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### FAREWELLS

This is the last *International Dateline* under the familiar Quarter system. In the fall, the college will formally change to Semesters. It is only fitting that we bid farewell to Quarters as we bid farewell to cherished colleagues who have earned the glorious right to retire. We say goodbye to **David McGrath**, English Professor, **Jan Geesaman**, Associate Dean, Liberal Arts Office, and **Tuckie Pillar**, Speech Professor. Later in the year, **Joanne Escobar**, Associate Dean, ESL/ABE/ASE and **Adair Bullen**, Associate Dean, Health Social and Behavioral Sciences, will also join the esteemed ranks of retirees.

We wish you fond farewells with thanks for having served long and well.



### FACULTY AND STAFF NEWS

**Jeff Curto**, Photography Professor, will be featured in the national magazine *LENSWORK*. *LENSWORK* is considered one of the highest quality photography magazines in the country. The May/June issue will have a portfolio of 20 of Curto's Italian photographs taken over the last 15 years. Additionally, *LENSWORK* publishes a CD-ROM version of the magazine entitled *LensWork Extra* and it will contain a portfolio of 113 photographs, plus an audio interview with Jeff and audio commentary about several images. More information is available from Jeff Curto at 942-2527 or visit the magazine's website at [www.lenswork.com](http://www.lenswork.com)

**Zinta Konrad**, International Education Director, made a keynote address *Study Abroad: Old Wine in a New Bottle* at the ACIIE Spring conference in Boston, **April 7-9, 2005**.

**Maryann Krieglstein**, Human Services Assistant Professor, recently traveled to Nitra, Slovakia, with a team of nine professionals in the field of Family Violence who participated in a conference with Family Violence professionals from throughout Slovakia to address domestic violence, sexual assault and child abuse. The conference helped the Slovak professionals set up protocols for dealing with these issues. Krieglstein presented two papers: *Preventing Sexual Assault in Schools and Colleges - A Community Approach* and *Building Community Partnerships to Stop Violence Against Women and Children*. She also met with Social Work students and faculty from the Health, Social and Behavioral Science Division of Constantine the Philosopher University. It is hoped that

contacts made during this trip will continue, both at the college/university level and within the professional field of Family Violence. Nitra is a sister city of Naperville, Illinois. The idea of the conference developed out of this connection.

Krieglstein also recently presented a paper on *Etho-Geriatrics: Multi-Cultural Considerations in Geriatrics* at the Multi-Disciplinary Program in Geriatric Training sponsored by the University of Illinois, Champaign Medical School.

**Werner Krieglstein**, Philosophy Professor, on sabbatical during FY 05, took part in the week-long conference on the Philosophy of Science at the Inter University Center in Dubrovnik. He presented a paper, *Collective Orchestration, A New Evolutionary Tool*, and will take part in another conference at the same center on *The Future of Religions*. He will present a paper on *How Science can Help Solve the Spiritual Crisis* and then will present the same paper at a conference on the Sociology of Religion in the Krimia, Ukraine. He will then give lectures at the University of Kharkiv, Ukraine and at Warsaw University, Poland. The topic of his lecture at Warsaw University is *We Need a New Philosophy of Nature*.

**Michael Miñosa**, Student Aide in the International Education Office, was recognized as an Outstanding Student and won a \$50 award for his excellent contributions to the International Education Office.

**Jane Ostergaard** and the COD Architecture Club and Architecture Department sponsored a Tsunami Relief Design Charette to design a playground for the Lama Pura Children's Village in Sri Lanka. For results contact Jane, ext. 2331.

**Carol Rippenburg**, Political Science and Middle East Studies Professor, had an article, *Electoral Systems in Divided Societies: The Case of Afghanistan*, accepted for publication by the BRITISH JOURNAL OF MIDDLE EASTERN STUDIES.

**Vince Sehstedt**, inside reporter in Operations, shared the following news items: The mother of **Michaela Arellano** and **Alicia Nunes** is improving from her automobile accident in Mexico several weeks ago. Since Mexico has socialized medicine, sometimes interesting experiences develop. Vince's son-in-law, **Helio Ruvalcaba**, has an older sister living in Mexico. Her husband needed heart by-pass surgery, which he obtained at the local medical clinic in Mexico. A friend of his needed similar surgery, but opted to go to the medical facility in Houston, Texas, where **Michael DeBakery** used to do heart surgery, spending thousands of dollars for the surgery, only to learn that the surgery was done by the same doctor who had performed it on Helio's brother-in-law in Mexico for nothing!



Currently in Mexico to visit his family is a custodian from the Art Center, **Angel Jimenez**, whose son, **José**, works at the Addison Center.

Additionally, that famous smiling grandson of Vince's in Japan at Cadena Air Force Base, is crawling and has cut his second tooth. He is pulling himself up on the furniture and should be walking by the time he has his first birthday in July.

It appears our international travelers and their families are doing well.

### VISITORS

**Lowell Courtney**, Professor from Causeway Institute in Colerain, Northern Ireland and director of Lynchpin Tour Operations and Marketing, visited the college on **March 17 - 20**. He was hosted by **Robb Frank**, Coordinator of Student Activities.

On **April 13**, **Dr. Nina Mayorek**, **Aitemad Mater Muhanna** and **Diana M. Kattan**, all from different backgrounds in Jerusalem, made moving presentations about the prospect for peace in the Middle East. Their lecture *Jerusalem Women Speak* was sponsored by Partners for Peace.

This year's Korea Symposium, *United States and the Korean Peninsula*, was held on Saturday, **April 23**, and organized by **Shingo Satsutani** and **Dr. Susan Rhee**, former COD counselor and emeritus professor. Featured speakers at the symposium were the **Honorable Wook Kim**, Consul General of the Republic of Korea, and **Hangyul Rhee**, professor and chairman of the Political Science Department at Shepherd University in West Virginia. Over 100 students participated in this cultural event. Participants were entertained with a performance of Korean percussion and enjoyed a Korean lunch.

On **April 25**, **Borzou Daragahi**, an Iranian-American print and broadcast journalist, who has reported on events in Afghanistan, Iran, and Iraq since September 11, 2001 presented *The View from Baghdad: The Dangers and Difficulties of Reporting from War-torn Iraq*, a well attended lecture and discussion. Mr. Daragahi's stories have been carried by the *New York Times*, *San Francisco Chronicle* and the *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*.

**Dr. Njeri Mbugua**, a sociologist from IWU and activist for women's rights and AIDS-related issues in Africa, was on campus **May 2** to give a lecture entitled *When Elephants Fight, the Grass Suffers: Explaining the African Crisis*. The presentation was well-received. Her latest work is the novel *JOKI: WHEN ELEPHANTS FIGHT, THE GRASS SUFFERS* that details the lifestyle of upper-class black Africans, something

Westerners seldom consider. Dr. Mbugua signed copies of her book after the presentation.

Master sitarist, **Nishat Khan**, who currently teaches at UCLA, visited the college in February to give lecture demonstrations and a Mainstage performance. On **May 18 - 20**, Mr. Khan returned to campus to lecture, perform, and, once again, astonish audiences with his virtuosity and unequalled command of the sitar.

### COMMITTEE NEWS

#### Africa Committee

Spring quarter, the Africa Committee organized *Spotlight on Africa*, an exciting month-long series focusing on contemporary Africa. Events included:

**Tuesday, May 3**

*Hotel Rwanda*, A film showing and discussion by **Dr. Adenuga Atewologun**, Dean of Natural & Applied Sciences.

**Tuesday, May 10**

*Crisis in Sudan: What now?* **Dr. Theophilus Okosun**, Justice Studies Professor, Northeastern Illinois University.

**Wednesday, May 18**

*"Si Muyai" - We are one: A Photo Journey of HIV/AIDS Orphans in Durbin, South Africa* by **Reverend Larry L. Jackson**, Director of Mission and Spiritual Care at Advocate Bethany Hospital.

**Tuesday, May 24**

*World Music Beat: An Introduction to African Popular Music* by **Dr. Larry Ward**, Music and Humanities Professor.

#### Asia Committee

On **May 10**, the Asia Committee invited two Professors Emeritus from the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign to College of DuPage. **Dr. David Plath** spoke on *Preaching from Pictures: A Japanese Mandala* and **Dr. Jacquetta Hill** presented *Dance or Change your Religion: The Cultural Significance of Dance among the Lahu of Thailand*.

#### Native America Committee

The annual *Native America Symposium* was held on **April 13** featuring a lecture by **Marilyn Youngbird** and also the music of **Al Jewer**. The symposium was followed by a *Native American Film Fest* on **Saturday, April 16**. Many thanks to **Marilyn Johnston**, **Jackie McGrath**, and all the members of the committee for organizing the symposium.



## Year of Languages

New this year, the college celebrated *The Year of Languages* on **May 12**, organized by **Edith Jaco**, Spanish Professor, with assistance from **Cassandra Keener**, Program Manager, International Trade Center; **Laura Ortiz**, Program Coordinator, The Institute of World Languages Center; **Maren McKellin**, Coordinator, Field and Experiential Learning; and **Shingo Satsutani**, Japanese Professor. Over 150 students came to hear presentations by:

- **Dr. Chris Goergen**, Political Science Professor  
*The Language of Politics and the Politics of Language*
- **Dr. Dan Kies**, English Professor  
*How to Learn a Second Language in 2,697 Easy Steps*
- **Ms. Robin Murphy**, Intercultural Strategy, Inc.  
*Cross-cultural Business Communications*

Interest in languages at COD appears to be alive and well!

## MDPC

Congratulations to the following faculty and staff who were funded by the Multicultural Development Committee (MPDC) for the projects they proposed:

**Julia di Liberti** will attend the *Infusing Asian Studies into the Undergraduate Curriculum* institute at the East-West Center in Hawaii, followed by travel to Hong Kong to study the arts of China to be incorporated into a future teaching module.

**Olfat El-Mallakh** will present a paper, *In Search of a Religious Curriculum for the Global World*, at the Oxford Round Table on Religion, Education and the Role of the Government at the University of Oxford.

**Chris Goergen** will investigate possibilities for a Field Study Trip to Brussels.

**Ellen CK Johnson** will attend the CIEE International Faculty Development Seminar, *The Interplay of Geography, History, and Culture in Event and Experience* in Delhi, Jaipur, and Hyderabad, India.

**Hans Klemmer** will attend the CIEE seminar, *Multiple Perspectives on Peace and Conflict* in Northern Ireland at the University of Ulster at Coleraine, Ireland.

**Werner Krieglstein** will attend the 6<sup>th</sup> World Congress of International Society for Universal Dialogue, Helsinki. He will present a paper *We Need a New Philosophy of Nature*.

**Tom Montgomery-Fate** will teach in Canterbury, England in Fall 2005.

**Lynda Randa** will attend the International Scientific Conference: 9<sup>th</sup> International Mammalogical Congress in Sapporo, Japan.

## COLLEGE LECTURE SERIES

The College Lecture Series Committee yet again provided COD with another exciting lineup of speakers.

On **March 3, 2005**, **Professor Martha Nussbaum**, Ernst Freund Professor of Law and Ethics at University of Chicago, spoke on *Compassion and Global Responsibility* on the MAC Mainstage.



On **May 3, 2005**, **Barbara Ehrenreich**, author of *Nickel and Dimed: On (Not) Getting By in America*, spoke on poverty in America based on her personal experience gained from working minimum wage jobs. The audience attendance was at its maximum with over 700 students, faculty and community members.



## TLC WINTER WORKSHOP SERIES

Related to and inspired by the College Lecture Series presentation on *Compassion and Global Responsibility* with **Martha Nussbaum**, a series of six multi-disciplinary workshops was coordinated by **Maryann Krieglstein** during Winter Quarter. Workshop participants learned how various disciplines approach the ethical questions regarding the role of compassion and imagination in the context of educating students for global responsibility. Perspectives from philosophy, sociology, literature, human services, natural science, and film were explored. The well-attended workshops were filled with thought-provoking ideas and conversation. Many thanks to Maryann, as well as **Werner Krieglstein**, **Mary Jean Cravens**, **Tom Montgomery-Fate**, **Jackie McGrath**, **Rita Bobrowski**, **Frank Salvatini**, **Richard Jarman**, **Mary Newburg**, **Karen Persky**, and **Ron Eltanal**, for their time and effort in organizing and facilitating the workshops.

## AMERICAN JOB

In preparation for **Barbara Ehrenreich's** lecture, on **NICKEL AND DIMED: ON (NOT) GETTING BY IN AMERICA**, **Ron Eltanal**, Multimedia Arts Assistant Professor, and **Richard Jarman**, Chemistry Assistant Professor, led discussions after the **April 25—27** showings of *American Job*. This is a narrative film by **Chris Smith** about Randy Scott, a youth caught in the dismal confusion of living and working in the world of minimum wage. For more film information visit [www.americanmovie.com/amjob/aj.html](http://www.americanmovie.com/amjob/aj.html).



## CHICAGO COUNCIL ON FOREIGN RELATIONS



Sharon Houtkamp, CCFR and Zinta Konrad, COD

The College of DuPage and the Chicago Council on Foreign Relations celebrated their third year of a winning partnership.

The theme for this year's speakers was *Developing Global Partnerships* and featured:

- **September 22, 2004: Ambassador Dennis Ross**, Director and Ziegler Distinguished Fellow, Washington Institute for Near East Policy  
*The Missing Peace: Inside the Story of the Fight for the Middle East*
- **October 25, 2004: Daniel W. Drezner**, Asst. Prof., Political Science, University of Chicago  
*U.S. Global Partnerships: Overview and Assessment*
- **November 1, 2004: Ajay Bhatt** Human Rights Adviser, U.S. Department of State, Office of Multilateral Affairs  
*U.S. Global Partnerships: The Multilateral and International Human Rights Context*
- **January 24, 2005: General Roméo Dallaire**, Fellow at the Carr Center for Human Rights, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University  
*The United Nations in Crisis: Where are the Middle Powers?*
- **March 14, 2005: Clark Miller**, Asst. Prof., Public Affairs, UW-Madison; **Raymond Pierrehumbert**, Prof., Geophysical Sciences, U of Chicago; **Michael Walsh**, Senior VP, Chicago Climate Exchange  
*Impacts of Global Warming: Why Should We Be Concerned?*
- **April 11, 2005: Michael Klare**, Director, Five College Program in Peace & World Security Studies, Hampshire College, Amherst, MA  
*The Permanent Energy Crisis: Oil, Depletion and War*
- **May 9, 2005: Sonia Khush**, Program Manager, Children in Emergencies & Crisis Department, *Save the Children*  
*How Organizations Work Together in a Crisis*

Next year's theme will be *Global Transformation: Shifting Power Centers*.

Remember that you can view all the programs on the COD video-streamed website at [www.cod.edu/special/ccfr/](http://www.cod.edu/special/ccfr/).

## LANGUAGE IMMERSION CAMPS FOR KIDS

Travel the world this summer by enrolling in a College of DuPage Youth Education Language Immersion Camp for students in grades three to eight. From **June 20 - August 11**, explore European, Asian, or deaf culture for eight days by joining a French, Hindi, Japanese, Spanish or Sign Language camp and learn how to use new vocabulary in everyday situations.

The more you learn, the more you earn! By demonstrating world language skills and participating in daily activities, earn "euros," "rupees," "yen," or "pesos" and use them to purchase trinkets, food, and candy on the last day of class. Or, learn sign language, fingerspelling and basic vocabulary by joining in fun games, art projects, songs and videos.

All activities are conducted entirely in the target language to provide a solid introduction to a new culture. For more information or to register, call Youth Education at (630) 942-2208 or visit our website at [www.cod.edu/conted/IWL](http://www.cod.edu/conted/IWL).

## PEOPLE EDUCATING PEOPLE

Join the People Educating People (PEP) Volunteer Program from College of DuPage as a volunteer classroom aide. Aides help adult students learn English as a Second Language (ESL), reading, writing or basic math. Day, evening and weekend classes for ESL and GED are held throughout DuPage County. Bilingual skills are needed only for Spanish GED.

PEP will train ESL and reading/math volunteer classroom aides on **July 30** and **August 6, 2005**, from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm at the Glen Ellyn campus. The deadline to register is **July 15**. Volunteers will start in the Fall semester, **August 21 - December 20**. The next training will take place in **November, 2005**. For more information, call **Joan Morris** at (630) 942-3788.

## NEW HONORS GERMAN COURSE

This upcoming academic school year has a lot in store for us at COD. German 1101 Honors is a new course with more depth in it. It is designed to meet special needs of highly motivated and academically talented students. Those who are interested in German may participate in a summer study abroad program, Language Honor Society, and a German Cultures Club. For more information about the German program at College of DuPage, please contact **Rudolf Strahl** at (630) 942-2009.



### FIELD STUDIES PROGRAMS

**July 7 - 18, 2005**

*Arctic Beluga Whale Field Study*

Cost: \$1,590

Contact: **Ed Morlan**, 942-2800, ext. 51341

**July 7 - 26, 2005**

*Crime and Punishment—English Style XI*

Cost: \$3,138

Contact: **Dennis Hudson**, 942-3360

**July 10 - August 3, 2005**

*Africa: Gorillas, Game Parks and Zanzibar*

Cost: \$4,500

Contact: **Tom Lindblade**, 942-2356

**July 30 - Aug 18, 2005**

*China: From Ancient Times to the Present - Inner Mongolia*

Cost: \$3,085

Contact: **Jane Wu**, 942-3402

**Aug 2 - 9, 2005**

*Explore The Yucatan Peninsula, Mexico*

Cost: \$1,595

Contact: **Hal Cohen**, 942-2356

**August 12 - 27, 2005**

*Greece/Turkey: Exploring its History and Culture*

Cost: \$3,443

Contact: **John Stasinopoulos**, 942-2013

**August 13 - 21, 2005**

*French Country Cooking*

Cost: \$2,850

Contact: **Chris Thielman**, 942-2720

**August 27 - September 6, 2005**

*Discovering Science in Europe*

Cost: \$2,455

Contact: **Richard Jarman**, 942-2451

**September 24 - October 2, 2005**

*British Columbia: Killer Whale and Marine Mammal Field Study*

Cost: \$1,936

Contact: **Ed Morlan**, 942-2800, ext. 51341

**January 2006**

*Spain: Exploring its Multicultural Heritage*

Cost: \$2,000

Contact: **Tammie Bob**, 942-3327 or

**Eva Raepple**, 942-3983

**February 2006**

*Antarctic Adventure 2006*

Cost: \$6,490

Contact: **Terri O'Donnell**, 942-2800, ext. 51099

### CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS

**September 14 - 17, 2005:** *Dealing with Difference Institute*, Western Illinois University, featuring presentations by **Dr. Henry Giroux** on the *Radical Pedagogy and Prophetic Thought of Paulo Freire*; **Dr. Benjamin Barber** on *The Challenge of Diversity in a World of Malevolent Interdependence*; and **Teatro Milagro, Cuentame Coyote**, folktales of the Southwest through music and drama. Concurrent sessions will include workshops by **Marg Dilg, Nilda Flores-Gonzalez, Amanda Lewis, and Catherine Hurt Middlecamp**. For further program information and a registration form, go to [www.wiu.edu/ICDA](http://www.wiu.edu/ICDA).

**October 10 - 12:** *Emerging Science and Technologies in Sustainable Development*, 2005 IEEE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SYSTEMS, MAN, AND CYBERNETICS, Hawaii. For information, go to [www.ieeesmc205.unm.edu](http://www.ieeesmc205.unm.edu)

**October 29:** *3rd Annual ICIP Faculty Development Seminar* at Franklin College in Indiana. Concurrent sessions in the morning will feature, *Teaching about Islam in Africa: Historical and Cultural Dimensions*, presented by the African Studies Program, Indiana University, and *Preparing Students and Faculty for Intercultural Experiences*. The afternoon session will feature, *Art as Culture* led by **Dr. Jon Gordon**, Findlay University (Ohio), and *What Administrators and Students Need to Know About NGO's*. For information please contact **Dr. Simone Pilon** at [spilon@franklincollege.edu](mailto:spilon@franklincollege.edu).

**November 10 - 12:** *The Humanities: Who Tells the Story?* Community College Humanities Association National Conference, Cambridge, MA. For more information visit [www.cchaassoc.org](http://www.cchaassoc.org)

**November 10 - 12:** *Blending Cultures, Blending Strength*, 6th Annual SIETAR Conference, Jersey City, New Jersey. For information visit [www.SIETAR.org](http://www.SIETAR.org)

### JUST VIEWS

Free to the public: Each 2nd Friday of the month, please join us to view films about current, vital peace-and-justice issues and share views from various vantages with citizens who care, and invited experts - Parking is FREE!

These Friday evening programs begin at 7:20 pm, sponsored by the DuPage Peace through Justice Coalition, and are held at the Unitarian Church in Naperville, IL at 4 S 535 Old Naperville Road, Naperville, IL 60563-1580.

Contact **Stephanie Downs Hughes** at (630) 420-4233 for a schedule of upcoming films.



## SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDY IN SWEDEN AND SCANDINAVIA

### The Malmberg Scholarship and Fellowship Program The American Swedish Institute, Minneapolis, MN

The **Malmberg Scholarship and Fellowship Program** supports intellectual connections between the United States and Sweden by providing grants to students and scholars. The program has two components:

- The Malmberg Scholarship for Study in Sweden
- The Malmberg Fellowship for Study at the American Swedish Institute

The Malmberg Scholarship for Study in Sweden awards up to \$10,000 for one academic year of study in Sweden. Enrolled under-graduate and graduate students, and qualified scholars are eligible. The recipient must be a U.S. resident.

The **Malmberg Fellowship for Study at the American Swedish Institute** awards up to \$4,000 for a program of work or study at the American Swedish Institute (ASI). The recipient may be an organization, scholar, professional, or artist. The program proposed by the recipient will involve study in the archives, collections, or programs of ASI.

The program application deadline for the '06-'07 academic year is **November 15, 2005**. For complete information and application forms, email **Nina Clark** at [ninac@americanswedishinst.org](mailto:ninac@americanswedishinst.org) or visit [www.americanswedishinst.org/scholarship.htm](http://www.americanswedishinst.org/scholarship.htm).

### Awards for Study in Scandinavia 2006-2007 Fellowships and Grants for Advanced Study or Research in Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden

The American-Scandinavian Foundation (ASF) offers fellowships up to \$20,000 and grants (normally \$4,000) to individuals to pursue research or study in one or more Scandinavian countries for up to one year. Awards are made in all fields. Applicants must have completed their undergraduate education and have a well-defined research or study project that makes a stay in Scandinavia essential. The ASF considers it desirable that all candidates have at least some ability in the language of the host country, even if it is not essential for the execution of the research plan. The deadline is **November 1, 2005**. Application forms are available at [www.amscan.org](http://www.amscan.org).

## NEW IN THE LIBRARY



Welsch, Janice R., and Adams, J.Q. *Multicultural Films: A Reference Guide*. Westport, CT: Greenwood Press, 2005. Discusses minorities in motion pictures.

O'Rourke, Shannon, producer and director. *In the Name of Love [videorecording]*. Los Angeles, CA: SOR Productions; Harriman, NY: New Day Films [distributor], c2002. A documentary about mail order brides from Russia.

## COMING NEXT YEAR...

**Mark your calendars for these exciting programs:**

**October 11-12, 2005:** the Regional Center for Asian Studies Development will celebrate its 10th Anniversary.

**November 14-18, 2005: International Education Week** will feature a week long series of activities celebrating the importance of international education worldwide.

The Asia Committee is organizing *The Silk Road Symposium* with noted speakers during the day followed by films and others activities in the afternoon and evening.

Stay tuned for details! For more upcoming events go to [www.cod.edu/academic/intled/IntEvent.htm](http://www.cod.edu/academic/intled/IntEvent.htm).



## RESOURCES

New books in the COD Library Reference collection:

**ATLAS UNIVERSAL DE FILOSOFIA**  
Ref. B 51 .A 852 2004

**DICTIONARY OF LITERARY BIOGRAPHY: VOL. 307,  
BRAZILIAN WRITERS**  
Ref. PN 451 .D 5 v.307 2005

**ECONOMIC SURVEY OF EUROPE (UN)**  
Ref. HC 240 .A 1 U 477 2005

**ENCYCLOPEDIA OF CONTEMPORARY CHINESE CULTURE**  
Ref. DS 779.23 .E 53 2005.

**ENCYCLOPEDIA OF RELIGION, 2ND ED.**  
Ref. BL 31 .E 46 2005

**ENCYCLOPEDIA OF THE MODERN OLYMPIC MOVEMENT**  
Ref. GV 721.5 .H 546 2004

**HISTORICAL DICTIONARY OF ARMS CONTROL AND  
DISARMAMENT**  
Ref. JZ 5645 .L 38 2005

**HISTORICAL DICTIONARY OF KOSOVO**  
Ref. DR 2075.6 .E 46 2004

**HOOVER'S HANDBOOK OF WORLD BUSINESS 2005**  
Ref. HG 4009 .H 2005

**INDEX OF ECONOMIC FREEDOM 2005**  
Ref. HB 95 .I 48 2005

**INDIGENOUS PEOPLES AND ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES: AN  
ENCYCLOPEDIA**  
Ref. GF 50 .J 65 2003

**INTERNATIONAL GOVERNMENT INFORMATION AND  
COUNTRY INFORMATION: A SUBJECT GUIDE**  
Ref. ZA 5050 .M 67 2004

**INTERNATIONAL MARKETING DATA AND STATISTICS 2005**  
Ref. HA 42 .I 56 2005

**MC GRAW-HILL'S ATLAS OF WORLD EVENTS**  
Ref. G 1030 .A 4 2005

**MULTICULTURAL FILMS: A REFERENCE GUIDE**  
Ref. PN 1995.9 .M 56 W 45 2005

**NUEVA AUTODIDACTICA: ENCICLOPEDIA TEMATICA  
UNIVERSAL**  
Ref. AE 61 .N 84 2004

**OXFORD HISTORY OF WESTERN MUSIC**  
Ref. ML 160 .T 18 2005

**WATER ATLAS**  
Ref. GB 671 .C 54 2004

## POETRY

**Olfat El-Mallakh**, Part-time Instructor in Religion, shares a personal recurring dream:

### Last Night

I dreamt of Egypt  
Sphinx, Nile, and all,  
I climbed a Pyramid  
Of memories and griefs, to its full.  
Like an apprehensive twig I lulled.  
To the sun and moon I called.  
But only the sky gave it all...  
Thunder, groans, and rain falls.  
I woke up in a shelter,  
Weeping away my happiness.  
Egypt was mine but in my subconscious...

**Eva Maria Raepple**, Philosophy Professor, sent along her favorite poem by Pablo Neruda:

### Fleas interest me so much

Fleas interest me so much  
that I let them bit me for hours.  
They are perfect, ancient, Sanskrit,  
machines that admit of no appeal.  
They do not bite to eat,  
they bite only to jump;  
They are the dancers of the celestial sphere,  
delicate acrobats in the softest and most profound circus;  
Let them gallop on my skin,  
divulge their emotions,  
amuse themselves with my blood,  
but someone should introduce them to me.  
I want to know them closely,  
I want to know what to rely on.

## THANKS

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