

# SC ACHIEVEMENTS

**Bill DeArmond**, professor of mass communications and film, has had two collections of his stories released by Lulu Publishing ([www.lulu.com](http://www.lulu.com)). They are titled *Hail, Freedomia! and Other Tales* and *Visions of Shadow and Light*. The second book also includes stories by his wife, **Angela Messinger DeArmond '82**, as well as by **Adam Messinger '99**. DeArmond also has his story "Doppelganger" published online by *Nth Degree Magazine* ([www.nthzine.com](http://www.nthzine.com)). The University of Maine journal *The Binnacle* included "Hail, Freedomia!" He received honorable mention in the *ByLine* magazine poetry contest and had poems accepted by *Tacenda*, *Poetry Harbor* and *WestWard Quarterly*. His article, "A No-Nonsense Guide to the Writer's Market," will appear in the December issue of the *Kansas Writers Association* newsletter. *True Romance* is publishing DeArmond's poem "Winter" in its January 2006 edition.

**Delilah Caldwell**, online services librarian, presented a paper, "The Shared-Value Thesis," at the Southwestern Philosophical Society conference at the University of Arkansas during November. The paper will be published in the journal *Southwest Philosophy Review* next year.

**Chris Caldwell**, assistant professor of philosophy, gave comments on a paper at the Southwestern Philosophical Society conference at the University of Arkansas during November. His comments were "A Reply to 'Teaching Nature: Natural Virtue and Practical Wisdom' in the *Nicomachean Ethics*."

**David Gardner**, assistant professor of music and director of choirs, is author of "Herbert Howells' Requiem: A Guide to Preparation and Performance" that was published in the October 2005 issue of *Choral Journal*.

**George Heinrich**, technical advisor for professional studies, is co-author of "Prepare Students for Technical Degrees" in the October issue of *Quality Progress*. *Quality Progress* is the monthly publication for American Society for Quality (ASQ).

**James Leland**, affiliate instructor of organ, presented the dedicatory recital celebrating the consecration of the Schantz Pipe Organ at the Woodmont United Methodist Church in Reidsville, N.C. The recital was Sept. 25.

**Southwestern College Professional Studies** was applauded for its role in the awarding of the APICS Education Award of Excellence to Engenio Information Technologies, Inc. Southwestern partnered with Engenio Wichita Operations Training Department two years ago to provide APICS educational training opportunities both at the Wichita Professional Studies Centers and on-site at Engenio.

**Steve Rankin**, associate professor of religious studies and campus minister, is author of six articles on theological education published throughout the summer in *The United Methodist Reporter*. Rankin wrote an article in the May issue of *Zion's Herald*, a response to another article which advocated for the division of the United Methodist Church. He also wrote a chapter in the book *Reconsidering the Great Commis-*

*sion* (Abingdon, 2005) titled "DISCIPLE Bible Study and Changed Lives."

**Marguerite Regan**, assistant professor of English, led a roundtable discussion titled "When Professor Becomes Game-master" at the Reacting to the Past Faculty Conference held March 2005 at the University of Georgia at Athens.

**Cheryl Rude**, assistant professor of leadership, was co-presenter of "Can a Partnership With Rotary International Fund a College Leadership Development Laboratory?" Nov. 5 at the International Leadership Association's annual conference in Amsterdam. The report examined the benefits, challenges, and prospects for replication of a partnership model between college-based leadership development programs and Rotary service clubs.

**Jane Schlickau**, associate professor of nursing, is co-author of a paper published in the *Journal of Advanced Nursing*, "Breastfeeding as Health-Promoting Behaviour for Hispanic Women."

**Sue Simmons**, director of human resources, attended the Kansas Society for Human Resources conference held in Wichita September 14-16.

**Michael Tessmer**, assistant professor of chemistry, had an article published in the October issue of the *Journal of College Science Teaching* on a case study he developed for a general chemistry course involving the global transport of polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs). Title of the article is "PCBs in the Last Frontier: A Case Study on the Scientific Method."

**Stephen Woodburn**, assistant professor of history, and **Phil Schmidt**, professor of history, attended the Mid-America Conference on History in Lawrence Sept. 22 through 24. Schmidt presented a paper titled "Righteous Indignation: The Male Political Establishment and Wyoming's Grant of Woman Suffrage." Woodburn presented "Russia's Search for Identity: The New Vogue of Nikolai Danilevsky. He recently was named a fellow of the Center for Russian and East European and Eurasian Studies at the University of Kansas.

## CAMPUS MILESTONES

**Stephen and Dixie Woodburn** welcomed their third daughter, Ruby Claire, on Halloween Day. Stephen is assistant professor of history at SC.

**David Nichols '60**, emeritus dean and vice president for faculty at Southwestern lectured at the National Archives



in Washington, D.C., on Nov. 15. Nichols, who retired from Southwestern in 2002, gave the Herbert Brownell Memorial Lecture, "Eisenhower's Civil War: The Politics of Civil Rights in the 1950s." The lecture was co-sponsored by the Eisenhower Library, the Eisenhower Foundation, and the National Archives Experience, and drew much of its content from Nichols' forthcoming book on the subject.



On Nov. 12, 2005, three outstanding alumni who have excelled in the field of science were inducted into the Southwestern College Natural Science Hall of Fame. This year's inductees were honored at a dinner and ceremony following the unveiling of plaques in Beech Science Center. Members of the 2005 Natural Science Hall of Fame are (left) Ray A. Waller '59, (right) E. Keith Hege '56, and Verlin L. Hoberecht '51. Accepting the award on behalf of the late Dr. Hoberecht was his son, (center) Bill Hoberecht.

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