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We're Here to Assist You!

OSP Resources for Your Research and Presentations

Recent Awards

College of Business

Rutgers Small Business Development Center Program

WPU Small Business Development Center

\$100,000.00

Through the WPU Small Business Development Center, the University provides training, advice and support to entrepreneurs interested in starting or expanding their small businesses in Passaic County.

College of Business

J.P. MorganChase

WPU Small Business Development Center

\$5,000.00

General support for the WPU Small Business Development Center.

College of Business

City of Paterson, Urban Enterprize Zone

WPU Small Business Development Center

\$100,000.00

Support for WPU Small Business Development Center activities in the City of Paterson.

Dr. Leslie Agard-Jones

NJ Commission of Higher Education

Teacher Preparation, Quality and Capacity, FY 2002

\$223,295.00

Provides new faculty and resources for the College of Education to help WPU graduates fill the need for high quality teachers in New Jersey schools.

Dr. Connie Bareford

Department of Health and Human Services

Traineeship for Advanced Nursing Education

\$44,051.00

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Dr. Edward Boardman

NJ Department of Education

Provisional Teachers Program, FY 2002

\$104,438.00

The State of New Jersey's Provisional Teacher Program provides an alternate route for post-baccalaureate adults to become teachers by providing them with the ability to obtain their pedagogical training while working in a classroom.

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The Office of Sponsored Programs (OSP) is not just interested in winning grant awards. A major area of our interests lie with supporting and encouraging the quantity and quality of research, service and arts programs at WPUNJ. The stronger our reputation in these areas, the better our ability to submit competitive proposals. The mission of the OSP is to assist the research, programmatic and service objectives of individual and groups of faculty and staff through activities that support obtaining and managing external funding. The OSP provides assistance and support to all WPUNJ personnel who seek support through grants, contracts, sponsorships or contributions for research, teaching, curriculum development and other projects or activities. To support these goals, the OSP maintains a number of tools that can help you research, prepare for and present your projects. We are here to help you. Please feel free to call or stop by to use any of the following:

Equipment:

- A dedicated computer workstation ready for quickly accessing its CD-ROM and Internet-based databases.
- Polaroid ProPalette 7000 slide-maker transfers virtually any software file format to slide film for your presentations.
- A scanner for documents and pictures or to create overhead transparencies, slides or images for articles or proposals.
- Display boards for loan.

Reference Materials:

- The OSP maintains a library of books and resources, CD-ROM and Internet-based databases and other easy-to-use research tools.

Publications:

The OSP subscribes to a variety of newsletters and other publications that can assist in information gathering. For example, we house back issues of the *CUR Quarterly* from the Council on Undergraduate Research and *Converge Magazine*, a publication that seeks to improve education with technology by providing education leaders with information and solutions. The OSP is happy to make these and its other publications available for you.

People:

The friendly, knowledgeable people who make up the OSP staff want to assist you. Feel free to come pick our brains! Director Martin Williams has about fifteen years of research and grant writing experience. By being an active member of numerous professional organizations, such as the National Council of University Research Administrators, the Council for

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Never Underestimate the Power of a WPUNJ Woman

Nancy Einreinhofer
University Galleries
New Jersey State
Council on the Arts
\$54,000



The University Art Galleries, under the direction of Dr. Nancy Einreinhofer, received a \$54,000 multi-year grant from the New Jersey State Council on the Arts in 2000. Providing \$18,000.00 annually, the grant supports exhibitions, lectures and publications in a diverse array of artistic endeavors. Included in the Fall 2001 schedule were paintings of WPU people by Marvin Friedman, ceramic sculpture by Bill Stewart, and a collection of photographs of artists in their studios. These exhibits were reviewed by the New York Times. The Friedman exhibit was featured on NJN's "State of the Arts" program including an interview with the artist and Dr. Einreinhofer.

The University galleries consist of five galleries totaling 8200 square feet of exhibition space located in two buildings: Ben Shahn and the Power Art Building. These galleries make excellent examples of contemporary art, accompanied by educational materials, available to both the WPU community and the public in surrounding areas. The role of the galleries is to present changing exhibitions and to maintain and exhibit the University's permanent collections, as well as present lectures on art. The Power Art gallery is dedicated to showing the work of students, including regional high school students, and faculty. In addition to the exhibition spaces, the gallery program maintains and manages the University's sixteen collections, the most visible of which is the "Sculpture on Campus" collection of twenty-one large scale outdoor sculptures by contemporary artists of national reputation.

Gallery Director Nancy Einreinhofer, who holds a Ph.D. in Museum Studies, and her assistant Margaret Culmone, manage this exciting program. With the continuing support of the New Jersey Council on the Arts, the galleries will continue to educate and inspire us.

Amy Wollock
NJ Dept of Education
Mentoring Program
\$235,968.00

Amy Wollock, the Director of Certification, directed this dynamic program benefiting teachers throughout Northern New Jersey. WPUNJ College of Education was the lead agency with the New Jersey City University's College of Education as our partner for the program. Together, we developed and implemented

multiple one-day orientations for veteran teachers to serve as mentors to novice teachers. One goal of this program was to help ensure that novice teachers receive the support they need to ease their transition into the role of confident, skilled professionals. In doing so, the program ultimately

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Undergraduate Research and the Association of Fundraising Professionals, Martin stays current on the latest opportunities to fund or present research, as well as new techniques to help enliven presentations. He is always happy to discuss your projects and show you how to apply for financial support. We're here to help!

Dr. Michael Chirichello
NJ Department of Education
Passaic County Technical Institute Professional Development School
\$34,525.00

Creates a collaborative relationship between WPU and Passaic County Technical Institute dedicated to improving the professional skills of educators.

Dr. Michael Chirichello
NJ Department of Education
Hawthorne High School Professional Development School
\$35,156.00

Creates a collaborative relationship between WPU and Hawthorne High School dedicated to improving the professional skills of educators.

Dr. Joanne Cho
Holocaust Education Foundation
Conference Attendance
\$750.00

See article on Page 4.

Dr. David Demsey and Bill Houston
NJ State Council on the Arts
WPU Jazz Presenters, FY 2002
\$19,575.00

Support for the WPU Jazz Room Series and Summer Jazz Festival, featuring visiting world class jazz musicians, a critical part of the Jazz Program's superior international reputation.

Nancy Einreinhofer
NJ State Council on the Arts
University Art Galleries, FY 2002
\$18,000.00

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Michael Giorgio
NJ State Council on the Arts
University Cultural Series New Audience Program
\$9,094.00

Supports theater production of Shakespeare's *The Tempest* by the Aquilla Theatre Company.

Michael Giorgio
Mid-Atlantic Arts Foundation
University Cultural Series New Audience Program
\$5,000.00

Supports theater production of Shakespeare's *The Tempest* by the Aquilla Theatre Company.

Dr. Daphne Joslin
Wallerstein Foundation
Elder Campus Mentor Program
\$30,000.00

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Dr. Nancy Norris-Bauer
NJ Historical Commission
New Jersey History Day 2002
\$20,000.00

See article on Page 3.

Dr. Richard Pardi
NJ Higher Education Partnership for Sustainability
Oldham Pond Resources
 Supports research conducted at Oldham Pond.

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Dr. Lance Risley

Federal Aviation Administration
Distribution, Abundance and Species Diversity of Bats

\$38,000.00

Supports Dr. Risley's research on bats at the FAA Technical Center, to evaluate the potential ecological risk of water pollution to our forest ecosystems.

Dr. Michael Sebetich

Bayer Corp.
Oldham Pond Undergraduate Student Stipend Program

\$6,000.00

Supports student assistance in research conducted at Oldham Pond.

Kathy Silgailis and Vishwa Bhat

National Science Foundation
Promoting Undergraduate Research

\$197,195

Supports creation of a two-part research methods and statistics course for majors in five Science & Health departments and activities to promote undergraduate research.

Darryl Smith

Enterprise-Rent-A-Car-Corp
The Academic Leadership Development Conference for African-American and Latino Men

\$2,500.00

To support fifth annual conference developing leadership skills for young minority men.

Darryl Smith

NJ Martin Luther King Commemorative Commission
The Academic Leadership Development Conference for African-American and Latino Men

\$5,000.00

To support fifth annual conference developing leadership skills for young minority men.

Dr. Gabe Wang

US Department of Education
Asian Studies Program

156,000.00

This grant will enable WPU to expand the new Asian Studies program by enhancing course offerings, developing faculty expertise and creating a Japanese Language faculty position.

Amy Wollock

NJ Department of Education
Mentoring Training

\$235,968.00

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Gifts of Equipment**Dr. Bogong Su**

Motorola Corp.
Motorola TIC 6 Research

\$17,980.00

Gift of computer equipment.

Contracts**Dr. Kathy Malu**

Paterson Public Schools
Paterson School 25 Tutors

\$6,380.00

Providing tutors for Paterson's School 25 students.

benefits both teachers and students; mentors help beginners become better teachers for their students and happier employees for their schools. Teachers who received this support will be more satisfied in their roles and more likely to continue their careers.

Amy Wollock relished her role as director. "I especially enjoyed working with all the knowledgeable professors in this program," she said. Even so, managing such a large program isn't easy. Wollock gives considerable credit to her assistant, Michele Wright, for helping the program run smoothly. "I couldn't have done it without Michele," Wollock admitted.

Over 750 teacher mentors participated in 25 one-day sessions lead by WPU and New Jersey City faculty. The workshops covered many aspects of successful mentoring. Some of the topics covered included the needs of novice teachers, nuts and bolts of mentoring, and building relationships. Participants were enthusiastic about receiving the training, which was free of charge. The successful completion of this project has positioned William Paterson as a leading provider of



Nancy Norris-Bauer
NJ Historical Commission
NJ History Day 2002
\$20,000

held prior to statewide event. More than 600,000 elementary and high school students across the country participate in National History Day programs, researching historical events and presenting their finding at History Day events in every state. Winners of all these preliminary program events, travel to Maryland for the national competition. This year, a special workshops will be offered to New Jersey's winners to enhance their ability to compete successfully at the national program.

Nancy is more than the Project Director for New Jersey History Day, she has become a recognized advocate for improving history education. "This program is special—students really get involved," said Ms. Norris-Bauer. "They use primary resources, such as diaries and interviews do the research. The contest is a vehicle to share their learning. The purpose of the program," she continued, "is to change the way history is taught and learned in elementary and secondary schools by challenging students to conduct meaningful historical inquiry and providing a positive learning environment in which students' work is evaluated outside the classroom." The number of students involved, the organizations on the advisory council, and an award she received from the New Jersey Historical Commission are just a few of the signs that her dedication has stimulated this project, students, schools and organizations across the state.

This grant award is the third from the New Jersey Historical Commission for New Jersey History Day. Ms. Norris-Bauer has previously received \$15,000 for the 2000 program and \$10,000 for the 2001 program. William Paterson University is proud to support Ms. Norris-Bauer's efforts as the state coordinator for this terrific program.

Connie Bareford
Dept of Health & Human Services
Traineeship for Advanced
Nursing Education
\$44,051.00

Dr. Connie Bareford, Graduate Program Director, earned this grant to support graduate nursing students, as another way the Nursing Department shows its commitment to the academic success of its students. This grant provides tuition, books and travel monies for graduate nursing students. This support is tremendously important for the adult students, who in the past struggled to meet the competing demands of their multiple roles: parent, student, employee, etc. The graduate nursing program's purpose is to prepare nurse leaders to bring advanced skills and knowledge back to the community. This grant allows students to fulfill their commitment to those goals.

Joanne Cho
Holocaust Education Foundation
Conference Attendance
\$750.00

Dr. Joanne Cho of the College of Humanities and Social Sciences is always striving to increase her expertise in her field, which is history. This grant from the Holocaust Education Foundation supported Dr. Cho's recent participation at the East European Study Seminar. Dr. Cho sets a first-rate example for her students of dedication in pursuit of learning.

Daphne Joslin
Wallerstein Foundation
Elder Campus Mentor Program
\$30,000.00

Dr. Daphne Joslin, professor of Community Health and Director of the University's Institute for Creative Aging, is dedicated to older adults; and she's passionate about the benefits younger people derive from knowing older adults. The Institute for Creative Aging launched a program to spread just such benefits to William Paterson students. "Students of Life" is an intergenerational mentoring program that pairs older volunteers with WPU students. This relationship allows the students to benefit from the treasure of wisdom and life experiences that the elder adults are happy to share. The grant from the Wallerstein Foundation supports this wonderful program that benefits both WPU students and their older friends from the surrounding community. William Paterson is pleased to be home to this valuable program.

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OSP Reference and Research Services

The OSP has a dedicated computer workstation ready for quickly accessing its CD-ROM and Internet-based databases as well as other resources and services available on the Internet for identifying funding opportunities. FC-Search, the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance, the Grant Resource Center's GrantSearch and Oryx Publication's Grant Select are easy-to-use tools that reduce searches to minutes. Each provides additional resources, from direct links to the agencies and programs included in its database to "how-to" manuals on how to write different kinds of proposals.

Newsletters, books and directories available to help obtain and manage grant awards

The OSP subscribes to newsletters that provide information on funding opportunities, maintains a library of books and resources that support the grants process, distributes email announcements of new funding opportunities, and supports a website with a variety of resources covering everything from finding funding opportunities to managing funded projects to complying with federal regulations.

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