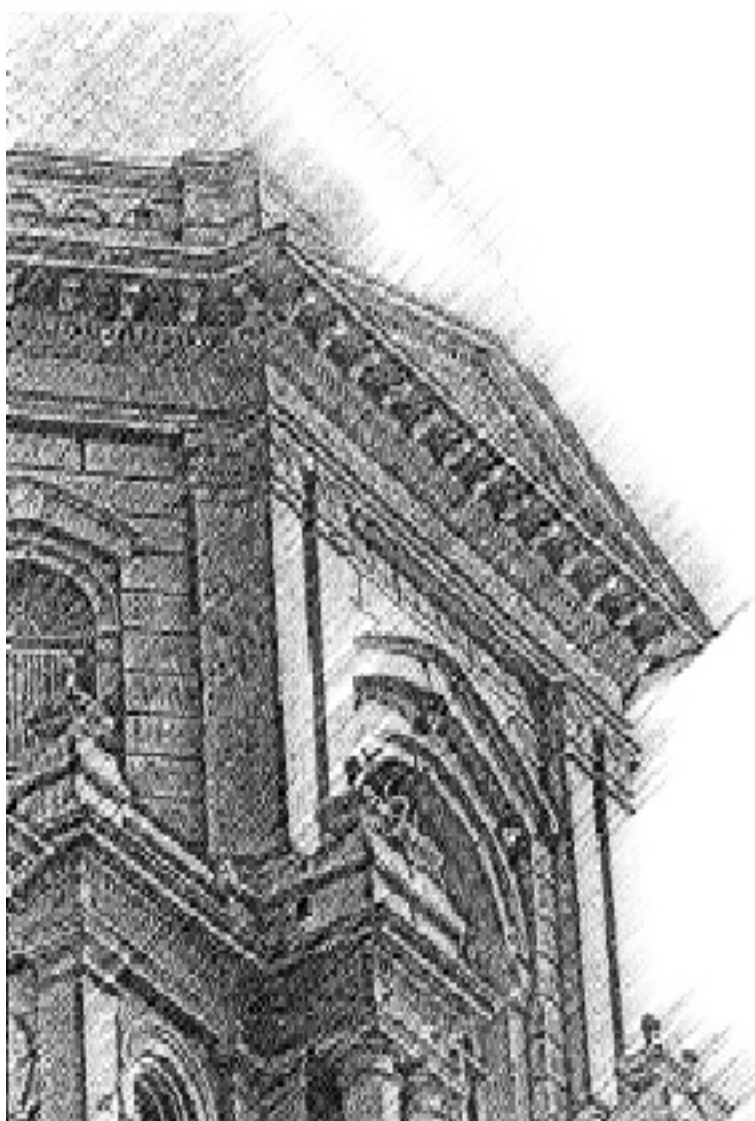


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# Faculty Notes

## Honors

**Jorge A. Bustamante**, the Conley Professor of Sociology, was nominated to receive the Nobel Peace Prize for his work as an advocate of human and labor rights for immigrants worldwide. The Congress of Mexico submitted the nomination.

**Kevin Dreyer**, associate professor of film, television, and theatre, was named to the board of directors of South Bend Civic Theatre in January.

**Kevin Hart**, the Notre Dame Professor of English, concurrent professor of philosophy, and Fellow of the Nanovic Institute, was appointed to the editorial board of *Christianity and Literature*.

**Encarnación Juárez-Almendros**, assistant professor of Spanish and Medieval Institute and Nanovic Institute Fellow, was appointed to the Modern Language Association Committee on Disability Issues in the Profession (July 1, 2005–June 30, 2008).

**George Marsden**, the McAnaney Professor of History, received an Honorary Doctor of Humane Letters from Valparaiso Univ. in December; and the Philip Schaff Prize from the American Society of Church History for his book *Jonathan Edwards: A Life*.

**Carolyn Nordstrom**, professor of anthropology and Kellogg Institute and Kaneb Institute Fellow, received the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellowship (*The Power and Cultures of the Extra-Legal in the 21st Century*) in 2005.

**Guillermo O'Donnell**, the Kellogg Professor of Political Science and Kellogg Institute Fellow, was awarded the Prize for Lifetime Achievement by the International Political Science Association.

**Jay Tidmarsh**, professor of law, was appointed to the Professional Development Committee of the Association of American Law Schools.

**Thomas Werge**, professor of English, published "Sigrid Undset: *Kristin Lavransdatter*" in the *Encyclopedia of Catholic*

*Literature*, ed. M.R. Reichardt (Westport and London: Greenwood Press, 2004): 724–35; and "T.S. Eliot: *Four Quartets*," *ibid.*: 222–32.

**Jennifer A. Younger**, the Arnold Director of University Libraries, was elected to the board of directors of the Association of Research Libraries. Her term is 2005 through 2008.

## Activities

**Brian Baker**, assistant professor of chemistry and biochemistry, presented an invited seminar titled "Unraveling a Hot Spot on the Surface of HLA-A2" at the National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Md., Jan. 26.

**Subhash C. Basu**, professor of chemistry and biochemistry, presented an invited symposium talk titled "Apoptosis in Cancer Cells: Gold Nano-Biosensors" at the "50th Golden Jubilee of Calcutta Univ. Biochemistry Dept.," and four other seminars in New Delhi, Pune, Kanpur, and at the IICB-Kolkata, India, all with the same title, between Dec. 20 and Jan. 15.

**Jianguo Cao**, professor of mathematics, presented "A New Proof of the Gromoll-Grove Diameter Rigidity Theorem" on Dec. 26, and "A New Version of Perelman's Flat Strip Theorem" on Jan. 2, both at the National Center for Theoretical Sciences, Math Division, National Tsing Hua Univ., Taiwan; "Positive Harmonic Functions on Open Manifolds of Non-Positive Curvature," a colloquium lecture, at the Institute of Mathematics, Academia Sinica, Taiwan, on Jan. 5; and "Minimal Volume of Collapsible Manifolds with Non-Positive Curvature," a geometry seminar, Dept. of Mathematics, National Taiwan Univ., on Jan. 12.

**Thomas Cosimano**, professor of finance and concurrent professor of economics and econometrics, presented "Internal versus External Habits: Why Does the Distribution of Stock Returns have ARCH Properties?" written with Y. Chen and A. Himonas, at the Econometric Society meetings

in Boston, Jan. 7; and "Beware of Emigrants Bearing Gifts: Optimal Fiscal and Monetary Policy in the Presence of Remittances," written with R. Chami and M. Gapen, at the Middle East Economic Association meeting in Boston, Jan. 6, and for the International Monetary Fund, Jan. 13.

**Kevin Dreyer**, associate professor of film, television, and theatre, designed a production of *The Green Table* for Star Dancers Ballet in Tokyo in June, and the same ballet in October for performances in New York City by the American Ballet Theatre; lit the Joffrey production of *The Nutcracker* in Detroit in November; and served as lighting design consultant for Joffrey Ballet performances in Chicago in October and December.

**Georges Enderle**, the O'Neil Professor of International Business Ethics and Fellow of the Kellogg Institute and Nanovic Institute, presented lectures on "Corporate Responsibilities in the Process of Globalization" at the Institute of Philosophy, Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences (Dec. 27) and at the Antai School of Management, Jiaotong Univ., Shanghai (Jan. 11).

**Kristin Hager**, assistant professor of biological sciences, presented the seminar "Secreted Virulence Factors" at the Seattle Biomedical Research Institute, Jan. 8–11.

**Jessica Hellmann**, assistant professor of biological sciences, presented the seminar "Exploring the Role of Adaptation as a Constraint on Geographic Range Shifts under Climate Change" at Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Tennessee, Jan. 6–10.

**Kenneth Henderson**, associate professor of chemistry and biochemistry, presented an invited lecture on "Incorporation of S-Block Metals in Network Synthesis" at the Univ. of South Florida, Jan. 27.

**Encarnación Juárez-Almendros**, assistant professor of Spanish and Medieval Institute and Nanovic Institute Fellow, presented "*Virilidad, impotencia y ropas en el Guzmán de Alfarache*" at the "VII Congreso de la Asociación Internacional Siglo de Oro (AISO)," Cambridge Univ., United Kingdom, July 18–20; "*La novela picaresca y las narrativas autobiográficas áureas: aproximaciones pedagógicas*" and "*Efectos de la moderna representación de El gran teatro del mundo de Calderón por la Corporación*

*Teatro del Valle (El Paso, febrero 2004)*" at the Modern Language Association of America annual convention, Washington, D.C., Dec. 27–30.

**Jay A. LaVerne**, professional specialist in the Radiation Laboratory and concurrent research professor of physics, presented a seminar titled "Radiolysis of Water and Ceramic Oxides" to the departments of Geology and Chemistry at Indiana Univ., Jan. 23.

**David Lodge**, professor of biological sciences, was the plenary speaker for the ESA annual meeting in Merida, Mexico, "Six Degrees of Separation? Trade Globalization and Changing Linkages among Freshwater Ecosystems," Jan. 9–12; and presented the opening of "Invasive Species Exhibit" and a press conference at the Shedd Aquarium and the TNC meeting, Chicago, Jan. 5.

**Joanne M. Mack**, associate professor of anthropology, presented "More Upland Sites of the Upper Klamath River" at the "29th Annual State of Jefferson Meetings" in Redding, Calif., in March; and "Paradise Craggy Village: Linking Cultural Sequences of Southern Oregon and Northern California" at the "39th Annual Meeting of the Society for California Archaeology," Sacramento, in April.

**Dan Meisel**, professor of chemistry and biochemistry, presented seminars titled "Radical Reactions on 'Naked' and Supported Silver Nanoparticles" at the Weizmann Institute, Israel, Dec. 22, and at the Material Science Dept., CNRS and the Univ. of Orleans, France, Dec. 7; "Energy, the Environment and Beyond, Radiation and Photochemistry at the Nanoscale" at a seminar for the Chemistry Dept., Univ. of Michigan, Flint, Nov. 14; and "The Reduction of Silver Oxide by Molecular Hydrogen Gas in Aqueous Solutions" (written with G. Lynn, R. Wilson, and **Bratoljub Milosavljevic**, visiting assistant professor in the Radiation Laboratory, at the Sigma XI annual meeting, Seattle, Nov. 3–6.

**Carolyn Nordstrom**, professor of anthropology and Kellogg Institute and Kaneb Institute Fellow, presented "Terrorism" at the John Jay School of Criminal Justice/Center on Terrorism, Nov. 11; "Power in the 21st Century" at a conference on "State and Violence," April 1–3, at the Univ. of Queensland, Australia; and the invited talk

titled "Placing Ethics at the Discipline's Center," Presidential Session of the American Anthropology Association meetings, Washington, D.C., Nov. 30–Dec. 4. She was a discussant of "Youthful, Feared and Naturalized Futures: Constructions in the Shadows of Violent Pasts" at the American Anthropology Association meetings, Washington, D.C., Nov. 30–Dec. 4; and "Anthropology and Forensic Medicine" at "Consequences of the Civil War in Spain, Franco's Mass-Graves," Notre Dame, Oct. 28–29.

**Simon M. Pimblott**, professional specialist in the Radiation Laboratory, presented "Role of Water in Radiation-Induced Chemistry," written with **Bratoljub Milosavljevic**, visiting assistant professor in the Radiation Laboratory, and **Jay A. LaVerne**, professional specialist in the Radiation Laboratory and concurrent professor of physics; and "Hazardous and Corrosive Gas Production in the Radiolysis of Water-Organic Mixtures," written with **Bratoljub Milosavljevic** and **Jay A. LaVerne**, at "Pacifichem 2005," Dec. 16–20 in Honolulu.

**Jeanne Romero-Severson**, assistant professor of biological sciences, lectured at "Plant and Animal Genome IX" in San Diego, Jan. 13–18.

**Margaret Shackell-Dowell**, assistant professor of accountancy, presented "Chief Executive Officers, Boards of Directors, and Firm Survival: Evidence from the Internet Shakeout," written with **Glen Dowell**, assistant professor of management, and N. Stuart, at the "Management Accounting Research Conference" in Tampa, Fla. on Jan. 7.

**W. Robert Scheidt**, the Warren Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry, presented an invited talk titled "High-Spin Iron (II) Porphyrins—A New Look" at the "Fourth Nassau Moessbauer Symposium," Garden City, N.Y., on Jan. 14.

**John A. Weber**, associate professor of marketing, presented "Integrity in the Sales Force—The Process of Self-Discovery" at the "Ethical Dimensions in Business: Reflections from the Business Academic Community" conference, sponsored by the Institute for Ethical Business Worldwide, Notre Dame, Nov. 17–18.

## Publications

**Eileen Hunt Botting**, assistant professor of political science, published "Mary Wollstonecraft's Enlightened Legacy: The 'Modern Social Imaginary' of the Egalitarian Family," *American Behavioral Scientist* 49, No. 5 (January): 687–701.

**Melanie E. DeFord**, associate professional specialist in chemistry and biochemistry and assistant director of the Keck Center for Transgene Research, published "Cathepsin E is a Specific Marker of Dysplasia in APC<sup>Min/+</sup> Mouse Intestine" with L. Busquets; H. Guillen; **Mark A. Suckow**, director and research associate professor in the Freimann Life Science Center; **Rudolph M. Navari**, associate dean, College of Science, professional specialist in preprofessional studies, adjunct professor of chemistry and biochemistry, and director of the Walther Cancer Research Center; **Francis J. Castellino**, dean emeritus of Science and the Kleiderer-Pezold Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry; and **Mary Prorok**, research associate professor of chemistry and biochemistry, in *Tumor Biology* 27 (2006): 36–42.

**Julia Douthwaite**, assistant provost for International Studies and professor of French, published a review of M. Choudhury, *Convents and Nuns in Eighteenth-Century French Politics and Culture* (Ithaca: Cornell Univ. Press, 2004) in *American Historical Review* (December 2005): 1603.

**Rev. Michael S. Driscoll**, associate professor of theology, published a chapter titled "The Conversion of the Nations" in G. Wainwright and K. Westerfield Tucker, eds., *The Oxford History of Christian Worship* (Oxford/New York: Oxford Univ. Press, 2006): 175–215.

**Georges Enderle**, the O'Neil Professor of International Business Ethics and Fellow of the Kellogg Institute and Nanovic Institute, published the article "Global Competition and Corporate Responsibilities of Small and Medium-Sized Companies" (in Chinese) in *Business Ethics, Corporate Governance, and a Harmonious Society*, X. Lu and D. Koehn, eds. (Shanghai: Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences Press, 2005): 299–314.



**Leonid Faybusovich**, professor of mathematics, published "Jordan-Algebraic Aspects of Nonconvex Optimization over Symmetric Cones" in *Applied Mathematics and Optimization* 53 (2006): 67–77.

**Gordon L. Hug**, associate professional specialist in the Radiation Laboratory, published "Photochemistry of Carboxylic Acids Containing the Phenyl and Thioether Groups: Steady-State and Laser Flash Photolysis Studies" with P. Filipiak and B. Marciniak, *Journal of Photochemistry and Photobiology A: Chemistry* 177 (2006): 295–306.

**Prashant V. Kamat**, professor of chemistry and biochemistry, senior scientist in the Radiation Laboratory, and concurrent professor of chemical and biomolecular engineering, published "Stacked-Cup Carbon Nanotubes for Photoelectrochemical Solar Cells" with T. Hasobe and S. Fukuzumi, *Angewandte Chemie—International Edition* 45 (2006): 755–59.

**Joanne M. Mack**, associate professor of anthropology, published *Final Report on Paradise Craggy Village*, a monograph for the Bureau of Land Management, Department of Interior, Redding Area, California (2005).

**George Marsden**, the McAnaney Professor of History, published the second edition of *Fundamentalism and American Culture: The Shaping of Twentieth-Century Evangelicalism, 1870–1925* (Oxford Univ. Press, 2006).

**Rudolph M. Navari**, director of the Notre Dame Cancer Institute and adjunct professor of biochemistry, published "Treating Depression in People with Cancer," *Coping* 6 (2005): 8–95.

**Carolyn Nordstrom**, professor of anthropology and Kellogg Institute and Kaneb Institute Fellow, published the book *Leben mit dem Krieg*, translated into German (Campus Verlag Publishers, Germany, 2005), originally published as *Shadows of War: Violence, Power, and International Profiteering in the 21st Century*; "(Gendered) War" in *Studies in Conflict and Terrorism* 28, No. 5 (2005): 399–412; "Rough Trade" in *1st of the Month* VII, No. 1 (summer 2005): 17–18; "Extrastate Globalization of the Illicit" in *Why America's Top Pundits are Wrong*, C. Besteman and

H. Gusterson, eds. (Berkeley: Univ. of California Press, 2005): 138–53; "*Filles et zones de guerre: Questions troublantes*" updated, expanded, and translated into French from the original *Girls and Warzones—Troubling Questions* (Sweden: Life and Peace Institute, 2005); "*Les 100 prochaines années de guerre*," updated and translated into French from the original "Imagining the Next 100 Years of War," *ibid.*; "Invisible Empires" in *Social Analysis* 48, No. 1 (2004): 91–96; reprinted in *State, Sovereignty, War*, B. Kapferer, ed. (New York: Berghahn Books, 2004): 46–55; "Living on the Frontlines" in *1st of the Month* VI, No. III (2004): 11–14; "Prestidigitation: Wars, Profits, and the Creation of Risk" in *Bulletin of the Royal Institute for Inter-Faith Studies* 6, No. 1 (2004), *Special Edition: Risk, Complex Crises, and Social Futures*; and "The Tomorrow of Violence" in *Violence*, N. Whitehead, ed. (Santa Fe: School of American Research Press, 2004): 223–42.

**Irwin Press**, professor emeritus of anthropology, published *Patient Satisfaction: Understanding and Managing the Experience of Care. Second edition* (Chicago: Health Administration Press, 2006).

**Mary Prorok**, research associate professor of chemistry and biochemistry, published "Role of the Hexapeptide Disulfide Loop in the  $\gamma$ -Carboxyglutamic Acid Domain of Protein C in  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$ -Mediated Structural and Functional Properties" with Q. Dai and **Francis J. Castellino**, dean emeritus of Science and the Kleiderer-Pezold Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry, *Biochemistry* 44 (2005): 12508–14.

**W. Robert Scheidt**, the Warren Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry, published "Vibrational Dynamics of Biological Molecules: Multi-Quantum Contributions" with B.M. Leu, et al., *Journal of Physics and Chemistry of Solids* 66 (2005): 2250–56.

**Alan C. Seabaugh**, professor of electrical engineering, published "Influence of Uniaxial Tensile Strain on the Performance of Partially Depleted SOI CMOS Ring Oscillators," with W. Zhao, B. Winstead, D. Jovanovich, and V. Adams, in *IEEE Electron Device Letters* 27 (2006): 52–54.

**Julia Adeney Thomas**, associate professor of history, published "*Weltgeschichte als japanische Selbst-Entdeckung*" [World History

as Japanese Self-Discovery] in M. Grandner, D. Rothermund, and W. Schwentker, eds., *Globalisierung und Globalgeschichte* (Wien: Mandelbaum Verlag, 2005): 162–82.

**J. Kerry Thomas**, the Nieuwland Professor Emeritus of Science, Dept. of Chemistry and Biochemistry, published a review of *Fundamentals of Ion-Irradiated Polymers*, D. Find, ed. (Berlin: Springer-Verlag, 2004) in *Journal of American Chemical Society* 128 (2006): 1032.

**James Walton**, professor emeritus of English, published "Family Plot," a review of *Lot's Daughters: Sex, Redemption, and Women's Quest for Authority in Notre Dame Review* 21: 214–17; and "Crystal Music in Hoffmann and Stoker," *English Language Notes* 43 (December): 133–48.

**Andrew J. Weigert**, professor of sociology, published *Religious and Secular Views on Endtime* (Lewiston: Mellen Press, 2004): xviii, 243 pp.

**Samir Younés**, associate professor of architecture and director of Rome Studies, published an essay titled "*Architettura: S.O.S. Roma: Lettera aperta al Sindaco Walter Veltroni*" in *Carta, Lazio e Roma* VIII, No. 3 (Jan. 23): 1 and 8.

# Documentation

## Errors and Omissions

The following is a correction to issue 11:

**John Adams**, professor of biological sciences, was an invited speaker at "Vivax Malaria Research: 2005 and Beyond," Dec. 9–10 at the Institute for Genomic Research, Rockville, Md., where he presented "A New Tool for Genetic Analysis of Malaria Parasites"; and was an invited speaker, symposium organizer and chair, ad hoc council member, and scientific session chair for the annual meeting of ASTMH in Washington, D.C., where he presented "Emergent Genome-Wide Genetic Screens for Virulence Determinants in *P. falciparum*."

The following are corrections to information contained in issue 4:

**John F. Affleck-Graves**, *Executive Vice President and the Notre Dame Professor of Finance*. BSc, Univ. of Cape Town, South Africa, 1972; MSc, *ibid.*, 1974; PhD, *ibid.*, 1977; BCom., *ibid.*, 1982 (1986)

**David M. Bartels**, *Professional Specialist in the Radiation Laboratory and Concurrent Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry*. BS, Hope College, 1977; PhD, Northwestern Univ., Evanston, 1982 (2003)

**Ian C. Carmichael**, *Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry and Director of the Radiation Laboratory*. BSc, Univ. of Glasgow, 1971; PhD, *ibid.*, 1975 (1980)

**Christopher B. Fox**, *Chair of Irish Language and Literature, Professor of English, and Director of the Keough Institute for Irish Studies*. BA, Cleveland State Univ., 1971; MA, State Univ. of New York, Binghamton, 1974; PhD, *ibid.*, 1978 (1986)

**Rev. John I. Jenkins, CSC**, *President of the University and Associate Professor of Philosophy*. BA, Univ. of Notre Dame, 1976; MA, *ibid.*, 1978; BPhil, Oxford Univ., 1987; MDiv, Jesuit School of Theology at Berkeley, 1988; STL, *ibid.*, 1988; DPhil, Oxford Univ., 1989 (1988)

**Prashant V. Kamat**, *Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry, Senior Scientist in the Radiation Laboratory, and Concurrent Professor of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering*. BS, Karnatak Univ., India, 1972; MS, Bombay Univ., 1974; PhD, *ibid.*, 1979 (1983)

**Rev. Paul V. Kollman, CSC**, *Assistant Professor of Theology, Fellow in the Helen Kellogg Institute for International Studies, Fellow in the Joan B. Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies, and Fellow in the Nanovic Institute for European Studies*. BA, Univ. of Notre Dame, 1984; MDiv, *ibid.*, 1990; PhD, Univ. of Chicago, 2001 (2001)

**Jay A. Laverne**, *Professional Specialist in the Radiation Laboratory and Concurrent Research Professor of Physics*. BS, Lamar Univ., 1972; PhD, Univ. of Nebraska, 1981 (1983)

**Rev. Edward A. Malloy, CSC**, *President Emeritus and Professor of Theology*. BA, Univ. of Notre Dame, 1963; MA, *ibid.*, 1967; MTh, *ibid.*, 1969; PhD, Vanderbilt Univ., 1975 (1974)

**Christine M. Maziar**, *Vice President and Associate Provost and Professor of Electrical Engineering*. BSEE, Purdue Univ., 1981; MSEE, *ibid.*, 1983; PhD, *ibid.*, 1986 (2004)

**Rev. Paulinus I. Odozor, CSSP**, *Associate Professor of Theology*. STB, Bigard Memorial Seminary, Nigeria, 1984; ThM, Univ. of St. Michael's College, Toronto, 1989; ThD., Univ. of Toronto, 1993; STD, Regis College, Toronto, 1993 (2000)

**Simon M. Pimblott**, *Professional Specialist in the Radiation Laboratory and Concurrent Professor of Physics*. BA, Oxford Univ., 1985; MA, *ibid.*, 1988; PhD, *ibid.*, 1990 (1990)

The following faculty are no longer with the University:

James J. Ostlund  
Victoria Sanford

Under **College of Arts and Letters—Chairpersons**, page 73, the following should be added:

Christopher Fox, PhD  
Irish Language and Literature

## University Council for Academic Technologies

October 27, 2005—9:30 a.m.

331 Coleman-Morse

### Minutes

**Attending:** Alan DeFrees, Rob Easley, Molly Gordon, Ben Gunty, Alexander Hahn, Rob Kirsch, Dan Marmion, Bill McDonald, Harold Pace, Carole Pilkinton, Dmitriy Orlov, Mark Schurr, John Sherman, Bob Stevenson, John Uhran, Olaf Wiest, Gordon Wishon.

**Absent:** Roger Jacobs.

**Guest:** Dewitt Latimer, CTO.

### Minutes Review

Minutes were approved as written.

### Student Concerns

Ben Gunty, the Student Body's representative to the UCAT, thanked OIT for its willingness to respond to student requests for such things as wireless and CATV, which students very much appreciate. Students would like OIT to consider the following additional enhancements to improve residence hall life:

- Students would like to have the dorm printer project expanded and completed more quickly. Currently only about 10 printers are installed, and students are hoping for more in the next semester. Students want to help spread the word about the availability of printers, and how to set up their computers for printing.
- Students also would like to have copy machines in the dorms. They feel they need to have wider access to copiers outside of "operations" hours. They suggest that rectors might be issued copy cards to help with overall dorm copying needs. Students feel that some improvements in student life should accompany increases in tuition.

Gordon Wishon responded that there were four priorities students expressed in the annual student survey: wireless, cellular coverage, dorm printing, and CATV. All are being addressed by current OIT projects. Mr. Wishon promised to invite OIT staff

that are in charge of the dorm printing project to attend the next UCAT meeting and give a brief overview of the project and answer questions. He agreed to discuss copiers for residence halls with Business Operations.

Dmitriy Orlov, the Graduate Student Union representative to the UCAT, brought up the disparity of printing use and need among grad students. The print quota for grad students is 3,000 pages per year, but many don't use even a fraction of their quota, while others need much more. Mr. Orlov asked for a way that quota allocations could be moved among students, so that those students who need more quota can have what others won't use, without increasing overall cost. Mr. Orlov also commented that grad students are concerned about wireless authentication, which takes a long time to boot up using Linux. Mr. Wishon responded that wireless authentication uses a "supplicant" in all operating systems for authentication, or alternatively, software called Roving Planet, which authenticates using a web browser. The OIT implemented Roving Planet wireless authentication during fall break, and when students returned there was a Denial of Service (DoS) attack that might have been caused by peer-to-peer (P2P) traffic. The cause of Roving Planet authentication problems is not determined, and still is under investigation.

#### **WebCT/Blackboard Merger**

Mr. Wishon briefly discussed Blackboard's acquisition of WebCT. For now, product lines remain separate, but the two products will eventually be merged into a single offering. For Notre Dame, there is unknown impact yet in areas of cost and support. The Blackboard CMS is much more costly, and the company is reputed to be worse in providing support. Mr. Wishon met with Peter Segal from WebCT, who was adamant that his company will continue to provide Notre Dame strong support for the life of the WebCT contract.

The Course Management System Steering Committee (CMSSC) should begin to explore other options for course management systems, including open source (e.g., SAKAI) and/or other commercial products. The UCAT members agreed that requests for implementation of add-on products for WebCT (e.g., Brownstone, Respondus) should be tabled until we can determine

how the merged organization and resulting product will evolve.

#### **Subcommittee Reports**

##### *Software*

Professor Olaf Wiest reported that the Software Subcommittee met on October 26, 2005. The subcommittee is developing a procedure for faculty to request purchase of software, and for determining how it will be funded. Molly Gordon, Director of Educational Technologies & Services (ETS) added that her department is investigating the possibility of "piggybacking" on the Bookstore's procedures for soliciting textbook requests from faculty, to enable ETS to determine what software faculty need to have on the classroom and cluster images, since it is apparent that much of it is not needed.

##### *Learning Spaces*

Professor Mark Schurr reported that his committee had not met recently, and probably would not hold regular meetings this year, but would come together on an ad hoc basis as needed.

In the context of Learning Spaces, Mr. Wishon briefly discussed OIT's budget presentation, and highlighted the fact that there is currently no accommodation for refreshing the installed technology included in budget planning for new buildings. Current aggregated replacement needs are a significant overall dollar amount.

##### *Course Management System*

Professor Rob Easley reported that the next meeting is October 28, 2005. Plans for further implementation of WebCT vista are unchanged at the moment, and we will install the planned Vista upgrade.

##### *OIT Support for Tablet PCs*

Professor Alex Hahn proposed that OIT should identify a standard vendor for Tablet PCs, and should provide full support for these devices. Other members responded that no standard preferred vendor has yet emerged, and that last spring a variety of Tablet PCs were ordered from several vendors. There also are differences in "form factors" for tablets, with the most popular the "clamshell" style, but again, no standard has emerged. Mr. Wishon commented that there is no indication that OIT does not support Tablet PCs, since they are simply another type of Windows computer. Molly

Gordon will verify that there are no specific support issues with these devices, and report back to the membership.

##### *Kaneb/OIT OpenCourseWare Proposal to Hewlett Foundation*

Professor Alex Hahn, Director of the Kaneb Center, reported that Notre Dame has received a \$230,000 grant from the Hewlett Foundation to pilot the establishment of a Notre Dame OpenCourseWare (OCW) site. Carole Pilkinton, Associate Librarian, University Libraries, has agreed to consult on intellectual property/copyright matters. The Hewlett Foundation stipulates that Utah State University will provide all technical support and hosting, using its open source EduCommons environment, which also has Hewlett Foundation funding. Professor Hahn has hired Dr. Terri Bays, formerly of the London Program, to direct Notre Dame's OCW initiative.

##### *Cable TV in Residence Halls*

Dr. Dewitt Latimer, Chief Technology Officer and Deputy CIO, provided a summary of the Cable TV (Comcast) Residence Halls project. CATV will not be activated until Aug. '06, even though some of the residence halls will be wired as early as January '06. The project includes turning off (but not removing) "land" lines into dorm rooms, since most students have cell phones. The costs of the basic cable service will be included in room and board charges, in place of previously included telephone service. Students have the option to maintain a landline in their rooms at their own expense. Rectors will continue to have telephones, and there will be emergency phones on each floor.

Under the terms of the Comcast agreement, the University will retain 10 private channels on the cable system and will be able to have 3,000 hours of content for video on demand, including ND content, which Comcast will upload and store for us. The franchise agreement between Comcast and St. Joseph County is 25+ years old, and has been very higher-ed friendly. Comcast is renegotiating this agreement, which still will contain language regarding free educational use, but will no longer include free drops in conference rooms or offices. OIT will conduct an inventory of all buildings to identify cable drops that aren't strictly for educational use, and will either remove them or departments will pay for them.



A companion project to improve cellular coverage and capacity is underway, using distributed antenna systems, called “micro-cells,” tucked unobtrusively into building facades. There will be 12 or more micro-cell sites, with a goal of “5-bar” reception on the street and “3-4 bar” reception in buildings. This project also will increase the cell phone capacity in athletic venues, where game-day coverage has been suboptimal.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

#### **Next Meeting:**

December 9, 2005—1:30–3:00 p.m., Notre Dame Room, LaFortune

## **University Council for Academic Technologies**

December 9, 2005—1:30 p.m.  
Notre Dame Room, LaFortune

### **MINUTES**

**Attending:** Alan DeFrees, Rob Easley, Molly Gordon, Ben Gunty, Alex Hahn, Roger Jacobs, Michael Kirsch, Tom Laughner, Dan Marmion, Bill McDonald, Harold Pace, Carole Pilkinton, Mark Schurr, John Uhran, Gordon Wishon.

**Absent:** Dmitriy Orlov, John Sherman, Olaf Wiest.

**Guests:** Craig Fitch, Peggy Rowland.

### **Minutes Review**

Minutes were approved as written.

### **Overview of Residence Hall Printing Project**

Craig Fitch, OIT’s Director of Resource Management, provided an overview of the project to put printers in the residence halls.

The Xerox contract that included 20 computer cluster printers, OIT copiers, and the Copy Center equipment expired in January 2005. The approximate annual cost of printing was \$195,000, including supplies. A survey in Spring 2005 showed that printing in residence halls was the #2 top student technology interest. The new contract provides 31 Xerox high-speed black and white printers, including 10 in residence

halls. Additionally there are 4 color printers available in clusters. The new contract provides flexibility to swap out printers and move them to locations based on volume. The annual cost under the new contract is approximately \$224,000, including supplies.

OIT will monitor cluster and residence hall printer use to make sure the printers are distributed equitably. Mr. Fitch pointed out that all residence hall printers can be accessed by all students using a software installer available for download from OIT’s software website. At this time, we are not seeing a reduction in cluster printer use resulting from making printers available in the residence halls.

Xerox is a reseller of the Pharos system that provides a print management solution for all of our cluster and residence hall printers. In response to the questions about increasing print quota or sharing surplus quotas among students, Mr. Fitch pointed out that 80% of the students were well below their 1,000-page quota (3,000 pages for graduate students). Residence hall printing may affect the use of print quota, but it is too early in the project to assess this. We can increase quota on an individual basis, and if the need is curriculum-driven, there would not be a charge to the individual student. The OIT is working on a non-cash solution for processing quota increases.

Regarding the request to also provide copying in the residence halls, Mr. Fitch stated that the quota system was very difficult to apply to “converged” devices (i.e., copiers that also are printers) and it turned out upon investigation to be cost-prohibitive.

Ben Gunty, the Student Body representative, offered the help of the student government to get the word out about residence hall printers, since many students may be unaware of their availability.

### **AFS Problems**

Members discussed recent slowness and problems with access to the AFS institutional shared file space. OIT is keenly aware of these problems and is taking several short-term steps to reduce the impact. AFS was designed for a very specific use by Unix machines, but it was customized over time to apply to a variety of platforms, including Mac and Windows. AFS has been used for purposes for which it was never designed.

In addition, the Windows firewall blocks AFS traffic, and many users have not installed the updated AFS client that corrects that block. The increasing use of laptops causes problems because AFS sessions are “orphaned” when a laptop is moved from one location to another. There is no way to get rid of the old sessions except to reboot the AFS servers. OIT has assembled a “tiger team” to address the problems in the short term. Technical personnel are developing an automatic installer that will open the firewall on the Windows machines. The AFS servers are rebooted every a.m. to clear out the orphan sessions. Despite OIT’s best efforts, it is possible that the problem will persist until Fall semester ends.

OIT is pursuing a longer-term strategy to “rationalize” the institutional file space, and to transfer most AFS users to alternatives that will meet their needs. This will require thorough investigation to understand all of the varied ways AFS is used now, and ensure that proposed alternatives are satisfactory. OIT will gather requirements and interview individual faculty to understand their needs. It is clear that the term “courseware” (i.e., I:drive) means different things to different people, and is used in different ways, all of which must be identified and alternatives provided. Institutional file space identical in structure to AFS cannot be duplicated on NetFile. Access control lists (ACLs) don’t work in NetFile, so access must be given to each individual instead of to groups. Alternatives for institutional file space (such as NetFile) will require retraining the user community. The OIT will need help of UCAT and the technical staff in colleges and departments.

Gordon Wishon will ask Dewitt Latimer, the Chief Technical Officer, to attend the next UCAT meeting to explain the OIT’s longer-term strategy for managing institutional file space.

### **Student Concerns**

Ben Gunty reported that the issues he raised at the last meeting haven’t changed; printing remains a big one. There is a need to more effectively advertise use of residence hall printing. Gordon Wishon promised that OIT will have staff involved in residence hall printing get in touch with student government to pursue publicity alternatives.

### Subcommittee Reports

- Course Management System Steering Committee

Professor Rob Easley reported that the OIT is moving forward with the planned upgrade to Vista 4.0 in August 2006. The Steering Committee is spending time discussing how to manage the transition. There will be several new features available with version 4.0.

This version will automate the creation of super-sections (enabling one instructor who teaches more than one section of the same course to manage the sections together). A University policy states that faculty courses cannot be observed without the faculty member's permission. The CMS Steering Committee recommends the following with regard to creation of super-sections:

1. The automatic super-section creation process will support only requests from instructors of record, and only for sections they are assigned to teach. Exceptions will be handled manually by the Vista administrators, and will only be processed if all affected instructors agree.
2. Any academic faculty or staff member who is not an instructor of record for a course but wishes to have access to a section of that course should request that an instructor of record for the course add him or her to the course in a role that permits the appropriate level of access. Possible roles include Teaching Assistant (with grade book access), Course Designer (with full content access), Auditor (with content access same as student) or other roles that may be applicable.

Professor Easley and Mr. Wishon will carry the procedural recommendations forward to the Provost's office for review.

- Software

Professor Bill McDonald reported on behalf of Professor Olaf Wiest, the subcommittee chairperson, who was unable to attend. Professor McDonald will send draft Software Request Procedure document to Molly Gordon, who will distribute it to the UCAT for review and comment.

The Subcommittee agrees that departments should purchase most software used in their classes, but that if a substantive case can be made for central payment following set criteria, the Software Request Procedure describes how that should occur. The Subcommittee will make a recommendation for central software purchase to the CIO, and CIO will decide.

Colleges currently make decisions for software purchases, and faculty requests mostly are approved. Professor McDonald expressed a desire of the committee to encourage colleges to make the hard decisions about software purchases. Support for the software is an issue too.

Colleges should consult OIT's Software License Administrator to determine whether there already is a license, or whether perhaps a site license should be ordered. The requestor bears the burden of following the process to acquire software.

#### Announcements:

Mr. Wishon announced that the Center for Research Computing (CRC) has been approved. This approval is concurrent with an announcement of second year funding for the Northwest Indiana Grid, which will be used to hire staff for the Center. Dewitt Latimer has agreed to serve as interim director. The first task is to complete the position description that will be used to hire a permanent director. The first floor of the ITC is being renovated to house the Center, plus establishment of an Access Grid node. The OIT, the Vice President for Research, and the Colleges of Science, Arts & Letters, and Engineering are sharing the costs of establishing the CRC. A faculty advisory committee for the CRC will be formed, and a representative will be asked to join the UCAT.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

Spring Semester UCAT Meetings (all meetings in 331 Coleman-Morse):

Wed., Jan 18, 2006—3:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Tues., Feb. 14, 2006—9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

Thurs., Mar. 9, 2006—1:30 - 3:00 p.m.

Mon., Apr. 10, 2006—10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Wed., May 17, 2006—1:30 - 3:00 p.m.

## University Committee on Libraries

Minutes of the Meeting of  
November 10, 2005

7:30–9:00 a.m. Café DeGrasta

**Present:** Chair, John Weber, Director Jennifer Younger (ex officio), Parker Ladwig, John Robinson, David Smith, Andrew Sommes, Laurence Taylor, Susan Blum, Charles Rosenberg, Carol Hendrickson (student), Brian Pitts (graduate student).

**Absent and excused:** Roger Jacobs (ex officio), Gordon Wishon (ex officio).

**Absent:** Semion Lyandres, Agnes Ostafin.

**Observers / Guests:** Nigel Butterwick, Kitty Hoyer (recorder)

#### Call to order

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 am by UCL Chair, John Weber.

#### 1) Welcome and agenda review

Chair John Weber welcomed UCL members and guests to the November 2005 meeting. In response to a concern raised by student member Carol Hendrickson, Weber informed the committee of an additional agenda item for discussion at today's meeting. Immediately following the Director's Report, the committee will hear from Ms. Hendrickson regarding a student request for extended library hours during the final exam period.

#### 2) Approval of Minutes of the Two Previous UCL Meetings

Minutes of the 9/15/05 UCL meeting were approved via vote. Weber briefly discussed the UCL policy regarding approval of meeting minutes and explained that while there is no formal written policy on approval, there is indeed precedent for the policy and asked if any members would object if asked to vote on approval of UCL Minutes via email in the future. There were no objections from the committee.

Draft minutes of the 10/13/05 UCL Meeting were distributed on 11/09/05. A discussion followed and resulted in several refinements to the original draft minutes. Noting that a number of UCL members were unable to review the minutes prior to



today's meeting, Weber asked that members email any additional changes and / or clarifications by 11/12/05. Weber will then distribute an edited version to all UCL members via email and ask for an email vote to approve.

### 3) Chair's Report

#### Update, Cancellation of Springer-Kluwer Package and Related Pilot Document Delivery Project

The Chair read an email sent to the UCL (10/31/05) by a faculty member inquiring about the status of the proposed cancellation of the Springer/Kluwer e-journal package. Upon receiving this email, Jennifer Younger asked Nigel Butterwick, Associate Director of User Services, to draft a respond. Butterwick replied to the faculty member confirming that the decision had indeed been made to cancel the Springer-Kluwer package, in favor of selective subscription to individual titles. The two criteria being used to determine which titles to subscribe to were: cost-per-download; and centrality to the core research needs of the academic department. The faculty member had submitted a case for retention of one specific journal at an earlier stage and Butterwick informed them that this case had been accepted under the latter criteria and that the subscription would therefore be retained. He also indicated that the cost of PDF files supplied as part of the fast document delivery service, currently being piloted in several departments and soon to be introduced as an ongoing service, would not be charged to faculty.

Weber noted that the question posed by the faculty member is a good example of how the faculty can use the UCL as conduit (<http://www.library.nd.edu/ucl/>)—part of faculty outreach, a topic to be considered in depth in a later UCL meeting.

A discussion followed focusing on the varying levels of "faculty awareness" regarding the Springer-Kluwer (SK) contract cancellation and its effect on the availability of future document delivery services. Although communications regarding the SK contract negotiations were distributed campus-wide, faculty awareness may vary, explained Parker Ladwig, because of differences in the information dissemination within each department.

Jennifer Younger noted the lengthy evaluation process might also have caused some faculty to lose track of the issue. The library staff, she explained, conducted a thorough examination of all components of the SK package to determine what alternative would be available should Notre Dame decide to cancel its SK contract. Journals were evaluated on two primary factors: relevance to current faculty and students; and general usage on campus.

Flowing from that evaluation, Younger indicated that two vendors—INGENTA and CISTI (Canada Institute of Scientific & Technical Information) were selected to participate in a document delivery "pilot" project. The project involves thirty faculty and graduate students. Sherri Jones, life science librarian and head, Resource Delivery Department, is directing the pilot program. The UCL will receive a status update on the pilot program in the December UCL meeting.

Andrew Sommese said that he is currently participating in the pilot program and his initial reaction has been positive. Although his use has been "limited" thus far, Sommese indicated he "liked what he saw" and offered to report back to the committee with more details at the December meeting.

Some UCL members expressed concerns with "delivery limitations" in the pilot project, since Director Younger described both vendors being used in the pilot as being "heavily weighted" toward the sciences.

In response to a question from Larry Taylor on the timeline for full faculty access to the pilot project resources, Younger explained that the process will take some time. To adequately consider the costs involved in the project, the library must assess both faculty demand and the cost of additional staff training that might be required. Younger envisions more of a gradual "roll-out" process as opposed to jumping from the pilot right into full faculty access.

#### Update, Library Task Force Report

Continuing with his Chair's Report, Weber asked Director Younger for an update on the status of the Library Task Force Report. The final draft of the report was completed in May of 2005. The report will be presented to Provost Burish soon, at which point

Younger will provide the committee with a detailed update.

After that (probably in early 2006), the UCL will make itself available to the Academic Council as well as to the Faculty Senate for potential spots on their agenda for discussing the report, along with discussion of the 2004–5 UCL Annual Report. John Robinson, a member of the Executive Committees of both the Academic Council and the Faculty Senate, has volunteered to help in the effort to gain spots on both agenda. (Reviewing the discussion from the 10/13/05 UCL meeting, Robinson explained that a three-tiered process would be required to get on the Faculty Senate agenda. We would first approach the Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate, with a goal of having them refer us to the Academic Affairs Committee of the Faculty Senate. The Academic Affairs Committee in turn could recommend a spot on the Faculty Senate agenda.)

In anticipation of these potential spots on the agenda of the Academic Council and the Faculty Senate, the group discussed the desirability of developing a UCL position statement on library issues for these possible meetings. One important prospective component of the UCL statement will certainly concern the e-journal package issue. Rather than awaiting the Library Task Force Report, Weber suggested that the UCL begin now to draft a position statement. With that in mind, Weber asked Parker Ladwig, Nigel Butterwick and Dave Smith if they could generate an initial bullet list of items that the UCL may want to include in such a position statement. Ladwig, Butterwick and Smith agreed to work on such a list and will present their work to date at the December UCL meeting. Presentation of that list will help to initiate a discussion of UCL goals and strategies, as well as a position statement, for the potential meetings with the Academic Council and the Faculty Senate.

#### 4) Director's Report

Director Younger briefly reviewed the Pilot Document Delivery project (recorded above).

Younger also provided highlights from the recent meeting of the Advisory Council for the University Libraries where dedication ceremonies were held and endowments and gifts in excess of \$3 million were

recognized. These included, among other items and endowments, a Great Lakes Maps collection. Also, the Nanovic Center hosted a talk by and reception for Professor Gail Lapidus in honor of the gift of the Dallin Collection, which is a Russian History collection of 4200 titles.

#### 5) Extended Hours During Finals—Carol Hendrickson

The Chair then referred to UCL undergraduate student representative, Carol Hendrickson, for a question about extended library hours during finals week. She indicated that students on the student government Academic Affairs Committee have asked if the library could remain open until 4 a.m. during finals week.

Librarian Nigel Butterwick explained the library already has a policy providing 24-hour access to the Hesburgh Library during final exam periods. For example, 24-hour access to the Hesburgh Library will be available from 7:30 a.m., December 8, 2005 until 2 a.m., December 17, 2005. These hours, explained Butterwick, allow access to self-check and most technology, but do not include any additional access to library staff or services. Extended hours are also available at all branches of the library during finals. Additional information on extended hours is posted on the Library web page at: <http://www.library.nd.edu/about/hours/>.

Hendrickson said she was pleased to learn the issue had already been addressed and will report back to the student government Academic Affairs Committee with this information. Any additional questions or concerns that may arise from the student committee regarding extended library hours will be addressed at the December UCL meeting.

#### Planned Agenda Items for 12/8/05 Meeting

- Status update on Pilot Document Delivery Project—Directory Younger, Andrew Sommese, et al.
- Status update on Library Task Force Report from Associate Provost Chris Maziar's office—Director Younger
- Discussion of UCL goals, strategies and position statement for potential agenda spots on meetings of the Academic

Council and the Faculty Senate—starting with initial bullet points from Ladwig, Butterwick and Smith

- Report on & discussion of Library Recall Policy—Nigel Butterwick—introduction to this issue appears in 10/13/05 UCL minutes.
- Discussion of information literacy (including potential establishment of UCL two year subcommittee)—Nigel Butterwick. UCL members were asked to read two articles (distributed earlier) on information literacy [American Library Association (2000) "Information Literacy Competency Standards for Higher Education," 18 p.; and Barbour, W., et al (2004), "Integrating Information Literacy into the Academic Curriculum," *Research Bulletin* Vol. 2004, Issue 18, Aug. 31, 2004, 10 p.] in preparation for this discussion.
- Additional potential future agenda items:
  - o Faculty Outreach program (including potential establishment of UCL standing subcommittee)—introduction to this issue appears in 10/13/05 UCL minutes.
  - o Continuing discussions of e-journal packages and related library policies, strategies and tactics
  - o An organizational overview of the library for UCL members

UCL members were again encouraged to bring other issues of concern to the Chair's attention as soon as possible so that they can be included as discussion items on upcoming agenda.

The Chair asked members to please review the materials on information literacy (two articles) and the recall policy for discussion at the December meeting.

Motion to adjourn—Pitts/Smith

The meeting adjourned at 9:10 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kitty Cooney Hoyer  
Recorder

## University Committee on Women Faculty and Students

University of Notre Dame  
Meeting of December 9, 2005

**Members present:** Susan Blum (chair), Doris Bergen, Alexandre Chapeaux, Liz Dube, Patrick Gaffney, C.S.C., Jean Ann Linney, Mary Ann McDowell, Kevin Misiewicz, Zach Ortiz, Kaity Redfield

**Members absent:** Patricia Bellia, Renee D'Aoust, Victor Deupi, Mary Louise Gude, C.S.C., Agnes Ostafin, Salma Saddawi, Gina Shropshire

**Guests present:** Jill Bodensteiner, associate vice president and counsel; Jannifer Crittendon, director, Office of Institutional Equity; Cathy Pieronek, director, Women's Engineering Program; Heather Rakoczy, director, Gender Relations Center; Allison Wishon, chair of gender issues committee, Student Senate

**Observers present:** Mary Hendriksen, Office of the Provost, reporter

Prof. Blum, chair of the University Committee on Women Faculty and Students, called the meeting to order at 12:05 p.m.

1. **Minutes of the meeting of 2005:** After corrections to the list of attendance, the minutes of the meeting of November 8, 2005, were approved without change.

2. **Discussion of requirements of UCWFS chair position:** At the last meeting, members discussed whether the Committee should propose to the Academic Council a change to the Academic Articles regarding the requirements for the position of Committee chair. Currently, the *Articles* provide that the chair must be "one of the tenured women serving on the committee." *Academic Articles*, Art. IV, Sec. 3(l). Because the pool of candidates has been very small every year—typically, slates have only one or two members—discussion centered both on the gender (female) and faculty classification (teaching-and-research) requirements.

Today, after a short recap of that discussion, members agreed unanimously to propose to the Academic Council that the position of Committee chair be open to "one of the

regular faculty members serving on the Committee.” Their intent was to open up the chair position to any UCWFS member, whether she or he belongs to the teaching-and-research, special professional, or library faculties. Members recognized that by opening up the chair position to members of all regular faculty classifications, whether a person is tenured or not becomes a moot issue. The consensus was that if any individual member does not feel sufficiently secure in her or his position to serve as chair, she or he could decline nomination; however, Committee members do not want a blanket assumption that only a tenured woman member of the teaching-and-research faculty can be an effective chair and leader of the Committee.

**3. Invitation to the president and provost to visit a Committee meeting:** Last spring, the Rev. John Jenkins, C.S.C., then University president-elect, attended a Committee meeting to hear of concerns of women faculty and students on a variety of matters—three subjects raised were hiring and retention of women faculty members, the climate of Notre Dame for women faculty and students, and health benefits for women. See *Notre Dame Report*, Vol. 34, No. 18, pp. 450–452 (June 3, 2005). Members discussed today whether they should reissue an invitation to Fr. Jenkins to attend a meeting in Spring 2006 and extend one as well to Thomas Burish, the University’s new provost. During discussion, several members said they thought that visits of this type were most productive when the Committee had specific, major, action items to discuss. Other means of communication—letters and e-mails—might be just as effective in relaying UCWFS concerns to Fr. Jenkins and Dr. Burish on other matters that might arise throughout the year.

#### 4. Committee reports

(a) **Infant care:** Ms. Redfield, also a member of the campus organization Feminist Voice, updated members on that organization’s initiatives in identifying resources available on campus for pregnant students. She also spoke of the group’s Common Ground project on abortion—explaining that the group believes that more resources on campus for women and families, including infant care, would contribute to a decrease in the number of abortions that occur in the campus community.

Prof. Blum said that she would send members the link to the Duke Women’s Initiative Web site, for it contains information on expanding infant care at Duke.

[It is [http://www.duke.edu/womens\\_initiative/report\\_report.htm](http://www.duke.edu/womens_initiative/report_report.htm)

Under the “action items” listed for graduate and professional students is the following:

**Child Care.** In response to the work of the Women’s Initiative Steering Committee, the Children’s Campus is expanding from 76 to 153 slots. Twenty-four slots will be added for infants, and fifteen slots will be available for toddlers. For the first time, the Children’s Campus will be open to children of graduate and professional students. Furthermore, an annual subsidy of \$100,000 will be available to help Ph.D. students to underwrite childcare expenses at Duke Children’s Campus and other childcare facilities.<sup>4</sup> In addition, the current Child Care Scholarship Fund has received additional funding for two years, and a commitment to pursue sustained funding. Finally, the viability of a child-care cooperative run by student parents is currently being investigated.]

(b) **Web site:** The Web site committee will present its report at the January meeting.

(c) **Health issues:** Subcommittee members reported that University Health Services is restructuring as one physician moves to handle more sports-related concerns. They have been told that two priorities of Health Services in the restructuring will be eating disorders and women’s health. The subcommittee intends to focus its efforts this year on education of women undergraduates on health issues—dispelling myths, informing students what health services are available on campus, and providing some sexual health education.

(d) **Sexual harassment:** Prof. Linney reported that letters have been sent to the deans announcing the upcoming distribution of the DVD on sexual harassment produced by the Committee. The letter sets forth the expectation that deans and department chairs will decide when and how their faculty members will view the DVD each year. The DVDs themselves will be sent in the next few weeks.

#### 5. Discussion with Alli Wishon, chair of gender issues committee, Student Senate:

Ms. Wishon updated members on a variety of initiatives the gender issues committee of the Student Senate has taken up this year: assessing the needs of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgendered students; alcohol issues; revamping the University’s sexual assault awareness program—both in general and during first-year student orientation; and eating disorders. Additionally, her committee has addressed the issue of hiring a woman gynecologist at University Health Services. Ms. Wishon said that many women students are uncomfortable with male doctors and thus may avoid checkups or consultations on matters involving sexual health. [Two of the three physicians currently on staff at University Health Services are male.] In connection with this discussion, student members also raised concerns about the cost of various health services. For example, while there is no charge for seeing a physician at University Health Services when a student is concerned about HIV or a sexually transmitted disease, the charge for an HIV test is \$65.00 and ranges from \$52.50 to \$124.50 for STD testing. None of these charges, students pointed out, are ones most of their peers would want to appear on a bill to their parents. [The South Bend Medical Foundation performs all laboratory testing at University Health Services and determines the cost structure.]

Members also discussed the feasibility of employing nurse practitioners at University Health Services and the need to educate undergraduates about regular medical checkups. Ms. Rakoczy mentioned that last fall, the Gender Relations Center held two forums for students on sexual health—one for women students, with over 60 attendees, and one for male students, with only two students attending. Honest, frank conversation occurred at both events. Ms. Rakoczy added that a significant number of women students attending the forum scheduled exams at Health Services in the weeks immediately following it. One member asked if residence hall health committees might be a good resource for students and a way to encourage greater attention to health matters.



6. **New business:** Representation of women on two University task forces: Members agreed that they would send a letter to Provost Thomas Burish expressing concern about gender diversity on two task forces he appointed recently—one on the Graduate School and the other on Asian studies. The letter would urge him to add more women to the task forces, which will be making decisions about certain matters that have a gender dimension—for example, retention of female graduate students and gender-related research in Asian studies.

There being no further business, Prof. Blum adjourned the meeting at 1:30 p.m.

## James A. Burns, CSC, Graduate School Award

Nominations are requested for the James A. Burns, CSC Graduate School Award given annually to a faculty member for distinction in graduate teaching or other exemplary contributions to graduate education. Contributions can be in any or all of the following areas: building or developing a graduate program, teaching quality graduate courses, excellence as an adviser or thesis director, and excellence in service as a director of graduate studies or in any other similar position. Faculty from the colleges of Arts and Letters, Science and Engineering, and the School of Architecture, are eligible.

The nomination packet should include a minimum of four letters of support (two from students and two from faculty) but no more than six, and a copy of the nominee's CV. All documentation should be sent to the department chair, who will forward all documentation to the Graduate School by Friday, March 10, 2006.

The first Notre Dame President with an advanced degree, a doctorate from the Catholic University of America, Father Burns was the leading reformer of Catholic education in this country in the first quarter of the 20th century. One of his most significant contributions was to raise academic standards by recruiting faculty with doctoral degrees.

## James A. Burns, CSC, Graduate School Winners Since 1990

1989–1990 Rev. Ernan McMullin  
1990–1991 Lawrence Marsh  
1991–1992 Wilhelm Stoll  
1992–1993 Scott Maxwell  
1993–1994 Joan Aldous  
Francis J. Castellino  
1994–1995 Robert C. Johansen  
Kwang-Tzu Yang  
1995–1996 Jeanne D. Day  
1996–1997 Arvind Varma  
1997–1998 David Leege  
Thomas Mueller  
1998–1999 Gail Bederman  
1999–2000 Katherine O'Brien O'Keeffe  
2000–2001 Thomas Nowak  
2001–2002 Cindy Bergeman  
2002–2003 Joan Brennecke  
2003–2004 Gary Lamberti  
2004–2005 Scott P. Mainwaring

## Research Achievement Award

The Research Achievement Award is awarded annually to honor a distinguished Notre Dame faculty member who has made significant contributions to scholarship in his or her discipline and to the research and education goals of the University.

The deans of each of the colleges may nominate two full-time faculty members, currently active in research and teaching. In addition to a copy of the nominee's resumé, each nomination should include a two-page letter that addresses the selection criteria:

- Evidence of the nominee's commitment to his or her profession and efforts to further the University's research and scholarship mission.
- The nominee's past research accomplishments and future research potential.
- Demonstration of universal recognition as a research leader.

The vice president for Graduate Studies and Research will appoint a committee to review the nominations. The committee will include one member from each of the colleges and will make recommendations to the vice president for Graduate Studies and Research, who will select the winner.

The award will consist of a plaque and a \$10,000 award placed in a discretionary research account for the recipient's use. The winner will also be recognized in the Commencement program and at the President's faculty dinner.

Nominations must be received by the director, Office of Research, 511 Main Building, no later than March 10, 2006.

## Research Achievement Award Winners

2000–2001 Arvind Varma  
2001–2002 Eugene Ulrich  
2002–2003 Maureen Hallinan  
2003–2004 George Marsden  
2004–2005 Frank Collins

## Faculty Award Nominations Sought

Established in the 1927–28 academic year by the Alumni Association, the Faculty Award singles out that faculty member who, in the opinion of his or her colleagues, has contributed outstanding service to the University of Notre Dame. Each year a selection committee, composed of prior winners and representing the colleges and the Law School, studies the recommendations submitted by former recipients of this award, the deans, and individual faculty members, and selects a winner.

Nominations must be received by Joy Vann-Hamilton, assistant provost, 300 Main Building, no later than March 10, 2006.

## Faculty Award Winners Since 1960

1959–1960 Otto Bird  
1960–1961 John Frederick  
1961–1962 Milton Burton  
1962–1963 Stephen Kertesz  
1963–1964 Raymond Gutschick  
1964–1965 Matthew Fitzsimons  
1965–1966 Bernard D. Cullity  
1966–1967 John Magee  
1967–1968 Rev. Charles E. Sheedy, CSC  
1968–1969 Bernard Waldman  
1969–1970 James Massey  
1970–1971 Thomas Stritch  
1971–1972 Ernest Sandeen  
1972–1973 Rev. Ernan McMullin  
1973–1974 Robert E. Rodes Jr.  
1974–1975 Herbert E. Sim

1975–1976 Ronald Weber  
 1976–1977 Walter Miller  
 1977–1978 J. Philip Gleason  
 1978–1979 K.-T. Yang  
 1979–1980 Frederick J. Crosson  
 1980–1981 Jeremiah P. Freeman  
 1981–1982 Morris Pollard  
 1982–1983 James Kohn  
 1983–1984 John Malone  
 1984–1985 Rudy Bottei  
 1985–1986 Rev. David Burrell, CSC  
 1986–1987 Paul Weinstein  
 1987–1988 Ray Powell  
 1988–1989 Robert A. Leader  
 1989–1990 Edward J. Murphy  
 1990–1991 Eugene Henry  
 1991–1992 George B. Craig Jr.  
 1992–1993 Lee Tavis  
 1993–1994 Sonia Gernes  
 1994–1995 Ralph McInerny  
 1995–1996 Carol Ann Mooney  
 1996–1997 William B. Berry  
 1997–1998 George S. Howard  
 1998–1999 Frank Reilly  
 1999–2000 John Borkowski  
 2000–2001 Yusaku Furuhashi  
 2001–2002 Jean Porter  
 2002–2003 Francis Castellino  
 2003–2004 Fernand “Tex” Dutile  
 2004–2005 Cornelius Delaney

## Reinhold Niebuhr Award Nominations Sought

Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, CSC, and Chancellor Willy Brandt of West Germany were the first recipients of Reinhold Niebuhr awards sponsored by friends of the Protestant theologian and author. Receiving this award in September 1972, at ceremonies at Union Theological Seminary in New York City, Father Hesburgh announced the establishment of a Reinhold Niebuhr Award at the University of Notre Dame. This award is made annually to a student, faculty member, or administrator whose life and writings promote or exemplify the area of social justice in modern life.

The initial award to Father Hesburgh was \$5,000. This he turned over to the Notre Dame endowment to underwrite an annual cash award of \$250 for the winner of this campus honor. The selection committee includes representatives from the colleges

and the Law School, Campus Ministry, Center for Social Concerns, rectors, Ladies of Notre Dame, and the student body. All members of the Notre Dame community are invited to submit recommendations for this award to Joy Vann-Hamilton, assistant provost, 300 Main Building, prior to March 10, 2006.

### Reinhold Niebuhr Award Winners

1973 Msgr. John J. Egan  
 1974 CILA (Community for the International Lay Apostolate)  
 1975 George N. Shuster  
 1976 Rev. Louis Putz, CSC  
 1977 Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Quigley  
 1978 Thomas P. Broden  
 1979 Rev. William Toohey, CSC  
 1980 Rev. Don McNeill, CSC  
 1981 Charles K. Wilber  
 1982 Kenneth and Penny Jameson  
 1983 Julian Pleasants  
 1984 John W. Houck and Oliver F. Williams, CSC  
 1985 James Sterba  
 1986 John H. Yoder  
 1987 Stephen Worland  
 1988 Denis Goulet  
 1989 Sharon Lynn O'Brien  
 1990 John J. Gilligan  
 1991 Thomas and Nancy Shaffer  
 1992 Patrick E. Murphy  
 1993 John Borkowski  
 1994 Bernard Doering  
 1995 Rev. Richard McCormick, SJ  
 1996 Rev. William M. Lewers, CSC  
 1997 Rev. Joseph D. Ross, CSC  
 1998 Lee Tavis  
 1999 Robert E. and Jeanne Rodes  
 2000 Kathleen Maas Weigert  
 2001 Dinah Shelton and R. Scott Appleby  
 2002 Rev. Patrick Gaffney, CSC  
 2003 George Lopez  
 2004 Teresa Ghilarducci  
 2005 Rev. Gustavo A. Gutiérrez, OP

## Grenville Clark Award Nominations Sought

On October 20, 1978, Father Hesburgh was one of three recipients of the Grenville Clark Prize, an award given every three years by the Grenville Clark Fund at Dartmouth College. Following the procedure

established when he won the Reinhold Niebuhr Award in 1972, Father Hesburgh donated the \$5,000 Clark stipend to the Notre Dame endowment to underwrite a cash prize of \$250 to be awarded each year. This award is made to a faculty member, administrator, or student whose volunteer activities serve to advance the cause of peace and human rights to which Grenville Clark devoted his extraordinary life of public service. The selection committee includes representatives from the colleges and Law School, Campus Ministry, Center for Social Concerns, rectors, Ladies of Notre Dame, and the student body. All members of the Notre Dame community are invited to submit recommendations for this award to Joy Vann-Hamilton, assistant provost, 300 Main Building, prior to March 10, 2006.

### Grenville Clark Award Winners

1979 Peter Walshe  
 1980 James and Mary Ann Roemer  
 1981 Sr. Judith Ann Beattie, CSC  
 1982 Kenneth W. Milani  
 1983 Peggy Roach  
 1984 The Notre Dame Legal Aid and Defender Association  
 1985 Cecil and Mary Mast  
 1986 Rev. Robert F. Griffin, CSC  
 1987 Conrad Kellenberg  
 1988 D'Arcy Chisholm and David Link  
 1989 Lloyd and Shelly Ketchum  
 Kevin and Kathy Misiewicz  
 1990 Peter Morgan and Sr. Anne Giarrante, OSF  
 1991 Kathleen Maas Weigert and Delores Tantoco-Stauder  
 1992 Rev. H. Thomas McDermott, CSC  
 1993 Michael and Christine Etzel  
 1994 Bro. Bonaventure Scully, CFX  
 1995 Eugene J. McClory  
 1996 Jennifer A. Morehead  
 Matthew Fitzgerald  
 1997 Thomas V. Merluzzi  
 1998 Jerry and Marge Marley  
 1999 Teresa Phelps  
 2000 Dave Kirkner  
 2001 Roger Jacobs  
 2002 Stephen Silliman  
 2003 Kenneth Hendricks  
 2004 Bro. Louis Hurcik, CSC  
 2005 Barbara J. Fick

## Foik Award Nominations Sought

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The Rev. Paul J. Foik Award Committee invites nominees for the award, which is given annually to a library faculty member who has contributed significantly to library service to the Notre Dame community or to the library profession through personal scholarship or involvement in professional associations. The award is named for the Holy Cross priest who served as director of Notre Dame's library from 1912 to 1924 and was a leading figure in the library profession in the first quarter of the 20th century. It is among those announced at the President's faculty dinner in May. Previous winners, beginning with the first award in 1991, include Maureen Gleason, Robert Havlik, Joseph Huebner, Rafael Tarrago, Janis Johnston, Charlotte Ames, Dwight King Jr., Stephen Hayes, Katharina Blackstead, Margaret Porter, Lucy Salisbury Payne, Laura Anderson Bayard, Joanne Bessler, Doug Archer, and Eric Lease Morgan.

All members of the University Libraries' and Law Library faculty with two or more years' service are eligible. Please send letters of nomination to the Reverend Paul J. Foik Award Committee, c/o Melodie Eiteljorge, 221 Hesburgh Library, by March 10, 2006. Such letters should include reasons for considering the nominee for this award.

Alex Hahn  
John Haynes  
Patricia Maurice  
Maria Tomasula

A comprehensive list of Special Presidential Award winners is available upon request.

## Special Presidential Award Nominations Sought

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The Special Presidential Awards are given to members of the faculty and/or the administration for distinguished service to the University over an extended period of time. The presentation of a citation and a stipend are made to the recipients. Nominations, from the faculty at large, must be received by Joy Vann-Hamilton, assistant provost, 300 Main Building, no later than Friday, March 10, 2006.

### Special Presidential Award Winners in 2004–2005

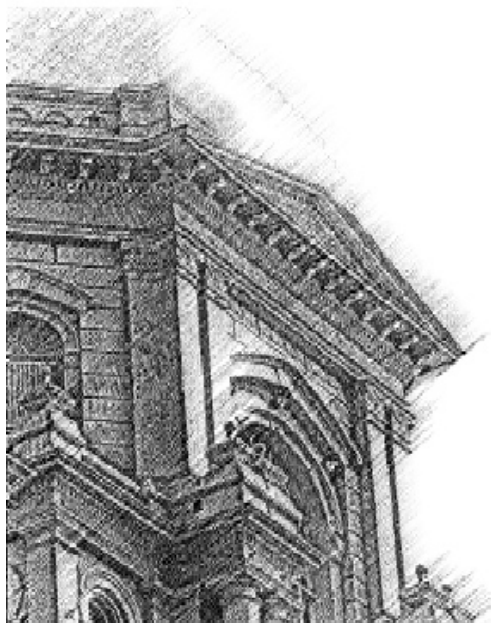
Seth Brown  
Charles Crowell  
James Davis



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