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Celebrating Scholarship

Since its founding in 1939, Endicott College has celebrated the notion that students gain a deep understanding of their personal and professional goals and aspirations through a combination of academic and experiential learning. We have been fortunate to attract faculty who are intellectually curious both in and out of the classroom, and their love of teaching and learning is at the heart of an Endicott education. As educators, they offer the latest and best practices to facilitate our students' intellectual exploration; as practitioners, they offer experience that adds a real-world dimension to academic coursework; and as members of the Endicott family, they give their time and talent to enrich the lives of those in the greater community.

Several years ago, we created *Compass* as a publication that would showcase our faculty, their interests, and their accomplishments. The response has been tremendous. *Compass* not only reflects the intellectual diversity that makes us a strong and effective institution, but it also promotes faculty as champions of academic integrity who offer their knowledge and expertise to a broad community of learners across all disciplines and professions.

The quality and accomplishments of a college's faculty speak loudly for the values and ethics of the institution. The Endicott College Mission Statement encapsulates those values, stating, in part, "*Endicott has a vision for the total development of the individual within a community that fosters an appreciation of diversity, international awareness, community service, and moral and ethical values. . . .Common threads run through the fabric of the Endicott experience: increased self-confidence, stronger professional skills and technological competencies, and perhaps the most valued of all, lives open to change.*"

We are proud of our faculty for the life-changing opportunities they offer our students and for the contributions they make in all their fields of endeavor.

Richard E. Wylie, Ed.D.

President

With this second issue of *Compass*, Endicott College once again takes pride in sharing and celebrating the academic accomplishments of its undergraduate faculty.

The faculty achievements featured on the pages that follow include publications, academic presentations, art exhibits, honors, and awards. Collectively, they represent the faculty's commitment to professional excellence, which extends to the classroom and to the intellectual development of the students they teach.

Our faculty members are dedicated to the transformation of the individual student through the blend of theoretical and experiential learning, the hallmark of an Endicott education. The ongoing focus on best teaching practices and innovative learning strategies results in a dynamic classroom environment sparked by inquiry and dialogue.

This dynamic crystallizes during the senior year when faculty guide students through the process of researching and developing original thesis projects across all disciplines from the sciences to the arts. Each student's successful transition from novice freshman to confident senior prepared to enter a profession or graduate study is one of our faculty's greatest accomplishments.

More than a documentation of faculty achievements, *Compass* is a tribute to the faculty who have continued to shape Endicott's academic landscape through a commitment to excellence in their scholarship, professional development, and teaching.

Laura Rossi-Le, Ed.D.

Vice President,
Dean of the Undergraduate College

PUBLICATIONS

Alefiya Albers, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Psychology

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Andrew Brody, AIA, M.Arch., Associate Professor, Interior Design

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"Electronic Workflow in the Design Studio." Paper presented at the Hawaii International Conference on the Arts and Humanities, January 2008.

Gianluca Caterina, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Math

"Integration on Fuzzy Subsets of the Unit Circle." *Rendiconti di Matematica*, University "La Sapienza," Rome, Italy, 2008.

Lisa Courcy, M.S.N., Assistant Professor, Nursing

"Senior Student Nurses' Perceptions in Meeting Core Competencies Following a Clinical Preceptorship in Nursing" (with K. Fisher and C. Fichera). NLN Publishers, 2008.

Amy Damico, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Communication

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"Media We Like, Don't Like, and Don't Know About: Strategies for Incorporating Media Literacy Instruction into Health Classrooms, A Manual for Instructors" (with H. Fuller). Written for the Salem Public Schools, 2008.

"Cultural Studies as the Foundation for an Honors Program: Documenting Students' Academic and Personal Growth" (with S. Quay). *Honors in Practice*, 4. (2008)43-60.

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Cynthia Fichera, M.S.N., Assistant Professor, Nursing

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Kelly Fisher, Ph.D., Dean, School of Nursing

"Clickers in Nursing Education: An Active Learning Tool in the Classroom" (with N. Meedzan). *Online Journal of Nursing Informatics* (OJNI) Publishers, June 2009.

"Integrating Personal Digital Assistants (PDAs) into Nursing Clinical Education" (with A. Koran). *The International Journal of Technology, Knowledge and Society.* Cgpublisher.com, 2008.

"Senior Student Nurses' Perceptions in Meeting Core Competencies Following a Clinical Preceptorship in Nursing" (with L. Courcy and C. Fichera). NLN Publishers, 2008.

Rocco Gangle, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Philosophy

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Dina Gentile, Ed.D., Professor, Sport Management

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Dena Gilby, Ph.D., Professor, Art

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Douglas Glazer, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Physical Education

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Charlotte Gordon, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, English

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Joseph Gustafson, M.A., Assistant Professor, Criminal Justice

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Jennifer Jefferson, M.A., Director, Writing Center

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Robert A. Jerin, Ph.D., Professor, Criminal Justice

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Jessica D. Kaufman, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Biology/Biotechnology

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John M. Kelley, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Psychology

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Michael Kilburn, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Political Science

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Vitaly Kozyrev, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Political Science/International Relations

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Alice LoCicero, Ph.D., Chair and Associate Professor, Social Sciences

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Fujia Lu, Ph.D., Associate Director of Academic Research

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Nancy Meedzan, M.S.N., Assistant Professor, Nursing

"Clickers in Nursing Education: An Active Learning Tool in the Classroom" (with K. Fisher). *Online Journal of Nursing Informatics* (OJNI) Publishers, June 2009.

The Rev. Stephen B. Murray, Ph.D., College Chaplain; Assistant Professor, Religion

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Sara Quay, Ph.D., Dean, School of Education; Coordinator, Scholars Program

"Learning to Learn: What Matters to First Year College Students." *Journal of Excellence in College Teaching*, Spring 2009.

Editor, *9/11 in Popular Culture*. Westport, CT: Greenwood Press, 2009.

Editor, *Cultural History of Reading in America*, Vols. I and II (with G. Watling). Westport, CT: Greenwood Press, 2008.

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Daniel Sklar, Ed.D., Professor, English

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"Working." *Cosmopsis Quarterly*, Fall 2008.

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"Cats are like Thoreau." *Gloom Cupboard*, Spring 2008.

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"Anything with Horses," *Harvard Review*, Spring 2007.

"Thoughts at a College Division Meeting." *The American Dissident*, Spring 2007.

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William Young, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Humanities

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PRESENTATIONS, EXHIBITIONS, PERFORMANCES

Abigail Bottome, Ph.D., Internship Coordinator

"Seeking Wildness on Plum Island: The Impact of Human Development on a Barrier Island." Paper presentation at the biennial conference on "Island Time: The Fate of Place in a Wired, Warming World" of the Association for the Study of Literature and Environment, University of Victoria, British Columbia, June 2009.

Elizabeth Cain, M.Ed., Assistant Professor, Education

"Media, Mayhem, and Toys of Terror: How Violence is Marketed to Pre-school Children in the United States and the Resulting Impact on Their Behavior." Presentation at the Conference on Workplace and School Violence, Endicott College, Beverly, MA, April 2007.

Gianluca Caterina, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Math

"A No-Go Theorem for the Existence of a Discrete Action Principle." Presentation at the Mathematical Association of America Conference, MathFest, August 2009.

Amy Damico, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Communication

"Telling the Whole Story: Teaching and Writing about September 11th." Cassola Conference on Teaching Communication, Johnson and Wales University, April 2008.

Kathy Desmond, M.F.A., Associate Professor, Visual Communications

Exhibition at ArtSpace Gallery, March-April 2009.

Exhibition in Lineal Investigations, Housatonic Art Museum, Bridgeport, CT, 2007-2008.

"Rites of Passage: The Mortality of Time." Co-curator of exhibit of 27 artists from different countries, Spring 2007.

Exhibition in Common Ground, Raumars 1997-2007, Lnnstrm Art Museum, Rauma, Finland, Fall 2007.

Exhibition in "Collections from the First Two Years," Storefront Artists Project, Pittsfield, MA, 2007.

Beverly Dolinsky, Ph.D., Professor, Psychology

"Perceptions of the Role of Spirituality on a College Campus" (with D. Qualters). Conference paper presented at the American Educational Research Association, San Diego, CA, April 2009.

"The Long-Term Value of a Liberal Education: Assessing College Graduates' Perceptions" (with S. Quay). Roundtable discussion presented at the Association of American Colleges and Universities Network for American Renewal Conference, Baltimore, MD, February 2009.

"Creating Coherence Across First-Year Seminar Sections." Roundtable discussion presented at the 29th Annual Conference on the First-Year Experience, Orlando, FL, February 2009.

Kelly Fisher, Ph.D., Dean, School of Nursing

"Clickers in Nursing Education: An Active Learning Tool in the Classroom" (with N. Meedzan). Poster presentation at the 16th Annual Conference for Educators in the Practice Setting and in Schools of Nursing: Tool Box for the Nurse Educator for the New Millennium, 2008.

"Technology in Nursing Education" (with N. Meedzan and A. Koren). Paper presentation at the North East Organization of Nurse Educators (NEONE) Conference, 2008.

"Simulation Technology in Education and Practice: A Collaborative Model" (with J. Michaud and P. Shea). Poster presentation at the North East Organization of Nurse Educators (NEONE) Conference, 2008.

"Integrating PDA's in Nursing Clinical Education: Changing the Teaching Paradigm" (with A. Koren). Paper presentation at the 4th International Conference on Technology, Knowledge and Society, Northeastern University, Boston, MA, 2008.

"Integrating PDA's in Nursing Clinical Education: Changing the Teaching Paradigm" (with A. Koren). Poster presentation at the 16th Annual Conference for Educators in the Practice Setting and in Schools of Nursing: Tool Box for the Nurse Educator for the New Millennium, 2008.

Brian Fitzpatrick, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Music

Solo piano performance. "Improvisation and Identity: Discovering Self and Community in a Trans-Cultural Age" at the Third Annual Conference of the International Society for Improvised Music, Lamont School of Music, University of Denver, 2008.

Rocco Gangle, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Philosophy

"Abstract Materials: Adorno's Aesthetics after Laruelle." Radical Philosophy Association Meeting, San Francisco, CA, November 2008.

"Laruelle for Levinas: Sensibility without Subject." Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, October 2008.

"Seating Plato between Jesus and Einstein: How the Philosophical Tradition Can Mediate Science and Religion Today." Lecture delivered at Loyola College, Baltimore, MD and sponsored by Metanexus Local Societies initiative, September 2008.

"Renovating Philosophical Practice through Diagrammatic Reasoning." XXII World Congress of Philosophy, Seoul, South Korea, August 2008.

"Spinoza, Language and Relational Identity." Subject, Self, and Soul: Transdisciplinary Approaches to Personhood, Annual Metanexus Conference, Madrid, Spain, July 2008.

Dina Gentile, Ed.D., Professor, Sport Management

"Electronic Portfolio and Learner Engagement in Sport Management." Presentation at the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance (AAHPERD) National Convention, March 2009.

"Sport Management Course Development: Incorporating Technology into the Classroom;" "Outcome Assessment for the Sport Management Curriculum." Presentations at AAHPERD National Convention, 2008.

"Integrating Technology into the Sport Management Classroom." Presentation at AAHPERD National Convention, 2007.

Dena Gilby, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Art

"Art, Innovation, and Interactivity," Session Chair. "In the Shadow of the Other: Photography, The Louisiana Purchase Expedition and the Gerhard Sisters," presentation. British Association for American Studies, March 27-30, 2008.

Joseph Gustafson, M.S., Assistant Professor, Criminal Justice

"Neutralizing Police Deviance: The Transmission of Subcultural Values." Paper presented at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Conference, Cincinnati, OH, 2008.

"Explaining the Promotion of Minority Police Officers in U.S. Cities." Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology, St. Louis, MO, October 2008.

"Defended Neighborhoods and Racial Threat as Covariates of Police Enforcement Practices" (with R. Kane). Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Conference, Atlanta, GA, Fall 2007.

Mark Herlihy, Ph.D., Chair and Associate Professor, Humanities

"The Irish Diaspora in World History." Presentation at Innisfree International College and Convention Center/St. Angela's College, Sligo, Ireland, June 2009.

"A Tale of Three City Teams: The Color Line and the Red Sox, Celtics, and Bruins." Paper presented at the Joint Conference of the National Popular Culture and American Culture Associations, New Orleans, LA, April 2009.

"Students, Humanities, and the Future." Discussion leader at the Council of Independent Colleges, Department Chair Workshop, Cambridge, MA, May 2009.

"19th Century Boston Cultural History." Panel commentator at the New England Historical Association Conference, Northeastern University, Boston, MA, April 2008.

"The Local and National in Twentieth Century New England." Panel commentator at the New England Historical Association Conference, Endicott College, Beverly, MA, October 2008.

Jennifer Jefferson, M.A., Director, Writing Center

"Facing New Challenges of Age and Experience" (with C. Cartwright, J. Rockowitz, and E. Hochberg). Presentation at Northeast Writing Centers Association Conference, Burlington, VT, April 2008.

Robert A. Jerin, Ph.D., Professor, Criminal Justice

"Domestic Homicides in Massachusetts 1998 – 2007." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Criminal Justice Association, New Orleans, LA. October, 2008.

"The Criminal Justice System." Lecture presented at the second Massachusetts Victim Assistance Academy, Beverly, MA. July 2008.

"Development of Comprehensive Assistance Systems for Crime Victims." Lectures delivered at The Tokiwa International Victimology Institute, Mito, Japan to representatives from Asia, Africa, South America, Europe, and the Middle East, November 2007.

"Assessing College Educational Programs in Victimology." Roundtable presented at the 5th American Symposium on Victimology, Baltimore, MD, March 2007.

John Kelley, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Psychology

"Can Personality Traits Predict the Placebo Response?" Paper presented at the Healing, Ritual, and Placebo seminar at Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA, 2009.

"Mirror, Mirror on the Wall: Placebo Effects That Exist Only in the Eye of the Beholder." Paper presented at the Symposium on Mechanisms of Placebo/Nocebo Responses. Tutzing, Germany, 2007.

"Enhanced Tactile Acuity in Tai Chi Practitioners: Evidence for Neural Plasticity" (with C. E Kerr, J. R. Shaw, R. H. Wasserman, V. W. Chen, A. Kanojia, and T. A. Bayer). Paper presented at the Society for Neuroscience, San Diego, CA, 2007.

Rebecca Kenneally, M.Music, Performing Arts Coordinator

Directed Boston Early Music Festival's Youth Ensemble production of Venus and Adonis and Acteon, Jordan Hall, Boston, MA, June 2009.

Michael Kilburn, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Political Science

"Racial Profiling at the Borders: Implications for National and Human Security." Racial Profiling at the Borders, Kwantlen University College, Surrey, BC, Canada, April 25, 2008.

"Anti-Political Politics and Anti-Poetical Poetics: Negotiating Political Opposition and Aesthetic Freedom During Normalization in Czechoslovakia" The Persistence of Empire: AAASS National Convention, New Orleans, LA, November 2007.

"The Irony of Antipolitics." Charter 77: From the Assertion of Human Rights to the Democratic Revolution 1977-1989, National Museum and the Faculty of Arts of the Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic, March 2007.

Chair of panel: "Victimology and Human Rights;" Presentation of "Criminology, Victimology and Human Rights: Towards a Synthetic Paradigm." ISA Annual Convention, Chicago, IL, February 28 – March 3, 2007.

Katherine Kilty, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Sport Management

"Is There a Place for Positive Psychology in Performance Enhancement Consulting?" Workshop presented at the Association for Applied Sport Psychology's Annual Conference, September 2008.

"Coaching the Coach: Coping Strategies for High-Performance Coaching." Paper presented at the Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Boston, MA, September 2008.

Vitaly Kozyrev, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Political Science/International Relations

"The 'Russian Factor' in China's Global Strategy." Paper presented at the Symposium on China's Rise and Its Impact on Asia: Democratization, Development and Culture, Center for Asian Democracy, University of Louisville, KY, March 20 – 21, 2009.

"Russian Policy Towards Asia." Paper presented at the 40th National Convention of American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Philadelphia, PA, November 20–23, 2008.

"Political Change in Russia and Its Foreign Policy Implications." Talk at Comparative Politics Seminar, the Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Harvard University, October 16, 2008.

"The New Russia: How to Deal with It?" Public lecture at the Manchester Club, Manchester, MA, September 18, 2008.

"Russia and China in Central Asia: The Limits of Cooperation." Comparative economics seminar presentation at the Davis Center for Eurasian Studies, Harvard University, 2007.

"Putin's Regime: Its Origin and Mission." Public talk at Wesleyan University, 2007.

"Security Implications of China's Hunt for Energy" (with L. Goldstein). Presentation at Amherst College, April 2007.

China's Strategy of Building a "Harmonious World." Public talk at the University of Louisville, KY, April 2007.

"Putin's Russia: Change and Continuity from the Soviet Era." Lecture at McMaster University, Canada, February 2007.

Alice LoCicero, Ph.D., Chair and Associate Professor, Social Sciences

"The Rest of the Story: Global Considerations in the Creation of Young Martyrs." Presentation at the International Colloquium on Conflict and Aggression, Zakopane, Poland, July 2008.

"When the Last Tamil Dies. Talking to Children in War Zones" (with S. J. Sinclair). Presentation at the American Psychological Association, Boston, MA, August 2008.

"Significant Others: Educating 21st Century Students for a Sustainable Global Living" (with G. Seymour, J. Seymour, and N. Chaudry). Winter Roundtable at Columbia University, New York, NY, February 2008.

"Conversations with Children in the Midst of a Long Ethnic War" (with S. J. Sinclair and anonymous collaborator). Presentation at Interdisciplinary Approach to Terrorism Conference, Madrid, Spain, September 2007.

"Mentor and Counselor: Evolving Model for Counseling Court-Involved Youth" (with S. Dangelo, C. Gabris, A. McCue, L. Mizock, K. Roth, and S. Samberg). Presentation at American Psychological Association Annual Convention, San Francisco, CA, August 2007.

"Talk, Terror, and Torture" (with G. Seymour, J. Seymour, S. J. Sinclair, and S. Segallar). Winter Roundtable on Multicultural Psychology and Education at Columbia University, New York, NY, February 2007.

Fujia Lu, Ph.D., Associate Director of Academic Research

"Bureaucratic Corruption and Property Rights." Presentation at International Conference on Anti-Corruption Issues sponsored by Yale University Law School and Peking University Law School at Peking University, 2008.

Cherie Lynch, M.Ed., Director, Internship Program

"Reflective Writing for Experiential Learning." Presentation at the New England Association for Cooperative Education and Field Experience Fall Conference, Plymouth, MA, October 2008.

"Academic Internship Program Development: Connecting Faculty, Online Learning, and the Traditional Classroom (with D. Rozansky). Presentation at the Cooperative Education and Internship Association Annual Conference, Dallas, TX, March 2007.

Melvin Manson, M.A., C.A.G.S., Professor, Sociology

Session leader: "Creating Assignments to Engage Students in Critical Thinking." 28th International Conference on Critical Thinking, Berkeley, CA, July 2008.

Nancy Meedzan, M.S.N., Assistant Professor, Nursing

"Clickers in Nursing Education: An Active Learning Tool in the Classroom" (with K. Fisher). Poster presentation at the 16th Annual Conference for Educators in the Practice Setting and in Schools of Nursing: Tool Box for the Nurse Educator for the New Millennium, 2008.

"Technology in Nursing Education" (with K. Fisher and A. Koren). Paper presentation at the North East Organization of Nurse Educators (NEONE) Conference, 2008.

The Rev. Stephen B. Murray, Ph.D., College Chaplain; Assistant Professor, Religion

"The Births of Jesus: The Genealogy and Birth Narratives of Jesus of Nazareth in the Four Gospels." Presented as the Advent Lecture Series of the Massachusetts Bible Society, Boston, MA, December 2008.

"In Defense of Soul Liberty: Celebrating the Baptist Legacy of Proclaiming Religious Freedom." Presented at Kalamazoo College, Kalamazoo, MI, May 2008.

"Toward a Progressive Christian Theology on Patriotism." Presented at Hood College, Frederick, MD, May 2008.

"The Challenges of Majority Faith Amid the Promises of Religious Diversity." Presented at the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, April 2008.

"The Shaping of an American Calvinism: The Interface of Scottish Presbyterians and Dutch Reformers in the New York State Capital Region. Presented at the Albert A. Smith Lecture in Reformed Church History at the New Brunswick Theological Seminary, New Brunswick, NJ, March 2008.

"The Future of University Chaplaincy in a Religiously Pluralistic World." Presented at Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, March 2008.

"The Relevance of Paul Tillich to the Future of the Jewish-Christian Dialogue." Presented before The North American Paul Tillich Society at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Religion, San Diego, CA, November 2007.

James Perry, MBA, Assistant Professor, Hospitality

"Risk Assessment in the Meeting Industry." Presentation at New England Meetings Industry Conference and Exposition, Boston, MA, April 2009.

Sara Quay, Ph.D., Dean, School of Education; Coordinator, Scholars Program

"Tailoring the Job Search to Colleges that Emphasize Teaching." Presentation at the Northeast Modern Language Association Conference, Boston, MA, February 2009.

"Telling the Whole Story: Teaching and Writing about September 11th." Cassola Conference on Teaching Communication, Johnson and Wales University, April 2008.

"Faculty Roles in Improving the Quality of Undergraduate Education." Professional Development Workshop, Endicott College, January 2007.

William Samenfink, Ph.D., Dean, School of Hospitality Management

"Leveraging Your Menu for Revenue Enhancement." New England Foodservice & Lodging Expo, March, 2009.

"Expanding the Hospitality Curriculum through Creative Synergies." Presentation at the International Council on Hotel, Restaurant, and Institutional Educators (ICHRIE) Conference, August 2008.

"Menu Design and Engineering." Presentation at the Massachusetts Restaurant Association, ProStart Teachers' Conference, July 2008.

"International Internships Combined with Study Abroad." ICHRIE Conference, July 2007.

"Restaurant Revenue Management: A Front and Back Perspective." Northeast Foodservice and Lodging Expo, April 2007.

Anne-Marie Scholer, Ed.D., Professor, Biology

"College Students' Perceptions of Scientists" (with M. Hatton). Conferences of the Massachusetts Association of Science Teachers, Worcester, MA, March 2008.

"An Evaluation of the Efficacy of a Laboratory Exercise on Cellular Respiration." (with M. Hatton and M. Staffier), American Microbiology Association's Conference for Undergraduate Educators, Endicott College, June 2008.

Joyce Shaw, D. PT., Assistant Professor, Biology

"Student Perceptions of the Microbial Quality of Bottled Water." Presentation at the Annual Conference of the American Society for Microbiology for Undergraduate Educators (ASMCUE), Endicott College, Beverly, MA, May 2008.

"Using Online Posters for Research Projects to Enhance Peer-to-Peer Learning." Presentation at the Annual Conference of the National Science Teachers Association (NSTA), Boston, MA, March 2008.

"The Effect of Small Group Debate Format on Student Learning." Presentation at the Annual Conference of the American Society for Microbiology for Undergraduate Educators (ASMCUE), University of Buffalo, SUNY, May 2007.

"Effectiveness of Small Group Presentations on Student Learning." Presentation at the National Science Teachers Association, St. Louis, MO, May 2007.

Christopher Tripler, Ph.D.,
Assistant Professor, Environmental Science

"Sustainable Development." Presentation at the Beverly Energy Harvest Festival, Beverly, MA, September 2008.

Richard Weissman, M.S., Director, Center for Leadership

"Negotiation 101: Back to Basics." Presentation at the New England Supply Chain Conference, Marlborough, MA, October 2008.

"Sustainability in the Supply Chain." Presentation at the Institute for Supply Management 2008 Boston Leadership Training Conference, Boston, MA, July 2008.

"Leadership: A Make or Buy Decision?" APICS Seminar 1 Conference, Marborough, MA, April 2008.

William Young, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Humanities

"Betrayals of Vulnerability: Beyond Sovereign Responsibility." Panel presentation on "Invulnerability: Beyond Philosophical Responsibility" at the National Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy Conference, October 2008.

"The Worklessness of Love: Agamben's Messianic Redemption." Panel presentation On Giorgio Agamben at the National American Academy of Religion Meeting, San Diego, CA, November 2007.

"The Road from No Country: Redemption in Cormac McCarthy's Recent Work." Paper presented at the Northeast Regional Christianity and Literature Conference at Regis College, Weston, MA, October 2007.

GRANTS, AWARDS, APPOINTMENTS

Kelly Fisher, Ph.D., Dean, School of Nursing

The School of Nursing was awarded a Nurse of the Future Competencies for Education and Practice Grant from the Massachusetts Department of Higher Education Nursing and Allied Health Initiative.

Mark Herlihy, Ph.D.,
Chair and Associate Professor, Humanities

Elected to the Nominating Committee of the New England Historical Society, April 2009.

John Kelley, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Psychology

Grant from Merck, "The Effects of Expectation and Knowledge on Sumatriptan and Placebo Treatment of Acute Migraine Headache." (In collaboration with colleagues at the Harvard Institute of Medicine).

Grants from National Institutes of Health, "The Reliability of the Placebo Effect in Asthma" and "Exploratory Analysis of the Relaxation Response and Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction."

Robert A. Jerin, Ph.D., Professor, Criminal Justice

Member, Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences Certification Program

Michael Kilburn, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Political Science

Awarded Whiting Fellowship for the advanced study of Human Rights at NUI Galway, Summer 2008.

Dennis Lanson, M.F.A., Professor, Communication

Grants from the Harold Grinspoon Foundation for a video documentary, "Seeking the 36" (with Stephen Billias). Release and broadcast, 2009.

Melvin Manson, M.S., C.A.G.S., Professor, Sociology

Named 2009 Sociologist of the Year by the New England Sociological Association.

President-Elect and Past President, New England Sociological Association.

The Rev. Stephen B. Murray, Ph.D., College Chaplain; Assistant Professor, Religion

Selected to participate in conference on "Nurturing the Next Generation of Inter-religious Leadership" at Virginia Theological Seminary, Alexandria, VA, May 2009.

Member, Board of Trustees, Massachusetts Bible Society, Andover Newton Theological School, Newton Centre, MA.

Managing Editor, *Journal of Inter-Religious Dialogue*.

Board of Directors, Dwight Hall Center for Public Service and Social Justice, Yale University, New Haven, CT.

Albert A. Smith Fellow in Reformed Church History at the New Brunswick Theological Seminary, New Brunswick, NJ, 2008.

Elizabeth Roland, M.L.S., Reference Librarian

Received Excellence in Teaching Award, Endicott College, May 2009.

William Samenfink, Ph.D., Dean, School of Hospitality

President, for the International Council on Hotel, Restaurant, and Institutional Educators (ICHRIE), 2009.

Joyce Shaw, D. PT., Assistant Professor, Biology

Selected for the Biological Science Foundation Network (BEN) Scholars to develop digital resources, May 2008.

Selected as a faculty member for the American Society for Microbiology Scholars Program, July 2007.

Christopher Tripler, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Environmental Science

Awarded National Science Foundation Grant. "Use of Urban Ecology to Explain Changes in Forest Dynamics under Global Environmental Change Conditions: Development of a Forest Ecology Lab." September 1, 2007-August 31, 2008.

William Young, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Humanities

Selected to participate in the National Endowment for the Humanities summer seminar on "Religious Diversity and the Common Good" at the Boisi Center for Religion and American Public Life, Boston College, June/July 2009.

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