

MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY MOORHEAD NEWSLETTER

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**On the campus mall, noon to 2 p.m.**  
**9/11 ANNIVERSARY PROGRAM REFLECTS ON INTERRELIGIOUS TRUST MONDAY, SEPT. 11**  
“Building Interreligious Trust in a Climate of Fear,” a free public program reflecting on repercussions throughout the world following the Sept. 11, 2001 terrorist attacks on the United States, will run from noon to 2 p.m. Monday, Sept. 11 on the campus mall (or Science Lab Building 104 in case of rain).

Speakers will include:

- \* Abdel Fatah (Abdu) Bashir, a professor of Computer Science and Information Systems at MSUM who has been active in the Muslim community since arriving in the United States in 1977 from his native Sudan. He'll talk on “Terrorism, Fear, Hate: Can the Cycle Be Broken?”
- \* Janeen Kobrinsky, lay rabbi at Temple Beth El in Fargo since 2000, will talk on “Building Trust Face to Face: One Person at a Time.” She's a charter member of the Fargo Human Relations Commission.
- \* Arland Jacobson, director of the F/M Communiversity and the CHARIS Ecumenical Center at Concordia College, will speak on “Religion, Violence and the Middle East: Myths and Realities.” He's visited the Middle East several times, with particular interest in the role religion plays in the conflicts there.
- \* Rev. Xavier Ilango, St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Moorhead, who'll speak on “Building Human Communities: An Interreligious Obligation of Today.” A native of India, he holds a doctorate in Moral Theology from Accademia Alfonsiana, Lateran University, Rome.

For details or questions, contact Andrew Conteh, Political Science, 4009/2942, or e-mail him at [conteh@mnstate.edu](mailto:conteh@mnstate.edu).

## POWER BOWL THIS SATURDAY

The annual **Power Bowl** featuring cross-town football rivals the MSUM Dragons and the Concordia Cobbers kicks off at 1:35 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 2 at Alex Nemzek Field.

**Aug. 28, 2006. Copy deadline Friday noon. Send submissions to: [tornell@mnstate.edu](mailto:tornell@mnstate.edu)**

## NEW ASSISTANT VP SANDO TO ASSESS DRAGON CORE

Jean Sando has been named Assistant Vice President for Assessment here.

It's a new position to lead planning and assessing activities for the new Dragon Core liberal studies program, which is aimed at providing a broad foundation of skills for incoming students, specifically in speech, math, writing and practical/ethical reasoning. This is the first year of the Dragon Core program, affecting all new entering freshmen.



Sando

Sando holds a doctorate in Curriculum and Instruction and a master's degree in English from Indiana State University and an undergraduate degree from the University of North Dakota.

She began assessment work as a graduate student with a National Science Foundation grant to restructure the curriculum at Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology. She later worked in the University Advancement with Corporations and Foundations office at Valparaiso University and was director of Student Support Services at West Texas A&M.

Recently she's been doing assessment and evaluation consulting for recipients of National Science Foundation Advanced Technology Education grants.

A native of Eveleth, Minn., she and her husband Paul, a professor in MSUM's Anthropology & Earth Science department, have two children and live in Moorhead.

Sando's office is located in Livingston Lord Library 200C.

## MSUM, MSCTC ESTABLISH VETERANS RESOURCE CENTER

MSUM, in connections with MSCTC and the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs, has established a Veterans Resource Center at the

Higher Education Center, room 151, located at the Thomas Edison Elementary School building, 1110 14th Street S. in Moorhead.

Dave Bellefeuille, Regional Veterans Service Coordinator and a 12-year Navy veteran, will operate the center. Previously, he was Minnesota Lakes Director for Youth For Understanding, a non-profit foreign exchange program. His home office was located in Brainerd. He was in charge of over 60 students, families and volunteers in northern Minnesota and North Dakota.



Bellefeuille

The VRC is intended for veterans and families as a one-stop-shop for information regarding veteran's benefits and directing the veteran to the correct point of contact for the benefits.

For questions, call Bellefeuille at 477-2080 or e-mail [belldave@mnstate.edu](mailto:belldave@mnstate.edu).

The Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs received a \$600,000 annual appropriation from the Legislature this year to establish and run six regional veterans assistance offices, including MSUM's.

### **JOHNSON NAMED ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF ADMISSIONS**

Jeremy Johnson has been named MSUM's Assistant Director of Admissions.

He's replacing Tex Claymore, who was recently appointed director of Admissions at the South Dakota School of Mines. He'd been the assistant director of Admissions here for 13 years.

Johnson's primary responsibilities will be coordinating freshman recruitment and managing Admissions communications.

Johnson graduated from MSUM with degrees in Marketing and Economics. He also received an MBA from North Dakota State.

Originally from Lake Park, Minn., and a graduate of Lake Park-Audubon High School, he's been an Admissions counselor at MSUM for the past four years.



Johnson

### **UNDER CONSTRUCTION: WHERE IS EVERYONE?**

**Anthropology/Earth Science Department** has moved from Lommen to King Hall 103--offices and rooms on 1st and 2nd floor.

**Some Art Department** offices and classrooms have been located to King Hall 3rd floor.

**Biosciences and Chemistry Departments** have moved into Hagen--main offices are within HA407. Please access from the Science Lab Building's first floor south end, and up the elevator or stairs.

**Physics Department** has moved into Hagen 3rd floor--main office is at HA307. Please access the Science Lab Building's first floor south end, and up the elevator or stairs.

**Technology Department** has moved into Hagen 2nd floor--main office is at HA211. Please access from the Science Lab Building's first floor south end, and up the elevator or stairs.

**Math Department** offices have relocated from MacLean Hall to their temporary location in the Science Lab basement, Room 003. The stairwell is located in the southeast corner of the building, or you may use the elevator. Math tutor rooms are in Weld 108 and Lommen 090. Math Learning Center is in Lommen 091, and the Math Computer lab is in Lommen 098A.

**Languages and American Multicultural Studies** offices have relocated from MacLean Hall to their temporary location in the Library porch. (The Language Lab is upstairs in the Library.)

**History and Women's Studies** offices have relocated from MacLean Hall to the Dragon Den in Frick Hall, Room 152.

**Economics and Political Science Department** offices have relocated from MacLean Hall to the Foundation Annex building at 1033 4th Avenue South. (All MSUM parking permits are allowed in Lot I, to the west of this building.)

### Construction Notes:

**Hagen First Floor:** This floor is currently under construction, and cannot be accessed at ground level. Expected completion is November. 2nd, 3rd and 4th floors can be accessed from the south end of the Science Lab addition, up the stairs or elevator.

**Kise Commons Phase I:** Renovation of the serving/seating area has been opened as of August 20. (The tile in the seating area, and the kitchen area remodel will be completed during Phase II, summer of 2007.)

**Corrick Center and Nursing Department** renovations in Murray are nearing completion. Corrick Center will be open by the start of Fall Semester. Renovated and added Corrick Center and Nursing classrooms will be on-line in Murray for Fall Semester; Nursing faculty and staff will move into their newly renovated areas in September. Nursing Department faculty and staff are temporarily located in the Higher Education Center--enter the parking lot off 16th Street So.--enter the one-level building from the east end and proceed to rooms 150 and/or 152.

**MacLean Hall's** 3rd floor and 2nd floor east of the main stairwell are being renovated. Rooms 268, 269, 272, and 274 will be open as scheduled. The Mass Communications department can be accessed from Frick Hall, or by the elevator in Bridges Hall. In addition, a portion of the Bookstore on first floor is being renovated to add 2 classrooms to MacLean



“Broken Into and Robbed,” an oil on canvas painting by Jane Schmidt, is one of the works by four artists featured in an exhibit called “Landscapes: Macro/Micro” showing through Sept. 13 at the MSUM Roland Dille Center for the Arts Gallery. The other artists in the exhibition are Rob Kelly, Linda Deg Lee and Mary Lingen. A reception is scheduled from 3 to 5 p.m. in the gallery on Saturday, Sept. 9. Gallery hours are from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesdays and Fridays (or by special arrangement, e-mail [gudmunja@mnstate.edu](mailto:gudmunja@mnstate.edu)).

## **ON-LINE TRAINING REQUIRED FOR IRB PROPOSALS**

Beginning fall semester 2006, principal investigators and co-investigators will be required to complete an on-line training program before submitting any proposals for IRB review.

This change in policy is in keeping with more recent recommendations made by the Office of Human Research Protections (OHRP). The training program will be required for all full reviews, and expedited reviews. The training program will not be required of co-investigators submitting exempt status proposals, but will be required of principal investigators. The only exception is for proposals dealing with special populations, such as, children, people with disabilities, etc. In this case, both the principal investigator and co-investigator(s) will be required to take the training course.

The on-line training program is available at the IRB Web site – [www.mnstate.edu/irb/](http://www.mnstate.edu/irb/). The program is comprised of six training modules typically taking 2 ½ hours, and may be taken at the individual's own pace. The participants receive a certificate at the completion of the training. A copy of this certificate must be registered with the IRB along with the individual's Dragon ID number before submitting research proposals. Certificate registrations will be recorded on a database for future reference.

Any questions regarding this procedure should be directed to Louis De Maio, chair of the MSUM Institutional Review Board, at 4643 or [irb@mnstate.edu](mailto:irb@mnstate.edu).

## **TCU EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP ADDS NEW FACULTY**

Tri-College University Educational Leadership Program announced the addition of two new faculty members: Thomas Hall and Denise Lajimodiere will be joining the faculty team beginning this school year.

Hall received his undergraduate degree at Winona State College, his Masters of Education from the University of Saint Thomas at St. Paul, and his doctorate at the University of South Dakota in Vermillion. He has served as a director of Community Education, Managing Director of Investments, a graduate assistant and as an instructor in the School of Education at NDSU.

Lajimodiere received her bachelor's and master's degrees in Education from the University of North Dakota. She is currently completing her doctorate. Lajimodiere has worked as a graduate teaching assistant at the Center for Teaching and Learning

at UND and has served as a teacher in grades 3-7, an assistant principal and principal in the Turtle Mountain school system.

The primary purpose of the Educational Leadership Program is to provide professional/academic education for individuals preparing for mid-management administrative positions (i.e., elementary school principal, secondary school principal, community education director), staff administrative positions (i.e., school district business managers, technology coordinators, curriculum coordinators), and upper-echelon administrative positions (i.e., superintendent of schools).

The mission of Tri-College University is to assist Concordia, MSUM and NDSU by promoting cooperative efforts that will enrich the academic environment for the benefit of students, faculty, and the community.

### **MSUM HOSTS DALE CARNEGIE COURSE**

MSUM will host 'The Dale Carnegie Course' on campus beginning Monday, Sept. 18.

The 12-week course offers personal and professional growth focusing in five areas: self-confidence, communication skills, interpersonal skills, leadership skills and reducing stress and worry.

Facilitated by Eide Bailly, LLP, the local franchisee for Dale Carnegie Training, and MSUM Customized Education and Training, the course will be held Mondays from 1:30 to 5 p.m. through December 4. It is now being offered for academic credit at MSUM.

For more information, contact Kathleen Paulson, Customized Training Program Coordinator, at 477.5051.

### **MSUM ANNOUNCES THIS YEAR'S READ ALOUD BOOK AWARDS**

A picture book about a deaf father who becomes a fan of Jackie Robinson during the Brooklyn Dodgers' 1947 baseball season, and another illustrated book about a prairie-dog town gone wild when a green tennis ball accidentally falls down its tunnel, were named winners of this year's Read Aloud Book Awards.

The awards program is administered by the staff of the MSUM library's Curriculum Materials Center.

"**Dad, Jackie, and Me,**" written by Myron Uhlberg with illustrations by Colin Bootman, received the

Comstock Book Award for the best read aloud picture book for older children (ages 8-12). It's named in recognition of the pioneering Moorhead family headed by Solomon G. Comstock, a Moorhead State Senator and U.S. Congressman who's considered the father of the Moorhead State Normal School (now MSUM). Myron Uhlberg, who grew up in Brooklyn, now lives in Palm Springs, Calif. Colin Bootman, originally from Trinidad, lives in Brooklyn.

In the "Author's Note," Uhlberg explains that he attended Jackie Robinson's games with his own father, who was deaf. He came to understand the deep connection between his father and Jackie Robinson: "They were both men who worked to overcome thoughtless prejudice and to prove themselves every day of their lives."

"**The Great Fuzz Frenzy**" by Janet Stevens and Susan Stevens Crummel and illustrated by Janet Stevens received the Wanda Gág Book Award for the best read aloud picture book for younger children (preschool to age 8). It's named in honor of Wanda Gág, a children's book author, illustrator and artist who grew up in New Ulm, Minn. She's best known for "Millions of Cats" (published in 1928), which is considered the first American picture book.

Janet Stevens is from Boulder, Colo., where she and her dog encounter many prairie dogs. Co-author Susan Stevens Crummel lives in Fort Worth, Texas.

This is the second year the university has presented the awards.

The 12-member committee included university students and faculty, local librarians and community members.

Seventeen regional teachers and librarians, along with about 115 MSUM Elementary and Early Childhood Education majors, read these books aloud to nearly 19,000 children last year.

Carol Sibley, MSUM's Curriculum Librarian, said the intent of the awards program is to recognize outstanding authors and illustrators, to promote reading aloud to children, and to help anyone who reads to children with the selection of quality picture books.

The book award project is partially funded by a grant from the Solomon G. Comstock Memorial Fund of the Minneapolis Foundation and MSUM's Wanda Gág Book Award Fund.

Books receiving honorable mentions:

### Wanda Gág Honor Books

“**Am I a Color Too?**” written by Heidi Cole and Nancy Vogl; illus. by Gerald Purnell. (Illumination Arts)

“**Llama Llama Red Pajama**” written and illustrated by Anna Dewdney. (Viking)

“**Stanley Mows the Lawn**” written and illustrated by Craig Frazier. (Chronicle Books)

### Comstock Honor Books

“**The Patchwork Path: A Quilt Map to Freedom**” written by Bettye Stroud; illus. by Erin Susanne Bennett. (Candlewick Press)

“**Precious and the Boo Hag**” written by Patricia C. McKissack and Onawumi Jean Moss; illus. by Kyrsten Brooker. (Atheneum Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Simon & Schuster Children's Publishing )

“**Sixteen Years in Sixteen Seconds: The Sammy Lee Story**” written by Paula Yoo; illus. by Dom Lee. (Lee & Low Books).

### **NEW LIBRARY TITLES**

The Livingston Lord Library is pleased to announce the presence of the following new books on its shelves:

#### **Philosophy. Psychology. Religion.**

LePore, Ernest. Donald Davidson : meaning, truth, language, and reality. B945 .D384 L47 2005

Danto, Arthur Coleman. Nietzsche as philosopher. B3317 .D3 2005

Robinson, Jenefer. Deeper than reason : emotion and its role in literature, music, and art. BF698.9 .C74 R63 2005

Laszlo, Ervin. Science and the reenchantment of the cosmos : the rise of the integral vision of reality. BF1045 .S33 L37 2006

Guyer, Paul. Values of beauty : historical essays in aesthetics. BH81 .G89 2005

Dilworth, J. The double content of art. BH301 .R47 D55 2005

Muhammad : legacy of a prophet. MEDIA BP75 .M83 S39 2002

Brettler, Marc Zvi. How to read the Bible. BS1171.3 .B74 2005

Religion & sexuality : passionate debates. BT708 .R445 2006

#### **Archaeology.**

Conolly, James. Geographical information systems in archaeology. CC79 .G46 .C656 2006

#### **History of North America.**

A companion to the anthropology of American Indians. E76.6 .C66 2004

The Oxford encyclopedia of Latinos and Latinas in the United States. REF. E184 .S75 O97 2005

#### **History of the United States.**

Philbrick, Nathaniel. Mayflower : a story of courage, community, and war. F68 .P44 2006

Sacagawea : heroine of the Lewis and Clark journey. MEDIA F592.7 .S123 S33 2004

Ward, Fay E. The cowboy at work : all about his job and how he does it. F596 .W33 1987

Beadle, Erastus Flavel. Ham, eggs, and corn cake : a Nebraska Territory diary. F666 .B36 2001

#### **Geography. Anthropology. Recreation.**

#### **Geography (General). Atlases. Maps.**

Preston, Diana. A pirate of exquisite mind : explorer, naturalist,

and buccaneer : the life of William Dampier. G246 .D17 P74 2004

Hayes, Derek. America discovered : a historical atlas of North American exploration. ATLAS G1106 .S12 H3 2004

#### **Oceanography.**

The blue planet : seas of life. MEDIA GC11.2 .B58 2002

#### **Anthropology.**

Knappett, Carl. Thinking through material culture : an interdisciplinary perspective. GN406 .K59 2005

The anthropology of development and globalization : from classical political economy to contemporary neoliberalism. GN492 .A5925 2005

#### **Manners and customs.**

Holidays, festivals, and celebrations of the world dictionary : detailing nearly 2,500 observances from all 50 states and more than 100 nations : a compendious reference guide to popular, ethnic, religious, national, and ancient holidays. 3rd ed. REF. GT3925 .H64 2005

#### **Recreation. Leisure.**

Really bend it like Beckham : David Beckham's official soccer skills. MEDIA GV943 .R43 T56 2005

#### **Social sciences.**

#### **Economic theory. Demography.**

Crowther-Heyck, Hunter. Herbert A. Simon : the bounds of reason in modern America. HB119 .S47 C76 2005

Nyce, Steven A. The economic implications of aging societies : the costs of living happily ever after. HB2583 .N93 2005

#### **Economic theory and conditions.**

Sperling, Gene B. The pro-growth progressive : an economic strategy for shared prosperity. HC103 .S715 2005

#### **Commerce.**

The economics and politics of accounting : international perspectives on research trends, policy, and practice. HF5635 .E225 2005

Hall, James A. Accounting information systems. 5th ed. HF5679 .H26 2007

#### **Criminology.**

Cook, Dee. Criminal and social justice. HV6030 .C59 2006

Jacobs, Bruce A. Street justice : retaliation in the criminal underworld. HV6452 .M8 J33 2006

#### **Education.**

Schlachter, Gail A. Directory of financial aids for women, 2005-2007. REF. LB2337.4 .S35 2005-07

Jorgensen, Cheryl M. The inclusion facilitator's guide. LC1201 .J6695 2006

Heward, William L. Exceptional children : an introduction to special education. 8th ed. LC3981 .H49 2006

#### **Music.**

Cairns, David. Mozart and his operas. ML410 .M9 C253 2006

Cheatham, Jeannie. Meet me with your black drawers on : my life in music. ML420 .C4705 A3 2006

No direction home : Bob Dylan. MEDIA ML420 .D95 N6 2005

Jimi Hendrix. Widescreen format; deluxe ed. MEDIA ML420 .H46 J56 2005

Trynin, Jennifer. Everything I'm cracked up to be : a rock & roll fairy tale. ML420 .T833 A3 2006

Burkart, Patrick. Digital music wars : ownership and control of the celestial jukebox. ML3790 .B845 2006

Abdul, Paula. Ultimate voice coach. MEDIA MT820 .U48 A23 2005

#### **Education.**

(e)pedagogy : visual knowledge building : rethinking art and new media in education. N345 .E94 2005

Da Vinci and the code he lived by : the unique vision and determination of the renaissance master. MEDIA N6923 .L33 D28 2006

The life and times of Frida Kahlo. MEDIA ND259 .K33 L54 2004

#### **Communication. Literature, in all forms, from all countries.**

### Performing arts.

Orwell rolls in his grave. MEDIA P95.8 .O79 P36 2004  
Thorburn, John E. The Facts On File companion to classical drama. REF. PA3024 .T48 2005  
Encyclopedia of world writers. REF. PN451 .E55 2005  
Looney tunes golden collection. MEDIA PN1992.77 .L66 2003  
Looney Tunes Spotlight Collection. Volume 2. MEDIA PN1992.77 .L662 2004  
Looney tunes golden collection. Vol. 3. MEDIA PN1992.77 L663 2005  
The beguiled. MEDIA PN1997 .B45 S54 1998  
Bride & prejudice. MEDIA PN1997 .B75 C53 2005  
Bunny Lake is missing. MEDIA PN1997 .B86 P74 2005  
Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid. MEDIA PN1997 .B88 H55 2006  
Chinatown. MEDIA PN1997 .C55 P65 1999  
The chorus = Les choristes. MEDIA PN1997 .C56 D74 2005  
The English patient. MEDIA PN1997 .E53 M56 2004  
The graduate. MEDIA PN1997 .G73 N53 2005  
Grand Hotel. Special ed. MEDIA PN1997 .G73 G68 2004  
Hustle & flow. MEDIA PN1997 .H87 B74 2006  
Judgment at Nuremberg. Special ed. MEDIA PN1997 .J84 K73 2004  
Key Largo. MEDIA PN1997 .K49 H87 2000  
Laura. MEDIA PN1997 .L38 P74 2004  
Maria full of grace. MEDIA PN1997 .M37 M37 2004  
Milwaukee, Minnesota ([DVD]). MEDIA PN1997 .M55 M56 2005  
Osama. MEDIA PN1997 .O82 B37 2004  
Paris, Texas. MEDIA PN1997 .P37 W46 2004  
Repulsion. MEDIA PN1997 .R47 P65 2003  
Schindler's list. Widescreen (1.85:1) version. MEDIA PN1997 .S35 S65 2004  
The sea inside = Mar adentro. MEDIA PN1997 .S42 A43 2005  
The searchers. MEDIA PN1997 .S42 F67 2006  
Sherlock Holmes and the secret weapon. MEDIA PN1997 .S54 N45 200u  
The sting. MEDIA PN1997 .S75 H55 2005  
Suspiria. MEDIA PN1997 .S97 A73 2001  
Unforgiven. MEDIA PN1997 .U53 E28 2000  
Wilde. Special ed. MEDIA PN1997 .W56 G56 2002  
Witness. Special collector's ed. MEDIA PN1997 .W58 W45 2005  
Pom poko. MEDIA PN1997.5 .P66 T35 2005

### Sciences.

#### Mathematics.

Franze'n, Torkel. Gödel's theorem : an incomplete guide to its use and abuse. QA9.65 .F73 2005  
Goldstein, Rebecca. Incompleteness : the proof and paradox of Kurt Gödel. QA29 .G58 G65 2005  
Smart, Julian. Cross-platform GUI programming with wxWidgets. QA76.9 .U83 S627 2006  
Liberty, Jesse. Programming Visual Basic 2005. QA76.73 .B3 L523 2005  
Beginning Visual C# 2005. QA76.73 .C154 B483 2006  
Tittel, Ed. HTML 4 for dummies. 5th ed. QA76.76 .H94 T568 2005  
Bucanek, James. Beginning Xcode. QA76.76 .O63 B826 2006  
Herborth, Chris. Unix advanced. QA76.76 .O63 H4767 2005  
LeVitus, Bob. Mac OS X Tiger for dummies. QA76.76 .O63 L48546 2005  
Chambers, Mark L. Mac OS X Tiger all-in-one desk reference for dummies. QA76.76 .O63 C41675 2005  
Trent, Michael. Beginning Mac OS X programming. QA76.76 .O63 T74565 2005

#### Geology.

Allen, P. A. Basin analysis : principles and applications. 2nd ed. QE571 .A45 2005

#### Natural history - Biology.

Variation. QH401 .V37 2005

#### Medicine.

Lavi, Shai Joshua. The modern art of dying : a history of

ethanasia in the United States. R726 .L3797 2005  
Denegar, Craig R. Therapeutic modalities for musculoskeletal injuries. 2nd ed. OVERSIZE RD97 .D46 2006  
Speziale, Helen Streubert. Qualitative research in nursing : advancing the humanistic imperative. 4th ed. RT81.5 .S78 2007

#### Technology. Photography.

Digital photography unleashed. MEDIA TR267 .D55 G74 2004  
Photography : as told by Life Magazine photographers. MEDIA TR820 .P56 H64 2003  
Morris, David. Creating a web site with Flash 8. TR897.7 .M677 2006

Suggestions for new materials are welcomed and encouraged. Direct them to Larry Schwartz, Collection Management Librarian for the LLL, at [schwartz@mnstate.edu](mailto:schwartz@mnstate.edu) or x2353. Other lists of new arrivals can be seen at <http://www.mnstate.edu/schwartz>.

### MISCELLANEA

\* **Philip Mouch**, Philosophy, presented his paper entitled "International Organizations: Power and Resistance" at the 23rd International Social Philosophy Conference in Victoria, B.C. August 3-5, organized by the North American Society for Social Philosophy. The paper discusses the power relations that support international organizations (such as the WTO and the IMF) and how nonviolent action can work to disrupt that power.

\* **Joann Segovia**, Accounting, attended the national American Accounting Association (AAA) meeting August 5-9. At the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Ethics Research Symposium preceding the annual meeting, Segovia presented one of 12 selected papers entitled "Confronting Accounting Students with Ethical Decisions Presented: a Computer Simulation," co-authors Marsha Weber, Finance; **Phil Mouch**, Philosophy; and **Thomas Pearce**, Business Administration. During the AAA meeting, her activities included: (1) Presenting "The 'New Learners:' Who Are They and Potential Implications for Education" co-author **Rhonda Ficek**, Instructional Technology, (2) Presenting "Teaching Technology and Using Technology to Teach: A Review of the Literature" co-author **Sheri Erickson**, Accounting; (3) Effective Learning Strategy Session "Effective and Efficient Use of Computerized Testing in Course Management Systems" with Bonnie Klamm of North Dakota State University, (4) Effective Learning Strategy Session "Using MSB Great Plains 8.0: Student-to-Student Advice and Other Useful Suggestions from Instructors" with Susan Crosson of Sante Fe Community College, (5) invited panelist for "Using Software in First-Year Courses and Beyond," with Pat Bille, Highline Community College; Maria Mari, Miami Dade Community College, and Carol Yacht, Computer Accounting

Resources; (6) Invited presenter for Microsoft Technology Learning Center entitled "Lessons Learned from Introducing Students to Microsoft Dynamics GP in AIS," and (7) paper discussant for Information Systems section paper "The Information Content of Internal Controls Legislation: Evidence from Material Weakness Disclosures."

\* **Sheila Coghill**, English chair, and **Thom Tamaro**, English, attended the Emily Dickinson International Society Annual Meeting at the University of Maryland August 4-6. This year's conference theme was "Economies of Pain." Tamaro was invited to introduce and moderate the discussion panel for poet and critic Sandra Gilbert who read from her latest book "Death's Door: Modern Dying and the Way We Grieve." Gilbert read from the chapter "Dickinson and Death and the Maiden." Gilbert, with Susan Gubar, is the author of numerous influential works of literary criticism, including "The Madwoman in the Attic: The Woman Writer" and the "Nineteenth Century Literary Imagination" (Yale, 1978). For more on Gilbert's recent works see <http://www.sandramgilbert.com/> Coghill attended and participated in several panels and in several poetry workshops on Dickinson's poems: "I Felt a Funeral in my Brain," and "Through the Straight Pass of Suffering."

\* **Doris Walker-Dalhouse**, EECE, and **A. Derick Dalhouse**, Psychology, had an article published in the Spring/ Summer 2006 edition of The Negro Educational Review, 57(1-2), pgs. 69-84. The co-authored article is entitled "Investigating white preservice teachers' beliefs about teaching in culturally diverse classrooms".

\* **Steve Lindaas, Physics & Astronomy**, attended the summer AAPT (American Association of Physics Teachers) meeting in Syracuse, N.Y. In addition to the regular meeting sessions, he attended two workshops, "Advanced and Intermediate Instructional Laboratories" and "VPython: 3-D Programming for Ordinary Mortals," and presented three posters, "Elementary School Rockets – Making Physics a Blast!" "Light Me Up!: An Introduction to Circuits Without Wires" and "ABC Labs: A Lab Structure Stressing Conceptual Understanding."

\* **Steve Hoffbeck**, History, made presentations at two workshops this summer: He was a presenter at a Minnesota Humanities Commission Teacher Institute Seminar in St. Paul on "Why and Where Do People Play? The Geography of Sport and Recreation"; and presented a talk on "Black Baseball in the Upper Midwest" at a teachers workshop hosted by the Fargo Public Schools as part of its teaching

American History Project. Hoffbeck is author of "Swinging for the Fences: Black Baseball in Minnesota," published last year by the Minnesota Historical Society Press.

\* **Fuego Tropical**, MSUM's Steel Drum and Salsa ensemble directed by Kenyon Williams, will perform at the United Way Campaign Kick-off at the Hjemkomst center on Sept. 14th from 12 noon-1 p.m.

(Send Miscellanea submissions to [tornell@mnstate.edu](mailto:tornell@mnstate.edu))

## CLASSIFIEDS

\* **For Rent:** Two-bedroom house on the edge of downtown Fargo, washer/dryer, dishwasher, no yard work necessary, partially furnished, \$600/month, Available immediately. 701.388.9382 or email: [ellngson@mnstate.edu](mailto:ellngson@mnstate.edu)

\* **For rent:** Four-bedroom house next to MSUM, washer/dryer, dishwasher, garage, \$1050/month, 1<sup>st</sup> month free, Avail. Sept 1, 701-238-6183

\* **House in South Moorhead for sale:** Near the new S. G. Reinertsen Elementary School. 1,294 sq.ft. main floor has 3 bedrooms with new carpet, asking \$135,000, no special assessments. 1,294 sq.ft., 2 baths with new vinyl flooring, plus a kitchen, dining room, formal dining room and large living room, all with new laminated flooring. Also, 1,394 more sq.ft. in basement free for your personal expansion. Lot size is 70 x 150. Attached double garage is 28-feet deep. Built in 1988 with Marvin windows, this rambler has forced gas heating, central A/C. Call Wayne Chen at 233-7953 or e-mail him at [chenw@mnstate.edu](mailto:chenw@mnstate.edu).

\* **House for sale or rent.** Three-bedroom double garage house located two blocks from NDSU and 3.8 miles from MSUM. Owner is leaving country for one year. Call Rupa at (701) 232 4966 or (701) 235 8079

\* **Honda Accord 2002.** Very nice, well maintained low miles (47,000) fully loaded car. Owner has to leave country in two weeks. Contact Rupa at (701) 232 4966 or (701) 235 8079

\* **Available now:** South Moorhead two-bedroom main floor. Attached garage, heat and cable paid. No pets or smoking. Call 233-1418 or 701-238-2326.

\* **1988 Ford Ranger XLT** extended cab 4x4, 122,000 miles, 1 owner. \$2500 or offer. 218 863-1562.

## **UPCOMING CAMPUS EVENTS**

### **AUGUST**

\* Four artists (Rob Kelly, Linda Deg Lee, Mary Lingen and Jane Schmidt) with different perspectives on the land will be featured in an exhibit called “**Landscapes: Macro/Micro**” from Aug 24-Sept. 13 at the MSUM Roland Dille Center for the Arts Gallery. A reception is scheduled from 3 to 5 p.m. in the gallery on Saturday, Sept. 9. (free)

\* **Enter the Haggis**, an Irish rock band, performs at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 30 at the Holmquist Slab at MSUM to help kick off the new school year. The group is an explosive Celtic-rock quintet based in Toronto, Canada. The band combines the traditional sounds of the highland bagpipe and fiddle with a powerhouse rhythm section and strong vocals to create an infectious hybrid of old and new. (A free Campus Activities Board event.)

### **SEPTEMBER**

\* The annual **Power Bowl** featuring cross-town football rivals the MSUM Dragons and the Concordia Cobbers kicks off at 1:35 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 2 at Alex Nemzek Field. More than 1,000 Cobber and Dragon mascot plushies will be given away at the game. It will be the debut for new Dragon head football coach Damon Tomeo. The Power Bowl Parade starts at 6:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 1 on 20<sup>th</sup> Street from 28<sup>th</sup> Ave. South to 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue South.

\* **Labor Day holiday** Monday, Sept. 4.

\* “**UFOs: The Hidden History**,” a 90-minute lecture and slide show by Robert Hastings, an independent researcher and a laboratory analyst from Albuquerque, N.M., will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 13 in Minnesota State University Moorhead’s student union ballroom. The program is based on previously classified documents secured through the Freedom of Information Act. Hastings will also provide information that evening on how to access up to 600 pages of these newly released documents. Hastings’ appearance on campus is sponsored by the university’s Campus Activities Board.

\* The MSUM Planetarium presents “**Navigating with Lewis and Clark**” September 17- November 13, Sundays at 2 p.m., Mondays at 7 p.m. Almost 200 years ago the Lewis and Clark expedition passed North Dakota on its way to the Pacific Ocean. How did they find their way across this uncharted land? The show traces their journey using maps, photographs and the night sky. General admission is \$3; children 12 and under, senior citizens and Tri-College students are \$1.50. The Planetarium is located on the MSUM campus in Bridges Hall, room 167 at 11th St. and 8th Ave. S. in Moorhead. Please use the

south entrance to Bridges Hall.

\* **MSUM’s annual Faculty Exhibition** runs from Sept. 18 to Oct. 11 in the Roland Dille Center for the Arts gallery. It features a variety of new work by 14 members of the MSUM art and design department, ranging from fiber art and illustration to graphic design and painting. A reception is scheduled from 4 to 6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 21. (free)

\* U.S. District Court Judge Ralph Erickson will speak on “**Freedom and the Law: The Moral Foundations of a Constitutional Republic**” at 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 18 in MSU Moorhead’s Center for Business 103. He is currently presiding over the highly publicized trial of Alfonso Rodriguez Jr., charged in federal court with kidnapping resulting in the death of Dru Sjodin. One of two active federal judges in North Dakota, Erickson is a Thief River Falls native, who grew up in Rugby, N.D. and graduated from Jamestown College and UND’s law school. Erickson last year replaced Judge Rodney Webb. After graduation from law school, Erickson was in private law practice in West Fargo. While a state district judge from 1994 through 2003, he presided over civil, criminal and juvenile matters.

\* Regene Radniecki, an MSUM professor of Mass Communications, will open this year’s Deans’ Lecture Series with a talk on “**Horizonlines.org, The Challenges of Publishing an Online Magazine**” at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19 in Comstock Memorial Union 203. Radniecki, who spent 18 years as a staff photographer for the Minneapolis Star Tribune before joining the MSUM faculty, will talk about how online magazines can connect student writers, photographers and multimedia producers to global audiences. Her lecture will describe how one general interest magazine was developed by a group of MSUM students who had little idea what they were getting into. The Web site address for the magazine, now in its 5<sup>th</sup> edition, is [www.horizonlines.org](http://www.horizonlines.org). Her lecture is free and open to the public.

\* **David Coulier (pronounced Cool-Yay)**, best known for his role as Uncle Joey on the ABC television series “Full House,” which ran for eight seasons, performs his one-man stand-up comedy act at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19 in the MSUM Roland Dille Center for the Arts Hansen Theatre as a feature of the Campus Activities Board. Coulier



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followed the success of "Full House" by hosting his second prime-time hit series "America's Funniest People, which ran on ABC for four seasons while handling the hosting chores for the network's "The World's Funniest Videos," and hosted his own series, "Out of Control for Nickelodeon." Currently he is a member of Duck's Breath Mystery Theater touring comedy troupe as well as host of the series "Animal Kidding."

\* **Performance poet Debra Marquart**, an MSUM alum and former touring rock musician, will open this season's Tom McGrath Visiting Writers series with a 4 p.m. talk on the writer's craft and an 8 p.m. reading from her current work Tuesday, Sept. 19, both events in the university's Comstock Memorial Union, room 101. A native rural North Dakotan and now English professor at Iowa State University, she's the author of two poetry collections, "Everything's a Verb" and "From Sweetness," along with a memoir "The Horizontal World: Growing Up Wild in the Middle of Nowhere" released this summer by Counterpoint Books. She's currently working on a novel set in Greece titled "The Olive Harvest." She's also the author of "The Hunger Bone: Rock & Roll Stores" drawn from her experience as a road musician. She continues to perform with a jazz-poetry rhythm and blues project, The Bone People, with whom she has released two CDs. (free)

\* **A faculty violin recital featuring Eric Grossman** starts at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 20 in MSUM's Weld Hall Glasrud Auditorium. (free)

\* As part of Homecoming Week tradition, Hypnotist Frederick Winters is on stage at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 20. (free)

\* MSUM's Cheryl Nelson Lossett Performing Arts Series kicks off its season at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 21 with "**Dancing with Spirit**," combining the talent of World Champion Fancy Dancer Larry Yazzie and Dr. Erik Gooding in a program that celebrates the beauty, skill



and majesty of American Indian music and Dance. Through live action music, dance and storytelling, "Dancing with Spirit" presents

a series of dances including the Fancy, Shield, Hoop, Eagle, Buffalo and Round accompanied by the stirring melodies of flute and song. For tickets, call the MSUM Box Office at 477-2271.

\* MSUM **Homecoming** Saturday, Sept. 22-23.

\* **A faculty percussion recital featuring Kenyon Williams** starts at 8 p.m. Friday, Sept.

29 in MSUM's Roland Dille Center for the Arts Fox Recital Hall. (free)

### **LIBRARY E-MAIL NOTICES**

When the library migrated to the new Aleph system last spring, it began sending paper copies of most notices with the exception of ILL notices. Beginning Monday, Aug. 28, the library will once again begin sending out overdue notices and bills via e-mail.

The library notices will be sent to the e-mail address listed in the faculty or student record. Paper copies of library notices will be sent to those without a valid e-mail address. Students and faculty can check with the library to verify the e-mail address in their record.

The library notices will appear in the body of the e-mail message and also as an attachment. If you have any problems reading or opening the attachments, contact Pam Werre, Public Services Librarian, (werrepa@mnstate.edu) or the Library Circulation Desk (477-2355).

### **DRAGON FIRE POWER BOWL LUNCHEON WEDNESDAY**

The campus community is invited to join other Dragon athletic boosters at the Dragon Fire Power Bowl luncheon at noon Wednesday, Aug. 30 near the north end zone of Nemzek Stadium (in the field house if it rains). Dragon and Cobber coaches will provide a game preview with an opportunity for questions from the audience. Other MSUM coaches and athletic staff will also participate in the program. Cost for the luncheon is \$8.