Y-TRIBUTE TO OUTSTANDING WOMEN

Nominations for the YWCA’s Tribute to Outstanding Women are being considered for Fall 2001. If you have a likely candidate to suggest, please contact Donna Anderson at 5-6864 or anderson.donn@uwlax.edu by May 4th. The summer will provide time for the nominee to prepare a current resume and put together a description of achievements in the community. Awards are made in the following categories: Arts, Media/Communications, Education, Volunteer Services, Sports, Professions, Health, Government/Politics, Young Women of Tomorrow, Business, and Labor.

THE WOMEN’S ADVISORY COUNCIL

The Women’s Advisory Council met April 9th to continue discussion on how to increase professional development opportunities for women at UW-La Crosse. Delaine Baker plans to meet with the council to discuss future initiatives that she is working on. If you have questions about the Women’s Advisory Council or issues that you would like to see addressed by this Chancellor’s Advisory Committee, please contact Sharie Brunk, Marcia Johnson-Sage, or any of the council members. They would like to hear from you!

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“The smell of rain is rich with life.”
~Estela PortilloTrambley~
Y-TRIBUTE AWARD WINNERS
FROM THE UW-LA CROSSE CAMPUS
1983-2000

ARTS
1998 Carolyn A. Barber
1997 Karin Quinn
1996 Marilyn Wood
1992 Tulla Lightfoot
1991 Joyce Koskenmaki
1988 Joyce Grill
1987 Nancy Arganbright Weekley

EDUCATION
1998 Sara McFall Sullivan
1988 Jean L. Foss

SPORTS
1998 Cheryl Kennedy
1995 Bridget Belgiovine
1989 Barbara Gibson

BUSINESS
1997 Jan Gallagher
1989 Karin Bast

ENTREPRENEUR
2000 Dianne Morrison

SECRETARY/OFFICE SUPPORT
1991 Jayne Wells

PROFESSIONS
1991 Jennifer Wilson

HEALTH
1989 Peg Dosch

YOUNG WOMEN OF TOMORROW
1997 Carmen Kennedy
1995 Donney Kyra-Maritza Moroney

CORPORATE
1990 University of Wisconsin - La Crosse

ACTIVIST
1999 Sara Bentley
1994 Sandra Krajewski
1990 Elizabeth (Bets) Reedy

EDUCATION - ADMINISTRATOR
2000 Susan Wrobel
1996 Carol Bassuener
1994 Sandra Flake
1991 Dr. Anne Korschegen

EDUCATION - TEACHER
1990 Susan L. Willey

HEALTH - EDUCATION
1990 Patricia Wilder

MULTI-CULTURAL RELATIONS
1994 Angela Hamm Kellogg
1991 Mary Gayle Pifer
1990 Lisbeth Reynertson

ARTS/SCIENCES
1999 Deon M. Nontelle

SPECIAL INTERESTS
1997 Cecilia Manrique
NEW AT MURPHY LIBRARY

If you missed the excellent PBS Bill Moyers’ series entitled, “On our own terms: Moyers on dying,” you can check out the 4-video series at Murphy Library (Call Number: BF789.D4 O5, 2nd floor video collection). More information is available at: http://www.pbs.org/wnet/onourownterms/

CONGRATULATIONS TO ANJANETTE GASTON

This year’s OCW Scholarship winner is Anjanette Gaston who is pursuing a Master of Science Degree in Recreation Management.

WANTED
A NEW DESIGN FOR THE OCW NEWSLETTER BANNERHEAD

Get those creative juices flowing and help us come up with a snazzy, new design for the OCW Newsletter bannerhead. Please submit ideas to:

Ginny Kreyer  kreyer.virg@uwlax.edu, 118 Murphy Library or Carol Stoelting, stoeltin.caro@uwlax.edu, 111 Murphy.

BEST WISHES AS YOU LEAVE UW-LA CROSSE

The following staff are resigning or retiring:

Michelle Corcoran  Residence Life
Marna Jenson  La Crosse Exercise Program
Carroll Jones  Educational Studies
Judith Pace  Exercise & Sport Science
Jean Ruhser  Biology
Karin Sandvik  Library Department

GREETINGS FROM HAYDEE MALIS
OCW 2000 SCHOLARSHIP WINNER

I'm having a busy semester and have kept my GPA close to last year's level at 3.86. I moved to La Crosse last October. I'm hoping to start working in the clinical lab at Gundersen Lutheran next fall to get more lab experience.

My favorite course this semester is Tom Volk's Medical Mycology. My fall biology classes will include Pathogenic Bacteriology and Microbial Genetics. I anticipate graduating from UW-L with a Microbiology degree in May 2002. I was originally a pre-vet major but am now pretty decided that I'd like to get into Public Health, so my plans are for grad school in Epidemiology, probably at the University of California-Davis. I'll be spending the summer in northern California.

The scholarship helped me cover financial expenses associated with my divorce and enabled me to buy some books on the current state of affairs in infectious diseases. My specific interest is zoonotically transmitted infectious diseases. Perhaps I'll work for the CDC some day!
On Tuesday, April 3, the Women’s Studies Student Association (WSSA) sponsored “The Panel: Topic, Reproduction” at 7:00 p.m. at the Health Science Center. Two speakers, Dr. James Parker, emeritus Professor of History, and Dr. Sharon Scherwitz, Professor of Philosophy, spoke about the subject. The forum was informal and enlightening. WSSA would like to thank our distinguished faculty guests for participating in this event. The student organization will sponsor another panel in 2002 on the topic of feminism.

WSSA has a long history at UW-L. The student group has approximately 20 members and coordinates many activist events throughout the school year. Students do not need to be pursuing a minor in Women’s Studies to join. WSSA also welcomes graduate students as well as any student who believes in the radical notion that a woman is a human being.

Barbara Bell

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Thanks to Linda Sondreal and Ginny Kreyer for these web sites.

Gardens are the result of a collaboration between art and nature.

~Penelope Hobhouse~