Faculty Scholarship Celebration Week 2009

Faculty scholarship and creative works across the disciplines featured throughout Hunter Library
Western Carolina University has a long tradition of supporting research and conversation about teaching and learning. Since 1989, Hunter Library has been showcasing faculty scholarly works through an annual exhibit. Over time, the focus of the works submitted has shifted to meet the changing needs of teaching and learning in this academic community. From valuing creative works and publications, to emphasizing the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning (SoTL), and, more recently, the Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP), the exhibit demonstrates the faculty's desire to excel in teaching and to share their knowledge with others.

Every year Hunter Library becomes a vibrant place where faculty members come together to talk about their scholarly works, including articles, art works, books, plays, musical compositions and professional presentations. In an effort to promote cross-campus collaboration and sharing, this year's Faculty Scholarship Celebration Week has been co-sponsored by Hunter Library, Graduate School and Research, Undergraduate Studies and The Honors College. The exhibit showcases faculty achievements from 2005 through 2008.

Hunter Library provides the tools and services to facilitate faculty to excel at their teaching and inspire students to become the scholars of the future. It is the hope of the Hunter Display Committee that this exhibit will provide a venue for the pursuit of knowledge.

Creating and supporting teaching and learning, exploration and inquiry in any form is the foundation of a knowledge society. What better place than Hunter library to celebrate everyone's achievements.

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Chair, Display Committee Hunter Library
A WORD OF THANKS

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List of Participants

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Boyd, D. (2008, September). For the Bible tells me so. Part of the *liberty weeps truth commission film society series* presented at Western Carolina University, Cullowhee, NC.


Boyd, D. (2008, December). Mother India. Part of the Eastern Religions film series presented at Western Carolina University, Cullowhee, NC.


Schade, M. L. (2008). *Taking it to the next level: What high school players and parents should know about the NCAA recruiting process and playing college baseball.*


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