

**COMMITTEE ON INSTRUCTIONAL DEVELOPMENT
ANNUAL REPORT 2004-2005**

Committee Members

Elected:

Robert G. Best	Medicine	2005
Manton Matthews	Computer Sc. & Engr.	2005
Erica Tobolski	Theatre & Dance	2005
Kate Boyd	University Libraries	2006
Abdul Ghaffar	Medicine	2006
Rose Marshall	University Libraries	2006
Stephen Bajjaly	Library and Information Science	2007
Lynda Nilges	Education	2007
Ellen Potter	Education	2007

Appointed:

Vance Kornegay	Mass Communication	2005
Wally Peters	Engineering	2005
Jed Lyons	Engineering	2006
Jessica Kross	History	2007
Pamela Barnett	English	2007

Ex Officio

Karl Heider	Office of Provost
Steve Adams	DEIS

The Committee was met with some additional bad news before the start of the academic year. Due to budget pressures in the prior year the Provost removed the budget for the Provost's Instructional Development Grants and for the Faculty Teaching Seminars. Just before this year Provost Odom cut the number of Mungo Undergraduate Awards from four to three and cut the number of Graduate Mungo Awards from three to one.

Faculty Teaching Seminars

Robert Best (chair), Rose Marshall and Erica Tobolski served on this subcommittee. Topics and speakers were as follows:

- 1) November 20, 2004 - Dr. Ronald Prier (School of Medicine) – Using video excerpts in Powerpoint presentations.
- 2) February 20, 2005 - Van Korengay and The Bateman Team – How students cheat!
- 3) March 18, 2005 - Six Mungo Graduate Teaching Awardees (Michael Amiridis, Chaden Djalali, Victor Giurgiutiu, Christina Friend, Ted Moore, and Dan Reger) shared their views and advice on excellence in graduate teaching.
- 4) April 7, 2005 - Dr. James Roberts (Mathematics) – 2004 Amoco Teaching Awardee presented a series of lessons learned along the path to teaching excellence.

Teaching Development Grants

As funding was withdrawn in Summer 2003, additional members were not appointed and the subcommittee obviously never met.

Michael J. Mungo Undergraduate Teaching Awards

Van Kornegay, Chair; Wally Peters; Manton Matthews; Kate Boyd; Mary Waters (undergraduate student in Journalism) served on this subcommittee. The Mungo Undergraduate Teaching Award Committee received 19 completed applications. There were many outstanding candidates. We met on February 25 and selected eight finalists from this pool. Unlike previous years, none of these awards are earmarked for any one school or college. The finalists were interviewed on March 17 and March 25. After the final set of interviews; Gregory Carbone, Geography; Greg Forter, English; Kenneth Kelly, Anthropology; and Claudia Benitez-Nelson, Geological Sciences were recommended to the Provost.

Michael J. Mungo Graduate Teaching Awards

Robert Best, Chair; Jessica Kross; Manton Matthews; Walter Purvis (graduate student in Philosophy) served on this subcommittee. The Mungo Graduate Teaching Award Committee received 14 completed applications. There were many outstanding candidates. We selected four candidates for interviews. In contrast to previous years where we have had three awards to present, there was just one award available for this academic year. The committee selected Lawrence Glickman as the awardee.

Thanks to Committee Members that are finishing their terms this year: Robert Best did an excellent job chairing both the Graduate Mungo Award and Instructional Development Seminars subcommittees this year. When an initial assignment fell through Bob agreed to do this double duty. Erica Tobolski chaired the undergraduate Mungo Subcommittee in 2004 and did an excellent job. Van Kornegay served as chair for the Undergraduate Mungo Award and also helped arrange one of the best Instructional Development Seminars this year (“How we cheat”). While Wally Peters did not officially chair the Mungo Undergraduate Subcommittee, he has served valiantly and passionately for three years on this most important subcommittee. All of these members and their leadership will be missed by the committee. In addition this committee would like to recognize the outstanding support of Rhonda Filiatreault of the Provost’s Office.

Respectfully submitted,
Manton Matthews, Chair