Stockton College Annual Day of Scholarship
Set for Wednesday, March 4
Faculty Projects, Engagement on Display

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Galloway Township, NJ- The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey will conduct its Ninth Annual Day of Scholarship on Wednesday, March 4, 2009, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the West Quad Building on the Galloway Township campus.

The Faculty Assembly and Office of the Provost launched the Day of Scholarship in 2000 as a means to highlight academic achievements, share them and engage students, faculty, staff and community members. Each year the event has grown in popularity.

“The Day of Scholarship is an eagerly anticipated showcase of Stockton faculty members’ research and publications in their respective areas of study,” said President Herman J. Saatkamp, Jr. “Once again, there is a large and varied lineup of presentations reflecting the depth and breadth of scholarly activities that one would expect from Stockton, a nationally ranked public college founded in the liberal arts tradition.”

Provost Carr will be opening the event at 8:30 a.m. Dr. Saatkamp will give remarks at 10:00 a.m., followed by viewings of posters highlighting projects and various areas of study. There will also be oral and video presentations in the electronic classroom locations within the West Quad Building. Both 20-minute individual presentations and 40-minute panel discussion presentations will be held. A full schedule with specific locations will be available at the event.

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What follows is a sampling of some highlights scheduled for this year’s Day of Scholarship:

- Russ Manson, Associate Professor, Computational Science – “The Development and Application of a Mathematical Modeling System for Simulating Water Circulation, and Heat and Salinity Transport in Rivers, Estuaries and Fjords” – Presentation of a computational model for natural earth systems and its application to modeling in lakes.

- Jill Gerhardt, Associate Professor, Computer Science and Information Systems, Michael Cronin, Assistant Professor, Social Work and MaryAnn Trail, Public Services Librarian/Associate Professor in the Library – “Just do it Online” – Presentation of improved student performance when classroom and library materials are made accessible online.

- Mary Lou Galantino, Professor, Physical Therapy – “Longitudinal Benefits of Wellness Coaching Interventions for Cancer Survivors” – Presentation on the positive results of using various forms of coaching in health care.

- Lisa Rosner, Professor of History – “Workshop on Oral History – Grab your Recorders and Come as you Are” – A hands-on workshop for anyone interested in starting an oral history project.

- Mark Mallet, Assistant Professor, Theatre Arts, Arnaldo Cordero-Roman, Associate Professor of Spanish – The final act of “Pedro and the Captain” by Mario Benedetti – Faculty and student reading of the first English translation of this Uruguayan author.

Immediately following the day’s activities, the School of Graduate Studies will host a Graduate School and Graduate Student Council Reception in the West Quad Rotunda.

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