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A Tribute to Teaching

"All the well being of Christianity and of the whole world depends on the proper education of youth."

Pedro de Ribadeneyra, S.J. (1526 - 1611)



Clerking for Chief Justice is "An Honor"

COURTNEY GILLIGAN '99

According to Courtney Gilligan '99, a University of Scranton education provided her with the ability to anticipate, analyze and confront new challenges.

No doubt those skills helped her gain a coveted position as law clerk to U.S. Supreme Court Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist.

"I think that the breadth and depth of study that the University encourages prepared me well," she says. "I also think that the supportive community atmosphere of the University pushes students to excel, while encouraging personal growth. The faculty play an important role in that atmosphere. I admired greatly all of my professors, including Dr. Dwyer, Father McKinney, Dr. Black, and Dr. Klonoski."

The Andover, N.J., native graduated from the George Washington University Law School in 2002. Following graduation, she studied for the New Jersey and Pennsylvania bar exams, and in August 2002, moved to Fargo, N.D., where she clerked for the Honorable Frank J. Magill, United State Circuit Judge for the Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals. Law clerks to Supreme Court justices traditionally serve a clerkship with one of the Federal Circuit Courts. She began her oneyear position as a Supreme Court clerk in July 2003.

"It is a great honor to work for the Chief Justice," she says.

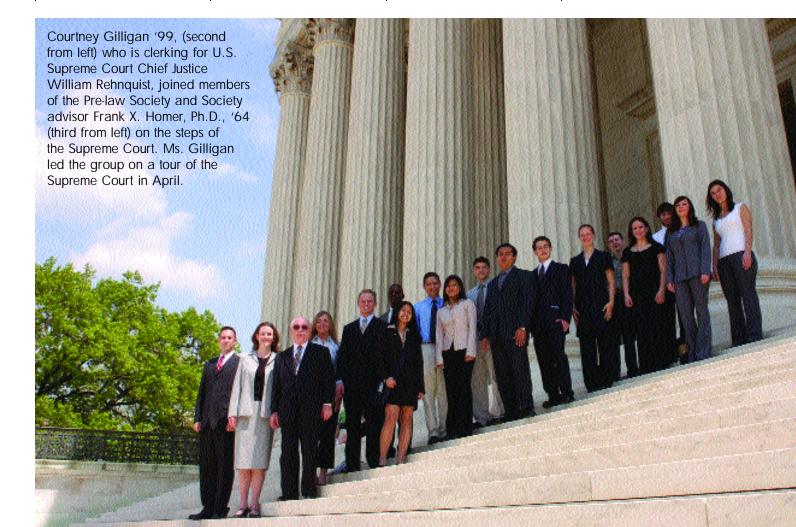


To Richard J. Klonoski, Ph.D., Professor of Philosophy, it was no great surprise to hear of Ms. Gilligan's appointment. "Courtney was a standout among standout students," he

among standout students," he says. "An incisive, critical, probing thinker, she showed not only a passion but a dogged determination for getting at the core of complex philosophical issues, issues of moral, social, and political import."

Ronald McKinney, S.J., Ph.D., Professor of Philosophy, agrees. "She was one of the most insightful and caring students I ever had," he says.

Courtney Gilligan is not the first University of Scranton alum to clerk for a Supreme Court Justice. Edward R. Leahy '68, H'01, University benefactor and past chair of the University's Board of Trustees, served as a law clerk for Chief Justice William J. Brennan Jr. following his graduation from Boston College Law School in 1971.



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Faculty Honored with Enhancement Initiatives, Fellowships

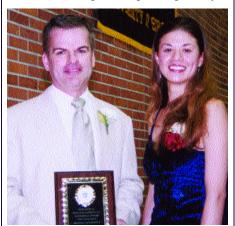
Seven University of Scranton faculty members were recently honored with Provost's Faculty Enhancement Initiatives and Distinguished University Fellowships. The initiatives celebrate and support outstanding distinction in teaching, scholarship and service by faculty. The awards were given on March 6 during Faculty Appreciation Day. Faculty who received recognition were:

Kathleen K. Montgomery, D.Ed. Associate Professor, Education John C. Norcross, Ph.D. Professor, Psychology Michael D. DeMichele, Ph.D. Chair and Professor, History Thomas M. Collins, Ph.D. Associate Professor, Counseling and Human Services Michael C. Cann, Ph.D. Professor, Chemistry Stephen J. Casey, Associate Professor, Theology/Religious Studies Josephine M. Dunn, Ph.D. Associate Professor, History

Accounting Professor Receives Teaching Award

The University's chapter of Alpha Sigma Nu Honor Society honored Daniel P. Mahoney, Ph.D., Professor of Accounting, with the Edward Gannon, S.J., Award for Teaching.

The annual award, established in 1978 by the University's chapter of Alpha Sigma Nu, the national honor society for students in Jesuit colleges and universities, recognizes outstanding teaching among faculty.



Rachel Pike (right), President of the University's Chapter of Alpha Sigma Nu, presented the Gannon Award to Dr. Mahoney at the Alpha Sigma Nu Induction Ceremony in April.

Graduating Class Names Teacher of the Year

Kathleen K. Montgomery, D.Ed., Associate Professor of Education was selected Teacher of the Year by the University's graduating class of 2004.

The Teacher of the Year Award, instituted in 1996 by the academic support committee of the



Kathleen K. Montgomery, D.Ed., was presented with the Teacher of the Year Award during Class Night in May.

University's Faculty Senate, honors a faculty member who maintains high standards of academic excellence and fairness and who, through enthusiasm and dedication, inspires interest in a given field of education.

Dr. Montgomery was co-recipient of a Pennsylvania Higher Education Technology Grant for performance assessment of students through technology, and co-recipient of a cooperative endowment grant for The University of Scranton and Marywood University Speaker Series.

Fr. Panuska Returns to Campus Will Help in Pastoral Work and Advancement

Rev. J.A. Panuska, S.J., who served as the 22nd President of the University from 1982 to 1998, has returned to the University as President Emeritus to do pastoral work related to the University's Campus Ministry Office and to assist in the Office of Institutional Advancement.

The Very Reverend Timothy Brown, S.J., Provincial Superior of the Maryland Province, missioned Fr. Panuska to return to the University. Fr. Panuska has served as Rector of the Jesuit community in Wernersville since 1998. He returned to the University in January 2004.

Under Fr. Panuska's guidance, the University expanded its academic programs and its national reputation as a leading Jesuit university in the northeastern United States. He oversaw two capital cam-

paigns and the significant growth of the University's campus and facilities. Fifteen buildings were added to the campus during his presidency, including the Weinberg Memorial Library.



Rev. J.A. Panuska, S.J.

In 1998, the University's board of trustees named its College of Health, Education and Human Resources the J.A. Panuska, S.J., College of Professional Studies.

Fr. Panuska has held administrative positions for the past 33 years. Prior to his positions at Wernersville and the University, he was Academic Vice President and Dean of Faculties at Boston Col-

lege, Provincial Superior of the Maryland Province, and Rector of the Georgetown Jesuit Community. He also served as a professor of biology at Georgetown University.

Two Professors Receive Fulbrights

Two University of Scranton professors were recently named Fulbright Fellows – Satya P. Chattopadhyay, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Management/Marketing, for the Ukraine, and Roy P. Domenico, Ph.D., Associate Professor of History, for Italy.

A previous Fulbright recipient, Dr. Chattopadhyay will study the rapidly integrating European market and establish contacts between the University's Kania School of Management and the National University of Kyiv Mohyla Academy, which was established in 1615. His Fulbright Fellowship in 1999 allowed him to lecture and conduct research in the Kyrgyz Republic.

Dr. Domenico will research Italian-Catholic political culture during the Cold War.

Congress established the Fulbright program in 1946. Fulbright Fellowships are awarded through a competitive application process. Scholars throughout the United States apply for positions posted by host countries. A committee of peers in the United States selects finalists, whose proposals are then submitted to a review panel from the host country for final selection.

Students USA Today Names Two to All-Academic Teams

Sara J. Shoener '04

Christopher

J. Corey '04



Two University of Scranton students were among just 60 in the nation listed in USA TODAY's 2004 ALL USA

TODAY's 2004 ALL-USA College Academic Teams. Sara J. Shoener '04, biomathematics and philosophy major, was named to the first team. Christopher J. Corey '04, who graduated with a triple major in biochemistry, biophysics and biomathematics, was named to the third team.

The Scranton students were listed along with students from 41 other colleges that include some of nation's most prestigious schools. Harvard, Princeton, Stanford, Northwestern and The University of Scranton were among only nine schools to have two or more students included on the academic teams.

Pre-Law Students Meet Alumni Attorneys

Members of the Pre-Law Society traveled to Washington, D.C. in April to meet Scranton alumni who work as attorneys in the nation's capital. Thirteen Scranton alumni participated in panel discussions hosted at the law office of Paul Hastings Janofsky & Walker, courtesy of John "Jack" Gallagher '69. Below, Joe Bottiglieri '84, (at front table, gesturing) a Partner in the law firm of Bonner Kiernan Trebach & Crociata, moderated a panel discussion about private practice of law in D.C.



Pre-Med Students Join Alumni in Service Trip

In January, three pre-med students joined three alumni physicians for a mission trip to staff a clinic in the remote mountain region of Bonne Fin, Haiti. Scranton students Bryan Murtaugh, Han Li, and Rachel Bognet, joined alumni Richard Bevilacqua, M.D., D.M.D., Michael Platt, M.D., and Gregory Lynch, D.O., on a week-long service trip.

The students assisted the doctors with medical procedures ranging from tooth extractions to leg amputations and appendectomies. This is the third year for the service trip to Haiti, which is sponsored by the University's Medical Alumni Council.



Packing medical supplies donated for the Haiti service trip by Dr. Lear Von Koch, Moses Taylor Hospital and Wyoming Valley Health Care/ Wilkes-Barre General Hospital are, from left, Han Li, Rachel Bognet and Bryan Murtaugh.

Goldwater Scholar Named

University of Scranton junior Han Li is the second University student in as many years to be awarded a Goldwater Scholarship. A double major in biochemistry and biomathematics, Ms. Li was



Han Li

among the 310 sophomore and junior undergraduates in the nation to be awarded the scholarship. The Goldwater Foundation Scholarship Program, honoring the late Senator Barry M. Goldwater, was designed to foster and encourage outstanding students to pursue careers in the fields of mathematics, the natural sciences and engineering.

Students Conduct Easter Basket Drive

The Center for Social Action and Service Initiatives overflowed with Easter Baskets during its annual Easter Basket Drive for needy children. About 300 University students donated items and Easter baskets for local boys and girls.





Students Embark on International Service Trip

Tata Mbugua, Ph.D., originally from Kenya, and Assistant Professor of Education at the University, will lead a group of students on the University's first International Service Trip to Kenya, East Africa, this summer. The students will be hosted by Hekima College, Jesuit School of Theology, Catholic University of East Africa, Nairobi. The students will also visit and meet with faculty and students at Kenyatta University and Nairobi University, and will work at a variety of service projects including community outreach programs for HIV positive orphans, Jesuit Refugee Services and Catholic Relief Services.

Alpha Sigma Nu Inducts 51 Members

The University's chapter of Alpha Sigma Nu inducted 51 members, including four honorary members, during an induction ceremony held April 18. Pictured at the Induction Ceremony from left: Frank J. McDonnell, Esg., '60, Chair of the University's Board of Trustees and speaker at the induction ceremony, and honorary degree recipients Most Rev. James C. Timlin, D.D., Bishop Emeritus, Diocese of Scranton, Barbara Reddien Wagner, PT, MHA, Director of Clinical Education, Physical Therapy, Rev. Timothy Cadigan, S.J., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Biology, and Dona Rinaldi Carpenter, Ed.D., Professor of Nursing.





At a planning meet-

left, Anthony Gian-

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Marissa Ambacher,

Michelle Gilfillan '98,

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Monsignor Andrew McGowan (right) congratulates Robert G. D'Ambrosio on receiving the 2004-2005 William G. McGowan Scholarship.

2004-2005 McGowan Scholar Named

Robert G. D'Ambrosio has been awarded a full-tuition scholarship for his senior year at The University of Scranton through the William G. McGowan Scholars Program of the William G. McGowan Charitable Fund.

Named for the late William G. McGowan, founder of MCI Communications Corporation, and brother of Monsignor Andrew J. McGowan H'82, Trustee Emeritus of the University, the program benefits outstanding students who plan to enter the field of business.

News & Events

Parenting Lectures Offered During Catholic Schools Week

The University of Scranton's Dexter Hanley College, in conjunction with area Catholic schools and *The Scranton Times-Tribune* and *The Citizens' Voice*, offered a series of discussions about parenting during Catholic Schools Week.

Mary Muscari, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Nursing and author of the recentlyreleased book, *Not my Kid - Protecting Your Children from the 21 Threats of the 21st Century*, presented a series of talks in Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and Williamsport.



Attending one of the parenting lectures hosted on the University's campus were, from left, Ruth Connolly, Ed.D., Superintendent of Schools for the Scranton Diocese, Dr. Muscari, and Kathleen V. Davis, Ph.D., Dean of Dexter Hanley College.

Mass Marks Beginning of Holy Week

University President Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., blessed palms at a Palm Sunday Mass held April 4. Students filled the Houihan-McLean Center for the Mass, concelebrated by members of the Jesuit Community at Scranton.



Events Celebrate Ignatian Heritage

Three major events – Trustee Day, the University Assembly, and the presentation of the annual Arrupe Award – were held at the University in celebration of Ignatian Heritage Week, Feb. 16 – 20.

The 30th annual Trustee Day was held Feb. 16 -17 on campus. **Trustees** Michele Gilfillan '98 and George Lynett, Esq., G'71 chaired the event. Mrs. Gilfillan is Marketing Coordinator for **Operation Rice** Bowl. Catholic Relief Services. Mr. Lynett is the Publisher of the *Times*-Tribune, Secretary/Treasurer of Shamrock Com-



Michele Gilfillan '98 Co-chair of Trustee Day, was Master of Ceremonies at the Trustee Day luncheon.

munications, Inc., and President of the *Towanda Daily Review.*

At a University Assembly held on Feb. 17, Rev. William Currie, S.J., President of Sophia University, Tokyo, Japan, received the ninth annual Pedro Arrupe, S.J.,

Award for Distinguished Contributions to Ignatian Mission and Ministries. Father Currie has served as a teacher and administrator at Sophia University since the early 1970s. In his 30year career there, he has been a professor of literature, Vice President of General Affairs. and Dean of comparative culture.

George Lynett, Esq., G'71, Co-Chair of Trustee Day, offered welcoming remarks at the luncheon in February.



Rev. William Currie, S.J., President of Sophia University, Tokyo, Japan, was presented with the ninth annual Pedro Arrupe, S.J. Award for Distinguished Contributions to Ignatian Mission and Ministries. From left: Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., University President; Fr. Currie; Rev. John J. Shea, S.J., Vice President for University Ministries; and Rev. George Aschenbrenner, S.J., Rector of the Jesuit Community.



Transitional DPT Degree Bridges Gap

The Department of Physical Therapy at the University has received authorization from the Pennsylvania Department of Education to begin offering the Doctor of Physical Therapy degree. The current M.P.T. program is being phased out and replaced by a three-year, post-Baccalaureate D.P.T. program – the first doctoral-level program to be offered by the University.

As the first step in phasing in the new D.P.T. program, the Department of Physical Therapy will launch an entirely Webbased transitional Doctor of Physical Therapy (tDPT) degree program designed specifically for practicing clinicians beginning this fall. The tDPT degree enables licensed physical therapists to bridge the gap between their professional master's degree in physical therapy education and the current entry-level clinical doctorate (DPT) education. The distance education format provides the convenience and flexibility needed by busy clinicians to pursue professional development.

The program consists of four Webbased courses in the areas of evidencebased practice, pharmacology, pathology, and diagnosis. All four courses are presented entirely online with optional oncampus discussion/review sessions offered one or two times each semester. Each course also includes a clinical case-based research component.

For more information, contact James L. Goonan, Director of Graduate Admissions, at 1-800-366-GRAD.

The University Recognized for Wireless Computing Access

The University has been included in Intel Corporation's "Most Unwired College Campuses" which ranks the top 100 schools in the United States for wireless computing access. The University was ranked 87th in Intel's listing of schools from across the country who offer students wireless access to the Internet on notebook PCs without a traditional wired connection. The University is one of only two Jesuit schools in the United States included in the listing.

University Hosts Relay for Life Event

More than 300 students, staff, faculty and their families participated in the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life in April. The annual 24-hour event raised more than \$19,000 to support cancer research. In addition to University teams, students from local colleges and universities in the Scranton area took part in the Relay. This is the first time The University of Scranton served as the host site for the Relay. The event was coordinated through the Center for Social Action and Service Initiatives. Above, Relay for Life participants set out along the Royal Way.



Institutional Advancement



Annual Fund Under Way, Campaign Chairs Named

The University's 2004 Annual Fund campaign is well under way toward a goal of \$3.5 million. The Annual Fund provides financial assistance for many activities, including financial aid and scholarships, library acquisitions, Catholic and Jesuit identity programs, technology and equipment, and faculty development programs. Announcing the 2004 Annual Fund, from left: Christina and Leonard Lopenzina, Chairs of the Parents Campaign; Toni Kraucheunas, Zone Supervisor, Weinberg Memorial Library Maintenance, and Chair of the University Community Campaign; Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., University President; Christine Oliver-Shean '80, Campaign Chair; Paul Strunk, Vice President for Institutional Advancement; and Kathy Statsman, Director of Annual Giving Programs. For additional information, contact the Annual Fund office at (570) 941-7725, or visit the Web site at www.scranton.edu/annualfund.

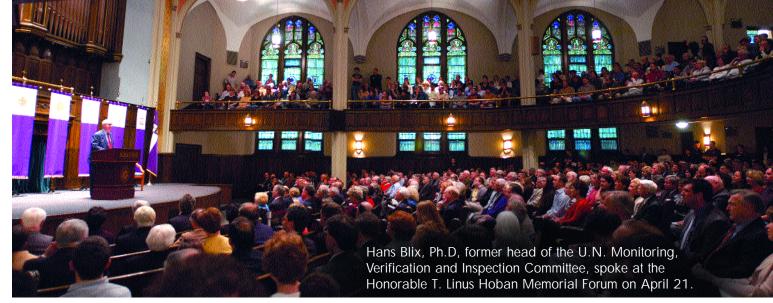
President's Business Council Plans Annual New York Dinner

The University's President's Business Council, chaired by Christopher M. "Kip" Condron '70, President and CEO of AXA Financial, will hold its third annual black tie dinner at The Pierre in New York City on Thursday, Oct. 7. Last year's gala, which honored Paul M. Montrone '62, was attended by 500 of the University's alumni, parents and friends, and raised more than \$1 million to endow Presidential Scholarships at the University.

The Co-Chairs for this year's dinner are Thomas P. Lynch '86, Managing Director, Deutsche Bank Securities, and James F. Mullery, Jr. '86, Senior Vice President, Fred Alger & Co. The honoree and recipient of the prestigious President's Medal will be William H. (Bill) Finn '67, H'04 in memoriam. Bill was a Senior Managing Director for Bear, Stearns & Co. and a University Trustee at the time of his death in October 2003.

The President's Business Council is a New York City-based group of prominent alumni/ae and friends of the University whose purpose is to advance the mission of the University. As part of its goals, the Council seeks to provide Presidential Scholarships for talented students who will become leaders of vision and integrity. Scholars are chosen from among the top students accepted to the University each year and are selected for their academic excellence, leadership ability and character. In addition to its annual dinner, the Council provides mentoring and internship opportunities for current students and networking opportunities for alumni/ae and friends.

For more information regarding the Council or the Oct. 7 dinner, please contact Peter Galbraith, Executive Director of Development, at (570) 941-5848 or e-mail galbraithp2@scranton.edu.



Speakers and Lecturers

Oscar-Winning Filmmaker Delivers Lecture

The University's 22nd annual Morris Gelb Lecture featured three-time Academy-Award winning documentary filmmaker,



Harris

journalist, novelist and film professor Mark Jonathan Harris. Mr. Harris' talk, entitled "Reflections of a Jewish Filmmaker" was delivered May 6 in the Eagen Auditorium of the Gunster Student Center.

"Headhunter of the Century" Speaks to Executives

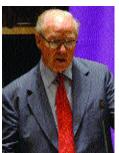
Gerard R. Roche '53, Senior Chairman of the international search firm Heidrick & Struggles, Inc., spoke at the President's Breakfast on May 13. Mr. Roche discussed "What Does it Take to be a Good CEO

in this Changing Environment?". Mr. Roche was chosen by his peers as "Headhunter of the Century" in a poll conducted by Hunt Scanlon Publishing Co., Inc., in 2000.



Former U.N. Weapons Inspector Speaks at Forum

Hans Blix, Ph.D., former head of the U.N. Monitoring, Verification and Inspection Committee, detailed his firsthand accounts of overseeing 700 weapons inspections in Iraq to an audience of more than 700 people gathered for the Honorable T. Linus Hoban Memorial Forum hosted by The University of Scranton and the Lackawanna Bar Associa-



tion on April 21. During his address to the audience in the University's Houlihan-McLean Center, and in a class held earlier in the day on campus for University students, Dr. Blix asserted that the U.S. and the U.K. did not exercise enough critical thinking and that they should have continued their inspections before launching a military attack.

The Hoban Forum is named for the Honorable T. Linus Hoban, the prominent Scranton jurist, military officer and civic leader who died in 1974. The forum was established through the generosity of the late Genevieve Kelly O'Brien Hoban in memory of her husband.





Global Issues Discussed During Cosmopolitan Society Series

June Carter Perry, Director of Social and Humanitarian Affairs, U.S. Department of State, spoke to student leaders in March. Ms. Carter Perry discussed what individuals should do in preparing for leadership and participation in a global society, and what students should know about becoming a Diplomat and working for the State Department. Ms. Carter Perry was one of five speakers discussing pressing global issues as part of the Cosmopolitan Society Series 2004 presented by the University's Office of International Programs and Services.

Leadership Conference Held

The University's first Leadership Conference, held April 16-17, featured Andrew J. McKelvey, Chairman, CEO and founder of Monster Worldwide Inc. and Monster.com, and Christopher Lowney, author of the best-selling book *Heroic Leadership: Best Practices from a 450-Year-Old Company That Changed the World.* Students attending The University of Scranton as McKelvey Foundation Scholars were introduced to Mr. McKelvey at the opening dinner.

From left: William Burke, Director of Financial Aid; Steffin Stone and Stephanie Woolbauch, McKelvey Scholars at the University; and Mr. McKelvey. Absent from photo are Heather Bradley and Ward Stanford, two other McKelvey Scholars at the University.





Commencement 2004

The University celebrated the graduating class of 2004 on May 30 at its one hundred and fourth commencement.

The University conferred 843 bachelor's degrees, 195 master's degrees and six associate's degrees at the ceremony, held at Wachovia Arena, Wilkes-Barre.

Rev. Joseph M. McShane, S.J., President of Fordham University and former President of The University of Scranton, gave the principal address. In his remarks to the graduates, Fr. McShane reflected on his years at the University, a timeline that paralleled

that of the Royal Class of 2004 from their freshman to senior years.

"...the fact that I have just become a member of your class makes my heart sing," said Fr. McShane. "I am more grateful than I could ever say to be counted among your number."

In addition to delivering the keynote address, Fr. McShane received an honorary degree from the University, as did





"Always view the world and your place in it from the Scranton perspective; let the magis permeate your life and, please, never compromise your commitment to the service of others and the greater glory of God."

REV. SCOTT R. PILARZ, S.J. President, The University of Scranton

you have made on your alma mater."

Fr. Pilarz also offered what he referred to as an observation, noting that "there is something rare and precious about this place (the University)." He concluded his remarks by encouraging the parting students to "take Scranton with you" and to "come home to Scranton."

Patrick A. Toole, James W. Dyer '66, Jane E. Oppenheim, Colleen Kelly and William H.Finn '67, posthumously.

University President Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., also addressed the 1,044 graduates and their families and friends. He offered words of thanks to the honorary degree recipients "who enrich our celebration," to faculty who "change the lives of students" to parents and families, and to the graduates themselves "for the mark that

"Here at Scranton, you have learned lessons and developed qualities of heart and mind that have prepared all of you to participate in the great struggle of our age, the struggle not merely aimed at eradicating terrorism, but of creating a more just and peaceful world."

REV. JOSEPH M. MCSHANE, S.J., H'04 President of Fordham University and Former President of The University of Scranton

Honorary degree recipients were greeted by University officials dur ing Commencement, held May 30. From left: Frank J. McDonnell, Esg. '60, Chair of the Board of Trustees; Beth Barnett, Ed.D., Provost and Vice President for Aca demic Affairs; Honorary degree recipients Colleen Kelly, Jane E. Oppenheim, James W. Dyer '66, Rev. Joseph M. McShane, S.J., and Patrick A. Toole; and Univer sity President Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J. The University also awarded an honorary degree to William H. Finn '67, posthumously.



The Arts

Art Gallery Hosts "Jews of Scranton" Exhibit

Abe Plotkin '35 (left) points to Hugh Rodham, the late father of Hillary Rodham Clinton, in one of the images on display in the exhibit "The Jews of Scranton 1840-2000." An unidentified guest (right), points to Mr. Plotkin, who is also in the image. The "Jews of Scranton" exhibit, hosted by the University's Hope Horn Gallery, continues through August 20.



The University Celebrates 21st World Premiere Performance

Cheryl Y. Boga, Director of Performance Music, conducted students during the 21st Annual World Premiere Composition Series Concert on April 30. The Concert featured the University's Symphonic Band and Concert Choir and the Pocono Choral Society, with guest composer/conductor Jerrold Fisher.



Players Present "Moon Over Buffalo"

The University Players presented two-time Tony Award nominee Ken Ludwig's comedy "Moon Over Buffalo" in April and May. The production was the finale of the Players' season, which celebrated 10 years of performances in the McDade Center for Literary and Performing Arts.



Hope Horn Gallery at Hyland Hall Dedicated

The University dedicated its art gallery in honor of the late Hope Horn at a ceremony on April 4. Hope Horn was a vibrant and defining force in the arts community of Scranton for more than 50 years. At the time of Ms. Horn's death, her estate was bequeathed to The University of Scranton in support of art and music education. In recognition of her generosity, and in honor of her spirited efforts to promote excellence in the arts, the Hope Horn Gallery in Hyland Hall has been dedicated in her honor.



Participating in the dedication of the Hope Horn Gallery in Hyland Hall, from left: Joseph Dreisbach, Ph.D., Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences; Darlene Miller-Lanning, Ph.D., Director of the Hope Horn Gallery; Paul Strunk, Vice President for Institutional Advancement; Josephine Dunn, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Art History and Director of the Art and Music Program; Frank J. McDonnell, Esq., '60, Chair of the Board of Trustees; Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., University President; and Beth Barnett, Ed.D., Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs.

A Tribute to Teaching

LIKE THE CARVER REFERENCED CENTURIES AGO BY ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA, EDUCATORS PLAY A PIVOTAL ROLE IN SHAPING THEIR STUDENTS. YET MANY EDUCATORS WILL TELL YOU THAT THEIR TEACHING ACTUALLY REFLECTS THE SHEER JOY OF LEARNING. AS ONE SCRANTON PROFESSOR PUT IT, "No other profession offers so much satisfaction." This issue of *The Scranton Journal* is a tribute to Scranton alumni who have chosen careers in teaching, as well as those who have dedicated their careers to teaching at The University of Scranton.

Laura Mellody '02

SIXTH-GRADE TEACHER Northeast Intermediate School, Scranton

A Day that Changed her Life

When Laura Mellody '02 was "teacher for a day" along with her eighth-grade classmates at St. Mary of Mount Carmel School, Dunmore, she never suspected it was a day that would change her life.

"I was selected to teach the first grade class," she explains. "I loved teaching the students, helping the ones who needed a little extra attention, and seeing their smiling faces glowing with pride. It was unforgettable."

That day inspired Ms. Mellody to become a teacher. A real life role model – her dad, Anthony F. Mellody '81 – influenced her decision to return to The University of Scranton to pursue a master's degree and follow in his footsteps after earning her bachelor's degree in elementary education.

"I had such a great four years attending The University of Scranton that when I decided to return to school, I knew no other school would be better for me than Scranton," says Ms. Mellody, who is pursuing a graduate degree in school counseling.

Her decision to attend the University was based not only on its academic reputation, but also because "it's somewhat of a family tradition," she said. In addition to her father being a University alum, her two older sisters, Maurya Mellody Carr '97 and Sarah Mellody Shedlauskas '99, are proud Scranton graduates.

Now employed as a sixth-grade teacher at Northeast Intermediate School, Ms. Mellody found that upon graduation, she is truly "real world ready," and uses what she learned in the University's classrooms every day.



Laura Mellody was inspired to become a teacher during eighth grade when she was "teacher for a day."

"Being able to work in a public school immediately following graduation, I was able to see firsthand the benefits of attending Scranton. I was prepared, confident, and ready to handle any obstacle I may face."

And though there are obstacles for both Ms. Mellody and her students, she knows she can help them through her dedication.

"I know that some of my students may not have the best family life at home, but being their teacher, I can provide security, support, and friendship to them even if only for those few hours a day," she says.

Vincent Pricci '00, G'04

GEOMETRY AND MATH TEACHER

Abington Heights High School, Clarks Summit

A Formula For Award-winning Teaching

Students in Vincent Pricci's Geometry classes at Abington Heights High School, Clarks Summit, get lessons in history, as well as in geometric formulas and calculations.

Ninth- and tenth-grade students enrolled in Mr. Pricci's Honors Geometry classes are likely to study the history of the Pythagorean Theorem. Students might also learn about a definition of pi () that can be traced to the Bible in I Kings and II Chronicles.



Weaving a bit of history into Geometry classes gives students a competitive edge in solving complex problems, according to Mr. Pricci. In Geometry, as in life, solving the problem is easier if you understand its history, as Mr. Pricci points out.

Vincent Pricci's novel approach to teaching has gained him the nod of approval from students in Abington Heights High School. "If students understand what they're learning, they're more likely to grasp the concept," he says.

This novel approach to teaching has gained Mr. Pricci the nod of approval from students in Abington Heights High School, where he has taught Geometry, Algebra II, and Basic Math since graduating from the University in 2000.

He's also earned local and statewide recognition. In his first year out of the gate, the Pennsylvania Council of Teachers of Mathematics selected Mr. Pricci to receive the Lee Boyer Award for the most outstanding first year math teacher in Pennsylvania. In 2003, Mr. Pricci was honored by the senior class by being selected as the commencement speaker at Abington Heights High School. And, in May, when Mr. Pricci received his master's degree in School Administration from The University of Scranton, he was honored with the Outstanding Graduate Award in Education.

Those who know Mr. Pricci will tell you that he's not in it for the awards. He's most at home in his classroom, where geometric shapes, created by students as a freshman Geometry project, hang from the ceiling, and where posters provide interesting facts about math and Geometry. They aren't just adornments or props. It's all part of creating an environment that's conducive to learning.

"You have to foster a comfortable classroom environment where kids aren't afraid to make mistakes," says Mr. Pricci. "You want them to learn – but you want them to have fun in the process."

Students in Mr. Pricci's classes have a collegial approach to learning. "They take care of one another, and they help each other."

Mr. Pricci says the reward of teaching comes from watching students work and learn together – and in helping a student who might be struggling with a concept to finally "get it." The challenge is in keeping up with the demands of teaching, grading papers and creating lesson plans. But that, says Mr. Pricci, is the way it should be – for teachers and students.

"If it's easy it gets boring."

Thomas V. Flanagan '82, G'95

CHEMISTRY TEACHER

Gonzaga Preparatory School, Spokane, Wash.

Helping Students to See Their Own Potential

Just about every day, you can read negative stories in the press about today's youth.

But chemistry teacher Thomas V. Flanagan '82, G'95 describes his students at Gonzaga Preparatory School in Spokane, Wash., as talented and thoughtful, with much good to contribute society.

And it's his mission to help them stay that way.

"My main motivation in teaching is that I may help them



Thomas Flanagan says he hopes to influence his students in the same way his University teachers influence him. see themselves as a good and loving person before God, and if I can do that, they just might change the world for the good," says Mr. Flanagan, a Spokane resident.

When it comes to Jesuit ideals, Mr. Flanagan speaks from the heart. He earned his bachelor's degree in biology and master's degree in biochemistry at The University of Scranton before heading to law school and then to the seminary. He spent two of his eight years with the Jesuits teaching chemistry and biology at Gonzaga College

High School in Washington, D.C. He's been teaching at Gonzaga Prep in Washington since 1998, and teaches philosophy occasionally as an Adjunct Professor at Gonzaga University.

When Mr. Flanagan came to the University from Connecticut, he found a ready-made family in his professors and classmates.

"It was not just a university but a loving faith community," he says.

Mr. Flanagan names as his favorite teachers Joseph T. Evans, Ph.D., Professor Emeritus of Biology, Martin Appleton, Ph.D., of the Chemistry Department, the late Rev. Edward Gannon, S.J., University Professor, and Rev. Donald Pantle, S.J., Instructor of Spanish and German, Spiritual Director for Women Faculty, Staff and Students, Counselor of St. Ignatius Retreat Movement for Students and Alumni, and Counselor at Spanish House. What he learned from them went beyond the classroom.

"They showed me that true happiness comes from serving God by not hiding your gifts and feeling free to be who God has called you to be," he says.

Mr. Flanagan hopes to influence his students in the same way his University teachers influenced him. He has already seen some positive effects.

"Many students have told me that they are going into fields of science because I helped them not only realize how exciting it is but also to know that they could do it!" he says. "I have helped them to see their own potential. And that makes my life worthwhile."

William V. Rakauskas, Ed.D.

PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH The University of Scranton

Teaching Means "Learning Twice"

Not everyone can say, "I love my job."

But William V. Rakauskas, Ed.D., Professor of English at The University of Scranton, can – and does, emphatically.

"I love teaching," he says. "Teaching means 'learning twice.' For me, it means never to stop learning."

Dr. Rakauskas joined the University's faculty in 1969 after seven years as a high school teacher in the Scranton public school system. During his career at the University, he worked with English education students as their Director of Student Teaching.

There have been many changes during those years, and most of them have been positive.

"Students come to the University better prepared than ever before," he says. "I find most of them very motivated, and I find all of them serious about completing their degrees. The students seem very willing to work to achieve their goals."

One such student is Dawn Mizwinski '86 G'04, an adjunct professor of English at Lackawanna College. *(See story on pg. 15.)*

"Dawn is perhaps one of the best all-around students I have had the pleasure of teaching," says Dr. Rakauskas. "In several undergraduate courses, Dawn did exceptional work, and as a graduate student she impressed me with her creativity, personal motivation, command of the language and her willingness to work hard to shape her career. She also wrote one of the best master's theses that I have directed."

Most of all, Dr. Rakauskas says that he enjoys following his students from their work in class to their tenure as student teachers.

"I found it very rewarding to see my students apply what they learned in my classroom to what they are now doing in their own classrooms," he said. "I wish I could continue teaching for 40 more years. No other profession offers so much satisfaction."



Dr. Rakauskas says that Dawn Mizwinski '86, G'04 is one of the best all-around students he'd had the pleasure of teaching in his 35 years at the University.

Dawn Mizwinski '86, G'04

PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH

Lackawanna College, Scranton

Sharing her Love of Literature

For Dawn Mizwinski '86, G'04, teaching seemed to be the natural choice for a career.

"I decided to become a teacher in high school," she says. "I realized how much I loved literature and grammar. It seemed that by becoming a teacher, I could easily share my love of the subject matter."

A professor of English at Scranton's Lackawanna College, the West Scranton native majored in secondary English education at The University of Scranton.

"The English program was structured so well, and the faculty and staff were so friendly and caring," Ms. Mizwinski says of her experience. "As an undergraduate, it was exciting to be at a school with professors who shared their professional research and expertise."

One such professor is William Rakauskas, Ed.D., Professor of English.

In fact, she claims "Dr. Rakauskas is the reason I am the teacher that I am today. He molded me into the teacher I am today by showing me the importance of organization and planning, teaching me to have fun with lessons, and allowing me the freedom to experiment.

"He is not afraid to experiment, and he is always open to new ideas," says Ms. Mizwinski of Dr. Rakauskas. "I always try to enter my classroom with the same open-mindedness that Dr. Rakauskas has. He has been teaching for many years, but his approach is always fresh."

Ms. Mizwinski returned to the University's classrooms as a graduate student in 1999. She found attending the Graduate School to be as pleasant an experience as her undergrad classes. Earning her master's degree in English in May, she received the award for Outstanding Graduate Student for the Humanities.



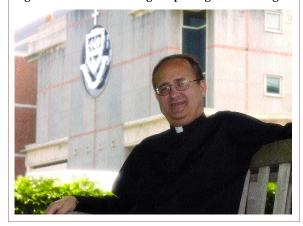
"Having had such a positive experience as an undergraduate at The University of Scranton, I never even considered going to another school," she says. "As a graduate student, I'm constantly challenged and stimulated. Many of the professors that were teaching at the school when I attended in the mid-1980s were still teaching when I returned in 1999, and I loved that comfort level."

Dawn Mizwinski credits William Rakauskas, Ed.D., Professor of English, with making her the teacher that she is today.

Ronald McKinney, S.J., Ph.D. professor of philosophy and director of the sjla program

TEACHING AT SCRANTON

"In my 20 years as Director of the Special Jesuit Liberal Arts Program, I've had the opportunity to see freshmen transform into profoundly different people. Through SJLA, students come to see that it's not just about getting the grades. Helping students to see things differently ... challenging their status quo way of looking at life ... these are the great privileges of teaching."



J. Brian Benestad, Ph.D.

PROFESSOR OF THEOLOGY

The University of Scranton

Christopher Benestad '99

MATH AND ECONOMICS TEACHER

Saint John's High School, Shrewsbury, Mass.

Kelly Myers Benestad '99

West Boylston High School, West Boylston, Mass.



The Benestad family is one where teaching has become a tradition. From left: Chris Benestad '99, Kelly Myers Benestad '99 and J. Brian Benestad, Ph.D.

A Scranton Tradition of Teaching

Some teachers will tell you that their career choice was influenced by another teacher. Others will tell you that the influence came from a parent. Chris Benestad will tell you that the career inspiration came from both teacher and parent – and that they are one and the same.

"I still remember what my father said to me once: 'I would do this even if I didn't get paid.' Those words have stuck with me ever since," says Mr. Benestad, who teaches math and economics at Saint John's High School in Shrewsbury, Mass.

The father who spoke these words to his son is J. Brian Benestad, Ph.D., Professor of Theology at The University of Scranton. For his own part, Dr. Benestad says he was inspired to become a teacher by two of his professors at Assumption College.

"They showed me the joy of learning," says Dr. Benestad. "They also persuaded me that good teaching makes a significant contribution to the common good."

Dr. Benestad, who has been teaching at the University for 28 years, says that in order to be a good teacher "you must know your subject, keep learning and love introducing students to the world of knowledge and of service to the common good."

Dr. Benestad and his wife, Janet, who taught history and philosophy as a part-time professor at the University for 15 years and is now Director of Religious Education for the Diocese of Scranton, instilled in their children that education is opportunity. To this end, Chris recalls another piece of advice from his father. "With a good education, I would create my own opportunities and doors would open."

Chris says he got the 'good education' his parents envisaged at The University of Scranton, where he earned a degree in finance in 1999. Following his love for math and his family's passion for teaching, he segued from finance to education when he accepted a teaching position at Saint John's. His wife, Kelly Myers Benestad, also a 1999 graduate of the University, also made the transition to teaching from another academic major – in Kelly's case, political science.

"I knew that I wanted to work in a profession where I would play a part in shaping the minds of the students of the future," says Mrs. Benestad. "Secondly, I wanted to work in a profession where I would be able to continue my interest and love for history."

She found both when she accepted a position to teach 11th and 12th grade history at West Boylston High School, in West Boylston, Mass.

Chris and Kelly have carried with them into their classrooms the teaching methods and influences of several Scranton professors.

Chris cites the influences of Susan Mathews, Ph.D., Professor of Theology, and Steven Dougherty, Ph.D., Professor of Mathematics. "I use their teaching methodologies almost daily in my classroom," he says.

Kelly points to Michael DeMichele, Ph.D., Chair and Professor of History, Robert Hueston, Ph.D., Associate Professor of History, and Roy Domenico, Ph.D., Associate Professor of History, "just to name a few."

"Whether I had them as professors once or a handful of times, I often reflect upon what I learned in my history courses at Scranton while I am preparing for my own classes," she says.

Both Chris and Kelly agree that while teaching may look like "the ultimate schedule," it is often a difficult one. When the teaching day ends, they need to tend to class preparation, department agendas, student activities and, in Chris's case, coaching responsibilities.

Still, the rewards outweigh the challenge.

"Witnessing a student learn something that she had difficulty with, watching a student grow over the years, and connecting with the students are the reasons why I get into my car at the end of the day with a smile on my face," says Kelly.

Robert Murphy '90

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE TEACHER

Francis C. Hammond Middle School, Alexandria, Va.

Taking Students Where They Want to Be

"Had I not served as a Jesuit Volunteer in Kathmandu, my life would be very different."

Robert Murphy says that living in Nepal where he was not fluent in the native language taught him a great deal about teaching English as a Second Language (ESL). It also allowed him the opportunity to see Mt. Everest.

"I know how my students feel at times. I lived it," says the ESL teacher, who earned his bachelor's degree from the University in 1990.

Mr. Murphy says that teaching English in Nepal was such an "amazingly rewarding experience" that it prompted him to dedicate his professional career to working with non-native English-speaking students.

After completing a master's degree in linguistics and bilingual education at Georgetown University, he decided to continue working internationally, first in Istanbul, Turkey, and then on the island of Kwajalein in the Republic of the Marshall Islands.

In 2000, he returned to the United States to accept a job with the Maryland State Department of Education. But he quickly realized that office work wasn't where he excelled.

"I missed teaching. I missed spending time with students. I missed how they enriched my life."

He returned to the classroom, teaching English as a Second Language at Francis C. Hammond Middle School in Alexandria, Va., Public Schools, where he was recently awarded the Agnes Meyer Award for Excellence in Education by the *Washington Post*. Nearly 40 percent of Hammond's population speaks another language at home, and there are over 50 languages spoken at the school including commonly known languages such as Spanish and Arabic, but lesser known languages such as Amharic, Twi and Pashto.

"ESL instruction is critical in large urban areas with such a diverse population," says Mr. Murphy. "Bilingual programs cannot meet the needs of these students."

Translation: Teaching ESL involves far more than language instruction.

"ESL students enrich schools and students by sharing their backgrounds and beliefs," says Mr. Murphy. "Although they may look and speak differently, they share common goals, desires, fears and hopes."

In his work as an ESL teacher with students from many diverse parts of the world, Mr. Murphy says he has learned to see beyond his academic discipline to take in the "whole child."

"I've worked with students whose parents were murdered by guerilla rebels and students who were present when buildings in their neighborhood were bombed."

In these situations, the role of a teacher extends to include one of a healer, says Mr. Murphy. At the same time, teachers can't be everything to everyone.

"I always tell my kids that a smart person doesn't know all the answers, but she knows how to find them. That's true on the other side of the desk, too. It's important to know where and when to get the best help."

"Teachers need to know where to meet each child in order to take them to where they want to be."

With the right help, each student will reach his own Mt. Everest.



During his time as a Jesuit Volunteer in Kathmandu, Robert Murphy, pictured here in front of Mt. Everest, developed an appreciation for ESL students.



Loreen Wolfer, Ph.D. ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, SOCIOLOGY/CRIMINAL JUSTICE

"I enjoy showing students that they can do skills, whether it's writing, research or statistics, which they previously thought were beyond them. When I see students really working at tackling a problem and then reaching the answer mostly on their own, it makes teaching one of the most rewarding jobs available."



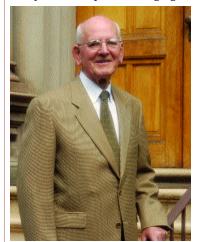




Joseph R. Zandarski, Ph.D., '51 PROFESSOR EMERITUS OF ACCOUNTING

"I guess everything great about my experience at The University of Scranton can be summed up in one word: growth.

The growth of our students. There are many very successful alumni out there and it is nice to think that you were a part of bringing it about.



The growth of our faculty. When I started to work at The University of Scranton, there were four or five Ph.D.'s on our faculty. Today, most of our faculty possess that credential.

The growth of our physical plant. We used to have to travel

to or from Monroe Avenue to "Old Main" on Wyoming Avenue in the 10 minutes between classes. Our original facilities were, for the most part, three army surplus barracks.

In my more than half a century as an employee of The University of Scranton, I have enjoyed the friendship of many wonderful people. It is nice to know that we, along with our generous alumni, were vital in bringing the University to being the highly recognized institution we know today."

In June, the 1540 Room of The Estate was named the Zandarski Room in honor of Dr. Zandarski's 53 years of service to the University. It is estimated that he taught 15,000 students over the years.

Michael D. DeMichele, Ph.D., '63

CHAIR AND PROFESSOR OF HISTORY

The University of Scranton

A Passion for Teaching

Michael D. DeMichele, Ph.D., has seen a lot of changes during his 37 years teaching on The University of Scranton campus. Before that, however, he was a commuter student from 1959 to 1963. Back then, there were no campus athletic facilities, Alumni Memorial Library was being constructed, and more than half his professors were Jesuits.

Today, he says, in addition to the physical and personnel changes on campus, teaching is different as well.

"Technology has changed the teaching process at every level," says Dr. DeMichele. "There are telecourses, online courses, Power Point presentations and lots of media. I still depend on lectures and discussions in my classes, but I use media when I can to help supplement what I do in the classroom."

As his students have learned from him, he also learns from his students.

"I think if you challenge them, they'll respond. I've also learned dealing with young people is a big responsibility. You often have a big influence on them in their future careers."

One student whose career he influenced is Christopher Heaton '90, G'93, G'94, history teacher and cross country coach at Xaverian Brothers High School, Westwood, Mass. *(See story on pg. 19.)* Mr. Heaton served as Dr. DeMichele's research assistant and studied under his tutelage while pursuing his degrees at The University of Scranton.

"Chris Heaton was an excellent student – intelligent, hardworking, and dependable," says Dr. DeMichele. "He had a real passion for learning. He is also an outstanding individual who is dedicated to the service of others."

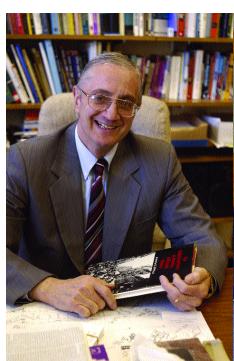
In addition to new technology, Dr. DeMichele lists juggling his administrative duties as history department chair and as a teacher with a regular courseload among his challenges.

"I try to keep up my research interests, and stay current in my discipline, especially in my world politics and modern world history courses," he says.

Looking back over his career at the University, he says what he is most proud of is his students' successes, as well as his teaching and his service to the University.

"I've seen many of my students over the years become very successful. I like to think in some small way I might have had something to do with it."

> Dr. DeMichele is one of the Scranton professors whom Christopher Heaton '90, G'93, G'94 (photo at right) cites as influencing his life's work.



Christopher Heaton '90, G'93, G'94 HISTORY TEACHER

Xaverian Brothers High School, Westwood, Mass.

A Passion for Learning

For Christopher Heaton '90, G'93, '94, the road to Xaverian Brothers High School in Westwood, Mass., where he teaches history and coaches cross country and track, began at The University of Scranton.

As a member of the cross country team (for which he was named to the Wall of Fame) and a history undergraduate, he made lasting friendships and met the teachers who would influence his life's work.

After graduating with a bachelor of arts degree, he decided to stay on at the University and pursue a master's in history.

"I was awarded a research assistantship in the history department under the mentorship of Dr. DeMichele," he says. "I enjoyed the graduate classes conducted by Dr. DeMichele, Dr. Conover, Dr. Champagne and Dr. Hueston. They are excellent professors, but beyond that they are great men. They were passionate about their subject, they had a gentlemanly rapport with their students, and I wanted to emulate them."

After receiving his master's degree, Mr. Heaton considered teaching in a private school, but, he says, "I realized to be the teacher I wanted to be, I had to learn more teaching strategies."

He stayed at the University and earned a second master's in secondary education/social studies while working for John S. Hopkins, Assistant Professor of Exercise Science/Sport, and Gary N. Wodder, Ph.D., Athletic Director. That, and a positive student teaching experience at Valley View High School convinced him that he could become both a teacher and a coach.

When he completed his second master's, Mr. Heaton applied to the Jesuit International Volunteers, and was assigned to a teaching position in Nepal.

"Living in Nepal was an amazing experience," he recalls. "And teaching in Nepal certainly sharpened my skills, as I had six classes each with 45 seventh or eighth graders."

After returning to the United States in 1998, Mr. Heaton moved to Boston, where he had a community of friends and a network of University alumni including Marilyn Bogusch Pryle '91, who also taught in Nepl and Boston. There, he found a home teaching at Xaverian Brothers High School.

"Two challenges I face daily are bringing the students the world



outside their doors and trying to emulate the coaches and teachers I had at the University," he says.

The challenges are offset by the rewards of teaching.

"Seeing students graduating and being able to wish them well as they head to college is powerful."

Christopher Heaton served as a research assistant to Dr. Michael DeMichele and studied under his tutelage while pursuing his degrees at the University.



Cynthia Cann, Ph.D. ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR MANAGEMENT/MARKETING

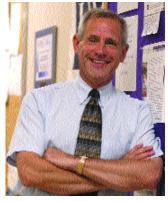


"My favorite part about teaching is the contact with the students. I enjoy watching them morph over time into knowledgeable, self-confident individuals. The students keep me thinking young and fresh, and constantly striving to teach better. Going into a

classroom and facing students on a regular basis also keeps me current in my field and the business world."

William G. Wallick, Ph.D. ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, HEALTH ADMINISTRATION AND HUMAN RESOURCES

"One of the more important aspects of my job as a teacher at The University of Scranton is to help my students develop a lifelong commitment to justice, social responsibility, and citizenship. I use course contentfocused service learning to provide



students with opportunities to enhance their sense of civic engagement at a professional level. My students are then able to put into practice the knowledge they gain and the skills they develop to be successful HR professionals. Many groups benefit from active and reflective service learning...students, employers, the HR profession, and The University of Scranton."

ATHLETICS

Wall of Fame

No one could possibly know how much intercollegiate athletics would enrich the lives of the campus community when the football team played what is believed to be the school's first athletic contest in 1899, just 11 years after the founding of The University of Scranton as St. Thomas College.

The men who played in that first game will never know the impact they would have on the development of intercollegiate athletics at the University, which today sponsors 19 sports for more than 350 student-athletes on an annual basis.

The Wall of Fame was founded in 1970 to honor student-athletes, coaches, athletic administrators and others who were instrumental in the overall development of the University's intercollegiate athletics program. On February 7, the University proudly inducted the eight members of the Class of 2003.

In 1976 **Joe Conley** was a member of the men's basketball team that carved out a season Scranton fans will never forget, one in which the Royals won its first NCAA championship in any sport under legendary head coach Bob Bessoir.

Conley did the things that were often overlooked and underappreciated, yet crucial to success: he set picks to free up scorers, he was an incredible rebounder for his size, and his passing and decision-making abilities were flawless.

Jason Hoppy continued Scranton's tradition of excellence in basketball during his fouryear career, which he capped off by earning second-team all-America honors in 1993. Judging his career solely on his scoring ability, which produced more than 1700 career points, would be short-sighted. He is ranked in six other Royal all-time statistical categories. More importantly, he was instrumental, along with all-America center Matt Cusano, in leading the Royals to two Middle Atlantic Conference North titles and three NCAA tournament appearances.

Lynne Kempski-Halligan's contributions to the women's basketball program are equally impressive. An all-American in 1993, she led the team in scoring three times and finished in the top 10 in four other Lady Royal all-time statistical categories. It's no surprise that Scranton went 96-20, won two MAC overall championships and advanced to the NCAA Division III tournament three times, including a third-place finish in 1993, with her in the lineup.

Tim DiMarco became the first male swimmer in Royals history to win a Middle Atlantic Conference title, having captured three individual titles. He was also a member of the 200 medley relay that won the 1989 MAC title in a Scranton record-breaking time of 1:42.04, a mark that still stands today. DiMarco still holds the Royal records in the 100 and 200 freestyle and 200 individual medley.

DiMarco's efforts would not have been possible without **Dave Hair**, who led the men's and women's swim teams to a combined overall record of 151-77 (.662) during a remarkable 11-year coaching career. Just eight years after starting the women's program, he led the Royals to undefeated seasons



WALL OF FAME INDUCTEES: The eight newest members of the athletics department's Wall of Fame, Class of 2003, were formally inducted on February 7, at the John J. Long, S.J., Center. The Wall of Fame now has 163 members.

First row, from left: Magnus Ojert '87 (men's soccer), Renee (Zizza) Weikel '93 (women's soccer), Lynne Kempski-Halligan '93 (women's basketball), Tim DiMarco '89 (men's swimming). Second row, from left: Dave Hair (former men's and women's swim coach), Steve Michel '92 (men's lacrosse), Joe Conley '76, G'78 (men's basketball), Jason Hoppy '93 (men's basketball).

in 1995 (8-0) and 1996 (11-0), which culminated in capturing team titles at the Middle Atlantic Conference championships. He continues to serve the campus community as assistant professor of Exercise Science and Sport.

Steve Michel's efforts in lacrosse helped develop the program's popularity on campus. He overcame a shoulder injury his freshman year to lead the Royals in scoring twice in his career. In 1990 he joined teammate Dennis Hyatt as the first Scranton players to earn all-Middle Atlantic Conference honors.

He is the Royals' all-time leader in total points (218) and assists (108) and is second in goals (110). A three-time team captain, he holds three of the top five single-season marks for points and assists.

Magnus Ojert led the men's soccer team in scoring as the

Royals won the Middle Atlantic Conference (MAC) championship and advanced to the NCAA tournament in 1985. He earned all-Mid-Atlantic regional honors by the National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA).

A season-ending knee injury kept him out of the lineup in 1986, but he returned to the lineup the following season as Scranton rattled off 20 straight wins. Ojert was named the MAC most valuable player (MVP) and joined Wall of Fame inductee Mike Capasso on the 1987 NSCAA all-America team.

Renee (Zizza) Weikel was a two-time all-Middle Atlantic Conference selection in women's soccer.

Like Ojert, she overcame a serious off-season knee injury to have a memorable senior year. She scored seven goals as the Royals put the wraps on a 15-6-1 campaign by winning their fourth straight MAC title and advancing to the NCAA tournament in 1992. She became the fourth player in Royals history to earn all-America honors by the National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA). A consistent scoring threat, she finished her career with 18 goals and 18 assists. In three seasons, she was instrumental in leading the Royals to a 43-17-5 record (.700), which included three MAC titles and three NCAA tournament appearances.

Swimming

The women's swim team captured its first Middle Atlantic Conference championship since 1996 and its third overall in February at the Catholic Youth Center (CYC) in Wilkes-Barre. Tomm Evans was selected the MAC women's coach of the year, an award he also received in 2002.

Sophomore Erin Williams

won the 100yard butterfly in a new Middle Atlantic Conference and University of Scranton record-break-

ing time of Erin Williams

:59.16. The previous Royal record was held by all-American and Wall of Fame inductee Marilyn Bogusch Prvle '91.

Freshman Jill Palmiotto captured the 100-yard backstroke in a time of 1:01.74.

Jill Palmiotto



Junior Brendan Connors broke his own University of Scranton record in winning

the 200-yard butterfly in a time of 1:59.58. His previous best time in the 200 butterfly was 2:02.30.



Brendan Connors The quartet of (I-r) sophomore Michelle Kline, senior Kristen Best, freshman Rosie Moran and senior Jayme Smith won the 800 freestyle relay at the MAC swim championships in a time of 8:03.35.

Basketball



Junior **Brian O'Donnell** earned first-team all-conference honors after leading the men's basketball team in scoring (18.9), rebounding (10.5), field goal percentage (.530) and blocked shots (0.8). He was a second-team all-Freedom Conference selection in 2003 and the league's rookie of the year in 2002.

The Women's Swim Team

First row, from left: Katie Tatarzewski (manager), Allyson Jengo, Jayme Smith, Kristen Best, Head Coach Tomm Evans, Kim Towle, Christina Giannetti, Megan Niedbala, and Assistant Coach Kate Sidden. Second row, from left: Lindsey Appel, Angela Buren, Shana Keeler, Rosie Moran, Erin Williams, Jill Palmiotto, Katie McKenna, Jen Pisani, Lauren Liberatori and Annie Bostwick. Third row, from left: Amanda Tryon, Katie Martino, Ashley Ferguson, Kristin Donohue, Jessica Ranson (manager), Kim Leinker, Michelle Kline and PerinAnn Matthews. Missing when photo was taken: Assistant Coach Paul DeAngelo.





THE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TEAM. First row from left: Maura Kane, Megan McMurdo, Kate Pierangeli, Katie Dougherty, Judy Flounders, Eileen Webster and Tara Gemmel. Second row, from left: Head Coach Mike Strong, Suanne Hutchinson (manager), Allison Matt, Kelly Lewandowski, Taryn Mellody, Kate Krenz, Tessa Kelley, Erin Healy, Amanda Natale, Suzie Welsh, Assistant Coach Deanna Klingman and Assistant Coach Marc Kudrich.

Junior goalie Curt Butcher

and senior forward Kyle Eaton

(pictured below) were named

honorable mention all-Eastern

Collegiate Hockey Association

The women's basketball team won the Freedom Conference championship and advanced to the NCAA Division III tournament for the 19th time in school history. The Lady Royals finished the season with a 27-3 overall record and a fifth-place national ranking by D3hoops.com.

Senior Kate Pierangeli (below) earned numerous awards this past year, including honorable mention all-American by *DIII News* and first-team all-Freedom Conference honors for the third consecutive season. Along with second-team all-Freedom Conference selections Katie Dougherty and Tara Gemmel, the Lady Royals capped off the season by advancing to the 'Elite Eight' of the NCAA Division III championships.



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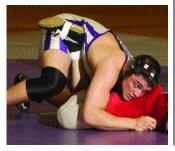
Hockey

(ECHA) this past year. Butcher established Scranton singleseason records for best save percentage (.908), lowest goals against average (3.36) and fewest goals allowed (67). Eaton ended his brilliant career as the Ice Royals' all-time leader in goals (64), assists (101) and total points (165).



Wrestling

Senior **Ron Saglimbene** (below) finished the year with a 23-6 record, including a fourth-place finish in the 174pound weight class at the 2004 Middle Atlantic Conference championships. He is third alltime in University of Scranton history with 75 wins.



Student-Athletes Honored at Banquet

Six seniors received the top awards at the Senior Student-Athlete Banquet held May 14. From left: John Barlow - men's cross-country, male recipient of the Carlesimo Award for out standing academic and athletic achievement; Krista Hylinski volleyball, female recipient of the Carlesimo Award; Judy Flounders - women's basket ball, recipient of the Ron Willensky Award for contribu tions to improve the human condition; Katie Szczepanski field hockey, recipient of the Father Fitzpatrick Award for community service within The University of Scranton commu nity and to society in general; Kate Pierangeli - women's bas ketball and women's lacross, female recipient of the Frank O'Hara Award for the out standing senior athlete; and Kyle Eaton - ice hockey, male recipient of the O'Hara Award.



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Thomas Powell, Nashville, Tenn., Associate Editor of *Amusement Busi ness Magazine*, has had his life celebrated by a biography, *TP on AB* – *The Life and Times of Tom Powell*, a new release of Casa Flamingo Literary Arts, authored by Tim O'Brien.

Three Generations



The popularity of showcasing alumni legacies continues with this photo of Philip J. Kinney '50, Oxford, N.J., (center) with his son, Philip J. Kinney, Jr. '75 (left) Bethlehem, and grandson and current student, Philip J. Kinney III '05.

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William Burke, Moscow, was given a testimonial dinner and "roast" to honor his extraordinary dedication to the community by The Arc of Lackawanna County.

V. Kenneth McDonald, Pensacola, Fla., has retired after 41 years of government service, including Departments of the Navy, Army, State, FBI and others.

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Joseph Neary, Ph.D., Miami, Fla., Research Professor at the VA Medical Center/University of Miami, was invited to visit China and spoke in Hong Kong, Guilin and Beijing, where he was appointed Visiting Professor. Brain disorders, his specialty, were the focus of his lectures.

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Charles Leiss, Bel Air, Md., has recently retired from the position of Chief Executive Officer of the American Cancer Society after 35 years of professional service.

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William P. Kiehl, Washington, D.C., retired from the U.S. Foreign Service after more than 33 years with the U.S. Department of State and the U.S. Information Agency. He is a Senior Partner with PD Worldwide, Global Public Affairs, Public Relations and Cross-Cultural Communications Consultants and is Executive Director of the Public Diplomacy Council, George Washington University.

Anne Kish, Avoca, was one of the honorees at the *Scranton Times-Tri bune* Northeast Women Luncheon held in January.

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David Wren, Ed.D., Scranton, a faculty member of South Scranton Intermediate School, will publish an article entitled, "The Academic and Social Challenges of an Inter-Generational Service-Learning Program", in the fall 2004 issue of *Schools in the Middle*, a publication of the National Association of Secondary School Principles,

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Donald Nicastro, Lake Ariel, is the Director of Children and Youth Services of Lackawanna County.

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Terrence Murphy, McMurray, was elected President of Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania and Maryland.

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Gerald Machek, Fairfax, Va., Senior PeopleSoft Consultant with Computer Systems Inc., is the Technical Architect leading a team of four developers at the U.S. Department of State.

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Michael O'Shea, D.D.S., Falls Church, Va., by a vote of his peers, will be included in the 2004 edition of *The Best Dentists in America* for his work in prosthodontics.

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Frank Bolock, Jr., Waverly, is a member of the Lackawanna Bar Association.

Gerald Walsh, Dunmore, Director of Provider Relations at Blue Cross of Northeastern Pennsylvania, was named the Northeastern Pennsylvania Early Career Health Care Executive by the American College of Healthcare Executives.

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Rev. Joseph Sica, assistant pastor, St. Aloysius Church, Wilkes-Barre, appeared, as himself, in the February 27 episode of the TV program, "*Life with Bonnie.*" 81

Service Award.

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position.

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Matthew Geiger, Worcester, Mass., one

University of Scranton, has established

the Katherine E. and James A Geiger

Scholarship here to honor his parents.

master/Director of News Services at

the Potsdam University, received the

Clarkson University's Commendable

Jacqueline Musto Carroll, Pittston, is

Assistant District Attorney of Luzerne

County, the first woman to hold that

Colette M. Mazzucelli, Ph.D.,

a member of the World Peace and

Diplomacy Forum, a member of the Founding Faculty and Provost of the OnLine Training College, presented the

keynote remarks at the 16th Annual

Learning Association.

of Directors

Conference of the Pan Pacific Distance

Thomas Smith, Hamilton, N.J., trial

lawyer and partner of Pellettieri, Rab-

stein and Altman, was elected Chair-

man of Hamilton Area YMCA Board

Indicates Reunion Class

Michael Griffin, Potsdam, N.Y., Web-

of six Geigers to graduate from The

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Mark Cruciani, M.D., Clarks Summit, board certified in rheumatology, was notified by the American Academy of Pain Management that he passed its national credentialing exam.

Nancy Harrity Irvine, Neenah, Wis., is the Senior Manager of the Client Information Delivery Organization at ACNielsen.

P. Timothy Kelly, Clarks Summit, is Vice President of the Lackawanna Bar Association.

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Andrew Carlowicz, Jr., New Brunswick, N.J., Partner in charge of the construction litigation department at the law firm Hoagland, Longo, Moran, Dunst & Doukas, was named to the firm's Executive Committee.

Melinda Ghilardi, Dunmore, is President of the Lackawanna Bar Association.

Maj. Frank Paris, U.S.A. (ret.), Jermyn, is Assistant Director of Veterans Affairs for Lackawanna County.

Grad Finale

Alumni Office staffers Debbie Lewis and Marise Garofalo sign up members of the Class of 2004 at the "Grad Finale" this spring for the Scranton Online Alumni Community, for which over 12,000 Scranton alumni have already registered. For further information visit *www.scranton.edu/alumnicommunity*



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Teresa Corazzini Ooms is the Executive Director of the new Joint Urban Studies Center, Wilkes-Barre, a center to transform cities suffering from urban blight.

Karen Rafferty Hadam, M.D., Bristol, R.I., graduated from Roger Williams University School of Law, passed the Massachusetts Bar and has launched her own medical legal consulting firm.

Scott Seasock, Plains Twp., Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Community Bancorp, Inc., and Community Bank and Trust Co., was named by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants to its auditing standards board.

Michael Sunday, M.D., Clarks Summit, is the Director of Surgery at Moses Taylor Hospital, Scranton.

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Karl Kispert, Flemington, N.J., was promoted to National Practice Director of Technology Solutions Services at Jefferson Wells International.

Maureen Dunn McGlynn, North Syracuse, N.Y., was promoted to partner in the business department of Mackenzie Hughes where she specializes in health care law. Maureen is active in many community organizations, including the Ronald McDonald House.

Alexandra Yantorn, Scranton, is Chief Development Officer for the Community Medical Center Healthcare Systems.

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William Norris, Elkton, Md., was promoted to Director – Design Engineering & Production for Advanced Environmental Systems, Inc.

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Susan Fidiam, Wilkes-Barre, was promoted to Senior Manager at Telerx Marketing Inc.

Diane Pierdomenico Bragg, Lancaster, Manager, Client Services and Administration for the Retirement Services Division at Fulton Financial Advisors, received the designation of Qualified 401K Administrator from the American Society of Pension Actuaries.

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Jane Carlonas, Dunmore, partner in the law firm of Oliver Price & Rhodes, has been named Secretary of the Lackawanna Bar Association, and is a member of Board of Directors of the Northeast Regional Cancer Institute.

Patrick Cawley, M.D., Charleston, S.C., Director of Hospitalists Services at the Medical University of South Carolina, was elected to the Board of the Society of Hospital Medicine.

Susan Degli-Antoni Corrado, J.J. Blairstown, N.J., is President of Passaic Valley Investigations, LLC, an investigations and consulting firm.

John Grebeck, M.Ed., Bridgewater, N.J., received his degree in administration and supervision from Rutgers University.

Colleen Neary, Newtown Square, a partner in the firm of Sweeney & Neary, LLP, was named President of the Delaware County Bar Association. She was elected a fellow of the American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers in 2003.

Anthony Yanni, M.D., Scranton, Chief of General Internal Medicine at Mercy Hospital, was named Director of Physician Business Development.

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Melinda Braithwaite Dee, Atlanta, Ga., is a Senior Vice President with ING Investment Management, Inc.

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Peter Cedeno, New York, N.Y., is partner and head of Family Law Department at Wilens and Baker, P.C.

Matthew Cooper, M.D., Baltimore, Md., was appointed the Director of Kidney and Pancreas Transplantation and the Director of Clinical Research at Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Mary Elizabeth "Betsey" Moylan, Scranton, reference librarian at the University's Weinberg Memorial Library, was awarded the John L. Earl III Award for service to the university, the faculty and the community.

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James Clark, Syracuse, is now a partner of Bond, Schoeneck & King, P.L.L.C., N.Y. one of the largest labor and employment law practices in the Northeast.

Lawrence Durkin is a new partner with the Kingston law firm of Cardoni & Associates.

Donald Preate, **M.D.**, Moscow, a physician at Delta Medix, was named a fellow of the American College of Surgeons.

Richeal Robinson Cline, M.B.A., Indianapolis, Ind., received her degree from Indiana Wesleyan University.

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Gregory Busch, D.O., Philadelphia, is Assistant Professor of Geriatric Medicine at The Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine.

Eileen Cannon Corey, Milford, Conn., is a Copy Editor at Penny Publications.

Michael Corey, Milford, Conn., is Global Account Manager for Enthone, Inc.

Maureen Kelly, Scranton, was elected as shareholder of the law firm of Marshall, Dennehey, Warner, Coleman & Goggin.

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Michele Davis, Dunmore, is the Director of the Center of Continuing Education at her alma mater.

Shannon Jackson-Polansky, M.A., Silver Spring, Md., received her degree in Teaching from Johns Hopkins University. Michael Shera, M.A., Florham Park, N.J., received his degree in Educational Administration and Supervision from Seton Hall University. He is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, the International Honor Society in Education and is the English Department Chairperson at Morris Catholic High School.

Tracey Wieners, Philadelphia, is pursuing a doctorate in Education at the University of Pennsylvania and has accepted a position there as a Learning Specialist for Students with Disabilities.

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Mary Dolon, Hazleton, is a Grant Specialist/Writer at Luzerne County Community College.

Jason Hill, Ph.D., Cleveland Heights, Ohio, received his degree in Molecular Genetics from the University of Illinois-Chicago.

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John Garrison, Jr., Ph.D., Indiana, received his degree in American Literature from Indiana University of Pennsylvania and was promoted to Assistant Vice President of Operations Services, First Commonwealth Service Corporation.

Renee L'Eplattenier, Atlanta, Ga., is an Associate at Smith, Gambrell & Russell, L.L.P.

Joseph Vaszily, Westfield, N.J., officiated a first-round game in the 2004 NCAA Division I Women's Basketball Tournament at the University of Texas at Austin.

Alumni Benefits Expand To Shopping Mall

With the assistance and expertise of Business Leadership students in the Kania School of Management, the Affinities/Visibility/ Promotions (AVP) Committee of the Alumni Board of Governors launched a Web site to market exclusive merchandise to our alumni. The domain is *www.ScrantonAlumniMall.com*. The online store will market licensed merchandise to alumni bearing the University's federally registered trademarks and other University logos. Through an official agreement with American Environmental Outfitters, who will receive, inspect, warehouse and ship from their Scranton-based firm, the Alumni Society will maintain a Web site that serves as a commerce platform for the procurement of branded merchandise. It is accessible via the University's home page (www.scranton.edu) and can be used by alumni, students, faculty and other designated affiliates. The Scranton

students, faculty and other designated Alumni Mall operates independently the University Bookstore and is dedicated to providing quality merchandise that helps to build a strong alumni community while raising revenue for alumni services. John Lanahan '84, Hillsborough, N.J., is se ing as Chairman of the Alumni Board Affinities Committee.



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Lisa Baumann, Scranton, Director of Healthy Northeast Access Program at The University of Scranton, connects uninsured and underinsured residents of Lackawanna and Luzerne Counties with the medical professionals they need.

Kevin Cocca has opened a bar/restaurant/lounge, "Trinity", located directly on the waterfront of the Hudson River in Hoboken, N.J.

Capt. F. Kevin Gildea, U.S.A., Clarks Summit, is an Assistant Professor in the Military Science Department at his alma mater where he is pursuing his M.B.A.

Capt. Thomas McAndrew, M.D., U.S.A.F., Pennsauken, N.J., is deployed overseas at a forward operating location in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. Pray for the safe return of Capt. Tom and all our military personnel.

Patricia McGowan Lafferty, Scranton, is an Associate in the law firm of McLane, Foley, McDonald & McGregor.

Leigh O'Doherty, Austin Texas, 4th grade teacher at Eanes Elementar y School, received the National Council of Teachers of English annual Leadership Development Award.

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Matthew Curley, Conklin, N.Y., was promoted to Director of Transportation at Maines Paper & Food Services.

John Leardi, student at Seton Hall University School of Law, will graduate this spring and become a Litigation Associate with Porzio, Bromberg, & Newman, in Morristown, N.J.

Heather Leo, New York, N.Y., was promoted to Assistant Beauty & Jewelry Editor at *Bride's Magazine* and will be writing the Beauty Q&A column for the magazine.

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Rose Goin, Berwick, was appointed Director of the Berwick Center of Luzerne County Community College.

Laura Turlip, Archbald, graduate of Dickinson School of Law of Penn State University, is an Associate at Robert Munley & Associates.

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Christina Scartelli, Dunmore, was promoted to Senior Accountant in the Moosic office of Jones Kohanski & Co. L.L.P.

William Schoen, Scranton, Chief Executive Officer of his own communications agency, is Executive Director of the Scranton Housing Authority.

Christopher Steel, Ed.M., Oradell, N.J., Director of Curriculum and Instruction and Technology for the Emerson School District, received his degree in Instructional Media Design and Technology in Education from Harvard University.

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Christina Coury, an attorney with Billet & Connor, P.C., Philadelphia, passed the Pennsylvania and New Jersey Bar exam.

Bro. Jeremiah Grosse, O.S.B., Morristown, N.J., a member of the faculty of Delbarton School, will begin his theological studies leading to ordination to the Priesthood this fall at St. Meinrad, Indiana.

Ann Marie Lutz, J.D., Denville, N.J., received her degree, cum laude, from New York Law School and has passed the New York and New Jersey Bar exams.

Capt. Michael McLane, Jr., R.N., Gaithersburg, Md., officer in charge of the Eisenhower Executive Nursing Suite, outpatient clinic, Walter Reed Army Hospital, received his new bars at a recent ceremony.

1st Lt. Cathleen Olenick, U.S.A., Hardyville, Va., is a nurse with the 67th Combat Support Hospital, Iraq. Our prayers go out to her.

Kristin Olney, M.A., Philadelphia, received her degree in Government Administration from the University of Pennsylvania and is a Regional Initiatives Specialist with the Delaware Valley Industrial Resource Center.

Justin Taylor, took the oath of office as the Mayor of the City of Carbondale in January.

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Melissa Bevacqua, Olyphant, has returned to her alma mater as an Admissions Counselor.

Joseph Lesinski, Thornton, Colo., is an officer with United States Customs and Border Protection.

Melissa Logan, Exton, is teaching 8th grade in the Tredyffrin-Easttown School District.

Nicole Radomski, Bethel, Conn., has been advanced to a Clinical Nurse II, and has become a Pediatric Painless Resource Nurse while being a R.N. at Yale New Haven Children's Hospital. She also continues to represent the School-Age unit on the professional practice and pedi-painless committees.

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Meagan Auser Lesinski, Thornton, Colo., is a pre-K teacher.

Lisa Harris, professional athletic trainer and a star with the Lady Royals under Mike Strong, is Women's Basketball Coach at Germantown Academy, Philadelphia.

Adam Kocyk, Poland & Szu-Yun Wang, Taiwan, are recipients of the Aventis Pasteur Scholarship.

Loni Lukatch, M.Ed., received her degree in Curriculum and Instruction from Bloomsburg University and is a long-term, permanent Spanish substitute teacher in the Hazleton Area School District.



Alumni Society President, Kevin J. Lanahan '84 reviews census while describing significant changes to alumni core leadership. Front row, from left: Ted Wolff '74, Lehigh Valley and Christina Meyer '93, Baltimore. Back row, from left: Mary Theresa Paterson '79, Scranton, Lewy Scanlon '94, Philadelphia, Megan Morgan '95, New England, Karen Murphy '94, New York City, and Chris Flynn '90, Washington, D.C.

New Structure Adopted for Alumni Society Network of Clubs

At a quarterly meeting held earlier this year, the Alumni Society Board of Governors adopted a new structure for the Alumni Society that includes changing the names of the University's 20 Alumni Chapters. The proposal for the structure grew from more than a year of planning, deliberation and conversation coordinated by the Chapter Officers Resource Committee.

By January 1, 2005, current Chapter leaders will enact revisions to their names that will replace the word "Chapter" with "Club." Some changes are already in place. For example, the New York Metropolitan Alumni Chapter is now The Scranton Club of New York; The West Coast Alumni Chapter of Southern California is The Scranton Club of Southern California; and The South Florida Alumni Chapter is The Scranton Club of South Florida.

The Alumni Board also put in place a chartering process for all Clubs. In order to make the process as easy as possible, the Alumni Office provides Clubs with sample by-laws that define their structure and method of operations for appointing officers, scheduling periodical business meetings and, of course, hosting a variety of alumni activities.

"The name changes are intended to help our Clubs better represent The University of Scranton in their local regions by being more easily identifiable," said Kevin J. Lanahan '84, Alumni Society President. "At the same time, we are encouraging our Clubs to exercise greater autonomy and responsibility through a new charter process."

The idea for the changes grew from a 2002 Alumni Leadership Conference held on campus and chaired by Angelo Cinti '60, Delran, N.J., retired Executive Director of the American Red Cross in New York City, and recipient of the Frank O'Hara Award for Community Service in 1995.

"As the University continues to grow, strong Clubs are becoming an essential part of our alumni program," said Robert P. Zelno '66 G'77, Society Executive Director. "We hope this new process will strengthen our current alumni network and allow us to identify Clubs that need assistance while encouraging an increasing number of alumni to become involved in their Clubs."



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Michael Bartholomew, Levittown, N.Y., has been accepted by the Diocese of Rockville Centre for this fall's class in the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception, Huntington, N.Y. to begin his studies for the priesthood. Let's keep him and all his classmates in our prayers.

FRIENDS

Peter Hurst, Jr., Bridgeport, Conn., University Trustee 1995-2001, CEO of Community Bank, was named ringmaster of the region's annual Barnum Festival, the first person of African-American descent to be so named.

Marriages 74

Tom Fenton to Judy Blair

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Nancy Elbert to Dana Williams

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Brian Nixon to Lori McDonnell

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Deborah Zelenowski to Leonard Wishart, IV

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Janice Gambo to Mark Chesna Carolyn Groves to Douglas Brandon Maryellen Reilly to Bill Lamb

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Thomas Skotleski to Theresa Kaschak David Yessen to Kristine Stofflet 91

Kristi Bergman to Kevin Neal Michael Bjelobrk to Darlene Krouchick Brian Krypel to Jennifer Gorham Kathleen Kulick to Albert O'Donnell John Lalley to Tina Kuhn

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Colleen Lalley to Robert Reed

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Theresa Cassillo to Stephen Roberts John Krisa, M.D., to Carolyn Eaton, M.D.

Kevin Manganaro to Lynn Novakoski 94

Judy Davis to Adrian Copus Tara Holowka to Capt. Bradley Parsons, U.S.M.C.

95 Tara Costello to Michael Sullivan Karen Maksomski to Christian Mele Brian Possanza to Kathryn Ercole

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William Ford, Jr., M.D., to Lisa Johnson

- Megan Healey to Jeffrey Georgia Cindy Krenitsky to Jonathan Pietrowski
- Christian LaFace, M.D., to Francine Bowan

James Murphy to Nancy Lau '99 Christine Phillips to Shawn Beistline Maura A. Rooney to Timothy J. Wheeler

Kim Roshak to John Roberts Joan Walsh to John Boland

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Christopher Keating to Lauren Smith Matthew Kenefic to Tara Vellios Melissa Masankay to Richard Daniels Jessica Wuensch to Casey Strange

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Lucia Cioffi McCahill to Kevin McCahill

Gregory Gaughan to Paula Gentilman Michele Giancatarino to Andrew Gilfillan

Janelle Swika to Christopher Benke

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Sharon Avvisato to Xerxes Oshidar, D.C. Earl Cassel to Rebecca St. Pierre Christin Castellana to Jonathan Freet Daniel Collier to Susan Cook '00 Jennifer Crist to Roberto Conte Elizabeth Flanagan to Daniel McNichol Tricia Jones to David Watters Franny Krushinsky to Christopher Kube Deborah Lynch to Jason Proulx Gregory Maigur to Heather Theis Sharon Mullarkey to Gabriel Dersam, M.D. Jennifer Peacock to George Hayes Kimberly Vescovi to Kevin McGowan

Debra Warner to Matthew Soulsby

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Natalie Ardito to Michael Nashold Christa Bevacqua to Sean Degan Brian Curtis to Kathleen Toomey Melissa DelGiorno to Thomas Biscotti Jennifer Keifer to Vincent Cilia Megan McHugh to Chris Grezlak Eric Pauli to Jaimey Glass James Powell to Elena Fabber '01 Kristina Serowinski to Luther Griffiths Corinne Taylor to Jason Thiel Nicol Vidota to J.B. Bekelja Timothy Brody to Marianne Lewis

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Tina Aquilina to Christian Nicolais Joseph Lesinski to Meagan Auser '03 Stacy Minelli to Chad Kresge

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Tracy Chapman to Robert Bradshaw Jennifer Honovic to Lt. j.g. Peter Lunetta, Jr., U.S.N.

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Kimberly Brown to James Weaver Aimee Casper to Daniel Kamide Stefanie DePietro to Kenneth Witkowski

Erin Quinn to Edward Ware

Births 81

A son, Devin Patrick, to George & Mary Andrews Brown, Maplewood, N.J.

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A daughter, Mary Catherine, to Patrick & Mary Ellen O'Grady Harvey, Ph.D., Loch Arbour, N.J.

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A son, Conner (age 5) & his sister, Brenna (age 4), adopted by Philip & Sylvia Shiner Fontes and their young sons, Auburn, Calif.

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A daughter, Jordan Chongmei, adopted from China by Gregg & Ellen Dunnigan Winter, Yardley

A son, Adam Edward, to Anna & David Haines. Moscow

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- A son, John Patrick, to Melinda & Kevin Gremse, Stamford, Conn. A daughter, Ava Elizabeth, to Michael
- & Kathleen Larkin-Keating '89, Verona, N.J. A son, Ryan Patrick, to Suzanne &
- John Lynch, Andover, N.J.

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- A son, Thomas Richard, to Joseph and Susan Degli-Antoni Corrado, Blairstown, N.J.
- A son, Matthew Joseph, to Sue & Joe Eberle, New Providence, N.J.
- A daughter, Kelly Marie, to John & Dee Genes Donovan, Drexel Hill
- daughter, Amelia Claire, to Jeffrey, D.P.M. & Patricia Grande Rieder, Jermvn

Triplets: Andrew John, Stephanie Anne & Daniel Jason, to Dina & John Mullan, Huntington, N.Y.

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- A daughter, Allison Ann, to Sharon & Andrew Beidler, Scranton
- A daughter, Malia Monique, to Monique & Kevin Franks, D.O., Greenfield Twp.
- Twins, Cole Allen & Teeley Marie, to Drew & Dianne Horvat Dangler, Northhampton
- A son, Brendan Patrick, to Lisa & Patrick Kane, Livingston, N.J.
- A son, Brendan Michael, to Stanley & Mara McGuire Marczyk, Absecon, N.L
- A son, Gavin Joseph, to Chuck & Meg McQuaid McManus, Audubon
- A son, Zachary Ryan, to Rich & Janine Meccia Settino, Eatontown, N.J.

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- A son, Matthew Gerard, to Alicia & Matthew Cooper, M.D., Baltimore, Md.
- A daughter, Meredyth Siobhan Gregory, to Maureen Gregory & Adam Duke, Covington, Ky.

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- A daughter, Catherine Ann, to Janice & Bill Hackett, Freehold, N.J.
- A daughter, Caitlin Frances Waldron, to Will & Liz Leavell Waldron, Metuchen, N.J.
- A son, Timothy Alton, to **Charles &** Jennifer Meyers Prothero '95, Scranton
- A son, Adam Eric, to Eric & Catherine Talarico Schield, Moscow
- A daughter, Ava Elizabeth, to Christopher & Kathleen Wetmore Corso, Fort Wayne, IN,

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- A daughter, Emma Rose, to Barry & Marilyn Cole Simkin, Ft. Worth, Texas
- A daughter, Kaitlyn Rose, to Susan & **Peter Dean**, Morris Plains, N.J.
- A son, Andrew James, to Kristin & Lawrence Durkin, Scranton
- A daughter, Keiran Natasha, to Christopher & **Sharon Morris Lencheski**, Center Valley
- A daughter, Amanda Grace, to Kenneth & Barbara Hontz Moss '94, Moscow
- A son, Connor Salvatore, to Greg & Linda Raciti Kazel, Collegeville
- A daughter, Olivia Joan, to **Jeff '92 & Holly Sylvester James**, Union Dale

"All's Well that Ends Well"

Faculty of the University's History Department recently met with Dame Judi Dench H'99 (in absentia) in London following the performance of "All's Well that Ends Well." From left: Rev. Ron McKinney, S.J., Professor of History; Dame Judi Dench; Michael DeMichele, Ph.D., Professor and Chair of the History Department; Willis Conover, Ed.D., Professor of History; and Frank Homer, Ph.D., Professor of History.



Nine Receive O'Hara Awards

Eight University alumni and one member of the faculty were the recipients of the 2004 Frank J. O'Hara Awards presented during Alumni Reunion in June. The O'Hara Award, the highest bestowed jointly by the University and the Alumni Society, is presented annually to alumni or friends who have earned distinction in a particular career or endeavor. University President Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., and Alumni Society President Kevin J. Lanahan '84 presided over the ceremony. The following are this year's honorees and the award category for which they were nominated: Mary Beth Farrell, C.P.A. '79, New York, N.Y., Executive Vice President, Finance & Corporate Administration Services, AXA Financial (Management); Peter J. Danchak '84, Dunmore, President of PNC Bank, Northeast (Community Service); Lt. Gen Daniel J. O'Neill, '59, Honesdale, retired Superintendent of Schools, Honesdale (Pa) School District, (Education); William J. Corcoran, Esq. '64, Washington, D.C., Senior Counsel in the Public Integrity Section of the Criminal Division, U.S. Department of Justice (Law); Mark E. Chopko, Esq. '74, Alexandria, Va., General Counsel, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington, D.C. (Religion & Spirituality); Rosellen M. Garrett, Ph.D., C.R.N.P., Scranton, retiring founder of the Department of Nursing at The University of Scranton (University Service); State Representative Kevin J. Blaum '74, Wilkes-Barre, representing the 121st Legislative District, and Democratic Chairman of the House Judiciary Committee (Government Service); David H. Burton, Ph.D. '49, Villanova, Pa., Professor Emeritus, St. Joseph's University, Philadelphia (Arts & Letters); and, Dominick A. Cruciani, Jr., M.D., '54, Clarks Green, Ophthalmologist and University Trustee (Medicine). Biographical sketches of the honorees appear on the Frank O'Hara Award link on the Web site at www.scranton.edu/alumni.

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- A daughter, Kylie Grace, to Kieran &
- Stacey Aiosa McGlynn, Chatham, N.J. A daughter, Paige Marie, to James &
- Michele Tucker Berzinski '95, Hershey
- A son, Ronan James, to William & Jana Sciarra Bradley '93, Philadelphia
- A son, Joshua Gregory, to **Gregory & Theresa Sitnik Busch**, Cherry Hill, N.J.
- A son, Samuel William, to William & Angela DePetris Lewis, Morristown, N.J.
- A son, Aiden John, to Alan & Kristina Killiany Dommes, Moscow A son, Jeffrey Robert, to Jeffrey & Mau-
- reen McAndrew Walsh, Dunmore A daughter, Kaitlyn Elizabeth, to
- Peter & Leigh Murphy Melore, Smithtown, N.Y.
- A son, Michael Stephen, to Michael & Laura Pikulski Marion, Clarks Summit
- A daughter, Hannah Erin, to Douglas & **Megan Reilly Hargrave**, Vineland, N.J.

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- A daughter, Lucy Eileen, to Anthony & Elizabeth Kelly Abdalla '94, Clarks Summit
- A son, Alan Joshua, to Alan & Holly Axtell Deutch, Factoryville
- A son, Michael Jake, to Michael & Suzanne Beattie Cras, Wynnewood
- A son, Nicholas Alexander, to Éric & Suzanne Czehut Toppy, Robbinsville, N.J.
- Three sons, Sean Michael, Brendan James & Colin John & a daughter, Ella Clare, to Chuck & Alissa Dearlove McGrory, Ridley Park
- A son, Owen Patrick, to Patricia & Brian Healy, Providence, R.I.
- A daughter, Carol McKinnon, to John & Kelly Keegan Barton, Summit, N.J.

- A son, Jonathan, to Jacin & **Michele** Lacey Suskin, Malvern A son, Joseph Spurgeon, to Patti &
- Joseph Lamb, Brick, N.J. A daughter, Melanie Rose, to Alan &
- Lisa Incitti Landis '94, Alexandria, Va. A daughter, Grace Lily, to Hank &
- Christa Mele Rehrer, Scotch Plains, N.J.
- A daughter, Grace Abigail, to Melissa & Edward Micheletti, Greenville, Del. A son, Noah Jerome, to Jennifer &
- James Palauskas, Scranton A son, Ryan James, to Jeffrey &
- Bernadette Pirrello Keating, San Francisco, Calif.
- A son, Thomas Anthony, to Nicole & Luke Pranzo, Miller Place, N.Y.
- A daughter, Julie Rose, to Gina & Ralph Rostock, Chester
- A daughter, Kayleigh Olivia, to Mary Beth & Christopher Roth, Riverdale, N.Y.
- A daughter, Isabella Madison, to Jason & Shelly Smith Thelen, Harrisburg
- A son, Jack Francis, to Christie & Brian Sullivan, Lancaster
- A daughter, Kylie Marie, to Gregory & Christine Warble Hillebrand, Clarks Summit

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- A daughter, Evelyn Hope, to Ross & Susan Alfano Reibel, Holbrook, N.Y.
- Twin sons, Shawn Winston & Ethan Pierre, to Greg & Carron Ankiel Kohn, Jamesburg, N.J.
- A son, Liam Sullivan, to Kevin & Johnelle Joyce McManus, Madison, N.J.
- A son, Timothy Joseph, to **Tim & DeAnna Clause McGrane '97**, Jermyn
- A daughter, Laura Marie, to Michael & Nancy Roux Schillizzi, Hicksville, N.Y.
- A son, Michael Delaney, to Kevin & Tricia Schofield Little, Laurel Springs, N.J.

- A daughter, Grace Louise, to David & **Deirdre Sheedy Lloyd**, Summit, N.J. A daughter, Margrette Grace, to
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- A daughter, Olivia Ann, to Vincent & Cecelia Barrett Amico, Dunmore A son Thomas lames to Russ &
- Nadine Bergin Larson, Phoenixville A daughter, Ashley Noel, to James &
- A daughter, Asmey Noei, to James & Lauren Buonocore Hart, Kenilworth, N.J.
- A son, McAuley Patrick, to Maura & **Timothy Carroll**, Northport, N.Y.
- A son, Maxson David, to Cori & Sean Dunphy, Red Bank, N.J. A daughter, Veronica Grace, to
- Michael & Kristin Grady Mullen, Seattle, Wash.
- A daughter, Anna, to Matthew '97 & Katherine Hessling Kowalewski, Freehold, N.J.
- A son, Andrew Robert, to Jay & Jeanne-Marie Istivan Scanlon, Red Bank, N.J.
- A daughter, Megan Alice, to Laurie & **Kevin Loughnane**, Manhasset, N.Y.
- A daughter, Maria Theresa, to Christine & Vincent Pellegrino, Plainview, N.Y. A daughter, Marni Lea, to Marcy &
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- A son, Brendan Patrick, to Jeffrey & Kerrin O'Connell Tierney '96, New Brunswick, N.J.
- A daughter, Lauren Kathleen, to Thomas & Mala Domingo Sprows '97, Aston
- A daughter, Chloe Blu, to Donald & Rebecca Wallace Jeanmonod, Newton, N.J.

PT Alumni Reunion Planned

Based on the success of numerous non-traditional alumni reunions sponsored by the Alumni Society, as well as the upcoming 20th year anniversary of the Department of Physical Therapy at the University and the implementation of a doctoral program in the discipline, a Physical Therapy Alumni Reunion is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, Oct 1-2 on campus. October is National Physical Therapy Month.

All PT graduates are being invited back to campus to celebrate with a PT Open House, department picnic and volleyball game. The reunion will end on a light note with the annual performance of The Fall Revue. Invitations will be mailed to all PT Alumni. Further information is available by contacting the Office of Alumni Relations at 1-800-SCRANTO(n) or alumni@scranton.edu

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- A son, Jack William, to James & Heather Beal Zrebiec, Freehold, N.J.
- A daughter, Ella Muldoon, to Vincent & **Regina Binkley Donohue**, West Chester.
- A daughter, Molly Ellen, to Karen & Alfred Cooke, Baltimore, Md.
- A son, Ryan Daniel, to Ryan & Julieanne DeMarco Lewis, Scranton
- A daughter, Ragan Anna, to Edmund & Kimberly Kalasinski Poplawski, Dupont
- A daughter, Hailey Christine, to Carmen & Kelly Krill Latona, Pittsburgh
- A daughter, Anna Grace, to Sam & Amanda Lulley Descovich, New York, N.Y.
- A daughter, Paige Juliana, to Jeffrey & Kristin Morley Landau, Middleton, Del.
- A daughter, Emma Grace, to Capt. F. Kevin, U.S.A. & Jennette Quinones-Gildea, Clarks Summit
- A daughter, Isabella Lyn, to Anthony & Katie Schmidtke Marino, Palisades Park, N.J.

A daughter, Maria Ann, to **Brian & Beth Nebzydoski Spinelli '99**, Pleasant Mount

97

- A daughter, Chloe Patricia, to Holly & Joseph Colozza, Old Forge A daughter. Tatiana Mamie. to Olivia
- & daughter, Tatiana Mamie, to Olivia & **R. David Rebanal**, Portland, Oregon.
- A son, Cole Joseph, to Michael '99 & Heather Schneider Swierczek, Allentown
- A daughter, Emma Catherine, to Jeffrey & **Amy Spause Benner**, Harleysville

98

- A son, Jack Patterson, to James & **Kathleen Barnett Noble**, Huntington, N.Y. A daughter, Gracie Geraldine, to Jen-
- nifer & **Eugene Mariotti**, Old Forge A daughter, Emma Degnon, to
- William '99 & Erin Sheedy Dougherty, Philadelphia

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- A daughter, Serena Michele, to Michele & **Anthony Bonanno**, Verona, N.J.
- A daughter, Adriana Maureen, to Anthony & Maureen Devlin Kwiatkowski, Dunellen, N.J.
- A son, Nicklaus Anthony, to Gabriel & Sharon Mullarkey Dersam, Scottsdale, Ariz. A son, Logan Xavier, to Susan &
- William Tucker, Moscow

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- A daughter, Alicia June, to Jeffery Griffin & Joy Coss, Dunmore
- A daughter, Natalie Grace, to Danielle & Craig Sweeney, Jessup

02

A daughter, Trinity Michelle, to Michael & **Michelle Hull**, Scranton

Deaths

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Cyril Bosak, Old Forge Maurice Epstein, Arlington, Va. 32

John McGrane, Holiday, Fla.

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William Fenwick, Carbondale Joseph Kane, Scranton Anthony Muldoon, Scranton

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Robert Gibbons, M.D., Seminole, Fla. James Vergari, San Diego, Calif. Clarence Walton, Ph.D., Catonsville, Md

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Reva Kurlancheek, Del Ray Beach, Fla.

John Van Rensaleer Clarke, Waverly Ann Kuchera, Old Forge

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Paul Casey, M.D., Jenkintown Jean Cohen, Canal Fulton, Ohio John Gazella, Olyphant William Phillips, M.D., Newton

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Joseph Kuchera, Old Forge Joseph Mulligan, West Chester Neil Trama, Sr., Scranton

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Theodore Burik, Ph.D., Crystal Lake Philip Genova, Scranton

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Leonard Cummings, Spring Hill, Fla. William Griglock, Shelton, Conn.

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Felix Chmiel, Old Saybrook, Conn. Martin Knuth, Springbrook Twp. Joseph Smith, Bethlehem

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Leo Derwinski, Simpson Frank Hayner, Scranton Marvin Lander, Brooklyn, N.Y. Isadore Levine, Carbondale

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William Early, West Chester, Ohio Brig. Gen. John Loftus, PA Nat. Guard, Olyphant Daniel McCarthy, Ijamsville, Md. Paul McGowan, Scranton Thomas Murphy, D.D.S., Paoli

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Carmine Ciccone, Carbondale Philip Clifford, Spring Brook Twp. J. Raymond Dorris, Nanticoke Edith Poli, Hughestown 54

Jeremiah Collins, Allentown Helen Roscoe, Dunmore

55G Jack Koniszewski, Peckville

55 Frank McDonough, Dunmore Joseph Mesko, Jupiter, Fla.

57 Gerard Becker, Vestal, N.Y.

Thomas Powell, Dunmore

58 David Cianfichi, Clarks Summit David Keating, Taylor J. Robert Walsh, Clarks Summit

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Most Rev. Joseph Ferrario, Kailua, Hawaii

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Sheldon Adler, West Bloomfield, Mich. 59

Joseph O'Donnell, Hampden Twp.

Marguerite Roberta Aulisio, Old Forge

Dudley Atherton, Atlanta, Ga. **Eugene Kelley**, Harding

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George Bolus, Clarks Summit William Murphy, Jr., York Maj. Cyril O'Hara, U.S.M.C.[ret.], Scranton

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honors as the Best Securitization Accounting Firm for each of the world regions recognized by ISR: Europe, North America and Asia Pacific – a clean sweep of all of the accounting awards.

Mr. Dubas, a partner in Deloitte's New York office, accepted the awards on behalf of Deloitte when ISR recognized the winners at its annual awards ceremony held in London.

In his management role at Deloitte, Mr. Dubas has worked on numerous securitization transactions in 30 countries. He travels extensively, while maintaining a base in New York City. Since 1997, he has been a speaker at every major gathering of securitization professionals outside the United States. He is the son of Francis (Sr.) and Dolores Dubas of Jessup.

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Dorothy Connolly, Kingston

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Ray Flanagan, Clarks Summit Richard Fanucci, Jessup

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Thomas Malone, Sr., Newark Valley, N.Y.

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Lawrence Howard, M.D., Clarks Summit William Kehoe, Ocala, Fla. Russell O'Malley, Jr., Clarks Summit

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Raymond D'Arienzo, Seattle, Wash. James McGraw, M.D., Honesdale

70 John Barrett, Carbondale Leo D'Angelo, Scranton

71 Jack Jadick, Summit, N.J.

71G Vinod Sejpal, Portage

72 Basil Malish, Washington, D.C.

73 James Borelli, Dickson, City N. John Molski, Dallas

74G Harold Hagen, Greenbackville, Va. 75

Sr. Clare Amata Meehan, I.H.M., Coaldale

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76 James Baggetta, Peckville

77 Brian Murphy, Alexandria, Va. 81

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84G Sr. Mary Mulligan, R.S.M., Dallas

85 Suzanne Vaughan Greene, Binghamton, N.Y.

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Michael Dutko, Ph.D., Mathematics Faculty 1991-2003 Paul Perdew, Ph.D., Mathematics Faculty 1985-2003

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Irwin Alperin, Clarks Summit Mary Barlow, mother of Lawrence '77 Robert Bednar, Sr., father of Robert '69, grandfather of Michael '93 & Robert '94 Joseph Bifano, Jr., father of Martin '78 Lydia Black, mother of Daniel '77 & Anthony '80 Robert Brown, father of Robert '82, Victoria Lynch '82 & Betsey Moylan '90 David Buntz, brother of Alan '74 &

Kenneth '75 Helen Burke, mother of Arthur '72

Joseph Caputo, father of Joseph '56 & grandfather of Joseph '87 & Mary '97

Lavergne Prejean Casey, sister of Sidney Prejean '72, sister-in-law of

Melinda Ghilardi Prejean '80 Geraldine Cawley, mother of Richard '72 James Cerra, father of James '80 Antigone Charkalis, grandmother of Christina '99 & Karen Swikata '02

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Patrick '72 Edward Coyne, father of Paul '95 David DiDonato, husband of Donna

Barlow DiDonato '95 Helen Donahue, mother of Neil '71

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Edward Scarp '73; grandfather of Ann Scarp '03 & Bridget '05

Elizabeth Hockin, mother of John '61, grandmother of John '96

Margaret Jordan, mother of Frank '60, John '62 & James '64

Carol Karam, mother of **Joseph '83** James Kinney, father of **Rev. James '64**

Freda Lewis, mother of **Jerome '68** Edward Liotta, brother of **Donald '81** Lawrence Long, father of **Colleen '94**

More Class Notes

Charles Manley, brother of **Catherine Coffey '86** (Dec.)

Mary Hickey Moran, mother of Richard '64 & Joseph '79

Anthony Musso, Sr., father of Fedele '70 & Anthony '71 brother-in-law of Frank Cimini '39, uncle-in-law of Joseph Cimini '70

Cyril O'Ĥara, father of Kevin '80 & Timothy '89

Michael O'Hara, brother of Kevin '80 & Timothy '89

Mary Pronko, mother of John '59, Peter '60, David '69, Cynthia Liskov '75, mother-in-law of David Liskov '74 & Lyndia Pronko '84

Mary Rable, sister of **Rev. Cyril '52** Louise Saracino, sister of **Claude '39** Howard Siebecker, brother of **Timothy**

'87 Sylvia Turley, wife of **Douglas (dec.) '40** Thomas Turlip, father of **Kathleen**

Thomas Turlip, father of Kathleen DeLeo '90

James Walsh, father of **Michael '91** A. Keith Williams, brother of **John**

'67 & C. Randolph '84 William Yuchinskas, father of William Young '59

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Alumni Society Presidents Gather

Presidents and past Presidents alike turned out for the installation ceremony of Kevin J. Lanahan '84 as 22nd president of The University of Scranton Alumni Society in January. Standing behind portraits which hang in the Alumni Office conference room are, from left: J.A. Panuska, S.J., University President Emeritus, Frank J. McDonnnell, Esq. '60, Chair of the Board of Trustees; James A. Kelly, Esq. '48, Daniel P. Loftus '68, Edward Coffey, husband of the late Catherine A. Manley Coffey '86, Mr. Lanahan, Michael M. Costello '70, Thomas J. Davis '69, John H. Appleton, Esq. '68, John E. Walsh, Ed.D. '49, H'89, Henry P. Burke, Esq. '64, and Gerald P. Tracy, M.D. '63.





The Bill Kelly Jr. Memorial Golf Classic Friday, October 8, 2004

Greate Bay Country Club, Somers Point, New Jersey

Proceeds benefit the William Hill Kelly, Jr. '93 Scholarship at The University of Scranton, a need-based scholarship to help preserve the University's mission of excellence and accessibility.

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erations of Scranton students, Fr.

Quinn was noted for introduc-

ing film courses into the Univer-

sity's undergraduate curriculum

in 1966 as an outgrowth of a

campus Film Seminar that he

started in 1961. While complet-

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Health and Food & Drug

IN MEMORY

Rev. Paul R. Beining, S.J.

Fr. Beining first joined The University of Scranton faculty in 1949 while serving his regency in the Society of Jesus, leaving in 1951 to undertake his graduate studies at Catholic University. He served as Assistant Professor of Biology at St. Joseph's University, Philadelphia, from 1962 to 1966, and for one year as Associate Professor of Biology and Department Chair at Wheeling Jesuit University, West Va. He returned to Scranton in 1967, rising to the rank of full Professor in 1974.

For more than 20 consecutive years, including summers,

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Rev. John J. Quinn, S.J.

Fr. Quinn joined the University's English Department in 1956. Throughout his more than four decades of service to the University, he served as a Professor, Residence Hall Counselor, Moderator of Drama, Retreat Leader, coordinator of the Communications Program, and founder of the University's literary magazine *Esprit*. In 2002, Fr. Quinn celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of his entrance in the Society of Jesus. He also received the Frank J. O'Hara Award for University

n celebrated the ing his doctoral studies in Engsary of his land, Fr. Quinn began a long-

time friendship with two-time Academy Award-winning actress Glenda Jackson, M.P. At his cures and vaccines. He participated in a major symposium on new vaccines at Cold Spring Harbor, N.Y., in 1988 and presented other research findings at conferences in the Netherlands, Germany, Switzerland and Austria.

Donations can be made to the Rev. Paul R. Beining, S.J., Scholarship Fund at The University of Scranton, Scranton, PA 18510. The fund benefits needy students born and raised in Northeastern Pennsylvania with consideration given to biology majors.

invitation, Ms. Jackson taught

a month-long course in acting

Father Quinn was appointed

to the first board of advisors for

the National Catholic Office for

Film and Television. In 1978, he

was named the first Visiting

Research Scholar at a London-

based unit established by the

Jesuits to conduct research in

the field of communications.

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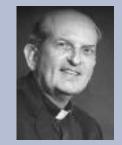
at the University in 1985.

REV. PAUL R. BEINING, S.J. 1923 - 2004



Bachelor's Degrees, Spring Hill College, Ala.; and Woodstock College, Md. Master's Degree, Catholic University, Washington, D.C. Licentiate in Theology, Woodstock College, Md. Advanced Graduate Study, University of Pennsylvania Entered the Society of Jesus, 1942 Ordained to the Priesthood, 1955 Pronounced Final Vows in the Society of Jesus, 1957

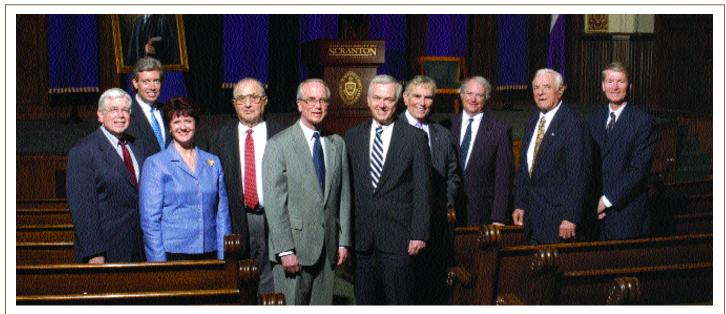
REV. JOHN J. QUINN, S.J. 1921 - 2004



Bachelor's Degrees, College of the Holy Cross. Master's Degree, Fordham University Licentiate in Theology, Woodstock College, Doctor of Philosophy Degree, King's College, University of London Entered the Society of Jesus, 1942 Ordained to the Priesthood, 1954 Pronounced Final Vows in the Society of Jesus, 1977



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A Lackawanna Bar Association Legacy

Since 1982, more than half of the Presidents of the Lackawanna Bar Association have been alumni of The University of Scranton. Twelve Scranton alumni have served or are serving as President of the Lackawanna Bar Association in the past 22 years. Current and past Presidents gathered in the Houlihan-McLean Center on April 21 for the T. Linus Hoban Memorial Lecture, which is hosted by The University of Scranton and the Lackawanna Bar Association. From left: Frank J. McDonnell, Esq., '60, Chair of the University's Board of Trustees; J. Joseph Grady, Esq., '81; Melinda C. Ghilardi, Esq., '80, current President of the Lackawanna Bar Association; Richard S. Campagna, Esq., '50; Joseph A. Murphy, Esq., '65; Honorable Vito P. Geroulo, '69, Court of Common Pleas of Lackawanna County; Robert W. Munley, Esq., '52; Robert T. Gownley, Jr., Esq., '69; John A. Morano, Esq., '50; and Timothy E. Foley, Esq., '68. Absent from photo are Thomas J. Foley, Jr., Esq., '57, and Daniel L. Penetar, Jr., Esq., '76.



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