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A New Mission Statement for the University

During the spring of 2005, the Board of Trustees discussed a revised Mission Statement for the University. A revised Mission Statement was approved by the Board at its May 2005 meeting.

Mission Statement

The University of Scranton is a Catholic and Jesuit university animated by the spiritual vision and the tradition of excellence characteristic of the Society of Jesus and those who share its way of proceeding. The University is a community dedicated to the freedom of inquiry and personal development fundamental to the growth in wisdom and integrity of all who share its life.

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The University Marks 105th Commencement

May 29th marked the University's 105th Commencement, during which it conferred 1,140 bachelor's and master's degrees, as well as the first doctoral degrees in the University's 117-year history. The graduating class represented 21 states and 13 countries.

Jay Parini, Ph.D., an award-winning poet, biographer, fiction writer and educator, gave the principal address. In his remarks to the audience that filled the Wachovia Arena at Casey Plaza, Dr. Parini reflected on the centuries-old Jesuit belief in education. "I would say that this is what an education, especially a Jesuit one, is about: developing the mind and spirit, and learning how to take the world, how to understand it, and – when necessary – stand against it," he said. Dr. Parini went on to invite the graduating class to take the challenge of the "Prince of Peace."

During Commencement, the University presented Honorary Degrees of Humane Letters to Dr. Parini; Sr. Patricia Talone, R.S.M., Ph.D., Vice President of Mission Services, Catholic Health Association of the United States; Harry M. Jansen Kraemer Jr., Executive Partner of Madison Dearborn, LLC.; and Louis DeNaples, banker, businessman and former Chair of the University's Board of Trustees.

In his remarks, University President Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., encouraged the graduates to continue to cultivate the friendships forged during their years at Scranton. "Your time at Scranton has prepared you well for purposeful lives pointing toward fulfillment," he said.



Andrew Reinhold's graduation in May marked the conclusion of 21 straight years in which a member of the Reinhold family has attended the University. Andrew was joined by his parents, Gordon (left) and Hilare (center) Reinhold at Commencement.



Honorary degrees were presented to, from left: Jay Parini, Ph.D., Louis DeNaples, Sr. Patricia Talone, R.S.M., Ph.D., and Harry M. Jansen Kraemer, Jr.



The University conferred the first doctoral degrees in its 117-year history. Standing, from left, are five of the seven Doctor of Physical Therapy graduates: Jessica Bach, Jodi Harrity, Amy Brill, Shira Lipperini and Michele Brooks.



Arrupe Award Presented to Father O'Hare

Rev. Joseph A. O'Hare, S.J., who for 19 years served as President of Fordham University, New York City, received the University's tenth annual Pedro Arrupe, S.J., Award for Distinguished Contributions to Ignatian Mission and Ministries. The award was presented to Fr. O'Hare during the University Assembly in February. Father O'Hare's tenure as President of Fordham is the longest in the University's 163-year history. The Arrupe Award is named in honor of the late Very Rev. Pedro Arrupe, S.J., the Superior General of the Society of Jesus from 1965 to 1983.

"Sustainability" Explored During Trustee Day

The University community engaged in conversations and projects surrounding "Sustainability" during the 31st annual Trustee Day on Feb. 9. Co-chairs of this year's Trustee Day were Trustees Otto Hentz, S.J., Associate Professor of Theology at Georgetown University, and Margaret Condron, Ph.D., an Adjunct Faculty member in the Natural Sciences DepartAt the Arrupe Award Presentation, from left: Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., University President; Fr. O'Hare; Rev. George Aschenbrenner, S.J., Rector of the Jesuit Community at Scranton; and Rev. John Shea, S.J., Vice President for University Ministries.

ment at Marymount Manhattan College. The theme of "Education for Justice: The Case for Sustainability" is linked to Sustainability initiatives on campus. Sustainable development is development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs. For additional information about Scranton's Sustainability initiatives, visit the Web at www.scranton.edu/sustainability.

Building Dedicated in Memory of Father Ciszek



The University dedicated the former Center for Eastern Christian Studies to the memory of Fr. Walter Ciszek, S.J., a native of northeastern Pennsylvania and a candidate for sainthood. Among those present for the Feb. 16 dedication, were from left,

James Brian Benestad, Ph.D., Professor of Theology, Rev. J. A. Panuska, S.J., President Emeritus, and Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., President of the University.

Survey Shows Strong Employment

The results of a University of Scranton post-graduation survey reveal that 96 percent of its undergraduate class of 2004 graduates are either employed or pursuing additional education within six months of graduation. The survey is based on responses received from 75 percent (625) of the 841 students who received bachelor's degrees from the University in 2004. Of the respondents to the survey, 60 percent are employed full-time, five percent are employed part-time, and 31 percent are pursuing additional education. The average salary reported was \$35,369, representing a 5.3 percent increase from last year.

Health Fair Hosted for Hispanic/Latino Community

The University's Leahy Community Health and Family Center held a health fair for the area's Hispanic/Latino community on April 9. The "Feria de Salud," which was offered free of charge, included free health screenings for diabetes, cholesterol and hypertension and seminars on nutrition, exercise and smoking cessation, and hands-on activities for children.



Attending "Feria de Salud" were, from left, Rod Gereda, Community Liaison and Event Facilitator; Margaret McNulty '76, Director of Corporate and Foundation Relations at the University; Chuck O'Hara, Public Relations Director for Procter and Gamble, Mehoopany plant, Corporate Sponsor of the fair; and Rhonda Waskiewicz, Ed.D., Associate Dean of the Panuska College of Professional Studies and Director of the Leahy Community Health and Family Center.



From left: Michael Cann, Ph.D., Professor of Chemistry, and University President Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., joined Trustee Day Co-chairs Margaret Condron, Ph.D., and Rev. Otto Hentz, S.J., and co-presenter Sr. Mary Ann Foley, Ph.D., in discussions about sustainability during Trustee Day.

Applications Break Record for Fourth Year

The University of Scranton has set a record for undergraduate applications for the fourth consecutive year, receiving 6,310 applications for admission to the University's 57 full-time undergraduate programs for the fall of 2005. This represents an increase of three percent over applications received by the same time last year and an increase of 65 percent above 2001 totals. Last year's record of 6,126 applications marked the first time that applications broke the 6,000 mark in the history of the University. It was only three years ago when applications to the University first broke 5,000.

Executive Center Dedicated

On May 11, the University dedicated the Executive Center of Brennan Hall in honor of Rev. Joseph M. McShane, S.J., President of Fordham University and former President of The University of Scranton. The Joseph M. McShane, S.J. Executive Center occupies the



Attending the dedication ceremony of the Executive Center of Brennan Hall, from left, Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., University President; Most Reverend James C. Timlin, D.D., Bishop Emeritus of Scranton; Rev. Joseph M. McShane, S.J., President of Fordham University and former President of the University; Rose Sebastianelli, Ph.D., Professor, Operations and Information Management; Frank J. McDonnell, Esq., '60, immediate Past Chair of the University's Board of Trustees; and Msgr. Joseph G. Quinn, '72, Pastor, St. Rose of Lima Church, and former University Trustee.

5th floor of Brennan Hall, a 71,000 squarefoot building that was built during Fr. McShane's tenure as President of the University. The Center provides technologically advanced conference space for the University, and businesses and organizations throughout Northeastern Pennsylvania. Since its opening in September 2000, the University has hosted more than 4,700 events for 83 organizations and groups in the Executive Center.

Plans Unveiled for Expanded Retreat Center

In an effort to meet the growing demand for retreats by students, faculty and staff, the University has unveiled plans to expand the retreat center at Chapman Lake. Currently more than 1,400 students, faculty and staff participate annually in retreats and other spiritual programs conducted at the lake by the University. The expanded facility will have additional bedrooms and a chapel. An existing white stucco structure, which was previously used for retreats, will be demolished to accommodate the expanded facility. Construction is expected to begin in the fall.

Students

Scranton Students Receive Prestigious Scholarships

Tina Marie George, a junior biology and philosophy major, was one of only 75 students from 65 colleges in the nation to be selected as a 2005 Truman Scholar.

Scranton is the only Jesuit university to have a student named as a 2005 Truman Scholar. Ms. George is the sixth University of Scranton student to be named a Truman Scholar. The Truman Scholar-



Tina Marie George

ship is widely regarded as one of the most competitive and prestigious scholarship programs in America.

Ms. George was also selected to receive one of only 80 Morris K. Udall Scholarships awarded in the nation. Morris K. Udall scholarships are awarded annually to sophomores and juniors who have demonstrated outstanding potential in their study of the environment and related fields. Ms. George is working on a research project with Timothy Cadigan, S.J., Assistant Professor of Biology, to monitor the effects of chemicals on the Lackawanna River.

Timothy Sechler, a junior majoring in chemistry with a minor in mathematics, and Karen McGuigan, a junior majoring in biochemistry and philosophy, were among



just 320 sophomore and junior undergraduates in the nation to be named Goldwater Scholars for the 2005-2006 academic year. Scranton students have been awarded Goldwater Scholarships for three con-

Timothy Sechler

secutive years. The Goldwater Scholarship is among the most prestigious and competitive programs in the nation.

Senior Han Li became the fourth

Scranton student in three years to be named to USA Today's All-USA College Academic Teams. A double major in biochemistry and biomathematics, Ms. Li was named to the second academic team, listing her



Karen McGuigan

nationally among USA Today's top 40 undergraduate students. A total of 60 students comprise USA Today's three academic teams representing some of the nation's



Han Li



Susan Trussler Ph.D., Fulbright Advisor and Associate Professor of Economics/Finance (left), congratulates Fulbright Fellows George Griffin and Maria Hundersmarck.

most prestigious schools. The University is one of only three colleges in Pennsylvania and one of only three Jesuit universities in the nation to have students listed.

Two members of the class of 2005 have been awarded Fulbright Fellowships. Over the last 34 years, 113 Scranton students have received grants in the competitions administered by the Institute of International Education (Fulbright) and International Rotary. Maria Hundersmarck, an English and philosophy double major, has won a Fulbright Teaching Assistantship to South Korea. George Griffin, a foreign languages major, has been awarded a Fulbright Teaching Assistantship to Germany. Both will teach English as a second language while pursing graduate research projects. Students from approximately 500 colleges and universities nationwide submit applications each year for Fulbright fellowships, which were established in 1946 by Congress "to increase mutual understanding between the people of the United States and people of other countries."

Tsunami Relief Effort

Responding to the devastating effects of the Tsunami in Asia, University students have partnered with Scranton Tomorrow for a Tsunami relief effort involving the city's downtown merchants. University students placed "Tsunami Relief Buckets" at participating downtown businesses for customers wishing to make a donation. Funds raised will be combined with collections made at the University's church services during the Lenten season and will be sent to Jesuit Refugee Services, who will provide services and materials for the families most affected by the tsunami.

McGowan Scholar Named

Ryan Champagne has been awarded a full-tuition scholarship for his senior year at the University 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, Trustee Emeritus of the University, the program benefits outstanding students who plan to enter the field of business.

Research and Scholarly Work Celebrated

The University held its Fifth Annual Celebration of Student Scholars on May 3. This all-day event celebrated the research and scholarly work of approximately 75 undergraduate and graduate students. In addition to the traditional display of posters, this year's presentation format was



From left: University President Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J.; Mr. Champagne, recipient of the 2005-2006 William G. McGowan Scholarship; Monsignor McGowan; and Margaret McNulty '76, Director of Corporate and Foundation Relations at the University.

expanded to include oral and creative presentations that are better-suited to nonscience disciplines. Scholarly work presented included thesis research; research conducted as part of the Faculty-Student Research Program or resulting from a Faculty-Directed Student Summer Research Grant; and undergraduate or graduate research or other scholarly projects carried out as independent study. The students' scholarly and research efforts are supported by approximately 30 faculty members.



Organizers of the Tsunami Relief Fund efforts at the University included, seated from left, Matt Youssef, Dan Nelson, Student Government President, Paul Colaiezzi, Executive Director of Scranton Tomorrow, and Maria Hundersmarck. Standing from left are Greg Kershaw, Kristin Reil, Chris Mannion, Student Government Vice President, Lauren Hughes, Will Dennis, Lindsay Webby and Laura Strubeck.

Faculty and Staff

Teacher of the Year Award

Michael A. Sulzinski, Ph.D., Professor of Biology, was selected Teacher of the Year by the University's graduating class of 2005. The Teacher of the Year Award, instituted in 1996 by the academic support committee of the 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. Sulzinski was chosen by secret ballot by the senior class.



University President Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., presented the Teacher of the Year Award to Michael Sulzinski, Ph.D., during Class Night, May 28.

Professors Receive Alperin Award for Teaching

S. Kingsley Gnanendran, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Operations and Information Management, and John J. Kallianiotis, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Economics/ Finance, received the sixth annual Alperin Teaching Fellow Award at the University. The award was presented at the annual Kania School of Management dinner.

The Alperin Award was created through the Alperin Endowment Fund to recognize faculty achievement and excellent teaching in the Kania School of Management at the University. The award is one of several University initiatives supported by the Alperins, who own and operate several area garment-manufacturing plants.

Interim Administrators Appointed

Sister Bernadette Duross, R.S.M., has been appointed as the Interim Vice Presi-

dent for Mission and Ministries. A member of the Sisters of Mercy of the Americas, Sr. Bernadette joined the University in 2004 as Director of Ignatian Spiritual Formation. Previously, she served for almost 10 years on



the program staff of the Jesuit Center for Spiritual Growth at Wernersville.

Harold W. Baillie, Ph.D., Associate Provost, will serve as Interim Provost and Vice

President for Academic Affairs for the 2005-06 academic year. Dr. Baillie joined the faculty in the Philosophy Department at the University in 1978. He is an affiliated faculty member in the Department of



Harold Baillie, Ph.D.

Public Health and Management of Tbilisi State Medical University in Georgia, and has been a visiting professor at the University of Trnava in the Republic of Slovakia.

Michael O. Mensah, Ph.D., has been named Interim Dean of the Kania School

of Management. Dr. Mensah joined the University in 1987 as Assistant Professor of Accounting and was promoted to Associate Professor in 1992. He was named Chair of the Accounting



Michael Mensah, Ph.D.

Department in 2000 and became a Professor of Accounting in 2003. Dr. Mensah received the fourth annual Alperin Teaching Fellow Award from the University in 2002.

Duncan M. Perry, Ph.D., has been named Interim Dean of Dexter Hanley College, while continuing as Dean of the Graduate School and Director of Research, where he has served since joining the University in 2002. Prior to joining the University, Dr. Perry was Dean for Grad-



Duncan Perry, Ph.D.

uate Studies and Extended Programs at Millersville University in Millersville.

Institutional Advancement Posts Announced

Patrick F. Leahy has been named Interim Vice President for Institutional Advance-

ment. Mr. Leahy joined the University in 2004 as Executive Assistant to the President and will continue to serve in this capacity concurrent with his interim appointment. Prior to joining the University, Mr. Leahy



Patrick F. Leahy

was founder and President of The Graduates Club, a business learning community for business school alumni and other professionals. He previously worked as an Investment Officer at Allied Capital Corporation, as an Account Executive with Deluxe Corporation and as an Associate Director in the Campus Ministry Office at Georgetown University.

Gerald C. Zaboski '87, G'95 has been appointed Associate Vice President for

Alumni and Public Relations. Mr. Zaboski has served as the University's Director of Public Relations and Publications since 2000. He has worked at the University since 1988 in several positions,



Gerald C. Zaboski

including Executive Assistant to the President, a post he held for eight years. Prior to joining the University, he worked as Public Information Manager for the Greater Scranton Chamber of Commerce.



Participating in the unveiling of a bronze bust of J.J. Quinn at an April 5 lecture in his memory, from left: Tom Quinn, nephew of J.J. Quinn, S.J.; Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., University President; Ralph C. Wood, Ph.D., lecturer; Tom Trainor, nephew of J.J. Quinn, S.J.; and Mark Webber, artist commissioned to produce the bust.

History Professor Pens Book

The Italian Experience in America: a Pictorial History by Michael DeMichele, Ph.D., '63, Professor and Chair of the History Department, has been published by The University of Scranton Press. The hardcover book with more than 300 photographs and images is the second edition of the popular book first published in 1982 by Dr. DeMichele. Beginning with Christopher Columbus and continuing to present day artists, poets, athletes, scientists, and government leaders, the book concisely illustrates the diverse contributions made by hundreds of Italian Americans. The 165 page book, released in March of 2005, is available at book stores nationwide or through The University of Scranton Press at 1-800-941-3081.

Philosophy Professors Edit Book

A newly released book edited by two Professors of Philosophy at the University explores philosophical issues of genetics and bioengineering. *Is Human Nature Obsolete? Genetics, Bioengineering, and the Future of the Human Condition,* edited by Harold W. Baillie, Ph.D., and Timothy K. Casey, Ph.D., and published by the MIT Press in 2005, brings together the writings of interdisciplinary scholars of national and international repute. The chapters of the book arose from a conference held in the spring of 2001 at The University of Scranton. The conference was supported by a grant from the U.S. Department of Energy and a subgrant from the Northeast Regional Cancer Institute. The book is unique in that it covers an array of disciplines and its perspective is philosophical, rather than technical.

Speakers and Lecturers

The University's 23rd annual **Morris Gelb Lecture** featured Yiddish literature expert and Harvard professor Ruth R. Wisse, Ph.D. The lecture, held May 12, was entitled "The Use and Abuse of Yiddish in America." Regarded as one of the world's leading experts on Yiddish literature, Dr. Wise is also an active commentator on public affairs and has published widely in this area.

All in Every Part: The University of Scranton's Speaker Series on Diversity presented a lecture by Kweisi Mfume, former Congressman, President and CEO of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People on Feb. 28. Mr. Mfume spoke on "Diversity and Democracy: Brown vs. the Board of Education." On April 14, J. Glenn Murray, S.J, Director of Pastoral Liturgy for the Diocese of Cleveland, presented "God Shows No Partiality: the Call to Ecclesial Diversity and Transformation."

The literary genius of Flannery O'Connor and the devoted teaching and scholarship of a beloved Jesuit provided the inspiration for the first J.J. Quinn, S.J., Memorial Lecture Celebrating the Catholic Intellectual Tradition on April 5. Distinguished professor and author Ralph C. Wood, Ph.D., University Professor of Theology and Literature at Baylor University, presented "Flannery O'Connor's Enduring Witness: A Celebration of the Legacy of J.J. Quinn, S.J." The late J.J. Quinn, S.J., served as a Professor of English at the University for more than four decades.

Martin D. Schwartz, Ph.D., Professor of Sociology and Presidential Research Scholar at Ohio University, and Visiting Fellow at the National Institute of Justice, U.S. Department of Justice, spoke on "Sexual Assault on the College Campus" on April 26 as part of events marking **Sexual Assault Awareness Week.** Dr. Schwartz has authored and co-authored or edited numerous books and journal articles on sexual assault and domestic violence.

Christopher B. Barrett, Ph.D., International Professor of Applied Economics and Management at Cornell University, presented the spring **Henry George Lecture** on May 5. Dr. Barrett discussed "The Economics of Poverty and the Poverty of Economics: A Christian Perspective." Dr. Barrett is the author of several books,

including The Social Economics of Poverty: Identities, Groups, Communities and Networks.

Michael Bonner '85, Director of Scoreboard and Broadcasting for the New York Yankees, provided an inside look at the New York

Yankees at the University's **President's Breakfast** on May 16. Mr. Bonner discussed "Behind the Scenes at Yankee Stadium."



Conferences and Symposia

Medical Alumni Symposium Held

The Medical Alumni Council of the University's Alumni Society held its inaugural Medical Alumni Symposium April 8-

10. Keynote speakers for the event were Lt. Gen. Kevin Kiley, M.D., FACOG '72, Surgeon General of the United States Army, and Richard Bevilacqua, M.D., D.D.S. '83, a graduate of the University of



Lt. Gen. Kevin Kiley, M.D., FACOG '72

Connecticut School of Medicine and oral and maxillofacial surgeon with Connecticut Maxillofacial Associates, Hartford, Conn. Lt. Gen. Kevin Kiley was also the guest speaker at the President's Breakfast on April 8.

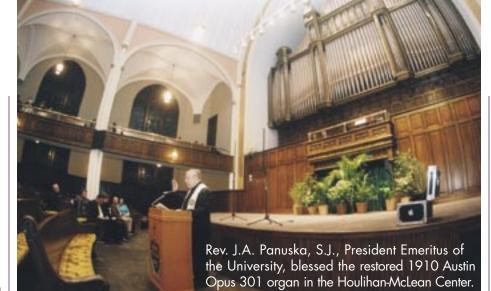
Symposium Explores Diversity Issues

On May 6, the University held its Diversity Symposium, "Diversity: More Than Black and White."

Keynote speakers of the conference were Frank H. Wu, Dean of Wayne University



Angela E. Oh, Esq.



Law School, and attorney, teacher and lecturer Angela E. Oh, Esq. Dean Frank H. Wu is the author of Yellow: Race in America Beyond Black and White and co-author of Race, Rights and Reparation: Law and the Japanese American Internment. His writing has appeared on a professional basis in such periodicals as the Washington Post, Detroit Free Press, Chicago-Tribune, Baltimore Sun, Chronicle of Higher Education, Legal Times and Asian Week. Ms. Oh practices law with the firm of Oh & Barrera, LLP, Los Angeles. In 1997, Ms. Oh was appointed by former President Bill Clinton to the President's Initiative on Race. She served as part of a seven-member Advisory Board to the President in an effort directed at examining how race, racism, and racial differences have affected the development of this nation.

The Arts

Players Perform Madmen and Specialists

In March, the University Players presented *Madmen and Specialists* by Pulitzer Prize-winning author Wole Soyinka. *Madmen and Specialists* was produced in cooperation with the Department of English and its visiting Fulbright Scholar from Cameroon, Sarah Anyang Agbor, Ph.D., as well as Anne Tanyi Tang, Ph.D., also of Cameroon, who is performing research on women African-American playwrights at City University of New York.

Restored Austin Organ Dedicated

On Jan. 30, the University celebrated the completion of the restoration of its 1910 Austin Opus 301 organ, located in the Houlihan-McLean Center. The dedication concert featured Thomas Murray, a concert organist, recording artist and University Organist and Professor of Music at Yale University. The inaugural concert of the restored Austin organ followed more than two years of work involving up to 12 restoration specialists from Patrick J. Murphy & Associates, Inc.



Cast members of *Madmen and Specialists,* from left: Kate Judge, Steve Ranton, John Kasper, Nick Naro and visiting Fulbright Scholar Sarah Anyang Agbor, Ph.D.



Tom Lawlor, Redington Scholar, Daffodils, mixed media, 2005

Students Exhibit Artwork

Students had an opportunity to display their artwork at the University's 19th Annual Juried Exhibition in April and May. Pieces featured celebrated the wide variety of talents and interests found among Scranton students, including color and design, three-dimensional design, drawing and painting.

Institutional Advancement

President's Circle Reception Held



Approximately 215 donors attended the President's Circle Reception on May 14. Among the guests were, from left: Leo Moskovitz, Ann Moskovitz, Jeanne Bovard, University Trustee; Frank McDonnell, Esq., '60, former Chair of the Board of Trustees; Riaz Hussain Ph.D., Associate Professor, Economics/Finance; and Atiya Hussain.



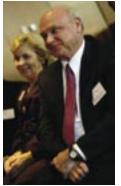
Also attending the evening event held in the Gunster Center on campus, from left: Joseph Cimini, Esq., Zim Lawhon, Patricia Lawhon and Frank Cimini '39, Professor Emeritus.

President's Business Council Announces 2005 Honoree

The President's Business Council held its Inaugural President's Medal Recipients' Reception on May 16. More than 70 alumni and friends from New Hampshire to Florida attended the event held at The Stanley H. Kaplan Penthouse at Lincoln Center in New York City. The Reception was hosted by Paul M. Montrone, Ph.D., '62, Chairman & Chief Executive Officer, Fisher Scientific International Inc., and Gerard R. Roche '53, Senior Chairman, Heidrick & Struggles, Inc. The program featured a presentation by Mr. Roche, the 2002 President's Medal Recipient, on "The Two Secrets of Success" and included remarks from Christopher M. "Kip" Condron '70, President & CEO of AXA Financial, Inc., and Chair, President's Business Council. University President Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., offered the Invocation and provided a brief update on the University's achievements during this past academic year.

Mr. Montrone, the 2003 President's Medal Recipient, announced that the President's Business Council has selected Arthur J. Kania, Esq., '53, Senior Partner, Kania, Lindner, Lasak & Feeney of Bala Cynwyd, Pa., as the 2005

President's Medal Recipient. Mr. Kania and his wife, Angela, were also in attendance. In his introduction of this year's honoree, Paul Montrone highlighted the many successful entrepreneurial accomplishments of Mr. Kania. These accomplishments include, but are not limited to, the founding of First Sterling Bank, which merged into Summit Bancorp, now a major component of Bank of America: co-founding the Greate Bay Country Club and



Arthur J. Kania, Esq., '53, and Angela Kania were guests at the President's Medal Recipients' Reception. Mr. Kania will receive the President's Medal from the President's Business Council at a dinner in October. (Photo by Paul Treacy)



Christopher M. "Kip" Condron '70 (right), Paul M. Montrone, Ph.D., '62 (center) and University President Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J. (left), listened to remarks from Gerard R. Roche '53 during the May 16 reception. (Photo by Paul Treacy)

the Brighton Hotel (now Sands Hotel & Casino, Atlantic City, N.J.); and, being a controlling principal in Comprehensive Health Systems, Inc., at the time the world's largest provider of temporary physicians and other high-end health care professionals. Mr. Kania is a former University Board of Trustee member, having served as Chair of the Board for two years. He is currently Trustee Emeritus. In May 1998, the University renamed its Business School "The Arthur J. Kania School of Management."

This year's Annual Award Dinner will be held at The Pierre in New York City on Thursday, October 6. The co-chairs for this year's dinner are Robert J. Bednar, Jr., '69, Chief Executive Officer, Naples Bank Note Company, and University Trustee, and S. Eric Marcheski '95, Executive Director, TEKsystems.

The President's Business Council is a group of prominent alumni and friends seeking to advance the mission of The University of Scranton. As part of its goals, the Council seeks to fund Presidential Scholarships for talented students who will become leaders of vision and integrity. Scholars are chosen from among the top students entering the University each year and are selected for their academic excellence, leadership ability and character. The Council's annual dinner generates support for the Presidential Scholarship Endowment Fund. At the dinner, the Council and the University present the President's Medal to recognize an individual who has achieved excellence in his or her field and who has demonstrated extraordinary compassion for others. In addition to the dinner, the Council provides mentoring and internship opportunities for current students and networking opportunities for alumni and friends.

For more information regarding the Council or the October 6 dinner, please contact Timothy J. Pryle '89, Senior Development Officer, New York City Region, at (570) 941-5837 or prylet2@scranton.edu. Please refer to the inside back cover for ticket reservation form.

Ten Receive O'Hara Awards Reunion Weekend

The University of Scranton presented Frank J. O'Hara Awards to 10 alumni during Alumni Reunion on Saturday, June 11.

The O'Hara Awards, named for a late administrator who served the University with love and devotion for 53 years, are the highest honor bestowed jointly by the University and its Alumni Board. The awards recognize Scranton graduates who have achieved distinction in their professional or personal endeavors. The 2005 recipients are:

Raymond S. Angeli, President of Lackawanna College, Scranton, who holds two graduate degrees from the University, received the award in Education.

John F. Bagley, from the Class of 1965, received the award in Science and Technology. He is Vice President of Batelle Memorial Institute in Washington, D.C. The award in Government Service was presented to **Mark J. Biedlingmaier** on the occasion of his 25th reunion. Mr. Beidlingmaier is Chargé d'Affaires of the U.S. Embassy in Brazzaville, Republic of the Congo.

Terrence S. Carden Jr., M.D., '60 received the award in Medicine. The Scranton native practiced in Chicago for many years before retiring in Tuscon, Ariz.

Sr. Bernadette Duross, R.S.M., '80 received the award in Religion and Spirituality. The alumna and Philadelphia native is currently serving as Interim Vice President for Mission and Ministries at The University of Scranton.

An *ex aequo* award in the same category was awarded to **Monsignor Godfrey Mosley**, Class of 1975, who is the Vicar General of the Archdiocese of Washington, D.C.

The Community Service Award was presented to **Martina Martin** '80, Vice President of The United Way, Baltimore, Md.

James M. Papada III, Esq., '70, Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Philadelphia-based firm of Technitrol, Inc., and Christine Oliver Shean '80, President of the Murray Insurance Company, Scranton, were presented with the awards in Law and Management, respectively.

Michael J. Strong G'82, Professor of Physical Education and Coach of the Lady Royals, received the award in University Service, having completed his 600th win in the women's basketball program this year.



Ten people received Frank J. O'Hara Awards during Alumni Reunion Weekend. First row, from left: Martina A. Martin '80; Christine Oliver Shean '80; Monsignor Godfrey Mosley '75; Sr. Bernadette Duross, R.S.M., '80; Kevin J. Lanahan '84, President of the University's Alumni Society; University President Scott R. Pilarz, S.J. Second row: Raymond S. Angeli G'74, G'80; Terrence S. Carden Jr., M.D., '60; John F. Bagley, Ph.D., '65; Michael Strong G'82; and Mark J. Biedlingmaier '80. Absent from photo is James M. Papada III, Esq.

STRATEGIC PLAN & GOALS

A COMMUNITY OF SCHOLARS A CULTURE OF EXCELLENCE

FIVE YEARS OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS

In the fall of 1999, the University introduced its "Strategic Plan 2000-2005, A Community of Scholars, A Culture of Excellence." This plan, which contains ten themes with specific goals, has guided the University for the past five years. In this issue of the *Scranton Journal*, the University is pleased to present highlights of key accomplishments that have been made against the goals set forth at the beginning of the new millennium.

As the 2000-2005 plan came to a close, the University began to develop a new Strategic Plan for 2005-2010, which will be unveiled this fall.

For additional information about the University's Planning initiatives, visit the Planning, Assessment and Institutional Research Web site at www.scranton.edu/planning.



THE SERVICE OF FAITH AND THE PROMOTION OF JUSTICE

– Theme from 2000 - 2005 Strategic Plan –

As a Catholic Institution blessed by the collaboration of individuals of all faiths, the University reaffirms its commitment to the twin goals of contemporary Jesuit education: The Service of Faith and the Promotion of Justice.

2000 - 2005 GOALS

The Service of Faith and The Promotion of Justice

I The University will remain an inclusive community that is, in the words of ExCorde Ecclesiae, "animated by a spirit of freedom and charity" and "characterized by mutual respect, sincere dialog and the protection of the rights of individuals."

II In its service of faith, the University will seek to "discern and evaluate both the aspirations and the contradictions of modern culture in order to make it (the University) more suited to the total development of individuals and peoples."

III The University will provide a living and learning community that develops the faith of its students, and that instills in them the skills and habits of discernment that will enable them to understand and address those areas where faith and culture interact.

IV The University will maintain its harmonious relationship with the Diocese of Scranton through "mutual trust, close and consistent cooperation and continuing dialogue," and will seek opportunities to assist the Diocese in its works of education and service to the People of God.

V Through its curricula and programs, the University will continue to educate men and women of competence, conscience and compassion whose lives are marked by a commitment to the service of others.

VI In its corporate behavior, the University will demonstrate its conscientious and compassionate commitment to service by acting as an advocate for others. The University of Scranton has long been committed to offering members of its community opportunities to understand and develop their roles in the mission of the University and in the twin goals of contemporary Jesuit education: the service of faith and the promotion of justice.

The establishment of the position of Director of Ignatian Spiritual Formation in 2004 has expanded opportunities for mission and identity retreats and spiritual development for individuals and departments.

The University's Retreat Center at Chapman Lake has served as a venue for activities and retreats for all members of the University community for many years. In 2004 the University announced plans for an extensive investment in the property to better accommodate growing demand for its use. An expansion and renovation of the Center, made possible in part by a generous monetary gift from the University's Jesuit Community, is slated to be ready for use in spring of 2006.

In 2000, Father Peter-Hans Kolvenbach, Superior General of the Society of Jesus, challenged all Jesuit colleges and universities in the U.S. to be more and more characterized by "the service of faith and the promotion of justice...in who our students become, in what our faculty do, and how our universities proceed." In 2003, University President Rev. Scott R. Pilarz, S.J., appointed a Task force on Education for Justice to examine, publicize and promote campus initiatives, to research and propose new ones, and to propose a permanent structure to guarantee that such initiatives will continue to be effective.

Established in 2003, the Leahy Community Health and Family Center in the Panuska College of Professional Studies (PCPS) offers innovative opportunities for faculty, students and community to work together to fill gaps in health, wellness and educational services to marginalized and underserved populations. The Center seeks to maximize the sustainability of programs by embedding services into the curriculum. The Panuska College's Center for Global Health and Rehabilitation, established in 2004, is dedicated to the promotion of globalization and integration of health and rehabilitation professions within a context of social justice and service to the poor. The Center seeks to involve health care professionals in issues related to global health and to partner with those interested in expanding the knowledge, research, and service skills necessary to prepare health care professionals to work with diverse populations.

During the life of the 2000-2005 Strategic Plan, the Office of Collegiate Volunteers was renamed the Center for Social Action and Service Initiatives (CSASI), and the University's International Service Programs (ISP) office was brought under its auspices. In the past two years, the office has more than doubled the number of opportunities and numbers of students who participate in its international service trips. In addition to programs to Mexico and Ecuador, ISP has added trips to Kenya and Thailand. Averaging 160,000 community impact hours of local, national, and international service annually, Scranton students are extraordinarily engaged in helping others.



In January 2005, Daniel West, Ph.D., Professor and Chair of Health Administration and Human Resources (right), worked with physicians from Trnava University at a clinic in the Mukuru slums of Nairobi, Kenya. Dr. West was involved with teaching a public health course and providing management services to a health clinic.

THE ENVIRONMENT FOR LEARNING

- Theme from 2000 - 2005 Strategic Plan -

As a manifestation of its care for the whole person *(cura personalis*), the University will create an environment that both supports the personal development of its students and fosters in them habits of excellence in living and in learning.

Since 2000, student leadership development opportunities at the University have increased, particularly within the areas of student life. Programs that actively engage students include The University of Scranton Programming Board, the Senior Resident Assistant Program, the Student Athlete Advisory Committee and the Judicial Affairs Student Peer Mediator Group, as well as the Center for Health Education and Wellness Alcohol and Drug Awareness Peer Team, Sexual Assault Response Team, and Peer Education on AIDS and other STI's in a College Environment Team.

The University has increased its support and recognition of student academic achievement. The University's Office of Fellowship Programs was established in 2000. The Office prepares students to compete for a range of fellowships and scholarships. During the 2001-2004 period, 29 fellowships and scholarships were earned by University of Scranton students. And, since 1972, 113 graduates of The University of Scranton have earned Fulbright Fellowships, 15 since 2000 alone.

In 2001, the University's Annual Celebration of Student Scholars was begun. In 2000, the University installed a chapter of Alpha Lambda Delta, the national honor society for freshmen. The 2005 President's Fellowship for Summer Research (formerly Faculty-Directed Student Summer Research Program), inaugurated by Rev. Scott Pilarz, S.J., provides students with a funded opportunity to engage in a research project with a full-time faculty mentor during a ten-week period over the summer.

In 2000, then-President Rev. Joseph McShane, S.J., formed the President's Review Council on Student Lifestyles. This group completed an extensive review of past substance abuse prevention efforts on campus, and examined the student lifestyle situation as it existed. The recommendations of the Council's 2001 report, *Strengthening a Mentoring Community*, have played a significant role in developing the University's proactive prevention efforts.

The University's Comprehensive Assessment Plan, implemented in 2004, guides assessment activities for the purpose of improvement in both administrative and academic areas. Fourteen University departments are part of the 2004-2005 pilot group of assessment plans. Of these, eight are academic departments or deans' offices.

With the support of the Office of the Provost, the University contracted with IEC Enterprises, Inc., of Atlanta, Ga., to administer a comprehensive Campus Climate Study of faculty and staff in early spring of 2004. The results of the study were communicated to the campus community throughout the spring and fall months; the President's Climate Study Response Team presented a report of its review of the study's findings and recommendations in May 2005. As a follow up to previous assessments, a Student Climate Study was commissioned by the offices of the Provost, Vice President for Student Affairs, and Equity and Diversity, and was completed by the Planning, Assessment and Institutional Research Office in spring 2005.



Four University of Scranton students have been awarded Goldwater Scholarships in the last three years. From left are 2005 Goldwater scholars Karen McGuigan and Timothy Sechler, 2003 Goldwater scholar Chris Corey, and 2004 Goldwater scholar Han Li.



2000 - 2005 GOALS

THE ENVIRONMENT FOR LEARNING

I The University will continue to nurture its students, encouraging them both to discover their talents and to realize ever more their potential in their lives and education.

II In its attempt to build a healthy community, the University will identify and address the obstacles that stand in the way of student health, growth and development, especially the effects of drug and alcohol abuse.

III The University will encourage and assist faculty and staff to become more fully involved in the lives and personal development of students as mentors and as partners in research and service.

IV The University will support existing opportunities that assist students in the integration of living and learning. Moreover, the University will foster the development of additional programs that seek to integrate the curricular and co-curricular experiences of its students.

V The University will implement a coherent and consistent advisement system that effectively assists the students in all of its schools, colleges and programs throughout their academic careers.

VI The University will develop and implement a course-scheduling system that better responds to and supports the educational needs of its students.



2000 - 2005 GOALS

THE FACULTY

I The University will create and promote an environment in which faculty can continue to develop as teachers and scholars.

II The University will increase the use of pedagogical methods that facilitate active student learning.

III The University will develop a greater sense of commitment among faculty to the teaching of freshman and general education courses.

IV The University will reassess and clarify the standards contained in the Faculty Handbook for teaching, scholarship and service in the rankand-tenure process. This reassessment will include a consideration of weights assigned to each of these areas in all personnel decisions.

V The University will use its full-time faculty more efficiently in instruction.

THE FACULTY

– Theme from 2000 - 2005 Strategic Plan –

In the spirit of the *magis*, the University will identify and address the impediments that stand in the way of the professional development of its faculty. It will, moreover, provide the resources necessary for the faculty to continue to improve the quality of the educational experience that they offer to its students, an experience that is enriched by excellence both in traditional pedagogical methods and in emerging instructional techniques and technologies.



The University remains committed to supporting and recognizing the achievements of its faculty. During the life of the 2000-2005 Strategic Plan, the Office of the Provost created a fund for curricular development that furthers the mission of the University. This joins other funding initiatives offered through the Provost's Enhancement Funds which support research, curricular development, faculty mentoring and interdisciplinary work supported specifically through the Clavius Fund.

Faculty have participated in numerous professional activities that directly or indirectly support the 2000-2005 Strategic Plan. Scholarly activity throughout this span has been extensive; in 2003-2004 alone, the University's faculty authored 145 articles, authored or co-authored 14 books and made 295 presentations. Two professors earned prestigious Fulbright Fellowships, 19 faculty were awarded external grants and 36 faculty received internal research grants.

The creation of the Center for Teaching and Learning Excellence (CTLE) in 2003 has led to increased curricular support for faculty and students alike. The CTLE hosts regular faculty enrichment workshops, including those that are part of the Faculty Advancement Series, the Instructional Technology Series, and the Lunch and Learn Series. The CTLE coordinates faculty training for various instructional technologies, mediated classroom instruction, and Web site creation. In addition to these and other individualized consulting resources, the CTLE offers funding to faculty for curricular innovation and development. In the 2004-2005 academic year, four Teaching Enhancement grants and seven Web course development stipends were awarded.

Faculty have been integral to the creation of several of the University's new academic programs, including a five-year bachelor's/ master's degree in special education/elementary education, a master's degree in special education, and a master's in early childhood education. The Graduate School launched Scranton Education Online (SEOL), which offers two master's programs in education, in fall 2004. Enrollment in the program increased from eight students to 114 students during the 2004-2005 academic year. In 2004, the University received approval from the Middle States Commission on Higher Education to offer its first doctoral degree program: the Doctor of Physical Therapy. The transitional program yielded its first graduates in May 2005.

DIVERSITY AND GLOBALIZATION

– Theme from 2000 - 2005 Strategic Plan –

In fulfillment of its mission as a Catholic and Jesuit institution, The University of Scranton will create a fully integrated campus environment, one that is marked by ethnic and racial diversity and that actively fosters within its students, faculty and staff an understanding of and respect for issues of gender and for cultures other than their own.

The Office of Equity and Diversity at the University, established in 1999, has worked to provide education, training, and support via cross-campus initiatives. In answer to the challenge posed by the 2000-2005 Strategic Plan to "expand diversity and gender awareness training programs for faculty, staff and students," the Office has delivered numerous workshops and symposia on diversity, equity and disability, such as 2002's workshop on Diversity Awareness, its first Diversity and Globalization Conference, and training programming for all members of the University community. The University's annual Conference on disAbility - inaugurated in 2002 - highlights the contributions of those with disabilities. In 2005, the University launched "All in Every Part," a speaker series on diversity.

In 2002 the University established the Office of International Programs and Services (IPS), designed to initiate, coordinate, oversee and sustain international programs across campus. This collaboration has included the creation of the International Center, a forum for the discussion of global issues and a gathering space for international students on campus. An important part of IPS is its Global Ambassador Program, where international and American students work as peer advisors and peer tutors. The Center sponsors academic debates, lectures, and symposia on global issues. IPS has hosted visitors to the University who contribute to these discussions, including Leon Fuerth, former National Security Advisor to Vice President Al Gore; and June Carter Perry, Director of Social and Humanitarian Affairs, U.S. Department of State.

The Center's Global Dialog Series, a bimonthly meeting between International Center Faculty Fellows and invited students, provides a forum for discussing global issues. The Provost's Initiatives for Globalizing Curriculum, a new faculty advancement program designed to support the diversification and internationalization of the curriculum, has been created. One of these initiatives, the Provost's Fund for Global and Intercultural Learning, has encouraged faculty to develop course proposals, modifications and innovations that address cultures in a global context.





2000 - 2005 GOALS

Diversity and $G {\rm LOBALIZATION}$

I The University will increase its initiatives to heighten the awareness, appreciation and sensitivity of faculty, staff and students to issues of gender and to cultures other than their own.

II The University commits itself to the recruitment of a faculty, staff and student body that is ethnically and racially diverse, so that it may more fully reflect the world in which its students will live and work.

III The University will develop a comprehensive approach to global education, including internationally oriented programs, foreign-study programs, and the recruitment and retention of international students and faculty.



2000 - 2005 GOALS

The University and the Community

I The University will be creative and proactive in its efforts to foster the economic and social well-being of its neighborhood, the City of Scranton and all of Northeastern Pennsylvania.

II The University will encourage reflection as an integral part of its outreach and service activities. This reflection will be encouraged of individuals, communities and the institution as a whole.

III The University will continue to utilize the many resources of the region to enhance further its educational mission.

THE UNIVERSITY AND THE COMMUNITY

– Theme from 2000 - 2005 Strategic Plan –

The University of Scranton will continue to use its expertise and resources to meet the critical needs of the region it calls home. The University will also continue to recognize and utilize the strengths and resources of the region to enrich the educational experience that it offers its students. Moreover, as a Jesuit institution, the University embraces its obligation to educate its students in civic responsibility.

Throughout the planning cycle, the University has remained an active partner in regional economic development in collaboration with the administration of the City of Scranton and partnership with regional enterprises such as the Greater Scranton Chamber of Commerce, Scranton Tomorrow and the Great Valley Technology Alliance. Other efforts include educational and cultural collaborations; voluntary service by students, staff and faculty; and the provision of professional services to enhance the welfare of the region. The University was an active partner with Lackawanna Neighbors in a four-year revitalization effort concentrated on the Hill Section of the City. In January of 2003, the University joined with Scranton's three hospitals and Lackawanna Neighbors to implement an employerassisted housing program. Each institution provides \$25,000 per year for a three-year period to fund forgivable loans to employees who purchase and reside in homes in the Historic Hill. To date, five University employees have secured grants through this program.

The University is particularly proud of the service achievements of its students, staff and faculty. From the fall of 2000 to fall of 2004, students contributed more than 750,000 hours of voluntary community service to the local and regional community. While it is difficult to measure individual staff and faculty service, a number of examples display their commitment to the local area. These include grant-supported outreach to the local Hispanic community, the VITA Tax Assistance Program and the services of the Leahy Community Health and Family Center.

Prior to its closing in 2004, the University's Center for Public Initiatives provided extensive support for local businesses and non-profit organizations. The Small Business Development Center (SBDC) continues to provide small businesses with counseling, providing over 22,000 hours of counseling to over 2,402 clients from fall of 2000 to the fall of 2004. Assistance has included 240 approved packages with total funding in excess of \$25.6 million. SBDC staff have conducted 251 training/educational programs for over 3,294 attendees.

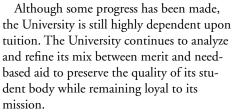


The University joined with Scranton's three hospitals and Lackawanna Neighbors to implement an Employer Assisted Housing Program announced at a news conference in January 2003.

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

– Theme from 2000 - 2005 Strategic Plan –

The University will ensure that its physical and financial resources are prudently applied to meet its needs and aspirations. It will address economic and financial questions in light of strategic goals that are tempered by the University's historic mission and by its sensitivity to the sacrifices made by its students and their families.



Its endowment has mirrored the losses and gains of the stock market. Valued at \$102 million in August of 2000, the endowment decreased to about \$69 million in October 2002. Recent rallies measure this figure at about \$95 million.

The University's Annual Fund continues to set records; new programs in this area have been tremendously successful, including the President's Business Council Dinner in New York City, which raised over \$630,000 in fall 2004.

The University has continued its commitment to maintaining and developing exemplary campus facilities. In 2000, the University completed construction of Brennan Hall, a 71,000-square-foot building housing the University's Kania School of Management and the Joseph M. McShane, S.J. Executive Center, which offers meeting space for the University and regional business community. Several neighboring properties have been acquired in recent years, including two on Mulberry Street and three on Webster Avenue. Additions to student living space include the construction of the award-winning Mulberry Plaza as well as the Madison Square apartments. Renovations to the Gunster Student Center have improved food service facilities.

Brennan Hall, home of the University's Kania School of Management, was dedicated in the fall of 2000.



An update to the University's facilities master plan was completed in February of 2004 to aid in determining a site for a new campus center and science facility. The University is preparing to break ground on improvements to the campus retreat facility at the University's Chapman Lake property. Facilities Maintenance Plan funding has increased on an annual basis as facilities are added and as the University responds to inflationary pressures. The University's Facilities Improvement Plan is funded at a constant level.



2000 - 2005 GOALS

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

I The University will achieve a balanced economic structure, comparing its revenue and expense components to those institutions with which it presently competes and those with which it aspires to compete.

II The University will align its Five-Year Financial Plan with its strategic plan.

III The University will continue its exemplary care of its campus facilities and develop new facilities identified through the planning process.

IV The University will reduce its reliance on tuition revenue.

V The University will develop an organizational culture that promotes an ongoing review of operations to ensure the efficient distribution of financial and human resources within its community.

VI The University will improve its Standard and Poor's A- rating to an A rating.



ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT

- Theme from 2000 - 2005 Strategic Plan -

The University will develop and implement enrollment management strategies that support its desire to seek and retain undergraduate, graduate and non-traditional students of character and promise to share fully in the academic enterprise.

2000 - 2005 GOALS

ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT

I The University will establish a student body of size, geographic distribution, financial profile, ethnic diversity and quality that is optimal for its mission and resources.

II The University will develop pricing and financial aid strategies that will enable it to attract and support a student body of the size and characteristics suitable for achieving an enhanced position in the marketplace, and for maximizing net revenue.

III The University will analyze and evaluate changes in the marketplace and develop programs that respond to those changes in a manner that will enable it to remain faithful to its mission.

IV The University will stabilize and improve its already strong retention rate.

V The University will complete the coordination and cross training of its enrollment-related departments that began when it established the Enrollment Management Division in 1997.

Admission and retention strategies explored and implemented throughout the five-year span of this Strategic Plan, driven in part by the adoption of an Integrated Marketing Plan, have yielded a strong overall enrollment picture for the University. In 2001, the University welcomed the largest freshman class in its history. In fall 2004, 43% of the total student body was yielded from the University's ten-county local area, illustrating the University's commitment to serving local students. Though the University has not reached its goal of increasing ethnic and racial diversity within its student body to at least 10%, this number increased from 5% in 2000 to 7% in fall 2004. The ethnic and racial diversity of the fall 2004 entering freshman cohort reached 10%.

The University's one-year retention rate has remained high. The rate for the fall 2000 cohort (833 students) was 90%; for the fall 2003 cohort (975 students), this figure was 88%, averaging 89% over this span.

The University's strong enrollment picture includes significant gains in inquiries and applications. In 2002, inquiries were 41,594. This number rose to 42,092 in 2003 and 47,450 in 2004. Applications for this period rose sharply as well, with 5,123 applications in 2002, 5,649 in 2003 and 6,126 in 2004. In 2000, prospective students were able to complete application materials online. In 2005, the Office of Admissions implemented the Recruitment Plus system, a relational database that houses all recruiting data. This database has allowed the Office to adjust quickly to changing market needs and to swiftly implement data-driven decisions and communications.

Commissioned to help the University understand the changing educational needs of adults in its local area, an adult market research study was completed in 2003. Several recommendations from the study have been implemented by the Graduate School, which has seen significant growth in enrollment over the past several years. Rising steadily from 645 students in fall of 2000, enrollment in Graduate School programs reached 750 in fall 2004. Due in part to the introduction of the Scranton Education Online program, enrollment in spring 2005 reached 915.



Applications for undergraduate admission have increased 65 percent in the past three years.

TECHNOLOGY

- Theme from 2000 - 2005 Strategic Plan -

The University will embrace technology as a means of enhancing the effectiveness of its operations and as an integral support for the scholarship and learning that are central to its identity as a University.

The 2000-2005 Strategic Plan cycle has seen many improvements in technology infrastructure and training. In 2002, the Information Resources Division conducted an information resources needs assessment for employees and students. The results of this assessment have been shared with the University community and continue to play a role in technology planning. Training initiatives are underway in several technology areas. Efforts across several campus departments have significantly improved the University's Web presence.

In 2001, the University's Instructional Technology plan was implemented. Several Web-based courses have been developed, and recent agreements with an external vendor have launched the online presence of the University's graduate education degrees. The number of mediated classrooms on campus is steadily increasing, rising from 27 in 2000 to 50 in 2005. The University is a proud partner in JesuitNET, the Jesuit Distance Education Network, founded in 1999 to build collaborative links between Web-based academic programs and services of the nation's Jesuit institutions of higher education.

The Weinberg Memorial Library has taken several steps to supplement its technological support resources and expand information literacy efforts. In 2004, the Information Literacy Subcommittee of the Library Advisory Committee was created.

The Library's Information Literacy Program administered pre- and post-tests within selected academic areas to gauge students' levels of information literacy. In 2004, a student Information Literacy Assessment was conducted by the Library. Through the Center for Teaching and Learning Excellence (CTLE), six stipends have been awarded to faculty, working with a librarian partner, for the development of courseembedded information literacy instruction. The Library is also a pilot participant in the University's new Comprehensive Assessment Plan (CAP).

The Library has expanded its technologies-based services in several areas. It has launched a new library information system. For distance learners, Library Web pages were revised to put most frequently needed services forward. Video tutorials with accompanying documentation on how to access Library resources have been recorded and posted to the Library's Web site. E-portfolios are now available for students. An Enriched Technology Group Study room for collaborative study has been created in the Library. The Library's electronic holdings have increased to 15,000, and additional laptops are available for loan from the Library's circulation desk. The library has also introduced a 24/7 virtual chat through its Ask-a-Librarian reference service.



2000 - 2005 GOALS

TECHNOLOGY

I The University will develop and maintain a state-of-the-art technological infrastructure, as well as the resources that will enable it to achieve its instructional research and administrative goals and aspirations.

II The University will encourage and support the faculty's use of technology as a pedagogical tool that will increase active student learning.

III The University will ensure that its students develop appropriate technological skills.

IV The University will strengthen the technological capabilities and facilities in the Weinberg Memorial Library.

mediated classrooms on campus is steadily increasing, rising from 27 in 2000 to 50 in 2005.



GOVERNANCE

\cdot Theme from 2000 - 2005 Strategic Plan –

The University will remain graced with collaboration in the pursuit of its mission. It will ensure that its governance structures encourage an understanding of and involvement in its strategic vision.

2000 - 2005 GOALS

GOVERNANCE

I The University will study its present philosophy and system of governance. It will, in addition, engage in a study of other university systems of governance.

II The University will establish guidelines for communication the better to support its system of governance.

III The University will design a streamlined System of Governance that ensures that relevant University constituencies are engaged in its planning, policydevelopment and decision-making process at the optimum time.

IV The University will implement a revised System of Governance.

V After a four-year period of experimentation, the University will evaluate the effectiveness and efficiency of the revised System of Governance. In response to issues identified in the 1998 Middle States Reaccreditation report, governance at The University of Scranton has undergone substantial reflection and change. A committee was formed by then-President Joseph McShane, S.J., to address governance reform at the University in 1999; in 2000 and again in 2001, the Committee was renewed with modified membership. The Committee was charged with devising a governance structure that would "both reflect the University's unique culture and address the concerns raised by the Middle States reaccrediting team."

The Governance Committee immersed itself in a study of best practices in collegiate governance and reviewed the existing governance bodies at the University. In the months that followed, the University's governing bodies held meetings and retreats to review their structures and processes. As a result, extensive governance reforms were adopted by each body and were endorsed by the Board of Trustees in spring 2002. A statement of governance was issued in 2002, articulating the University's philosophy on governance and establishing the principles by which it will abide at the institution. The review process resulted in more efficient channels of communication at the University, and has clarified the roles that the governance bodies play in the life of the University. The committee structure of the University also underwent extensive scrutiny.

The Annual Report system now requests committee activities and achievements as a way of monitoring professional activity. Each of the four governing bodies at the University – the University Council, the Faculty Senate, Student Government, and the Administrators' Conference – have revised their operations. In 2002, the University Council, Faculty Senate and Student Government presented the Board of Trustees with newly formed constitutions.

As part of the Board's endorsement of the revised system in 2002, it requested that the campus community engage in ongoing



Student Government is one of four governing bodies that underwent substantial reflection and change. In addition to re-examining and realigning its structure and purpose, Student Government supported various University activities, including Sustainability initiatives. In 2005 Student Government encouraged students to sign a Sustainability pledge and wear Sustainability wrist bands. Participating in the pledge-signing, from left: Amie Montemurro, Stephanie Miller, Matthew Youssef, Matthew Cohen, Michael Archer and Dan Nelson, Student Government President.

review of the new governance structure, culminating in a formal review in 2005-2006. The Board also asked the community to continue to consider ways to streamline the University's committee structure. The University's Strategic Plan for 2005-2010 will guide the institution in addressing these needs and meeting head on the Middle States Commission on Higher Education's Standards of Excellence.

PUBLIC IMAGE

- Theme from 2000 - 2005 Strategic Plan -

The University will proclaim its story boldly and with a confidence commensurate with the remarkable achievements of the members of the University community.

Approved in August of 2002, the University's Integrated Marketing Plan has driven many of the considerable successes within this theme. As part of the plan, the University developed, adopted and promulgated three primary points of pride: *A Community of Scholars, Jesuit Excellence, Real World Ready.* These points of pride, designed to reflect the University's mission and identity, were used extensively for internal and external marketing.

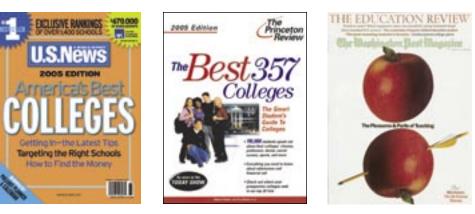
The Office of Public Relations, Office of Admissions, Graduate School, Dexter Hanley College and Center for Continuing Education collaborated to implement the geographic and programmatic goals of the Integrated Marketing Plan. In 2000 and 2001, the University designed and launched a new Web site to support recruitment and branding efforts. The Web site, which included more than 150 original page designs, garnered three awards for excellence from two national associations.

In 2001, Public Relations collaborated with the Office of Admissions to develop a comprehensive package of recruitment materials, replacing publications that had previously been outsourced at considerable expense. These offices also collaborated to implement a segmented approach to direct mail marketing, again replacing a costly outsourcing practice. Public Relations promoted an understanding of key University information and selling points within the internal community through initiatives that included an improved and expanded presentation of *Facts, Indicators* of *Excellence*, and *Quick Reference Guide*.

Beginning in 2000, Public Relations undertook a comprehensive advertising strategy to share key themes and areas of excellence and to promote Open House programs. By fall 2004, image advertisements were placed in 25 Catholic and 19 non-Catholic newspapers in ten states including Pennsylvania and the District of Columbia. In 2001, the Committee on University Image and Promotion provided stewardship of the iBrand project, which resulted in clear directions for fostering a University "brand" and for developing the Integrated Marketing Plan.

Beginning in 2001, in an effort to increase its peer assessment score in the U.S. News & World Report rankings, Public Relations prepared and distributed a series of mailings to presidents, provosts, and deans/directors of admissions from U.S. News schools in the north. The mailings were designed to raise awareness of The University of Scranton's areas of excellence and points of pride. In the 2005 rankings, the University's peer assessment score increased from 3.3 to 3.5. The University has also been listed in a Washington Post article that was later adapted for a book listing the nations "top 100 outstanding (and underappreciated) colleges."

Other national recognition has included listings in college guidebooks such as the Princeton Review's "Best Colleges" and Kaplan Publishing's "Most Interesting Colleges."





2000 - 2005 GOALS

PUBLIC IMAGE

I The University will better coordinate and expand its efforts to make faculty and staff, prospective students, alumni, the educational community, and the broader public aware of its achievements and aspirations.

II The University will evaluate the success of its marketing plans and incorporate the results of its assessment into its future marketing plans.

SCRANTON ATHLETICS

Senior Student-Athletes Honored

The University honored 65 student-athletes at its 14th annual Senior Student-Athlete Banquet in May.

Highlighting the evening's festivities were the presentation of the Beining, Willensky, Fitzpatrick, Carlesimo and O'Hara awards.

John Ogden, a 29-year employee of the University, received the second annual Beining Award for outstanding contributions to the athletics department. He served as supervisor of the John J. Long, S.J., Center for 15 years and is currently a member of the custodial staff. The award is named in honor of the late Rev. Paul Beining, S.J., a native of Pittsburgh and long-time member of the faculty who passed away in 2004.

Jessica Ranson (Ewing, N.J./Notre Dame) received the Willensky Award, which is presented annually to the senior student-athlete who consistently undertakes to understand and improve the human condition. The award is named for the late Ron Willensky, a native of Scranton and a 1963 graduate of the University who was a lifelong fan of the Royals. Ranson overcame Multiple Sclerosis to compete in 11 meets for the women's swim team this past season.

Receiving the Fitzpatrick awards were **Brendan Connors** (Holmdel, N.J./Christian Brothers Academy) of the men's swim team and Maria Hundersmarck (Dover Plains, N.Y./Dover) of the women's soccer team. Named in honor of the late Rev. John J. Fitzpatrick, S.J, longtime friend and counselor of Royal studentathletes, these awards are bestowed upon the male and female student-athletes who have demonstrated outstanding leadership and who has given extraordinary service and contributions to The University of Scranton community and society in general.

Connors served as an athletic representative on the President's Student Cabinet, as President of the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC), as Scranton's representative for the Middle Atlantic States Collegiate Athletic Corporation Student-Athlete Advisory Committee, team captain, and as a sports writer for the campus newspaper, The Aquinas. He was also one of 340 student-athletes nationwide to be selected for the 2004 NCAA Student-Athlete Leadership Conference in Lake Buena Vista, Fla.

Hundersmarck, a member of Scranton's Honors Program and Special Jesuit Liberal Arts Program, started a shoe drive for underprivileged boys during an International Service Program in Mexico during the summer of 2004 and recently organized a fund-raising project for Tsunami victims. She has also done volunteer work at the Clarks Summit State Hospital and the Jefferson School for Handicapped Children.

The Carlesimo awards were presented to Nick DeBarbrie (San Francisco, Calif./St. Ignatius) of the men's soccer team and Marta DeLong (Downingtown/Villa Maria Academy) of the volleyball team. These



The following seniors won special awards at the 2005 Senior Student-Athlete Banquet held on May 13:

First row, from left: Sara Suchoski of the women's soccer team (O'Hara Award), Maria Hundersmarck of the women's soccer team (Fitzpatrick Award), and Marta DeLong of the volleyball team (Carlesimo Award).

Second row, from left: Brendan Connors of the men's swim team (Fitzpatrick Award), Brian O'Donnell of the men's basketball team (O'Hara Award), Jess Ranson of the women's swim team (Willensky Award) and Nick DeBarbrie of the men's soccer team (Carlesimo Award).

awards are named in honor of the late Peter Carlesimo, former Director of Athletics and Head Football, Basketball and Cross Country Coach at the University. They are presented to the male and female student-athletes who have maintained a 3.5-or-higher cumulative grade point average and have demonstrated athletic achievement.

DeBarbrie holds a 3.52 cumulative grade point average as an economics major with a minor in modern language-Spanish. A three-time member of the Middle Atlantic Conference Academic Honor Roll, he started 32 of 59 career matches.

DeLong holds a 3.82 grade point average in Exercise Science and Sport. A four-time all-Freedom Conference selection, she was named the league's Rookie of the Year in 2001 and Co-Player of the Year last fall.



She led the Royals to two Freedom Conference championships and two NCAA tournament appearances.

The O'Hara awards were presented to **Brian O'Donnell** (Mahopac, N.Y./John F. Kennedy) and Sara Suchoski (Bear Creek/Coughlin). Named in honor of the late Frank O'Hara '25, who diligently served The University of Scranton for more than 52 years in the capacity of Registrar, Director of Alumni Relations and Acting President, these awards are presented annually to the top male and female athletes of the senior class.

O'Donnell finished his career as the 14th all-time leading scorer in Royals' men's basketball history. A three-time all-Freedom Conference selection, he was a member of the 2003 team that went 24-6, won the Freedom Conference championship and advanced to the Sweet 16 of the NCAA Division III championships.

Suchoski ended her standout career on the women's soccer team as the Royals' all-time leading scorer. She was a two-time all-American by the National Soccer Coaches Association of America (NSCAA) and fourtime NSCAA all-Mid-Atlantic selection. In addition to being the Freedom Conference Rookie of the Year (2001) and the league's player of the year three times, she was honored for her work in the classroom, earning Verizon District II all-Academic honors three times and a second-team berth on the 2003 NSCAA Scholar all-America team. She was a member of four Freedom Conference championships and four NCAA tournament teams.

The University honored the following senior student-athletes:

Baseball

Alex Beras (Bayside, N.Y./Holy Cross) Dennis Johnson (Woodcliff Lake, N.J./Pascack Hills) Brian McGrath (Brooklyn, N.Y./ Cathedral Preparatory) Dominic McNulty (East Meadow, N.Y./Kellenberg Memorial) Paul Rocco (Garden City, N.Y./ Garden City) Stephen Urbanovich (Nutley, N.J./ Nutley)

Men's Basketball

Matt Duardo (Lansdale/Lansdale Catholic) Brian O'Donnell (Mahopac, N.Y./ John F. Kennedy)

Women's Basketball

- Tara Gemmel (Catasauqua/ Catasauqua) Maura Kane (Wenonah, N.J./ Gateway Regional) *Megan McMurdo (Chalfont/ Central Bucks West) *Eileen Webster (Wilmington,
- Del./Ursuline Academy)

Men's Cross-Country

Andrew Reinold (Aberdeen, N.J./ Matawan Regional) Joshua Stewart (Crofton, Md./ Archbishop Spalding)

Women's Cross-Country

*Kathryn Barnes (Congers, N.Y./ Clarkstown North) Eileen Donnelly (New Hyde Park, N.Y./Merricks) Christine Field (Morristown, N.J./ Morristown)

Field Hockey

*Caitlin Boyle (Drexel Hill/Merion Mercy Academy) Jennifer McCoy (Hatboro/Hatboro Horsham) *Erin Sweeney (Philadelphia/ St. Basil Academy)

Golf

Brian Fries (Ringoes, N.J./ Immaculata-Somerville) *Brian Skrip (Moscow/North Pocono) J.T. Yarem (Moosic/Riverside)

Ice Hockey

Michael Bonagura (Rockville Centre, N.Y./Kellenberg Memorial) Curtis Butcher (Avon, Conn./Avon) Jonathan Eaton (Old Bridge, N.J./ Old Bridge) Gregory Hagopian (Phoenixville/ Phoenixville) John Petrocelli (Huntington, N.Y./ St. Anthony's) Timothy Polcari (Wayne, N.J./ Don Bosco Preparatory) William Twomey (Londonberry, N.H./Trinity)

Men's Lacrosse

*Thomas Frey (Huntington Station, N.Y./St. Anthony's) Thomas Kenyon (Chittenango, N.Y./Chittenango) Jonathan Sutter (Media/Penncrest)

Women's Lacrosse

Samantha Augeri (Malverne, N.Y./ Holy Trinity Diocesan) Lauren Johnson (Cicero, N.Y./ Cicero North Syracuse) Jeanne-Marie Lanza (Turnersville, N.J./Washington Township)

Men's Soccer

*Nicholas DeBarbrie (San Francisco, Calif./St. Ignatius) Timothy Gibbons (Monroe Township, N.J./Monroe Township) Aaron Landon (Jersey Shore/Jersey Shore)

Women's Soccer

*Katrina Banfe (Medford, N.J./ Holy Cross) *Maria Hundersmarck (Dover

Plains, N.Y./Dover) *Kelly Klingman (Clarks Summit/

Abington Heights) *Julie Martino (Blackwood, N.J./ Gloucester Catholic) Kim McCormick (Frazer/Great

Valley)

Kristin McNerney (Paramus, N.J./ Paramus) Alicia Sodano (Moscow/North Pocono) Sara Suchoski (Bear Creek/ Coughlin)

Softball

Rebecca Devlin (Newtown Square/ Villa Maria Academy)

*Tracy Granozio (Liverpool, N.Y./ Liverpool)

*Elizabeth Mullen (Elmira, N.Y./ Notre Dame)

Jessica Petti (Bayonne, N.J./Holy Family Academy)

Amanda Wilczynski (Mayfield/ Lakeland)

Men's Swimming

Brendan Connors (Holmdel, N.J./ Christian Brothers Academy) Joel Ruda (Bloomsburg/Central Columbia) Todd Schlanger (Newtown/ Council Rock)

Women's Swimming

PerinAnn Matthews (Ambler/ Upper Dublin) Jessica Ranson (Ewing, N.J./Notre Dame) Shana Keeler (Scranton/Bishop Hoban)

Men's Tennis

Joseph Scopelliti (Sayre/Notre Dame) Christopher Yi (Clarks Summit/ Abington Heights)

Women's Tennis

Kristin Bellino (Scranton/Scranton)

Volleyball

*Marta DeLong (Downingtown/ Villa Maria Academy)

Wrestling

Michael Kelly (Lynbrook, N.Y./ Lynbrook) *Thomas Phillips (Middlebury, Conn./Pomperauq) Vincent Realmuto (Amityville, N.Y./St. Anthony's)

*Merit Award (3.5 or higher cumulative grade point average) for Academic Excellence and Athletic Achievement recipient



Class Notes

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Joseph Flannery, Dunmore, a columnist for 52 years with *The Scranton Times*, has written *The Best of Joseph X. Flannery*, 150 of his best columns. It is published by The University of Scranton Press.

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John Dunn and his wife, Joann, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on June 11. Their family marked the occasion with a dinner in their honor and a contribution to the endowed scholarship that Mr. and Mrs. Dunn established at the University.

Lewis Sare has retired after 52 years as owner and operator of Superior Trophy, Scranton, to a second home in Delray Beach, Fla.

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C. Martin Kelly, Scranton, has formed The Kelly Investment Group of Wachovia Securities.

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Robert Sables, San Diego, Calif., is the author of "Mates Forever," the story of the rescue of the entire crew of the minesweeper USS Wasmuth by the crew of the tanker USS Ramapo when the Wasmuth's stern was ripped off by an exploding depth charge in a furious storm off the Aleutian Islands in December 1942.

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Paul Perrone, Lake Ariel, is a co-coordinator of the Penn State Worthington campus baccalaureate degree program in letters, arts and sciences.

Donald Preate, M.D., Dalton, has retired after 37 years as a practicing Physician and Urologic Surgeon.

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John Cunningham, III, Blue Bell, is Managing Partner in charge of the daily operation of the legal work of Cozen O'Connor, P.C.

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James Dooley, Gettysburg, was inducted into the South Central Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame. He opened the book this fall on his 39th season as a basketball coach, now at Delone Catholic High School.

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James Koval, M.D., Scranton, is Associate Medical Director for utilization with Blue Cross of Northeastern Pennsylvania.

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Leonard Gallo, Dunmore, is retired from school teaching and is working as an extra in films and television in New York City.

Richard Roscoe, Montclair, Va., has retired after more than 34 years of service from the U.S. Government Accountability Office. He is now the President of R2 Associates Inc, a consulting firm specializing in Government Relations.

71 Kenneth Lilik, M.D., Clarks Summit, is Medical Director of the neurophysiology lab at Community Medical Center.

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Joseph McHugh, San Diego, Calif., has authored "The Competitive Edge: Eight Efficiency Factors for Continuous Improvement," a guide for managers seeking to advance their business to the next level.

75 John Mariotti, D.D.S., Scranton, is President of the Middle Atlantic Society of Orthodontists.

76 John Sisco, Ph.D., Ann Arbor, Mich., Executive Director of Pharmaceutical

Class of 2005 Inducted into Alumni Society

Members of the Class of 2005 were inducted into the University's Alumni Society during an induction ceremony held May 5. At podium is Kevin Lanahan '84, President of the Alumni Society.



Research and Development, Global Product Enhancement and Intellectual Property for Pfizer Global Research and Development, was named President-Elect for the 12,000-member American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists and, as such, is a member of their executive council.

Maj. Thomas Towle, U.S.A.(ret.), Spring Township, is an elementary school teacher at St. Ignatius Loyola School.

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James Burke, Childs, is a full-time faculty member as Instructor in English and the Humanities at Lackawanna College.

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Carl Guagliardo, Olyphant, was recertified as a Civil Trial Advocate by the National Board of Trial Advocacy, and joined the Law Offices of David J. Selingo as a partner with focus on plaintiff personal injury and insurance bad faith litigation.

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Beth Horwin, Hatfield, an independent counselor trainer and consultant, was appointed as Commissioner to the National Certification of Disability Management Specialists Commission.

P. Timothy Kelly, Clarks Summit, partner with Mattise & Kelly, is President Elect of the Lackawanna Bar Association.

David Lutz, Salisbury, Md., is Vice President-Finance/CFO at Marshall Management, Inc.

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Mark J. Biedlingmaier, Management Officer for the New Embassy Compound construction project in Luanda, Angola, has been assigned as Charge d'affaires a.i. to American Embassy Brazzaville, Republic of Congo.

Michael Burke, M.D., Clarks Summit, is Medical Director of the newly formed Professional Radiation Oncology Partners.

Garry Koch, Ph.D., Monmouth Beach, N.J., teacher at Christian Brothers Academy, was honored as the Lasallian Educator of the Year for the New York District of the Brothers of the Christian Schools.

Elizabeth Lessmann McCormack Widmann, Poway, Calif., is a Human Resources/Payroll Administrator with Scott Fazekas & Assoc., Inc.



A Repeat Performance

Brian Felkowski '08, Scranton, a student assistant in the Alumni Office and recipient of the Alumni Society's *Filiae Filiique* Scholarship, was visited by his mother, Marie A. Lettieri Felkowski '81, who held the same job in the Alumni Office more than 20 years ago.

Robert Schatz, New York, N.Y., is invited to exhibit his artwork at Cedar Crest College in Allentown. The exhibit opening and artist's lecture are scheduled for January 23, 2006, and the exhibit will run through the end of May.

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Joseph Alu, Scranton, partner with Earyes & Alu, L.L.P., was selected as the 2004 Alumnus of the Year by the Penn State Worthington Scranton Alumni Association.

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Margaret B. Meyer, North Arlington, N.J., was named President of Accountants on Demand, a staffing and recruitment firm that places temporary and permanent accounting and financial personnel.

James Knipper, Princeton, N.J., was elected to the Board of Trustees of Georgian Court University. Jim is continuing his studies in the Diaconate Program of this diocese.

Richard Lapera, Carbondale, is Staff Auditor at Community Bank and Trust Co. Verna Saleski, Gouldsboro, Coordinator of Nursing at Penn State Worthington campus, was appointed Program Head for Nursing for Penn State Commonwealth College.

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Robert Boles, Jr., Dallas, Texas, is Chief Operating Officer at Pegasus Solutions.

Harry T. Coleman, Carbondale, together with other nationally known trial lawyers, lectured at the request of the Hong Kong Government, SAR, at the Hong Kong University Law Center on "Jury Trials in the United States."

Michael Genello, Scranton, Partner with Murphy, Piazza & Genello, P.C., is Vice President of the Lackawanna Bar Association.

Michael Mauer, C.P.A., Far Hills, N.J., is a Managing Director and Head of Global Loans at Citigroup.

Robert Sebo, Sunderland, Md., was promoted to Lieutenant United States Capitol Police.

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Martin D. Dwyer, Saline, Mich., is President of Wexford Homes and The Wexford Development Group and a member of its Board of Directors.

James Harrington, West Chester, has returned from Brussels, Belgium, and is Senior Vice President, Global Chief Intellectual Property Counsel for the British pharmaceutical company, Shire.

Colette Mazzucelli, Ph.D., Brooklyn, N.Y., has been appointed an Adjunct Faculty member at The John C. Whitehead School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Seton Hall University, and teaches the core course in Peacemaking and Conflict Resolution in the new M.S. program in Global Studies, School of Continuing and Professional Studies, New York University.

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Lisa McCauley, Ed.D., Northhampton, is Vice President for Business Affairs and CFO at King's College.

Michael Quinn, M.B.A., Silver Spring, Md., received his degree from Marymount University.

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Jeffrey Lattmann, New Providence, N.J., is Senior Partner and Managing Director with Beecher Carlson.

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Stephanie Bilsak Ganz, M.B.A., Clarks Summit, Supervisor of the accounting division of Community Bank & Trust Co., received her degree from The University of Scranton.

Liz Kennedy Walsh, Havertown, is Marketing Director of Adventure Aquarium, Camden, N.J. Lisa Thomas, M.D., Archbald, has been appointed to the Board of Directors of the Northeast Regional Cancer Institute, serving as Secretary of the Board.

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Frank Klassner, Ph.D., Dickson City, is an investigator in a four-year \$400,000 National Science Foundation scholarship grant to Villanova University. The grant's goal is to identify successful methods for supporting students from underrepresented communities who are majoring in computer science.

Lt. Col. Robert Neiberger, San Pedro, Calif., was promoted to his present rank and is serving as the Deputy Chief of Staff for Information Management, 377th Theater Support Command and deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.

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Paul Dubiel, D.O., Olyphant, Emergency Room Physician at Mercy Hospital, was named Fellow of the American College of Osteopathic Emergency Physicians.

Christopher McErlean, West Orange, N.J., in his 13th year with then New Jersey Sports & Exposition Authority, was promoted to Vice President - Racing Operations, including The Meadowlands and Monmouth Park.

Neal Murphy was promoted to Director of Human Resources - Northeast Region of Marsh Inc., Boston, Mass.

James Riehman, Norristown, is a Fraud Investigations Supervisor at American Independent Insurance Co.

Ellen Wayne Jenkins, M.S., Community Development Director at Cayuga Seneca Community Action Agency, received her degree in Public Administration from State University of New York.

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James DeAngelis, San Diego, Calif., is Director of Data Products with Parity Computing, a small software and data publisher, assisting traditional publishers moving their print publications to the Web.

Deirdre Redmond Critchley, London, England, is a Senior Client Relationship Manager at BNP Paribas. Deirdre is responsible for managing the global securities trading and clearing business of large investment bank clients.

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Joseph Alfano, Seraford, N.Y., was promoted to Director of Technology Operations at International Securities Exchange. Joseph controls both Application and Network Operations for the first fully electronic Options Exchange in the United States. **Amy Letwinsky, M.S.W.,** Scranton, received her degree in Social Work from Marywood University.

Peter Stockschlaeder, Bethesda, Md., is working as a Senior Technical Support Specialist with Ruesch International.

William Waldron, Jr., Metuchen, N.J., was named shareholder of Marshall, Dennehey, Warner, Coleman & Goggin, a regional defense litigation firm.

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Karen Connors Letteri, Old Forge, is a first grade teacher at Riverside West Elementary.

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Dan Antonelli, Washington, N.J., President and Creative Director of Graphic D-Signs, has written his second book on logo design, *Logo Design* for Small Business 2.

Angela DePetris Lewis, Morris Plains, N.J., is Event Manager & Volunteer Coordinator with the North Jersey Affiliate of The Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.

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BrettAyn Lapinski Catingub, R.N., L.C.S.W., Gibsonia, received her license in social work through the Community College of Allegheny County. Her R.N. license is registered in both Pennsylvania and California.

Lisa P. Parker, Alendale, N.J., is a Partner at the law firm of Hellring Lindeman Goldstein & Siegal LLP.

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Barbara Bossi, Clarks Summit, has been named Vice-Chair of the Board of Directors of the Northeast Regional Cancer Institute.

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Mary Katherine Babcock, M.F.A., a staff member of the Columbia University Press, received her degree in Creative Writing from Syracuse University.

Sue Serafini, Louisville, Ky., is Color Commentator for the Women's Basketball Team at the University of Louisville.

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Ailish Farragher, Dublin, Ireland, is with RTE as TV Reference Librarian. Her work there supports the production of many of Ireland's popular TV shows.

Joan Gaffney, Trinity, Fla., is Director of Marketing at RedVector.com. Joan will be spearheading brand development and will be responsible for driving market growth of RedVector.com, the global leader of online continuing education for the Building and Construction industry. Jennifer Lawrence Janofsky, Ph.D., Philadelphia, Consultant-Public Historian at local museums and historical institutions, received her degree in History from Temple University.

Craig Malek, C.P.A., Seaford, N.Y., passed the CPA exam and is employed with the internal audit group at Marsh & McLennan.

Mark Skopek, Wilkes-Barre, Owner/ Operator of Skopek Photography, was elected President of Northeast Pennsylvania Professional Photography Association.

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John Carr, West Patterson, N.J., is a sales representative for Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceuticals.

Amy Cirminello, Union, N.J., is Vice Principal at Lafayette Middle School.

Marc Fusaro, Ph.D., Greenville, N.C., received his degree in economics from

Northwestern University and is an Assistant Professor of Economics at East Carolina University.

1st Lt. Kathleen Kelly Joyce, M.D., San Antonio, Texas, is a resident in Dermatology at Brook Army Hospital.

Andrew Lovell, Philadelphia, is Sales Director of Adventure Aquarium, Camden, N.J.

James McNulty, Rockville, Md., was elected 1st Vice President of the National Capital/Chesapeake Bay Chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences and was promoted to the position of Senior Promotion Writer/Producer at NBC4 in Washington, D.C.

Steven Pustay, M.A., Levittown, obtained his degree in religious studies at Providence College and is a University Fellow at Temple University, where he is pursuing a doctorate in Religion with a focus on Asian religious traditions. As a reservist in the U.S. Army,

Senior Class Gift Tradition Continues

Students in the Class of 2005 continued a tradition started in 1984 to raise funds for a class gift to be presented after their fulfilled pledge period, often at the five year reunion. In the past, classes have created endowments for scholarships in memory of deceased classmates or added physical features and art to campus such as the gated entrance to the Royal Way. The Class of 2005 plans to "make their mark" by purchasing an electric message marquee for campus.

During the induction ceremony of the Class of 2005 into the alumni society, Kristin Reil, Senior Class Officer, said, "The University has formed us into the people we are today and the senior class gift is our chance to show our deepest appreciation."

Senior class officers, members of Student Government, and other student leaders met periodically throughout the past year with Jeff Romanecz '04, Assistant Director of Alumni Relations and Senior Class Gift Advisor, to plan the class gift and other class unifying events. From left: Kristin Reil, President; Meghan Burns, Class Senator; Patrick Wherry, Vice President; and Mr. Romanecz.



he served seven months in Kuwait and Iraq in 2003.

Michelle Rose Babcock, Laflin, has attained certification as a Credentialed Clinical Trainer from the American Physical Therapy Association and is Director of Rehabilitation at Peoplefirst Rehab/Kindred Hospital.

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Glenna M. Harkins, M.S., Philadelphia, received her degree in Organizational Dynamics from the University of Pennsylvania and was promoted to Director of Development at Lutheran Settlement House.

Justin Kubeck, M.D., Brooklyn, N.Y., a third year resident in Orthopedic Surgery at SUNY Health Science Center, will follow this residency with a fellowship in Spine surgery.

Danelle McClanahan, East Stroudsburg, is Coordinator of Multicultural Affairs at East Stroudsburg University.

Patrick Orr, Hoboken, N.J., is an attorney practicing corporate bankruptcy with the Manhattan law firm of Klestadt & Winters, L.L.P.

Bro. Timothy Powers, OFM, along with eight other Franciscan brothers, professed simple vows with the Franciscans of Holy Name Province in June at St. Paul Church in Wilmington, Del. After summer Spanish studies in Cochabamba, Bolivia, Bro. Powers will begin theological studies at the Washington Theological Union in Washington, D.C.

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Anthony Corcoran, Brooklyn, N.Y., member of Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society, received his medical degree from SUNY Downstate College of Medicine this spring and will begin a residency in Urologic Surgery at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center.

Thomas Every, II, Washington, D.C., is Coordinator of Programs and Services at Jesuit Volunteers International.

Sharon Grande Kohanski, Moosic, was promoted to Vice President of Commercial Lending at Community Bank & Trust Co.

Jessica Lindstadt Vassallo, Ph.D., Palm Harbor, Fla., received her degree in Clinical Psychology from Fairleigh Dickinson University. She is currently completing a residency in Clinical Neuropsychology at the James A. Haley Veterans' Hospital.

Matthew Wilson, Ph.D., Philadelphia, received his degree in Biochemistry & Molecular Genetics from the University of Pittsburgh.

Jill Woodbridge Rossi, M.A., Chandler, Ariz., a contract specialist at Apollo Group Inc., received her degree in Organizational Management from the University of Phoenix.

MORE CLASS NOTES

Additional class notes may be found at the Scranton Online Alumni Community Web site:

> www.scranton.edu/ alumnicommunity

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Jon Bush, M.D., is an Emergency Medicine Resident at York Hospital.

Theresa Cuccia Iacobazzi, Merrick, N.Y., completed her third New York School teaching certification in English Grades 7-12 and is a special education teacher with the Massapequa Public School District.

Dana Mendicino Cooper, M.S., received her degree in Special Education from Marywood University and is a Special Education Teacher for the Northeastern Educational Intermediate Unit #19.

Craig J. Steel, M.A., Emerson, N.J., Director of Account Management at Medco Health, received his degree in Healthcare Administration from Seton Hall University.

Kelly Thompson-Brazill, Raleigh, N.C., was awarded a grant from the American Association of Critical Care Nurses for her study, "Impact of a Clinical Management Guideline on the Prevention of Ventilator Associated Pneumonia."

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Marisa Bonacci, M.S., received her degree in Library and Information Science from Syracuse University as well as Pennsylvania State Certification as a School Library Media Specialist. Marisa is teaching Literature and Advanced Composition at Carbondale Area Jr.-Sr. High School.

Paul M. Collins, Jr., Ph.D., received his degree in political science from SUNY Binghamton and is an Assistant Professor of Political Science at the University of Houston.

Devin DeMarco, M.S., Edison, N.J., a member of the Board of Directors of the Mid-Atlantic States Section of the Air and Waste Management Association, received his degree in Environmental Policy Studies from the New Jersey Institute of Technology. His research paper entitled "The Origin and Demise of New Jersey's Open Market Emissions Trading Program" appeared in the January issue of the Environmental Law Reporter.

Margie Dotter, New York, N.Y., is a therapeutic foster care social worker at New Alternatives for Children, a nonprofit child welfare agency. **Kimberly Fellingham Mohan**, New York, N.Y., is an occupational therapist at Stepping Stone Day School.

Erin Grasek, M.D., Ihno, Nev., received her degree from Georgetown University and is a family practice resident at the University of Nevada.

Jeffrey Kaylor, LL.M., Harrisburg, received his degree in taxation from the University of Florida, passed the Pennsylvania Bar exam and is an associate with Rhoads & Sinon, LLP in their Tax, Corporate, and M&A groups.

Karen Krupski Freedman, Scranton, is Clinical Director at SouthernCare, Inc., a Hospice organization with nearly 70 offices nationwide.

Gregory Shahum, Clarks Summit, has returned home after extensive research travels in Slovakia, Cambodia and the Philippines and has given lectures to our MHA and OT students about the benefits of experiential learning and the importance of cultural awareness for leadership.

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Michael Marshall, Anaheim, Calif., a candidate for a master's of education at Cal State Long Beach, is a teacher and coach at St. Cecilia's Catholic School.

Jacqueline Oliphant, Flemington, N.J., a graduate of Pace University, passed the New Jersey Bar exam and was admitted to the Bar for the State of New Jersey and the Bar for the United States District Court for the State of New Jersey.

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Lorraine DeNichilo Palizza, Clarksville, Tenn., is working as an Occupational Therapist.

Danielle Lester, Yardly, was promoted to Senior Associate at McGladrey & Pullen L.L.P.

Crystal Levis Swindell, Scranton, N.C., has authored, *A Treatment for Teachers with Tired Heads: A condition caused by wearing too many hats.*

Chris Palizza, Clarksville, Tenn., is stationed with the Army at Ft. Campbell.

Henry Yampolsky, J.D., Elkins Park, received his degree from Temple University.

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Daniel Goffredo teaches Myth and Epic to seniors and World Cultures to freshmen at Scranton Preparatory School.

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Peter Castagna is a Religion Teacher at St. Stanislaus College in Bay St. Louis, Mo.

Lori Charnogursky, Duryea, was promoted to Market Manager in the Wilkes-Barre office of PNC Bank.

Stephanie Longo, Scranton, a master's in history student at The University of

Scranton and French teacher at Bishop O'Reilly High School, has published her first book, *The Italians of Northeastern Pennsylvania*, with Arcadia Publishing.

John Thielke, Jr., Glen Rock, N.J., is Operations Clerk at Crown Commodities, New York City.

04

Susan Chrusciel, Union, N.J., is Assistant Scientist I at Schering-Plough Research Institute.

Christal Gentile, Dunmore, is a Probation/Parole Officer in the pre-sentence investigation unit with the Lackawanna County Adult Probation/Parole Department.

Leo Gilroy, Kingston, is a project manager with Northeastern Pennsylvania Industrial Resource Center.

Matt Kelly, Sofia, Bulgaria, is with the Peace Corps as a Secondary School Teacher of English as a Second Language.

Joseph "Joey Temps" Landara, Myrtle Beach, S.C. (Premiere Radio Networks NYC) accepted a full time on-air personality position with Hot 100.3 FM.

Amanda Loyden teaches Algebra I, Geometry and Algebra II at Scranton Preparatory School.

Brian Market, Feaster, is a Production Manager for Electric Factory Concerts, the biggest concert promoter in the Philadelphia area.

Marriages

76 Paul Jennings to Julie Ardito

82 Thomas Flanagan to Amber Waldref

88 Catherine Naiva to Manfred Ricciardelli Traci Neary, D.D.S., to Jamie Falzone

89

Robert Duffy to Dina Pachence **Timothy Ruby** to Michele Schuback

90

Molly McGowan to Timothy Klinger Bill McInerney to Blanca Lopez Chuck Yanchulis to Lisa Kenny

91

Karen Connors to Fred Letteri Bernard Costello to Jackie Sohn Eric MacMillan to McKenna La Voie Brendan McCahon to Cynthia Corr Timothy M. Skarbek to Melissa S. Henning



Scranton Alumni Gather for Wedding

Scranton alumni joined Jennifer Compton '97 for her Feb. 19, 2005, wedding to Doug Breuer. The wedding reception was held in Long Island, N.Y.

92

Patricia Flood to Robert Hojnoski **Gary Gallia, M.D.,** to Christine Hann, M.D.

Pamela Haley to Edward Burns Colleen Lalley to Robert Reed Debra Robertson to John Halpin

93

Joanne Kuefner to William O'Brien Lisa Lucke to Eric Wanick Robert Rutkoski to Laura Chowanec Brittney Stone to Christopher Hoppel '95 Brian York to Karma Mitchell Scott Connors to Ellen O'Malley

94

Michael Columbo to Tiffany Theissen

95 Joseph Agolino to Jennifer Nicholson '98

Sean Crofton to Andrea Elmer Christine Martin to Adam Alshin Lisa Scrofani to Peter Renga Beth Shanley to Ronan Cahill

96

John Carr to Jennifer Lionti Lizette Fontanetta to Robert Subach Kristen Golden to Patrick Dempsey Kathleen Kelly, M.D., to James Joyce Erin Kenny to Brian Fitzpatrick Christian LaFalce, M.D., to Francine Bowan

James Murphy to Nancy Lau '99 MaryAnn Nicastro to Greg Sheehan Catherine Parente to Joseph Fontana III '97

Jill Sereika to Michael Skinner Glen Tacinelli to Ingrid Petrovitch

97

Michael Beckish to Shannon Farrell '03

James Broderick to Jennie Shorr Jennifer Compton to Douglas Breuer Meghan Lizotte to Leonard Mucci III Caroline Munley to Edward Mullin Patrick J. Orr to Amanda Caldwell Britt Passanante to Justin MacKenzie Richard Schraeder, M.D., to Elyse Michelson, M.D.

Scott Strong to Nicole Caterino

98

Shannon Ancherani to James Ritterbusch

Molly Buettner to Bill Johnson Joseph D'Antoni to Jill Beckish '01 Allison DiPasqua to Eric Schiffner Brian Dougherty to Jennifer Mannick Lindsay Ehlers to Christopher Cox Jennifer Nolin to Christopher De Luca Janette Opdyke to Matt Milano Janet Ramos to Lt. Daniel Grabo, Jr., M.D., U.S.N.

Aimee Smith to Scott Goldman

99

Shannon Bandru to Raynard Laylo Kearyn Burke to James Wynn Jon Bush, M.D., to Mary Chasko Theresa Cuccia to Anthony Iacobazzi Patrick Dalton to Erin Hansen Christopher Gilchrist to Lisa Pisano Allison Henry to Mike Longenberger Kristen McLaughlin to Larry Formosa '00

Alden Schiavi to Shannon Keeler '01 Jennifer Schick to Timothy Goodale '00

Joseph Swift to Katharine Markel

00

Edward Boyarsky to Laura Charles '01 Kerry Brice to Michael Podky Kimberly Fellingham to Matthew Mohan Joseph Fleissner to Amanda Ewing '01 Robert Granza to Dara Coslett Krista Hrobuchak to Matthew Seitzinger

Michael Koch, V.M.D., to Lauren Orsetti '01

Lisa Matar to Patrick Lenihan Ana Maria Rojas to Michael Caucci Jennifer Schumacher to Matthew Tucker

Rosemary Shenyo to Steven Burns Eileen Socorso to Jeffrey Teschke Maura Tobin to Paul Kraucheunas



An Alumni Legacy

When the Class of 2005 entered the University in 2001, the Alumni Office took the traditional photo of alumni parents with their sons and daughters at their side outside of Loyola Hall (above). The same group gathered four years later, inside Loyola due to rain, prior to Commencement ceremonies (below), alumni one and all!



Rebecca Tolerico to Michael Garruto Carrie Toon to Shain Naugle Karyn Yorke to Albert Montano

01

Nicole April to David Kelleher Aimee Baker to Ryan O'Hara Kara Brezinski to Sean Clark Cynthia McKenna to Brian Holmes Amy Rose Notwick to Darv Johnson Christine Peterman to Timothy Seymour Marcia Reidy to Daniel Barrio Patricia Zakrzewski to Matthew

02

Helmke

Mary Bobrowski to Paul Fortuner Laura Hugerich to Larry Magliocchetti Sarah Mooney to Stephen Rinker Sarah Tolerico to Ronald Serkosky Joseph Rusincovitch to Kristin York Melissa Woelkers to Richard Richards IV

03

Susan Gilmartin to Nathan Sariti

04

Kelly Leah Ayers to William Roe, Jr. Jesse Morano to Angelique Ambrogi Louis Strazzrei to Kelly Hughes

Births

78

An adopted daughter, Kate, to David & **Karen Kowalski Lloyd**, Clarks Summit

84

A son, Vincent Van, to **Thomas & Desiree Dinoff Altemus,** Angwin, Calif. A daughter, Elena Maria, to **Richard**

'94 & Janice Kane Winslow, Jermyn

A son, Michael John, to Claudine & **John Lanahan,** Hillsboro, N.J.

A daughter adopted from China, Katherine Huai, by Barbara & **Jon Lane**, Plymouth, Mich.

86

A son, William Emil, to Laura & **Jeffrey Lattmann**, New Providence, N.J.

A daughter, Isabelle Patricia Aylin, to Laura Saunders & Ozlem Camli, Wethersfield, Conn.

87

A daughter, Anna Maria, to Carie & **Kevin Burke,** Palmyra

A daughter, Megan Elizabeth, to **Kevin** & Irene Donovan Mahoney, Randolph, N.J. A daughter, Fiona Danielle, to **Brian** & Beth Holzman Gallagher '90, Westmont, N.J.

A son, Michael Joseph, to Michael & Patricia McSherry Salvatore, Bronxville, N.Y.

A daughter, Avery Claire, to Michelle & **Thomas Pierce**, West Field, N.J.

A daughter, Marcella Raina, to Salvatore & **Amy Stout Amendola**, Moscow

88

Twins, Kaitlyn Margaret & Casey Daniel, to **Daniel & Patricia Calamoneri McGarrey**, Matawan, N.J.

A son, Zephram Carl, to Amy & **Carl F. Green,** Gotha, Fla.

A daughter, Hannah Lee, to Jeff & Carol Lee Cundey, Hallstead

A daughter adopted from China, Sarah Elizabeth, by **Tom & Heidi Markmann Healy '90**, Bethlehem

A son, Riley Joseph, to **Gregory & Maureen Muller Young,** Harrison, N.J.

89

A son, Declan Patrick, to **Jay '90 & Patricia Andrews O'Connell,** Maplewood, N.J.

A daughter, Clare Nolan, to Michael & **Mary Campbell Kerrigan**, Hingham, Mass.

A son, Jake Louis, to John & **Michelle Lindsey Karedes**, Endicott, N.Y.

A daughter, Julia Rose, to Harry & **Carla Mascaro McEnroe**, Mendam, N.J. A girl, Tara Elisabeth, to Brian &

Elena Miller Conn, Roswell, Ga. A son, Tiernan James, to Tim &

Marilyn Bogusch Pryle '91, Clarks Green

90

A son, Joseph Daniel, to Nicholas & Catherine Castracane Zahiri, West Chester

Twin daughters, Gillian Elizabeth & Tallula Claire, to Amy & **Jim Doherty**, Arlington, Va.

A daughter, Lillian, to Paul & **Kathleen Duffy Bruder,** Camp Hill

A daughter, Arden Theresa, to Christine & **Mathew Giachetti**, Howell, N.J.

A son, Garret Patrick, to Salynn & **Joseph Hanlon**, Cranford, N.J.

A daughter, Sophia Louise, to Michael & **Nicole Marcheski Rothenberg**, Parkland, Fla.

A daughter, Kelly Kinloch, to **Jeffrey '95 & Maura O'Reilly Grable,** Phoenixville

A daughter, Micala Elizabeth, to Steve & **Patricia Sawyer Boez**, Aurora, Col.

A daughter, Clare Elizabeth, to Diana & **Terence Smith**, Flossmoor, Ill.

A daughter, Caroline Bridget, to Kevin & **Sharon Toomey Kotch**, Voorhees, N.J.

A son, Nicholas James, to Christopher & **Kathleen Wetmore Corso**, Fort Wayne, Ind.

A daughter, Grace Mary, to **Douglas** & Ronda Rinaldi White '94, Pequannock, N.J.

91

A son, Owen Scott, to Mark & **Eileen Carmody Cramer,** Mount Holly, N.J.

A daughter, Erin, to **Brian & Ruth** Flynn Raftery, Westfield, N.J.

A son, Joshua William, to Edward & **Rebecca Honeycutt Gill**, Magnolia, Del.

A son, Benjamin Gerald, to Lauren & **Stephen Kelly**, Westfield, N.J.

A daughter, Kelsey Shea, to Molie & **Edward Madden**, Norwalk, Calif.

A daughter, Ella Grace, to Jake & **Kathleen Malone Connolly**, Northport, N.Y.

A son, Matthew Michael, to **Michael** & Claire Mertens Marseglia, Ramsey, N.J.

A daughter, Gabriella Marie, to John & **Tracy Seyferth Sullivan**, Campbell Hall, N.Y.

A daughter, Mary Elizabeth to Mary & **Peter Stockschlaeder**, Bethesda, Md.

A son, Patrick James, to Leila & **James** Walsh, Clarks Green

A son, Nicholas Joseph, to Karin & **Robert Walsh,** East Windsor, N.J.

92

A son, Jeremy Andrew, to Claudia & **William Blair**, Whippany, N.J.

A son, Brendan Michael, to **Michael** & Eileen Cannon Corey, Milford, Conn.

A daughter, Emily Caroline, to **Kieran** & Mary Beth Gionta Flanagan, Madison, N I

A daughter, Taylor Brooke, to Aleen & **John Granelli**, East Brunswick, N.J.

A daughter, Caroline Shea, to Kathleen & **J. Michael Herring**, Summit, N.J.

A daughter, Anne Marie, to **Joseph & Jill Koeppel Kampherstein,** Warrington

A daughter, Lena Theresa, to Christopher & **Janine Nazzario Morgan**, Willow Grove

A daughter, Claire Addison, to Arnie & **Joanna Prokosch Zucker**, Cincinnati, Ohio

A daughter, Meghan Sinead, to Patrick & **Dawn Tobin-Holt,** Pearl River, N.Y.

A son, Eric, to Jeffery & Ann Marie Veca Schilling, Collegeville



All Soul's Day Alumni Memorial Mass

Please join us at the Alumni Memorial Mass offered for the repose of the souls of all deceased alumni and friends. The Mass will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 2, 2005, at 7 p.m. in Madonna della Strada Chapel on campus.

In the coming months, you will be invited to remember your families and friends with us and have their names included in our prayers.

For additional information, contact the Alumni Office at (570) 941-7660 or 1-800-SCRANTON.

93

A son, Quinn William, to Alan & **Katherine Berkwitt Danvers**, New Milford, Conn.

A daughter, Anna Grace, to Diane & **Jim Buckridge**, Bridgewater, N.J.

A daughter, Meaghan, to Richard & **Maura Devlin Slatowski**, Blue Bell

A daughter, Keira Elizabeth, to Keith & **Kathleen Gramer Wiley**, Pennsburg

A son, Luke Thomas, to **John & Erika Henry Stroligo**, Tarrytown, N.Y.

A daughter, Lauren Particia, to Gretchen & **James Kane**, Pottsville

A daughter, Caitryn Rose, to Mark & Kimberly Kasarda Tieszen, Pocono Lake

A daughter, Kathryn Devlin, to **Mark '95 & Lynne Kempski Halligan,** West Chester

A daughter, Kyra Maxson, to Erin Maxson & **Paul Malanowski**, Glenside

A son, Jacob Michael, to Karin & **Michael Novrocki,** Swoyersville

A daughter, Molly Rose to Heather & **Robert Ruezinsky**, Hillsborough, N.J.

A daughter, Charlotte Mary, to Frederick & **Julia Scarano Greene**, Fishkill, N.Y.

A son, James Michael, Jr., to James & **June Schnakenberg Karpowich**, Wayne, N.J.

A son, Rory John, to **John & Lisa Wamsley Coyle,** Providence, R.I.

A daughter, Quinlan Carlina, to Christopher & Stephanie Breen Parisi, Wellesley, Mass.

94

A son, Ryan Edward, to William & Tammy-Jo Eckhart Burke, Dunmore A son, Jackson Robert, to William & Amy Beth Felice McCrae, Sewell, N.J.

A son, Michael Keith, to **Keith & Renee M. Nisivoccia-Cortright '95,** Wippany, N.J.

A son, Alexander Gerard, to Kenneth & **Kristen Hubertus White,** Basking Ridge, N.J. A son, Timothy Matthew, to Tim & **Jennifer Kaulback Sheahan**, East Northport, N.Y.

A daughter, Carolyn Grace, to Robert & **Donna Policastro Sandt**, Park Ridge, N.J.

A son, Ryan Thomas, to Tom & **Susan Ryan Stevenson,** Westport, Conn.

A daughter, Therese Jean, to **Thomas** & Beth Olszewski Shimkus '97, Dunmore

A daughter, Jane Evelyn, to **Chester &** Lauren Suess-Bowen, Lititz

A son, Luke Joseph, to Jill & **Martin** Zayac, Olyphant

95

A son, Luke Nicholas, to Kim & **Anthony Castellitto,** Ramsey, N.J.

A son, Andrew John, to **Raymond** & **Mary Beth Coyne Mulry,** Edgewater, N.J.

A daughter, Emily Rose, to **Anthony** & Rachel Denliker Cavanna '96, Cranford, N.J.

A son, Aidan Flynn, to **Maureen** Flynn & Sean Graham, Princeton, N.J.

A son, Matthew James, to Jonathan & **Susan Gilfillan Visser,** Flanders, N.J.

A daughter, Ashley Ava, to Wendy & **Brian Healey**, Covington, Ga.

A daughter, Grace Dorothy, to Thomas '96 & Jennifer Lawrence Janofsky, Philadelphia

A son, Liam Joseph, to Laurie & Kevin Loughnane, Wantagh, N.Y.

A son, Evan Anthony, to Lisa & **Craig Malek,** Seaford, N.Y.

A son, Timothy Bruce, to Jeanne & **Timothy O'Connell**, Nutley, N.J.

A daughter, Lauren Elizabeth, to **John & Diana Shortz O'Malley '97,** Allentown

A son, Ryan Paul, to Paul & **Stacy Ulland Riethmiller**, Faiefax, Va

A son, Brayden Douglas, to Doug & **Tina Raus Ward,** North Branford, Conn.

96

A son, Christopher John, to C.J. & Tara Carney Brown, Hoboken, N.J.

Twins, Emma Ann & Michael Carmelo, to Tammy & **Christopher Cavallo**, Freelold N.J

A son, Jack Murphy, to Michael & **Jacqueline Dubil-Craig**, Pearl River, N.Y.

A son, Carson Thomas, to Michael & **Heather Gearns Healy**, Freeport, N.Y.

A daughter, Mackenzie Lee, to **Mark '97 & Carrie Holderman Gilmore**, Durham, N.C.

A daughter, Maeve Mary, to Jack & **Monica Jass McMullan**, Rockville Centre, N. Y.

A daughter, Colleen June, to **James & Amy Finnegan McNulty '97**, Rockville, Md.

A son, Braden Michael to Jeffrey & Kristin Morley Landau, Middletown, Del.

A daughter, Ava Rafaella, to April & **John Scuteri**, Medford, N.Y.

A son, Jack Paul, to **Paul & Gemma Waananen Kenney,** Malverne, N.Y.

97

A daughter, Keira Michelle, to Rick & **Kristina Bennett O'Neill,** East Rockaway, N.Y.

A daughter, Anne Carlin, to Marty & Kate Groark Shields, Philadelphia

A daughter, Kayla Eileen, to Brian & **Eileen Hennessey Ludwig,** West Orange, N.J.

A daughter, Paige Renae, to Stephanie & Jason Lomax, Laurel Springs, N.J.

A son, Thomas John, III, to **TJ & Maura Mendola Sullivan,** Wyckoff, N.J.

A son, Ryan Stephan, to Stephan & **Donna Reagan Schenkel**, Edison, N.J.

A son, Nathan Alexander, to Jeff & **Kimberly Swensky Rees**, Southington, Conn.

98

A son, Casey Alexander, to **Benjamin & Donna Zielinski Crawford '99,** Charlotte, N.C.

A son, Eric Matthew, to Ted & **Jessica Engel Lynch**, Wyckoff, N.J.

A son, Matthew Joseph, to **David & Carol Hilferty Simpson,** Rego Park, N.Y.

A daughter, Sarah Tillie, to Doug and **Danielle Travis Peckhman**, Londonderry, N.H

A son, Donato John, to Peter & **Kathleen Williams Cuzzolino,** Staten Island, N.Y.

A son, Caleb Maximus, to Max & **Jill Woodbridge Rossi**, Chandler, Ariz.



The Bill Kelly Jr. Memorial Golf Classic Friday, October 7, 2005

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.

For information, visit www.billkellyjr.com on the Web, or send e-mail to info@billkellyjr.com

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Gardens, Fla.

99

N.Y.

A daughter, Giuliana Marie, to Roberto & **Jennifer Crist Conte**, Gaithersburg, Md.

A son, Chase Michael, to Patricia & Christopher Cupitt, Reading A son, Brennan Michael, to Kevin & Lori DeCandido Pfeiffer, Hartsdale,

A daughter, Adriana Maureen, to Guido & Maureen Devlin Kwiatkowski, Dunellen, N.J.

Twin daughters, Ashley Marie & Shelby Marie to John & **Jennifer Festa Hrywnak**, Moscow

A daughter, Alexa Rae, to Michael & Jennifer Nigro Makoul, Breinigsville

A daughter, Samantha Rose, to Greg & Amy Chirico Ryan '00, Fairless Hills

A son, Spencer Patrick, to Dennis & Lora Taylor Jones, Clarks Summit

00

A son, Justin Michael, to Sean & Christa Bevacqua Degan, Newton, N.J. A son, John Tyler, to Nathaniel &

Jessica Dickson Sann '01, Severn, Md.

02

A son, Aaron Michael, to Aaron & Tammy Burdett Phillips, Carbondale

Deaths

28 Joseph Wassell, Blakely

34 Richard Speicher, Carbondale

35 Joseph Melvin, Havertown Albert Schiowitz, M.D., Wilkes-Barre

37 Sidney Hinerfeld, Scranton Charles Speicher, Endwell, N.Y. Roger Teot, Bensalem

53 Sheldon Moss, Philadelphia

55

Thomas Ford, Mount Cobb Francis Doran, Avoca Thomas Hanlon, Scranton Harold Rist, Dunmore

57 Thomas

Thomas Conlon, Boca Raton, Fla. Joseph Flynn, Scranton Edward Vogue, Dupont Patrick Conlon, Pawleys Island, S.C.

60

Edward Albrecht, Scranton Gordan Aten, Courtdale Joseph Warholak, Williamstown, N.J.

61 Merle Hubert, Scranton

62 Ralph Christiano, Pocono Lake Frank DeStefano, Scranton Benjamin Norris, Sugar Notch Rev. William Shean, Jr., S.J., Long Island, N.Y.

63G Henry Suraci, Clarks Summit

64 John Cooney, Brookhaven

64G Ellen Vellela Button, Concord, Mass.

65 Joseph Litzelman, Kailua, Hawaii John Nestro, West Reading

66 Paul Magnotta, Deerfield Beach, Fla.

68G Judith Sofranko, Bear Creek

69 Grover "Guy" Beh, Moscow

70G Jeanne Flederbach, Moscow

71 Thomas McDonough, Minooka

71G Patricia Kearns, Scranton John MacCurrach Turnbull, Hudson, Fla.

39 Joseph Brislin, Bethlehem

40 John Ratchford, Boca Raton Walter Stascavage, Duryea

Philmore Kahanowitz, Palm Beach

Paul McCornick, Sidney, N.Y.

42 William Byrne, Scranton

44

Rev. John Fabian, Scranton

Frank Heston, Coral Springs, Fla.

47 Rev. William Pace, Dunmore

48 John Burok, Eynon Stephan Kaplan, Windber John Lally, Falls Church, Va.

49 James Nixon, Scranton Joseph Walker, Mechanicsburg

50 Perry Chappen, Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Harry Horan, Hilton Head Island, S.C. Eugene McAndrew, West Chester

51 Raymond Dende, Scranton Msgr. Joseph Fadden, Scranton Carl Genovese, Scranton William Walsh, Dunmore

52 Frank Collins, Ardmore Austin McCormick, Scranton 73G James Fisher, Pittston

74G Ann Costello, Old Forge Carl Peet, Lake Ariel

75 John Marcinek, Jessup

76 Maria Glennan Kollar, Scranton

77 Thomas Coyne, Scranton Gerald Speicher, Carbondale

78 John Kasenchak, Kingston

81 Thomas Coyle, Old Forge

83G Robert Golembeski, State College

84G Lynda Pronko, Jessup

95G Karen Hartwick Stegenga, Morrison, Ill.

98G Matthew Burne, Clarks Summit

99 Paul Lamendola, Lodi, N.J.

07 Timothy Hopkins, Scranton

Family & Friends

Mercene Alfano, wife of **Martin '43** Nancy Angeli, wife of **Raymond G'74, G'80**

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Josephine Cipriani, mother of Gerald '75; grandmother of Christian '04 Mary Clarke, sister of Msgr. James '35 Joseph Courtney, father of Joseph '86 Robert Davis, brother of James '44 Frank Dawgert, father of Dennis '69 Gertrude Diener, mother of Carl '74 Joseph Douaihy, father of Thomas '71 Donald Fenstermacher, brother of W. Richard '50



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John O'Neill II, father of John O'Neill III '95

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Alumni Reunion 2005

Approximately 1,000 alumni and their families/guests attended Reunion 2005, held June 10-12 on campus. The event featured an all-class welcoming reception, the Grand Reunion Family Picnic, class-specific receptions, the presentation of the Frank J. O'Hara alumni awards, and the Golden Grads Reunion Dinner. The 2005 Distinguished Reunion Class Giving Award was presented to the Class of 1955 for the greatest class participation in the Annual Fund. The award for Distinguished Reunion Leadership Giving was awarded to the Class of 1970 in recognition of outstanding contributions to the Annual Fund.



The class of 1955 was inducted into the "Golden Grads."



Members of the class of 1965 gathered at Russell's Restaurant for their class dinner.



The Silver Anniversary Class marked their 25th reunion.

Alumni Census

Summary Statistics

Total Living Alumni 37,450	Average Age
Alumni with e-mail 17,468	Alumni Couples 1,629

Alumni By School

College of Arts and Sciences	17,550
Kania School of Management	
Panuska College of Professional Studies	
Dexter Hanley College	
Graduate School	
Undetermined	

Alumni By Class Year

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1942150	1963	1984
1943120	1964	1985
1944	1965	19861,107
1945	1966 418	19871,053
1946 82	1967539	19881,067
1947149	1968	19891,268
1948	1969660	19901,112
1949	1970	1991
1950	1971620	1992
1951	1972	19931,227
1952	1973	19941,103
1953170	1974671	1995
1954176	1975732	1996
1955	1976	1997
1956	1977	1998
1957	1978	19991,122
1958	1979	20001,146
1959	1980	20011,146
1960	1981	2002
1961	1982	20031,047
1962 317	1983 974	2004 1.046
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