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PART II

## **GOLDWATER SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION:**

Three Sacred Heart University science majors, Chris Vachon (Biology), Beck Warren (Chemistry), and Emily Berna (Environmental Science), completed the lengthy

application process for the national Goldwater Scholarship competition. Competition rules allowed the University to enter all three applications in the national completion. Two years ago, Biology major Julio Mendez was a national winner.



## JACK KENT COOKE COMPETITION:

Four sophomores completed the application process for the national Jack Kent Cooke Scholarship competition. They are Danielle Bruschino, Jeffery LaBianco, Caitlin Moreira, and Curtis Lewsey. Contest rules allow only one application to be forwarded for national competition. An internal competition named Curits Lewsey as the SHU winner.

## **ENGLISH HONOR SOCIETY ANNOUNCED:**

The Faculty of Language, Literature and Media Studies is proud to announce that Sacred Heart University has been



granted permission by the Board of Directors of Sigma Tau Delta, the International English Honor Society, to establish a chapter on our campus. SHU's chapter will be named Alpha Lambda Delta. The first

English major members of Alpha Lambda Delta chapter of Sigma Tau Delta will be announced later in the spring semester. We look forward to a long and fruitful association with this organization.

## **HISTORY LECTURE:**

The History Faculty Endowed Lecture Fund sponsored, "The Historical Roots of Terrorism: Iran's Connection to Islamic Extremism" given by Abbas Amanat.

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**Dr. Nicole Cauvin**, Professor of Sociology, has published a custom textbook for use at Sacred Heart University in McGraw Hill's Custom Publishing Series: <u>Sociology: An</u> <u>Introduction and Applications</u>. The book is comprised of selected materials from <u>Introduction to Sociology</u> by Cohen and Orbuch with additional materials by Dr. Cauvin.

**Dr. Eugene Galperin**, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, presented his paper titled "Embeddings of Fourier-Lebesque Spaces into Modulation Spaces: Optimality of Sufficient Conditions" at the Joint National Mathematics Meeting in Maryland.

Dr. Frances Grodzinsky, Professor of Computer Science

and Information Technology, was elected to the board of INSEIT, International Society for Ethics and Information Technology for a two-year term.



**Prof. Rose Marie Kinik**, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, has arranged for SHU to host the April Mathematical Association of America (MAA) Regional dinner meeting. This meeting is open to members of the MAA and other interested faculty members, especially those at neighboring colleges and universities.

**Dr. Peter Loth**, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, made his presentation of his recent research, titled "Topologically Pure Injectives in the Category of LCA (Locally Compact Abelian) Groups" in the American Mathematical Society Session on Group Theory also at the Joint National Mathematics Meeting.

**<u>Dr. Jason Molitierno</u>**, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, contributed his paper titled "Computational Mathematics in Linear Algebra and Differential Equations" as well at the Joint National Mathematics Meeting.

**Dr. Brian Stiltner**, Assistant Professor of Religious Studies, presented "Creative Techniques for Classroom Discussion" at The Society of Christian Ethics Annual Meeting with participation of Lutheran Ethicists Pre-Meeting.

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