "Faith-Based Initiatives: Creating a Constitutional Intersection" at the Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting in Chicago, IL, April 14-18, 2004. This paper analyzed potential constitutional challenges to President Bush's current funding programs for charitable work through private, sectarian institutions.



**Alan R. Perry, Assistant Professor of Italian**, presented a paper entitled "Italian at Gettysburg College: A Short History and Prognosis" at the meetings of the American Association of Italian Studies in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada on April 30, 2004. This presentation was part of a round table discussion on Italian degree programs in North America and their future.

**Donna L. Perry, Assistant Professor of Anthropology**, presented a paper entitled "Fathers, Sons, and the State: Patriarchal Crisis in Rural Senegal" at the American Ethnological Society Annual Meetings in Atlanta, GA on April 23, 2004. This paper examines a crisis of patriarchal authority that has disrupted relations between Wolof farmers in Senegal and their adolescent sons. Drawing on ethnographic research, Perry shows how male household heads increasingly call on gendarmes to discipline unruly sons through vicious beatings and short-term incarceration.

Perry also presented a paper entitled "Muslim Child Disciples, Global Civil Society, and Children's Rights in Senegal: The Discourses of Strategic Structuralism" at the Central Pennsylvania Consortium African American Studies Conference "Globalizations and the African World" at Gettysburg College on February 28, 2004.

**Jonelle E. Pool, Associate Professor and Chair of Education** and **Charles J. Dittrich, Assistant Director of Alumni Relations** collaborated with colleagues Ken Pool and Eric Longwell from McDaniel College and Sam Hausfather from East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania to present "An Analysis of SAT and PRAXIS I Performance of Teacher Education Candidates at Three Different Types of Institutions" at the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, in Chicago, IL on February 8, 2004. The session analyzed candidate performance on the SAT and Praxis I which is a required exam for teacher candidates in 38 states. They drew on score comparisons for program completers from the three different types of participating institutions (highly selective, selective, and regional university). As a result of this presentation, the team was invited to speak on the same topic at the Maryland Association of Colleges for Teacher Education's spring meeting on April 1, 2004 in Easton, Maryland.

**Rajmohan Ramanathapillai, Visiting Assistant Professor of Global Studies**, gave the keynote address entitled "Justice Injustice: An International Perspective" at three Wave Trauma Centre Conferences. The addresses were presented on March 15, 16, and 18, 2004 in Ballymoney, Derry Londonderry, and Carrickfergus, Northern Ireland, respectively.

**Ramanathapillai** also presented a paper entitled "Social Depression: The Politics of Trauma" at The Weissbourd Annual Conference of the Society for Fellows in the Liberal Arts at the University of Chicago on March 13, 2004. This paper was part of a panel presentation on what depression might be good for.



**Eileen Stillwaggon, Associate Professor of Economics**, presented a paper titled "The Paradigm of the 'Other' and AIDS Policy" at the Central Pennsylvania Consortium African American Studies Conference "Globalizations and the African World" at Gettysburg College on February 28, 2004.

**Stillwaggon** also presented a paper entitled "Individualism and Methodology: HIV/ AIDS and Other Casualties of a Culture of Individualism" at the Allied Social Science Associations' Annual Meeting in San Diego, CA in January 2004. The paper pointed out the limitations of both randomized controlled trials and cost-benefit analysis in the evaluation of health conditions that have multiple causes and health interventions that have multiple outcomes.

Finally, **Stillwaggon** was invited to present a lecture entitled "Global HIV/ AIDS Policy: Asking the Right Questions," on March 25, 2004 for Bucknell University's International Focus Year on Globalization: 21st Century Challenges in Lewisburg, PA.

**Kristin J. Stuempfle, Assistant Professor and Co-Chair of Health and Exercise Sciences**, gave a presentation entitled "Response of Stress Hormones to a 100 Mile Race Across Frozen Alaska" at the American College of Sports Medicine Mid-Atlantic Regional Chapter Annual Meeting in Bushkill, PA (November 1, 2003). The presentation addressed physiological changes experienced by athletes competing in the Susitna 100, a 100 mile ultradistance race held in the Alaskan wilderness each February.

**Shirley Anne Warshaw, Professor of Political Science**, and **Elizabeth Macin, '04**, presented a paper entitled "President Bush and Faith Based Initiatives" at the Midwest Political Science Association meeting in Chicago, IL on April 17, 2004. Warshaw also chaired a panel entitled "The Institutional Presidency" at the conference.

**Randall K. Wilson, Assistant Professor of Environmental Studies** presented a paper entitled "Tracking Collaboration: A Longitudinal Assessment of Community-based Planning on the San Juan National Forest, CO" at the 100<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, March 14-19, 2004, in Philadelphia, PA. The paper was co-authored by Thomas Crawford of East Carolina University. Wilson also served as chair of the session entitled, "Community Land Use and Resource Management" and was co-author of a poster presentation (also with Crawford) entitled "County-level Measures of Spatial Accessibility to National Forests in the US Mountain West."



## PROFESSIONAL DISTINCTIONS AND AWARDS

**Barbara A. Sommer, Assistant Professor of History**, received a Center for New World Comparative Studies Fellowship from the John Carter Brown Library in Providence, RI. The fellowship allows Sommer to spend three months in residence at the library to pursue her research on Native Americans in colonial Portuguese Amazonia.

**Deborah A. Sommer, Associate Professor of Religion**, received a semester fellowship at the Hopkins-Nanjing Institute for International Research. Sommer will be studying in Nanjing as part of her year-long sabbatical in 2004-2005.

**Kristin J. Stuempfle, Assistant Professor and Co-Chair of Health and Exercise Sciences**, was awarded fellow status in the American College of Sports Medicine. The American College of Sports Medicine is the premier professional organization for exercise science and advancement to Fellow is the highest honor given by the College.

**Shirley Anne Warshaw, Professor of Political Science**, received the Delta Gamma Foundation National Faculty Award. In this biennial competition, Delta Gamma chapters nationwide submit a nominee from their faculty. The award will be presented at a banquet on June 25, 2004 in Washington, D. C. at which Warshaw will give a presentation.

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

**Martha E. Arterberry, Professor of Psychology and Assistant Provost**, recently joined the editorial board of *Developmental Psychology*, the American Psychological Association's flagship developmental journal.

**Béla Bajnok, Associate Professor of Mathematics**, was re-elected to serve a three-year term as a Math/Computer Science Councilor for the Council for Undergraduate Research.

**Judith Allen Brough, Professor of Education**, published an article entitled "Motivating the Middle Level Learner," in *ASCD Middle Grades Network Newsletter* Vol. 2 (2004): pp 1-4 with co-author A. A. Arth of the University of Nebraska, Lincoln. The article identifies sources of motivation for middle school students and presents strategies for reaching academically disengaged youth. The Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD) is an international education organization.

**John A. Commito, Professor of Environmental Studies and Biology**, was a member of the March 19, 2004 site visit team that evaluated the Marine Invasive Species Research Program at the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center in Edgewater, MD.



**Commito** was also a member of the external review team that evaluated the Department of Biology at McDaniel College, Westminster, MD on February 19, 2004.

**Daniel R. Gilbert, Jr., Professor of Management and David M. LeVan Chair of Ethics and Management**, represented Gettysburg College at the investiture of Dr. James L. Peterson as the 14th President of Gustavus Adolphus College, in St. Peter, MN on April 16, 2004.

**Timothy N. Good, Associate Professor of Physics**, served on the Program Committee for the 45th annual meeting of the American Physical Society, Division of Plasma Physics. In this capacity, Good help read and organize abstracts for contributed papers and served as the chairman of a session of contributed papers entitled, "Magnetic Reconnection, Nonlinear Phenomena and Plasma Flow" at the meeting in Albuquerque, NM in October, 2003.

**Barbara Schmitter Heisler, Professor of Sociology**, participated in a new working group at the Woodrow Wilson Center for Scholars in Washington, DC on April 29 and 30, 2004. The working group included scholars from several disciplines (anthropology, sociology, geography, history) and universities in the United States, Canada and Japan, and it met to explore and discuss "Space and Identity: Concepts of Immigration and Integration in Urban Areas."

**Florence Ramond Journey, Assistant Professor of French**, has been elected on the board of the Conseil International d'Etudes Francophones (CIEF), the leading Francophone organization for international scholars. She is currently serving a three-year term as one of the representatives for North America.

**Laurence A. Marschall, W. K. T. Sahm Professor and Chair of Physics**, conducted a workshop entitled "Visualizing Scientific Data Sets: From Molecules to Galaxies" on April 17, 2004 in Washington, D.C. Sponsored by the National Science Foundation, this workshop was for principal investigators of Course Curriculum and Laboratory Improvement grants.

**Midori Yonezawa Morris, Luce Junior Professor of Japanese Language and Culture and Assistant Professor of Asian Studies**, organized the Mid-Atlantic Japanese Pedagogy Workshop held at Gettysburg College on March 27-28, 2004. The theme of the workshop was "TELLing Japanese: Technology Enhanced Language Learning," and it drew on the resources of our Japanese faculty and our new Language Resource Center.



**Rajmohan Ramanathapillai, Visiting Assistant Professor of Global Studies**, has been nominated to the Quaker United Nations Committee for a three-year term. This committee helps to develop policies, and through his involvement Ramanathapillai will further his work in peace studies.

**Virginia E. Schein, Professor of Management and Psychology**, chaired a session on Collaborative International Research on Work and Family: A Process Perspective at the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology held April 2-4, 2004 in Chicago, IL. Three teams of cross-cultural researchers discussed the processes involved in doing multi-country investigations.

**Eileen Stillwaggon, Associate Professor of Economics**, is serving as an external reviewer of grant proposals for The Danish Social Science Research Council.

**Donald G. Tannenbaum, Associate Professor of Political Science**, served as both chair and discussant for a panel on Political Philosophy at the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Political Science Association held at Wilkes College in Wilkes-Barre, PA on April 2-3, 2004. This panel featured papers on the American writer John C. Calhoun (1782-1850), one of which compared the ideas of Calhoun to those of the French philosopher Jean-Jacques Rousseau, and another which examined Calhoun from a post-modern perspective.

**Shirley Anne Warshaw, Professor of Political Science**, served as a mentor at the Center for the Study of the Presidency meeting in Washington, D.C. on April 23, 2004. She mentored four students from Harvard's John F. Kennedy School of Government, Columbia University, George Washington University, and Gettysburg College throughout the academic year in the preparation of their research papers.

### **CREATIVE ACTIVITIES, ACCOMPLISHMENTS, AND PERFORMANCES**

**Sheila Mulligan, Adjunct Assistant Professor of English**, published a piece entitled "What Flows Through Me That You Call Time" in *New England Review*, Vol. 24 (2004): 139-148, a literary quarterly magazine published by Middlebury College. This piece is an excerpt from her novel-in-progress, and it is the third time her fiction has appeared in this journal.

**John Winship, Adjunct Instructor of Visual Arts**, has had his work used in several recent publications. His paintings have appeared on the cover of Sally Keith's *Dwelling Song* (University of Georgia Press, 2004), on the cover of Janet M. Martin's *The Presidency and Women: Promise, Performance and Illusion* (Texas A & M University Press, 2003), and in a chapter on Italo Calvino in *Great World Writers: Twentieth Century*, edited by Patrick M. O'Neil (Marshall Cavendish Corporation, 2004).





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