Preface: Scholarship 2012

College of Arts and Sciences

The intellectual power and creative vitality of the College of Arts and Sciences reside in our faculty. While students lie at the center of the College's attention, the work of the College's faculty makes possible the distinctive education in the liberal arts and sciences that our graduates attain. All of the College's achievements and aspirations spring in some way from faculty members' creativity, talent and dedication in scholarship, teaching and professional service.

In calendar year 2012, faculty members in the College received more than 30 University grant awards and 48 national grant and fellowship awards. College faculty also authored or created 15 books, 46 book chapters, 335 journal articles and reviews, 99 performances and 79 exhibits in the past year. This publication honors these scholarly and artistic achievements.

The College held its annual recognition of outstanding faculty accomplishment on April 12, 2013. Faculty members honored as recipients of the College's faculty awards were: Dr. Danielle Poe (philosophy) for outstanding teaching, Dr. Teri Thompson (communication) for outstanding scholarship and Dr. Peggy DesAutels (philosophy) for outstanding service. Professor Bill Marvin (philosophy) received the College's award for outstanding contribution by a full-time non-tenure-line faculty member. Brief articles are included in this publication about the exemplary commitments of these faculty colleagues to their students, their scholarly fields and the University.

The College also recognizes the accomplishment and dedication of faculty retirees who have been promoted to the rank of professor emeritus/a: Dr. Rex Berney (physics), Dr. Tom Eggemeier (psychology), Dr. Jerry Keil (chemistry), Professor Fred Niles (visual arts) and Dr. Linda Snyder (music). Eggemeier also was promoted to the rank of distinguished service professor. These faculty members leave a deep legacy on our campus. In addition to their work as teachers, scholars and artists, each of them served with distinction as department chairs; three of them served as associate deans of the College; and one of them served as dean of the graduate school. Collectively, these colleagues contributed 158 years of valuable service to the College.

Finally, this publication recognizes the appointment of two new endowed faculty chairs. Dr. Miguel H. Díaz, who completed his service as U.S. ambassador to the Holy See last fall, became the fourth University Professor of Faith and Culture, following Dr. David O'Brien. Dr. Ellen Fleischmann (history) begins her term as the next Alumni Chair in Humanities this coming year, following Dr. Patricia A. Johnson. We are honored to have a distinguished theologian and a distinguished historian take up these positions of academic leadership in the College.

I offer this publication with gratitude for the outstanding work and vibrant collegial culture of the faculty of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Dayton.

Paul H. Benson
Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
University of Dayton
July 2013
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Biology

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GRANTS


Williams, T. M. (Principal). “Collaborative Research: The structure, function, and evolution of a regulatory network controlling sexually dimorphic fruit fly development.” Sponsored by National Science Foundation, $10,000. (May 1, 2012 - August 1, 2012).

SPONSORED RESEARCH

Rowe, J. J., Robinson, J. B., Nielsen, M. G. “synthesis of benign Ag nanoparticles and effect of Ag nanoparticles on gut bacterial flora.” Sponsored by Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education, $10,000. (June 1, 2012 - January 1, 2013).

INVITED LECTURES / ADDRESSES


Kango-Singh, M., Meghana, T., Modi, R., Nairnparampil, J., Singh, A.
Alumni Chair in Humanities: Ellen L. Fleischmann, Ph.D.

Ellen L. Fleischmann. Alumni Chair in Humanities, has been a faculty member at the University of Dayton since 1998. Dr. Fleischmann excels as a scholar, teacher and servant leader. She has received seven major external grants and fellowships, written 16 articles (not including encyclopedia pieces and book reviews), co-edited a forthcoming book on global health and humanitarianism, and published a groundbreaking work in Middle Eastern history: The Nation and Its “New” Women: The Palestinian Women’s Movement, 1920-1948 (University of California Press, 2003).

In 2012, Fleischmann participated in a National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) seminar on World War I in the Middle East. She was then invited to host her own NEH seminar at the University of Dayton. Fleischmann’s most recent book project is tentatively titled Women and American Protestant Mission in Lebanon, 1860-1945: Education, Professionalization and the Making of Transnational Gender History. This transnational work focuses on both American missionaries and their students, and views missions, education and professionalization through the lens of gender. Fleischmann’s scholarly expertise in Middle Eastern history and women’s history ensures a sophisticated and nuanced examination of the missions education enterprise from the perspective of Middle Eastern women – a unique offering in missions history.

In addition to her scholarly accomplishments, Fleischmann is an outstanding teacher. Her lectures on topics ranging from Islam, the Ottoman Empire, and the post-WWI Middle East, as well as her work in the team-taught honors global history course and her participation in a summer study abroad program in Morocco, have helped to internationalize UD’s curriculum. A number of UD’s brightest history majors have gone on to pursue graduate degrees in Middle Eastern history, thanks in good part to Fleischmann’s ability to connect her scholarship to her teaching and mentoring.

Fleischmann’s service extends beyond the classroom, as she has displayed an exemplary commitment to serving not only the University community, but also the greater Dayton community. She was a major contributor to the campus discussion regarding the nature of and prospects for the post-September 11 world, work that included serving as a discussant in a number of university panel conversations. She has also participated in public discussions of the Iraq War, the conflict between Palestine and Israel and, most recently, “Transition and Revolution in the Middle East and North Africa.” The College of Arts and Sciences is looking forward to Dr. Fleischmann’s scholarly and professional contributions as the new Alumni Chair.
“Drosophila eye model to study the genetic basis of amyloid-beta dependent neurodegeneration.” Ohio Miami Valley Society for Neuroscience symposium, Ohio Miami Valley Society for Neuroscience, Miami University, Oxford, OH. (February 17, 2012).


Tare, M., Kango-Singh, M., Singh, A. “Domain specific E3 ubiquitin ligase mediated Wingless degradation promotes Dorso-Ventral lineage in the developing Drosophila eye.” 50th Annual Midwest Developmental Biology Meeting, Society for Developmental Biology (Mid West Chapter), Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Research Center. (May 12, 2012).

Tsonis, P. A., University of Minnesota. (December 12, 2012).

Tsonis, P. A. 8th Conference of the Greek Bioscientists, University of Patras., Greek Bioscientists, Patras, Greece. (October 19, 2012).


Tsonis, P. A. Course in Developmental Biology, Society of Developmental Biology, Latin America/USA, Montevideo, Uruguay. (April 19, 2012).

PAPERS


McEwan, R., Benbow, M. E., McNeish, R. “Cross-habitat and cross-kingdom biodiversity effects: riparian forest invasion regulates aquatic macroinvertebrate and microbial communities.” 4th International Ecosummit, Columbus, Ohio. (October 3, 2012).


**POSTERS**


Mutyam, V., Frisbie, J., Goldstein, D., Diestelkamp, W., Krane, C. M. “Aquaglyceroporin expression and erythrocyte omeregulation in cultures from the freeze tolerant anuran, Cope’s gray tree frog, Hyla chrysoscelis.” 2012 Ohio Physiological Society Meeting, Ohio Physiological Society, Wright State University, Dayton, OH. (October 27, 2012).


Nielsen, M. G. “Differential toxicity of silver and titanium dioxide nanoparticles on Drosophila melanogaster development, reproductive effort, and viability: Size, coatings and antioxidants matter.” Society for Toxicology, Society of Toxicology. (March 11, 2012).


**PRESENTATION**


**BOOK CHAPTER**


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**JOURNAL ARTICLES**


Benbow, M. E., Gorbach, K., McIntosh, M., Burky, A. J. (2012). Dispersal and upstream migration of a neritid snail: implications for restoring migratory pathways in tropical streams. Freshwater Biology, 57, 1643-1657.

Benbow, M. E., Gorbach, K., McIntosh, M., Burky, A. J. (2012). Dispersal and upstream migration of a neritid snail: implications for restoring migratory pathways in tropical streams. Freshwater Biology, 57, 1643-1657.


University Professor of Faith and Culture: Miguel H. Díaz, Ph.D.

Prior to his appointment last year as University Professor of Faith and Culture, Dr. Miguel H. Díaz served as the United States ambassador to the Holy See. "As ambassador, I know firsthand the role of American culture and leadership in international relations as well as the growing importance of religion on the world stage. I look forward to building bridges between faith and culture, and to facilitating inclusive, scholarly and constructive conversations that advance the common good," he said.

A prominent Catholic theologian, Díaz was the first Hispanic to represent the United States at the Vatican. He helped launch the Religion and Foreign Policy Working Group of the Secretary of State’s Strategic Dialogue with Civil Society. This groundbreaking initiative facilitates regular engagement with communities of faith.

An influential Catholic leader in areas as far-ranging as human trafficking to interreligious dialogue, Diaz brings a wealth of experience and a thoughtful theological approach to issues of faith and culture. The wisdom and insights he gained while serving as ambassador to the Holy See enhance not only the University of Dayton, but also the broader Catholic higher education community. His expertise in Hispanic and Latino/a theology will help the University reach out to Hispanic populations for both faculty and student recruiting. In addition, his experience at the level of international relations will help link the University to populations abroad. It’s all part of a strategic effort to further diversify and internationalize our campus and to move the University to a position of leadership in global Catholic conversations.

Díaz’s appointment comes at a time when the Catholic Church marks the 1,700th anniversary of Constantine’s conversion, commemorates the 50th anniversary of the Second Vatican Council and celebrates the Year of Faith. "Whether we consider the profound impact of Constantine’s conversion on Christian traditions or the refreshing invitation of the Council to read the signs of the time and to interpret these signs in light of Christian faith and revelation, we stand squarely at the bridging of faith and culture," Díaz said. "This coming year, which Pope Benedict XVI proclaimed as the Year of Faith, provides a wonderful opportunity for Catholic universities to reflect upon the development of Catholic intellectual traditions and contribute to the ongoing weaving of faith and the cultural realities that surround us."

Before being named U.S. ambassador to the Holy See, Diaz taught theology at the College of Saint Benedict in St. Joseph, Minn., and Saint John’s University in Collegeville, Minn. He was a board member of the Catholic Theological Society of America and is former president of the Academy of Catholic Hispanic Theologians of the United States.

Fluent in Italian, Spanish and French, Diaz also reads Greek, Latin and German. His academic interests include theological anthropology, Latino/Latina theologies and Trinitarian theology.

His books include On Being Human: U.S. Hispanic and Rahnerian Perspectives (Orbis Books, 2001), for which he received the Hispanic Theological Initiative’s 2002 Book of the Year award from Princeton Theological Seminary. In addition, he co-edited From the Heart of Our People: Latino/a Explorations in Catholic Systematic Theology (Orbis Books, 1999).


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### GRANTS


**Lopper, M. E. (Principal).** “Development of novel antibacterial compounds to target bacterial DNA replication restart pathways.” Sponsored by Research Corporation for Science Advancement - Cottrell College Science Award, $45,000. (July 1, 2010 - December 31, 2012).

### PAPERS


**Crosson, G.** “Denatonium benzoate sorption to smectite clay minerals: Kinetic studies.” Central Regional American Chemical Society Annual Meeting, American Chemical Society, Dearborn, Michigan. (June 5, 2012).


**POSTERS**


**Crosson, G.,** Sandmann, E. “Sorption kinetics of denatonium benzoate to 2:1 layered aluminosilicate minerals.” Fall 2012 National American Chemical Society Meeting, American Chemical
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JOURNAL ARTICLES


Swavey, S. M., Eder, A. Enhanced O2 electrocatalysis by a highly conjugated cobalt(II) porphyrin. inorganic chemistry communications, 29, 14-17.

Swavey, S. M., Viviani, S., Fratini, A. V. The effect of the lanthanide contraction on coordination with the polyazine bridging ligand 2,3-bis(2-pyridyl)pyrazine. Inorganic Chemistry Communications, 24, 29-31.


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**Outstanding Scholarship Award:** Teresa Thompson, Ph.D.

**Dr. Teresa Thompson** began her career at the University of Dayton in 1985. During her time at UD, she has developed a record of scholarship worthy of national commendation within her discipline. She has written or edited 10 books or monographs, 30 refereed journal articles, 34 scholarly book chapters, several entries in academic encyclopedias, and eight other publications. In addition, she has presented 76 papers at professional meetings and has been awarded five research grants. Thompson has published repeatedly in top-tier journals, and her work has been translated into three languages.

Thompson’s research is impressive in both quantity and impact, and she is regarded as one of the leading authorities in the field. She is the founding and ongoing editor of *Health Communication*, which she has edited for 24 years. She also has served as a reviewer and editorial board member of 12 other journals and as a paper reviewer for numerous academic conferences and has worked as an associate editor for the publisher Lawrence Erlbaum Associates.

Dr. Thompson has received national awards both for specific scholarly contributions and for her overall stature in the field of communication research. She has won multiple top-paper awards at the National Communication Association — the oldest, largest and most influential scholarly association in her field. She was honored with the distinguished book award from the health communication divisions of the National Communication Association and the International Communication Association. She was named Health Communication Scholar of the Year by the National Communication Association. Thompson has given numerous invited lectures and participated on panels not only in the United States, but also in Europe and Asia. She has also served as a consultant for undergraduate and graduate programs of study.

Thompson’s work represents the high-water mark of scholarship in her field. She is recognized internationally as a leading scholar in communication, and her highly acclaimed work has helped to shape and advance the direction of her discipline. The College of Arts and Sciences is gratified by her professional presence on the faculty.
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**Communication**

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**SPONSORED RESEARCH**

Robinson, J. D. (Co-Principal). “Neurological exams and telemedicine.” Sponsored by Specialists on Call.

**INVITED LECTURES / ADDRESSES**


**PAPERS**


Yang, A. “Toward a model of contextualizing organizational relationships: A network ecology framework. Paper accepted by the annual conference of National Communication Association.” annual

Yang, A. “#like me plz: Examining influence and social capital within the Knight News Twitter discourse.” annual conference of AEIMC, AEJMC, Chicago. (August 26, 2012).


POSTER


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**PAPERS**


**JOURNAL ARTICLES**


Heterogeneous Edge Processes in Dynamic Random Graphs.

**English**

**PERFORMANCES**


**PAPERS**


**INVITED LECTURES / ADDRESSES**


Keane-Sexton, M. B. “The Trinity of Living-Learning Communities: Administration, Faculty, and Student Affairs.” SOCHE Student Affairs Conference, SOCHE, Wright State University. (June 14, 2012).


Wilhoit, S. W. “Instituting a WAC Program.” Cedarville University, Cedarville University. (January 19, 2012).

**PAPERS**


Krummel, M. A. “Image-ing The Jew: Words and Pictures in the Vernon Manuscript.” Eighteenth International Congress of the New Chaucer Society,
University of Oregon, Portland, Oregon. (July 23, 2012).


Morgan, T. L. “To sing the haiku the american way is a beautiful thing”: the Haiku of Etheridge Knight.” American Literature Association Conference, American Literature Association/Haiku Society of America, San Francisco, CA. (May 25, 2012).


Teems-Stephens, Y. “The Reciprocal Ethic of Care: Theorizing the Borderlands between Students’ Classroom and Personal Lives.” Conference on College Composition and Communication, College Composition and Communication, St. Louis, MO. (March 23, 2012).


BOOK REVIEWS


JOURNAL ARTICLES


Li, X. Weaving Social Media into a Business Proposal Project in a Writing for Careers Class. Business Communication Quarterly, 75(1), 77-84. bqc.sagepub.com/content/75/1/68.


MAGAZINE/TRADE PUBLICATIONS


Gadson, J. (2012). Blues Triumphant (11th ed.). St. Louis, Missouri:


NEWSPAPER


OTHER


Gadson, J. (Performer). The Big Big Mess Reading Series, Akron, OH. (October 2012).


Gadson, J. (Performer). Drake University Writers & Critics, Des Moines, IA. (January 2012).


Thomas, P. “Teaching Assistants in the Classroom: Our Place and the Place of Composition in the University.” North Carolina Symposium on Teaching Writing, North Carolina State University English Department, North Carolina State University. (February 11, 2012).

Fitz Center

GRANT


Sandy, M. R. (Co-Principal). “Climate literacy through Challenger Learning Centers: Using the national network of Challenger Learning Centers for large-scale teacher professional development in climate literacy, with a special focus on integrating NASA data into classroom activities. Award to Dayton Public Schools.” Sponsored by NASA Global Climate Change Education Grant: Research Experiences, Teaching and Learning, $564,000. (December 2009 - June 2013).

INVITED LECTURES / ADDRESSES


Haritashya, U. (Other), Kargel, J. (Principal), Bishop, M. (Co-Principal), Forfaro, R. (Co-Principal), Leonard, G. (Co-Principal), Bush, A. (Other). “Quantitative Characterization of Glacier State and Dynamics in South Asia and Validation in Alaska using Repeat ASTER Multispectral and Terrain Information...” Sponsored by National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), $682,808. (December 1, 2010 - November 30, 2013).


PAPERS

Outstanding Teaching Award: Danielle Poe, Ph.D.

Dr. Danielle Poe has had a powerful impact on students in her classroom and a transformative effect on the University’s curriculum since her arrival at the University of Dayton in 2001. She has engaged countless students in difficult intellectual issues, introducing undergraduates to philosophical questions related to political science, sociology, religious studies and the sciences, as well as professional fields such as business, engineering and education. Her pedagogical approaches, which encourage debate and discussion, help students develop into philosophical thinkers and challenge them to find their own voices and perspectives. In addition to active learning pedagogies aimed toward empowering students to take initiative in their own learning process, she also incorporates service learning and reflection into her courses.

As the director of the Core Program, she led the redesign of the first-year curriculum, which now fully integrates the first-year English course into the introductory Core courses. She was appointed by the provost as a member of the three-person Common Academic Program Writing Task Force, which wrote the final version of the CAP framework. Poe has already piloted both Humanities Commons and upper-level Crossing Boundaries courses with faculty from English, history, religious studies and political science.

The most recent example illustrating the connections Poe has made between her classroom accomplishments and her passion for curriculum development can be seen in the creation and launch of a new Crossing Boundaries course taught with a colleague in the political science department. The course, Philosophy of Peace and Environmental Policy, will serve as a model for interunit collaboration and active ethical engagement. It introduces students to philosophies of peace in both theory and practice, providing students with the opportunity to study and apply a variety of peace theories to concrete environmental issues and controversies. Through this class, Poe’s commitment to excellent teaching continues to transform the UD curriculum and the College of Arts and Sciences by allowing UD students the opportunity to engage in the complexities of analyzing the environmental problems of our times.
of America, Dayton, OH. (April 23, 2012).

Haritashya, U. “Debris cover impact on Himalayan glaciers within specific climatic conditions.” American Geophysical Union (AGU), San Francisco, USA. (December 5, 2012).


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Books

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JOURNAL ARTICLE


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PAPERS


Jaffe, T. “Social Catholicism and Class Identity in Chile’s Young Catholic Workers Movement.” Oral History Association Annual Meeting, Oral
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History Association, Cleveland, OH. (October 10, 2012).


Trollinger, W. V. “Rhetorical Creationism.” National Communication Association annual meeting, Orlando FL. (November 17, 2012).


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MAGAZINE/TRADE PUBLICATIONS


OTHER


Carter, M. discussion of “In the Beginning” by A. McGrath. Manifold Greatness exhibit, Dayton Metro Library, Dayton Metro Library. (September 20, 2012).


Schweikart, L. E. (Director). “Other Walls 2 Fall.” (October 2010 - April 2013).


**Global Languages and Cultures**

**PAPERS**


Espinoza, I. J. “Teaching grammar for communicative competence.” Miami University Conference on the teaching of Foreign Languages, Miami University, West Chester. (October 12, 2012).


Villa, L. “Andrés Bello and the Royal Spanish Academy: Parallels in the Configuration of Two State Grammars.” Transatlantics 2012 - 14th Annual Comparative Literature Conference, University of South Carolina, Columbus, South Carolina. (March 23, 2012).


**WORKSHOP**


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**Journal Articles**


**MAGAZINE/TRADE PUBLICATION**


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**INVITED LECTURES / ADDRESSES**


**Mathematics**

**Invited Lectures / Addresses**


Busch, A. H., Abueida, A. A., Sritharan, R. Atlanta Lecture Series, Emory University, Atlanta, GA. (November 30, 2012).

Eads, C. N., Mashburn, J. D., Fannin, H. B., Masthay, M. B. “Comparison of microcanonical and canonical temperatures in paramagnetic spin lattices and other two-level systems.” Midwest Thermodynamics and Statistical Mechanics Conference, National Science Foundation, Minnesota Super Computing Institute, and University of Minnesota College of Science and Engineering, Minneapolis, MN. (May 21, 2012).

Higgins, A. W. “Project NExT: A program of the Mathematical Association of America.” Graduate Students’ Colloquium, Department of Mathematics, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN. (November 1, 2012).


Higgins, A. W. “Simple Surprises.” Spring Meeting 2012, Ohio Section of the Mathematical Association of America, Cincinnati, OH. (April 13, 2012).

Higgins, A. W. “Project NExT: A program of the Mathematical Association of America.” Spring Opportunities, Mathematical Sciences Research Institute, Berkeley, CA. (March 14, 2012).


Usman, M. “Some Theoretical and Meshfree Numerical Results on a Family of a Korteweg-de Vries Equation.”, Special Colloquium at Wright State University. (May 23, 2012).


PAPERS


POSTERS


Usman, M. “A Numerical Study of a Model for In Vitro Inhibition of Cancer Cell Mutation.” Model-based analysis and control of cellular processes, NSF, Purdue University. (October 9, 2012).

PRESENTATION


JOURNAL ARTICLES


Eloe, P. W., Altwaty, A. (2012). The role of concavity in applications of Avery type fixed point theorems to higher


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**NEWSLETTER**


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**OTHER**


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Music

**MUSIC ARRANGEMENT**


**MUSIC COMPOSITIONS**

Gardstrom, S. C. “Since You Claimed My Heart.” Faculty Recital - Linda Snyder, University of Dayton. (September 2012).

*Magnuson, P. C.* “I Sing of Myself.” Tenor and piano. (July 2010 - Present).


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**PERFORMANCES**


of Dayton, Dayton, Oh. (March 14, 2012).


Cox, D. M. “Faculty Artist Series: Faculty Recital.” Recital of African American Art Songs and Spirituals, University of Dayton Department of Music, Dayton, OH. (August 1, 2012 - Present).


Daniel-Cox, M. D. “Martin Luther King Celebration and Graduation.” Dayton Early College Academy Choir, Dayton Early College Academy, Dayton, OH. (September 1, 2011 - May 1, 2012).

Dorf, S. (Director). “Department of Music Christmas Concert.” University of Dayton Early Music Ensemble, Department of Music, South Park Church, Dayton, OH. (December 5, 2012).


Morris, W. L. (Director). 2013 OMEA District 13 Honors Jazz Band, Ohio Music Education Association, Oxford, OH. USA.

Morris, W. L. (Director). “Saxophone Quartet Concert.” First Flight Saxophone Quartet, Dayton Art Institute, Dayton, OH. USA.


Street, R. E. “School of Law Holiday Reception.” University of Dayton School of Law, Moraine Country Club, Moraine, OH. (December 12, 2012).

Street, R. E. “Pianofest: University of Dayton Piano Ensemble in Concert.” University of Dayton Piano Ensemble, UD Department of Music, Schuster Center, Dayton, OH. (April 17, 2012).


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**GRANTS**


**INVITED LECTURES / ADDRESSES**


Cox, D. M. “From Healed To Whole.” Shroyer Road Baptist Church, Shroyer Road Baptist Church, Oakwood, OH. (August 12, 2012).

Cox, D. M. “Build The Temple.” Shroyer Road Baptist Church, Shroyer Road Baptist Church, Oakwood, OH. (June 10, 2012).

Cox, D. M. “Life After Timeout.” Shroyer Road Baptist Church, Shroyer Road Baptist Church, Oakwood, OH. (May 20, 2012).

Dorf, S. “Pre-Performance Lectures and Educational Outreach for Lucia di Lammermoor.” Dayton Opera, Dayton, OH. (October 26, 2012).


Dorf, S. “Pre-Performance Lectures and Educational Outreach for Roméo et Juliette.” Dayton Opera, Dayton, OH. (February 24, 2012).

Dorf, S. “Théodore Reinhac’h Piano: Musicology, Archaeology and the Performance of ‘Past.’” Case Western Reserve Musicology Colloquium Series, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH. (February 10, 2012).


Reynolds, P. A. “Hidden Text in Mahler’s Symphony No. 2.” Take Note Pre-concert lecture (2 presentations), Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra, Schuster Center for the Performing Arts, Dayton, OH. (May 11, 2012).

Reynolds, P. A. “Meet the Conductor (14 presentations).” Schools Partnering with Artists Meeting Kids, Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra, Various area schools, grades, 1,3 5. (January 10, 2012).


**PAPERS**


MacLachlan, H. M. “Constructing Pan-Karen Identity in Fort Wayne, Indiana.” International Burma Studies Conference, Center For Burma Studies,
Outstanding Service Award: Peggy DesAutels, Ph.D.

Over the past decade, the departmental service contributions of Dr. Peggy DesAutels have resulted in what is arguably one of the most diverse departments of philosophy, in terms of race and gender, in the United States. In addition to her department-level service, she has been a member of the advisory committee to the women’s and gender studies program, and she has served on the College of Arts and Sciences’ promotion and tenure committee. During her five-year commitment to the University’s Jacob Program in Professional Ethics Committee, she helped to provide oversight of many Universitywide activities related to professional ethics, including the student ethics bowl, the sponsorship of campus speakers and other curricular initiatives related to ethics in the professions.

In 2005, DesAutels received a College of Arts and Sciences Humanities Fellows grant for work on a project titled "Ethics, Gender and Engineering." Through this work, she developed relationships with colleagues in the School of Engineering. Two years later, she received another grant, funded jointly by the dean of the College of Arts and Sciences and the dean of the School of Engineering, to evaluate the climate for UD’s women faculty in the sciences and engineering and explore issues of bias that result in the underrepresentation of women in these departments. That project led to collaborative work with a team of faculty from UD, Wright State University, Central State University and the Air Force Institute of Technology to recruit, retain and advance women faculty members in the STEM fields. The work culminated in a five-year, $2.5 million National Science Foundation ADVANCE grant. Since 2008, DesAutels has served as a principal member of the NSF LEADER team, serving as chair of its equity advisers committee. She has also been a member of UD’s institutional committee for the NSF ADVANCE grant. In these roles, she has participated in strategic planning for the grant initiatives, coordinated programming and networking opportunities for women in STEM fields and recruited and trained both male and female faculty members to be equity advisers within their own universities. DesAutels has been a member of the American Philosophical Association since 1994 and is a member of the program committee for the APA’s 2013 meeting. As chair of the APA’s Committee on the Status of Women, DesAutels directs its Recruit, Retain and Advance initiative. She has designed and published posters promoting women philosophers, which are now displayed in more than 2,000 philosophy departments worldwide.

Most recently, DesAutels planned and organized the Diversity in Philosophy conference, held at UD in May 2013. This conference addressed fundamental issues surrounding implicit bias, stereotyping and institutional structures. The University of Dayton is fortunate to be the beneficiary of Dr. DesAutels’ dedicated and effective service work.
Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, Illinois. (October 6, 2012).


MacLachlan, H. M. “To Be (Gay) or Not To Be: Naming Men’s Choruses.” MIDSEM Annual Meeting, Midwest Chapter of the Society for Ethnomusicology, University of Wisconsin Milwaukee. (March 31, 2012).

POSTER


WORKSHOPS


Cox, D. M. “Reviving America’s Folk Music Tradition.” Ohio Music Educators Professional Inservice, OMEA, Columbus, OH. (February 16, 2012).

Gratto, S. D. “Dalcroze Eurhythmics; World Choral Music.” Music Education Student Chapter Meeting Day, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH. (April 21, 2012).


MacLachlan, H. M. “The Bamboo Dance, from the Karen People of Southeast Asia.” Ethnomusicology Goes To Middle School, Society for Ethnomusicology Education Section, New Orleans, LA. (October 31, 2012).


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Cox, D. M. “Choral Masterclass for Women’s Chorus; Choral Masterclass for Select Ensemble.,” Our Lady of Good Counsel High School, Olney, Maryland. (October 26, 2012).

Cox, D. M. “Art Songs & Spirituals By African American Composers; Gospel Music Singalong; Teachers Heal Thysself: Reclaiming Your Own Creativity.” Ohio Music Education Association Conference, OMEA, Columbus, OH. (May 1, 2012).


Morris, W. L. (Conductor). “Concert and Symphony band clinic.” Stebbins High School, Riverside, OH.

Morris, W. L. (Conductor). “Concert and Symphony band clinic.” Carlisle High School, Riverside, OH.


Fischer, M. R. “Why Didn’t She Bolt? Addams’s Compromises with the Progressive Party.” Webster University, Webster University Philosophy Department, St. Louis. (March 2, 2012).

Paslaru, V. “Scientific Explanation: Laws and Mechanisms.” Department of Philosophy, University of Bucharest, Bucharest, Romania. (July 9, 2012).


DesAutels, P. J. “Recruiting and Advancing STEM Faculty at Wright State University.” Faculty Meeting, College of Engineering and Computer Science, Wright State University, College of Engineering and Computer Science, Wright State University, Dayton, Ohio. (May 11, 2012).


Paslaru, V. “Invariance and Insensitivity of Mechanisms.” British Society for Philosophy of Science, British Society for Philosophy of Science, Stirling, UK. (July 6, 2012).


Whisnant, R. S. “Pornography and Humiliation.” Contemporary Radical Feminism in the Age of Porn, Stop Porn Culture, San Diego, CA. (June 18, 2012).

Whisnant, R. S. “Pornography and Humiliation.” Race, Gender, Class, Sexuality Symposium, Wright State University, Dayton, OH. (February 24, 2012).

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Physics


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Smith, T. B. (Co-Principal), Basista, B. (Co-Principal), Teed, R. (Co-Principal), Tomlin, J. (Co-Principal), Schen, M. (Co-Principal), Hundle, S. (Co-Principal). "Earth, Life, and Physical Science Professional Development Project for Grades 5-12 Teachers." Sponsored by Ohio Board of Regents, $193,609. (July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012).

INVITED LECTURES / ADDRESSES


Brecha, R. J. “Renewable Energy is not the future — it is now.” Pub Science, Boonshoft Museum, Dayton, Ohio. (October 8, 2012).

Brecha, R. J. “Mitigating Climate Change and Protecting the Oceans.” Wright State Honors Symposium, Wright State University, Dayton, Ohio. (March 2, 2012).

Papers:

Ahoujja, M., Kang, S., Hamilton, M., Yeo, Y. K., Kouvetakis, J., Menendez, J. “Electrical characterization of SiGeSn grown on Ge substrate using ultra high vacuum chemical vapor deposition.” American Physical Society March Meeting, American Physical Society, Boston. (February 27, 2012).


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Pautz, M. “Civil Servants on the Civil Screen.” Institute of Public Administration Australia Annual Congress, Institute of Public Administration Australia, Melbourne, Australia. (September 18, 2012).


Talbott, A. “Human Trafficking.” Graceworks Ladies’ Luncheon, Good Shepherd Church, Centerville, OH. (June 19, 2012).


Talbott, A. “Human Trafficking.” College Women’s Club Meeting, College Women’s Club, Dayton, OH. (March 5, 2012).


Papers


Budabin, A. “Amplifying Causes: Celebrities as Norm Entrepreneurs in International Politics.” “Capitalism, Democracy and Celebrity Advocacy,” University of Manchester, Manchester, UK. (June 18, 2012).


Outstanding Contribution by a Full-Time, Non-Tenure-Track Faculty Member Award: William Marvin, M.A.

Professor William Marvin was appointed lecturer in 2002 but has taught as an adjunct faculty member in the department of philosophy since the 1980s. Over that time, Marvin has taught at least 12 different philosophy courses. In addition to teaching the required Introduction to Philosophy course, the primary focus of his teaching over the past decade has been in professional ethics courses, including Engineering Ethics, Information Ethics, Business Ethics and the Core Program’s capstone, Professional Ethics in a Global Community. Marvin has taught all of these courses with great effectiveness, successfully winning over many of his students to the philosophical study of ethics. He challenges students to think more critically and with much greater sophistication about the implications of their primary ethical commitments for their future professional lives.

Marvin has been able to teach such a broad range of courses so effectively in part because he reads voraciously and widely, regularly updating his courses with new cases and timely issues in the news. One of Professor Marvin’s former students wrote the following about Marvin’s teaching: “To say Professor Marvin has inspired my intellect and spirit is an absolute understatement. I spent only one semester in the classroom with him, yet he is one of the most influential teachers I have encountered throughout my life. [...] He always approached our conversations with the unique combination of the gravity of an extremely well-read philosopher and a patient friend, willing to meet me exactly where I was. [...] He is an eclectic masterpiece of humor, philosophy, wisdom, open-mindedness, friendliness and approachability.”

Marvin also has made valuable contributions to many of the University’s academic initiatives, including the Core Program, distance learning and learning-living communities. He is one of the few faculty members to have attended every Humanities Base faculty workshop since 1991. Marvin’s commitment as a non-tenure-line faculty member to working on special academic projects with students and colleagues has been impressive. Marvin’s involvement as a community leader in the city of Dayton also is noteworthy. He is president of the Five Oaks Neighborhood Improvement Association and has devoted substantial effort to improving the quality of housing in the Five Oaks neighborhood.

The College of Arts and Sciences is pleased to recognize Professor Marvin’s meaningful and enduring contributions as a non-tenure-line faculty member.
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Ingram, J. L. “Global Positioning Satellite Monitoring: A Warrant Requirement under the Fourth Amendment.” Western Society of Criminology Annual Meeting 2012, Western Society of Criminology, Newport Beach, California, USA. (February 17, 2012).


Talbott, A. “Prevention and Demand Reduction.” 5th Annual Human Trafficking Conference, End Slavery Cincinnati / Partnership Against Trafficking in Humans, Red Cross Headquarters, Cincinnati. (February 3, 2012).


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Neeley, G. W. “Communication on Purpose: A New Model for Public Outreach.” Annual Meeting, National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration, Austin, TX. (October 15, 2012).

WORKSHOPS


Talbott, A. “Human Trafficking.” Managers’ Meeting, Montgomery County Department of Job and Family Services, Job Center, Dayton. (February 7, 2012).

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Neeley, G. W., Pautz, M. (2012). MPA Programs Should Teach Students to
Talbott, A. "Human Trafficking: Students." Human Trafficking Prevention, Ohio Department of Education, Columbus, OH. (October 18, 2012).

Talbott, A., Adkins, R. "Human Trafficking: Community Members." Human Trafficking Prevention, Ohio Department of Education, Columbus, OH. (September 20, 2012).


**INVITED LECTURES / ADDRESSES**

Bauer, J. J. “Compassion and the transformative self.” Living Compassion Conference, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ. (October 26, 2012).

Davis, S. T. “You’re so Vain: When reducing confidence is the “right thing to do”—Overconfidence, the “why” and “how” of eliminating it.” Pub Science, The Boonschoft Museum and Discovery Center, Dayton, OH. (December 19, 2012).


**PAPERS**


O’Mara, E., Gaertner, L. “Self-enhancement as a goal directed force:


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satisfaction of participants of a marital enrichment seminar. Family Relations, 61(1), 75-89.


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Yakopcic, C., Puttmann, J., Kunz, B., Milburn, N., Mead, A. “Human perception and effective intensity of light emitting diodes for aircraft anti-collision lighting.” Annual Scientific Meeting of the Aerospace Medical Association, Aerospace Medical Association, Atlanta, GA.


Religious Studies

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INVITED LECTURES / ADDRESSES


Kallenberg, B. J. “Vatican II: Getting Beyond Polarization.”. University of Tübingen, Tübingen, Germany. (November 29, 2012).

Doyle, D. M. “The Struggle over the Meaning of Vatican II.” part of a lecture series, University of Toledo, Toledo, Ohio. (September 26, 2012).


Johnston, W. H. “Vatican II: The Struggle over the Meaning of Vatican II.” part of a lecture series, University of Toledo, Toledo, Ohio. (September 26, 2012).

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Levering, M. W. “Christians and Natural Law.” Workshop on Natural Law in Three Traditions, University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada. (September 21, 2012).


Miller, V. J. “Advocacy, Solidarity and Evangelization.” Catholic Relief Services Midwest Regional Staff Webinar, Catholic Relief Services, Chicago, IL. (September 14, 2012).

Miller, V. J. “Being Church at Home and Home at Church.” Annual Parish Retreat, Immaculate Conception Parish, Dayton, OH. (September 8, 2012).


Miller, V. J. “Academics and Advocacy.” Scholars in Global Solidarity Inaugural Seminar, Catholic Relief Services, Baltimore. (June 25, 2012).

Miller, V. J. “Globalization, the Church and the University.” Faculty Colloquium, Fairfield University, Fairfield, CT. (March 6, 2012).


Roberts, W. P. “God Our Light: In the Darkness and in the Light…” Santa Monica Faith-sharing Community, Santa Monica, CA. (October 4, 2012).


Trollinger, W. V. “The Idea of a Christian America.” Roger Williams Fellowship, Ohio Baptist Convention, Columbus OH. (June 2, 2012).

Trollinger, W. V. “Navigating the Job Market.” Preparing Future Faculty Conference, Indiana University Bloomington. (February 24, 2012).


PAPERS


Donahue, M. S. “Reading the Signs of the Times: Current Events as Case Studies.” The Eighth International Conference on Catholic Social Thought and Business Education, University of Dayton; St. Thomas University, Dayton, Ohio. (June 19, 2012).

Doylo, D. M. “Cross, Church, and Context: Early Modern and Contemporary Expression of Faith and Practice.” CTS annual meeting, College Theology Society, San Antonio. (June 1, 2012).

**BOOKS**

- **Bronick, V. P.** (2012). The House Church in the Writings of Paul (2nd ed. ed.). Eugene, OR: Wipf & Stock.

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Donahue, M. S. “Introduction for Cardinal Turkson.” The Eighth International Conference on Catholic Social Thought and Business Education, University of Dayton; St. Thomas University, Dayton, Ohio. (June 18, 2012).


Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work

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Forbis, J. S. (Principal), Polzella, D. J. (Co-Principal). “Where Do the Arts Take Us?.” Sponsored by National Endowment for the Arts, $10,000. (June 2012 - Present).

PAPERS

Cassiman, S. A. “We Don’t Want Any Unions Here: Defining the 99.” 34th Annual Conference of the National American Labor Historians, National American Labor Historians, Detroit, MI. (October 12, 2012).


Cassiman, S. A., Abney-Korn, K., Fleetham, D. “While we were sleeping: From dystopia to global awakening.” From Dystopia to Global Awakening, Global Studies Association of North America, Victoria, BC. (May 8, 2012).


Forbis, J. S. “Resisting oppression with Civil Society: A Cross National Evaluation of State Terror and NGO Density.” Hong Kong Sociological Association, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong, Hong Kong. (December 1, 2012).


Longazel, J. “Race and Local Immigration Legislation: The Cases of Hazleton, Pennsylvania and Dayton, Ohio.” Race, Gender, Sexuality Symposium, Wright State University, Dayton, OH. (February 24, 2012).


Majka, T. J., Majka, L. C. “Refugees in a Mid-Sized Midwestern Urban Area: Circumstantial and Institutional Challenges to Incorporation.” American Sociological Association annual
meetings, American Sociological Association, Denver, CO. (August 20, 2012).


INVITED LECTURES / ADDRESSES


Picca, L. H. “Diversity Training.” Columbus Police Academy, Columbus, OH. (November 6, 2012).


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WORKSHOPS

Leming, L. M. “Marianist Ministers as Catalysts of Communities.”, St. Mary’s University Ministry, Dayton, OH. (May 19, 2012).


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Davis-Berman, J. L., Berman, D. S. (2012). Should Principles of Challenge-


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Cassiman, S. A., Abney-Korn, K., Fleetham, D. ‘Occupying’ on Campus: Student and Faculty Experiences.” Student Activism and Engagement, SOCHE, Wright State University, Dayton, OH. (June 15, 2012).

Holcomb, J. “Childlessness and Disability Onset among Late Midlife and Older Women.” annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Denver, CO. (August 17, 2012).

Jipson, A. J. “Academic Leadership and Social Media.” Ohio Educational Leadership, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio. (September 15, 2012).


Longazel, J. (2012). Local Immigration Politics in the Rust Belt. Las Cruces, NM.


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Visual Arts

CURATORIAL WORKS


**DESIGN WORKS/PROJECTS**

**Jones, J. C.**  

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**Whitaker, J. M.**  

**EXHIBITIONS**


**Jennings, G.** (One-Person Show). “At Table.”, Blue Sky Project, Dayton, OH, USA. (June 2012 - July 2012).


**Jones, J. C.** (One-Person Show). “Late Night, Maudlin Street : New Work by Jeffrey Cordtland Jones.”, Art Academy of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH. (January 23, 2012 - February 17, 2012).

**Marcinowski, M. G.**. “Link Gallery.”, Dayton, OH. (September 2009 - Present).


Phelps, K. E. (Group Show). “Summer Faculty Exhibition.”, Penland School of Crafts, Penland, NC. (June 10, 2012 - June 22, 2012).

Phelps, K. E. (Group Show). “SOS For A Better World.”, Cincinnati Art Academy, Cincinnati, OH, Cincinnati Art Academy, Cincinnati, OH. (June 1, 2012 - June 10, 2012).


REVIEWS OF FACULTY MEMBER’S WORK


INVI TED LECTURES / ADDRESSES


Kwon, S. H. “Untold stories of Bojagi and its practical use today.”, Nanjing University of the Arts, Nanjing, China. (June 6, 2012).

Parks, N. E. “Art Education and Serious Games.” OH Educational Technology Conference, eTech Ohio, Columbus, OH. (February 13, 2012).

Phelps, K. E. “The Blue Collar - Portraying the Lives of America’s Working Class Through Art.”, Ohio Wesleyan University Fine Arts Department, Delaware, OH. (November 8, 2012).

Phelps, K. E. “Figure Narrative: Clay as Process.”, Penland School of Craft, Penland, NC. (June 15, 2012).

Phelps, K. E. “San Angelo State University Annual Ceramic Symposium.”, San Angelo State University, San Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX. (April 20, 2012).


Whitaker, J. “Joel Whitaker, Survey of Personal Photographic Research.”, Wright State University photography program, Fairborn, OH. (February 1, 2012).

PAPERS

Crum, R. J. “Art and Freedom in Quattrocento Florence: all’antica Sculpture and the Project of Renaissance Realpolitik.” 7th Quadrennial Provo/Athens Italian Renaissance Sculpture Conference, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas. (November 10, 2012).

Crum, R. J. “Art @ Freedom in Quattrocento Florence, or Contesting Just Why the Florentines had Art in their Contested Public Spaces.” Renaissance Society of America,
College of Arts and Sciences | 2012 SCHOLARSHIP


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Kwon, S. H. “Bojagi, the eco-friendly packaging alternative.” Nanjing University of Science and Technology, Nanjing, China. (June 7, 2012).


ARTISTIC PERFORMANCES/EXHIBITION REVIEWS


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Jones, J. C. (2012). Domino 02: Aqua. OH:..


Phelps, K. E. (2012). In Clark (Ed.), San Angelo Museum of Fine Arts Presents The Nineteenth National Ceramics Competition (pp. Pages 12, 13, 32). San Angelo, TX.


Wilbers, T. A. “Glass Madona & Child.”, University of Dayton Department of Visual Arts, Dayton, OH.
Retirees

**Distinguished Service Professor and Professor Emeritus: F. Thomas Eggemeier, Ph.D.**

Dr. F. Thomas Eggemeier joined the University of Dayton as an associate professor in 1986 in a joint appointment to the Research Institute and the department of psychology. In 1987, he came full-time to the department; he was promoted to the rank of professor in 1992. Tom has served as the chairperson of the department of psychology (1993-2001), associate dean in the College of Arts and Sciences (2001-2005) and dean of the Graduate School (2005-2010). In each capacity, Eggemeier has been recognized as an exceptionally generous and gracious individual who demonstrates the Marianist character of the University.

Eggemeier's contributions to the field of human factors have been numerous. He has published in excess of 60 papers, chapters and technical reports. He has served as secretary/treasurer and president of the Human Factors and Ergonomics Society; president of the division of applied experimental and engineering psychology of the American Psychological Association; associate editor of *Human Factors*; and as a reviewer or editorial board member for a number of journals related to applied psychology and human factors. In recognition of his many contributions to the field, Eggemeier was made a fellow of the Human Factors and Ergonomics Society and of the American Psychological Association. In 2008, Eggemeier received the Distinguished Service Award from the Human Factors and Ergonomics Society for career-long contributions that brought honor to the discipline and the society.

As a member of the University of Dayton community, Eggemeier has served as an outstanding teacher and mentor. His investment in students and colleagues, gentle wisdom and servant leadership were recognized by the University in 2008 when he was awarded the Lackner Award for noteworthy contribution to the Catholic and Marianist character of the University.

**Professor Emeritus: Robert G. Keil, Ph.D.**

Robert G. “Jerry” Keil grew up in Philadelphia and came to the University of Dayton in 1969 as an assistant professor of chemistry. He was promoted to associate professor in 1975 and to professor in 1983. Since his arrival, Keil has taught broadly across the chemistry curriculum, covering courses in general and analytical chemistry and a variety of graduate courses including those in his specialty of physical chemistry. He has embraced his role as a mentor to his students and is committed to their development. Keil’s research efforts have resulted in 25 publications in refereed journals, as well as numerous oral and poster presentations, many in collaboration with researchers at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base and with undergraduate and graduate students whose research he mentored and supported.

In addition to his teaching and research, Keil served as department chair from 1988 to 1991 and as associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences from 1991 to 1997. He has served on the University graduate committee, academic senate, the College of Arts and Sciences’ promotions committee and a variety of departmental committees. His colleagues are gratified that he will continue on as a professor emeritus, as this will allow them to benefit from the wisdom and generosity he has exhibited over his long and distinguished career.
Retirees

Professor Emeritus: Fred Niles, M.F.A.

For the past 27 years, Fred Niles served the University of Dayton as an outstanding faculty leader who was instrumental in strengthening the graphic design program. Niles distinguished himself through his eight years of service as chair of the department of visual arts. Since 1985, he attracted excellent and diverse faculty to the department and mentored numerous students who have subsequently gone on to successful careers in the arts and design fields. Niles’ distinctive and influential design research demonstrated to students a deep understanding of thoughtful aesthetics.

Niles was instrumental in articulating the strategic vision that guided the department of visual arts for the past 10 years. In 2006, through his leadership, the department secured accreditation by the National Association of Schools of Art and Design. His service as chair of the University tenure and promotions committee, as well as his tenure on the College of Arts and Sciences tenure and promotions committee, are testament to the high level of confidence faculty members entrusted to him.

Niles consistently strove to enrich understanding of the visual arts not only within the University of Dayton, but also throughout the broad regional community. He served as board member representing the University of Dayton for the Dayton Visual Arts Center, city of Dayton arts commission, the Dayton Art Institute’s Education and Exhibitions Committee and the Cincinnati chapter of AIGA, The Professional Association for Design.

Professor Emeritus: Linda J. Snyder, D.M.A.

Dr. Linda Snyder came to the University of Dayton as chair of the department of music in 1989 and served in that position until 1995. Snyder was promoted to full professor in 1997, served as associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences from 2001 to 2004 and was acting director of women's and gender studies during the fall semester of 2006. During her UD career, she taught studio voice, vocal pedagogy and diction, and opera and musical theater, and she coordinated voice performance studies.

Snyder was honored in 1999 with the College of Arts and Sciences Award for Outstanding Service. She became a Leadership UD Fellow in the program's inaugural year in 2000 and developed the arts management minor as a College Humanities Fellow from 2007 to 2009. She was a member of the Arts Leadership Group in 2008, served as humanities representative to the academic senate from 2007 to 2010 and founded UD’s summer Vocal Performance Institute for high school singers in 2006. Her distinguished vocal performance career has included recitals, concert tours and recordings with music faculty colleagues as the Cantecor Trio. Snyder will be remembered for her many contributions to the department of music and the College of Arts and Sciences during her 24 years at the University and for her love of the musical art that served to motivate her personal and professional life.
Retirees

Professor Emeritus: Rex L. Berney, Ph.D.

Dr. Rex Berney began his faculty appointment in the department of physics in 1978, shortly after completing his doctorate at the University of Missouri. From his earliest years at UD, Berney was noted for his friendly, easygoing demeanor, his tireless dedication to students and faculty colleagues, and his extraordinary skills as an educator.

Berney honed his skills by teaching in every level of the physics curriculum and by becoming expert in experimental design. His work has shaped the laboratory experience of thousands of UD physics students. Berney’s expertise, coupled with his deep interest in global education, led him to serve as a Fulbright scholar in Liberia and later a visiting professor in Malaysia and New Guinea. For his excellence as a teacher, Berney received the College’s 1995 Outstanding Teaching Award and the University’s 2007 Alumni Award in Teaching.

Berney also distinguished himself as an influential university citizen, making important contributions to the development of the integrated natural science sequence, advising premed students and teaching in the NSF Chautauqua program. He concludes his UD career with six years of excellent service as chairperson of the department of physics. Students, faculty and staff members alike celebrate Berney’s many outstanding contributions to physics education and the UD community.

Retiree: Peter Gooch, M.F.A.

Associate Professor Peter Gooch served the department of visual arts as a primary instructor for painting within the fine arts degree program for 26 years. Since 1986, he built a strong reputation as a formalist, bringing knowledge of color theory and design principles to students. He brought interdisciplinary knowledge into the classrooms as a means of conceptual and thematic inspiration to students. Drawing on his background in literature and the fine arts and his experiences of travel and studio work, Gooch’s teaching and research reflected a global perspective.

Professor Gooch built a strong exhibition record and distinguished himself as a disciplined and talented artist whose creative research was a strength within the department. Gooch’s work has been represented at a number of excellent galleries across the country (notably Robert Kidd Gallery, B. Deemer Gallery, Locus, River Gallery and Link Gallery). Through Gooch’s paintings reflective of northern coastlines, Mediterranean islands and African churches, students came to understand the impact of one’s environment. Gooch served the department and university through important committee work, and he also served on the board of directors of the Ann Arbor Art Association and the Michigan Water Color Society.