

EMPLOYEE *Recognition* LUNCHEON

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MERCY COLLEGE OF
HEALTH SCIENCES COUNCIL

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 2006
11:45 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.
MERCY COLLEGE BRENNAN HALL

PROGRAM

Welcome John Nies
Reflection Pamela Murphy

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

Connie Clark

Faculty Excellence Award Shirley Beaver

Don Matz

Adjunct Faculty Excellence Award Cindy Green

Missy Chapman

Professional Staff Excellence Award Susan Rhoades

OUTSTANDING CRITICAL THINKING PEDAGOGY 2005-06

Presented by Hugh Hansen

2007-08 COLLEGE SENATE PRESIDENT-ELECT

Announced by Barb Braband

YEARS OF SERVICE WITH MERCY

5 Years of Service

Kim Casper-Bruett
Eileen Hansen
Carolyn Kern

10 Years of Service

Mary Jankowski

15 Years of Service

Missy Chapman
Connie Clark

25 Years of Service

Dale Brown

30 Plus Years of Service

Mildred Agena, 30
JoAnn Humphreys, 31
Joann Olson, 36
Mary Schemmel, 31

"Drop in the Bucket" Campaign Kathy Balmer
Closing Barbara Q. Decker

FACULTY AND STAFF TITLE CHANGES

JoAnn Humphreys - *Nursing Professor to Chair of Bachelor and Associate of Science in Nursing Programs*

Tom Iverson - *College Technology Specialist to Systems Analyst*

Anne Negus - *Secretary, Academic Affairs & Student Services to Computer Training Specialist and Administrative Assistant*

Gina Penn - *DMS Instructor to Chair of Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program*

Theresa Smith - *Program Coordinator for Certificates to NSG 257 Course Coordinator*

Mark Stevens - *Associate Professor to Professor*

Deb Taylor - *Adjunct Nursing Instructor to Nursing Instructor*

Jennifer Thompson - *Library Assistant to Assistant Library Director*

PEOPLE NEW TO THE COLLEGE

Carolyn Bucklin, *Assistant Registrar*

Joni Cowden, *Student Health Registered Nurse*

Barbara Decker, *President*

Marti Doyle, *Retention Program Coordinator*

Helena Hanson, *Assessment Coordinator*

Patty Isenminger, *Student Services Secretary*

Melissa Miller, *Graphic Designer*

Pamela Murphy, *Faculty Secretary*

Dana Oetker, *Radiology Instructor*

Lance Pfantz, *Library Assistant*

Margaret Richey, *Assistant Professor*

Dave Steenhoek, *Facilities Supervisor*

EDUCATIONAL MILESTONES

Theresa Smith *earned a Masters of Science in Nursing.*

Kathy Balmer *earned a Bachelors in Business Administration.*

Missy Chapman *earned a GED.*

Carolyn Kern *is the first person to earn a Post-Master's Certificate in Nursing Education from Nebraska Methodist College.*

Joann Olson *earned a Certificate in Nursing Education by passing a national exam administered by the National League of Nursing.*

RESEARCH & SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES

Andrea Addington

Michael Allsopp

Shirley Beaver

Barb Braband

Jennifer Bradley

Connie Clark

Carolyn Kern

Jeannine Matz

Joan McCleish

Joe Moravec

Glenn Oren

Susan Rhoades

Mark Stevens

Nancy Tremmel

ACCREDITATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1) The **Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs** (CAAHEP) has awarded the Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program continuing accreditation for five years.
- 2) The **National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission** (NLNAC) has awarded the Associate of Science in Nursing Program continuing accreditation for 8 years.
- 3) The **Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs** (CAAHEP) voted to award the Medical Assisting Program initial accreditation for three years, the maximum time allowed.
- 4) The **Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs** (CAAHEP) voted to award a 10-year continuing accreditation to the Surgical Technology Program.
- 5) The **Joint Review Committee on Educational Programs in Nuclear Medicine Technology** (JRCNMT) voted to award initial accreditation for three years to the Nuclear Medicine Technology Program.