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## AAG Election Results

The AAG membership elected a new set of officers to begin tenure on July 1, 2004. The winners are: for President, Victoria Lawson of the University of Washington and for Vice President, Richard Marston of Oklahoma State University.



Victoria Lawson, President



Richard Marston, V. President

In her presidential candidate statement Lawson wrote, "If elected, I will work to build inclusive approaches to: i) communicating the connections between geography and global awareness—working on early career and curriculum development expressly articulating these links; ii) working on the AAG Diversity Task Force to bring geography into gear-up/early student entrance/freshman experiences and to expand opportunities for diverse students to learn what the discipline has to offer; iii) continuing my 'Healthy Departments Initiative' which supports chairs and strengthens department

leadership through building strategies to strengthen our voice within budget-strapped universities; iv) encouraging a disciplinary conversation that articulates the creative intersections between area studies, topical studies and social justice within geography—in order to communicate our strengths as a profoundly synthetic and practically-engaged discipline that is attuned to problems and possibilities for change across the planet."

Marston, in his statement as a vice presidential candidate wrote, "If elected, I will explore ways to use AAG meetings, publications, and member services to: 1) highlight the creative work of basic and applied geographers that emphasizes our core themes, 2) interact with other prominent professional societies in ways that underscore the

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## AAG's Founding Celebrated

On Sunday, March 14, 2004, the AAG began its Centennial Meeting with a symbolic pilgrimage to the Association's birthplace. On that chilly afternoon, more than one hundred geographers gathered in College Hall on the University of Pennsylvania campus for the unveiling of a commemorative plaque to mark the site where the AAG was founded on December 29, 1904.

At the original meeting one hundred years ago in

College Hall, twenty-six geographers met, with William Morris Davis presiding. The group discussed a constitution for their fledgling association, elected officers, and read thirteen full papers. Few might have guessed then that 5,000 geographers would gather one hundred years later, to honor and continue the efforts of these founding geographers.

The unveiling ceremony included brief remarks by Douglas Richardson, AAG Executive Director; Alexander Murphy, AAG President; Geoffrey Martin, AAG Archivist; Donn Haglund, AAG Centennial Coordinating Committee; and from the University of Pennsylvania, Adjunct Professor Mark Hermanson, Chair of the Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences Fred Scatena, and Associate Provost Walter Wales. ■



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## AAG Expands Geography Education Initiatives

**G**reetings. At Doug Richardson's invitation, I'm pleased to have this opportunity to update the membership on the AAG's geography education initiatives.

In the February 2004 issue of *The Professional Geographer*, Bob and Sarah Bednarz provide a succinct and apt description of geography education's status as of 2004 – "the glass is half full and it's getting fuller." In this column, I'd like to describe some of the ways the AAG is replenishing geography education's glass by building on past successes as well as responding to new challenges and opportunities.



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### Advancing Postsecondary Geography

The AAG is renewing its dedication to supporting geography in higher education through several new initiatives. As reported in the January 2004 issue of this newsletter, our NSF-funded Online Center for Global Geography Education project is developing modules designed to support international collaboration in teaching and learning using the Internet. The first three modules on Population, Global Economy, and Nationalism will be unveiled at the International Geographical Union's Glasgow Congress in August 2004. Texas State University at San Marcos is providing the online center with administrative and technical support.

The preparation and future success of new faculty members is of central importance to geography's long-term health as a discipline. Maintaining a well-trained professoriate will therefore remain a high priority for the AAG. Ken Foote's Geography Faculty Development Alliance (GFDA) project at the University of Colorado is providing support to hundreds of early career professors through workshops and seminars exploring topics such as active pedagogy, course planning, student assessment, winning grants, tenure and promo-

tion issues, field study, time management, publishing, and ethics. Over the next several years, the AAG will work with Ken to study the value of the training to the participants. We will also evaluate what departments and universities are doing to promote the abilities and well-being of early career faculty. The AAG's Committee on College Geography is also focusing on faculty development and will help expand the reach of the GFDA through workshops, panels, and paper sessions at our regional and national meetings.

### Supporting K-12 Education

The AAG is continuing efforts to improve the teaching and learning of geography in American schools. As you may know, the AAG has a contractual agreement with Holt, Rinehart, and Winston (HRW) to distribute the AAG's ARGUS and ARGWorld CDs. The AAG has set aside 70% of its share of royalties to establish a geography education materials development fund, which will support updates to ARGUS and ARGWorld as well as provide partial funding for new projects. This is a significant accomplishment, yet ultimately the impact of these materials will be far greater if we can also strengthen teacher preparation programs in geography.

Indeed, the need for such "highly qualified" teachers is recognized in the No Child Left Behind Act of 2002, which designates geography as one of ten core subjects in American education. Nevertheless, No Child Left Behind legislation provides *no funding* to support teacher professional development in geography; in fact, geography is the only core subject to lack such funding. Last month, the AAG, with support from Phil Gersmehl, submitted an invited proposal to the U.S. Department of Education's Fund for the Improvement of

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# What If There Were No AAG?

As the Association of American Geographers enters its second century, it may seem almost perverse to ask where we would be without the AAG. Raising the question may nonetheless help us gain some perspective on our organization. This is of particular importance at a time when the meaning of membership in any scholarly/professional society such as ours is undergoing some sea changes.

The AAG was founded in response to a perceived need for a society of geographical experts. In its early years, the society (with the help of the American Geographical Society) sponsored meetings and sought to nurture geographical scholarship. Within less than a decade, the *Annals of the Association of American Geographers* was launched and the size of the annual meeting expanded considerably. The AAG was thus set on a track that placed publications and the annual meeting at the core of the organization's activities.

The impact of these early developments was profound. To this day, the Association's journals and annual meetings rank at the top of the list of membership benefits in many geographers' minds. (In any given year, there is a strong correlation between the number of participants in the annual meeting and the overall number of AAG members.) The problem, of course, is that scholarly materials are increasingly available online at limited or no cost, and opportunities for participation in scholarly exchanges are proliferating as new interdisciplinary programs emerge and new forms of collaboration are fostered by the Internet. How does this leave the AAG?

"Vulnerable" might be the answer, if the AAG were only engaged in sending out journals and hosting meetings. Yet the AAG is much more than that. It is an organization that supports the production of geographical scholarship, not just its dissemination. It is an organization that gives geography a place at the table

of disciplinary societies. It is an organization that provides links between universities and the public and private sectors. It is an organization that facilitates communication and interaction among geographers.

The AAG is not altogether alone in playing these roles, but I firmly believe that the discipline's position in American education and society would be immeasurably weakened without the AAG. With growing online access to published articles, the receipt of journals may seem less valuable than it once was. Yet without the AAG there would be no *Annals* or *Professional Geographer*, nor would there be a Newsletter or website reporting on matters of discipline-wide concern and providing a forum for advertising position openings. The AAG Annual Meeting is certainly not the only place where one can practice and learn about geography, but without the AAG there would be no single moment when the entire breadth of our discipline is regularly brought together in one venue—with all that implies for intra-disciplinary dialogue and the cross-fertilization of ideas.

These things are just the tip of the iceberg, however. Consider a few hypothetical questions. Would geography's role in colleges and universities somehow be stronger if deans and provosts could not look to a scholarly society such as the AAG (or if they knew that such a scholarly society did not exist)? Would the profile of geography somehow be stronger in Washington, DC, if there were no DC-based disciplinary organization working to promote the visibility of geography at the National Science Foundation, the National Research Council, and countless government agencies? Would the position of geography somehow be enhanced within the disciplinary matrix if geography did not have an

organization with personnel who could meet and consult regularly with counterparts in other disciplinary organizations? Would geographers somehow have a wider range of opportunities if the discipline did not have a large scholarly/professional organization working to develop research partnerships or promote education and outreach initiatives?

Of course not—and those negative answers speak for themselves. When we join or renew our membership in the AAG, we are not simply paying to get a handful of publications or a discount rate at the annual meeting. We are making it possible for those publications and meetings to exist in the first place—and for an organization to exist that plays a crucial role in

ensuring geography's continued vitality. I ask you to consider this the next time you are tempted not to renew your membership for a year because you might not be going to a meeting or because you don't feel the need to receive hard copies of the Association's publications. I ask you to bring it to the attention of colleagues the next time you hear them say they have no interest in the AAG because the meetings and journals devote insufficient attention to their particular interests. If you or your colleagues believe that it is important to enhance geography's profile in education and society, becoming an AAG member or renewing your membership should be a debatable proposition only if (barring economic hardship) you feel the hypothetical questions raised above can be answered in the affirmative.

None of this is meant to suggest that the AAG is doing everything right. We presumably all have ideas about what the AAG can and should do better—and the



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## Nominations Sought for 2005 AAG Honors and Nominating Committees

**T**he AAG Council seeks nominations for candidates to serve on the AAG Honors Committee and the AAG Nominating Committee. The AAG Council will prepare the final slate of candidates for both committees from the nominations received, and committee members will be elected by a vote of the AAG membership.

Nominations for the *Honors Committee* can include persons 1) from the membership at large and 2) from those members who have previously received AAG Honors (a list of previous honorees can be found in the AAG's *Guide to Geography Programs in North America*). Honors Committee members serve for two years and are responsible for making recommendations of awardees for various AAG Honors for Council consideration.

*Nominating Committee* members serve for one year. The committee recommends to the Council the slate of candidates for the AAG Vice President, President, and National Councilor elections.

If you wish to nominate yourself or other qualified individuals for service on these committees, please contact AAG Secretary Kavita Pandit by June 30, 2004. Nominations should include the contact information of the nominee, a brief biosketch, and indication that the nominee is willing to be placed on the slate of candidates for election by the AAG membership. Please send nominations to AAG Secretary Kavita Pandit by email (pandit@uga.edu), fax (706-542-2388), or by mail to: Department of Geography, University of Georgia, Athens, GA 30602-2502. ■

## Award Deadlines

### APRIL

2. AAG Travel Grants to IGU Meeting. [www.aag.org/Grantsawards/igutrans.html](http://www.aag.org/Grantsawards/igutrans.html).

### MAY

1. Fulbright-University of Salzburg Distinguished Chair in the Natural Sciences. Visit [www.cies.org/ab\\_dc/ab\\_dc2005/country/FulUniA3.htm](http://www.cies.org/ab_dc/ab_dc2005/country/FulUniA3.htm).

15. Evelyn L. Pruitt National Minority Fellowship. Contact Ruth Shirey at [rishirey@iup.edu](mailto:rishirey@iup.edu).

### JUNE

14. National Geographic Education Foundation Grants. [www.nationalgeographic.com/foundation](http://www.nationalgeographic.com/foundation).

### JULY

1. PERISHIP Dissertation Fellowship Awards. Contact [periship@riskinstitute.org](mailto:periship@riskinstitute.org).

### OCTOBER

1. Woodrow Wilson Center Fellowships. [www.wilsoncenter.org](http://www.wilsoncenter.org).

30. Young Scholar's Prize in Romani Studies. Contact Sheila Salo at [ssalo@capaccess.org](mailto:ssalo@capaccess.org). ■

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Postsecondary Education program, requesting funds to develop a Teacher's Guide to Modern Geography. If funded, the Teacher's Guide will, for the first time, provide a comprehensive suite of high-quality teacher-training products referenced to national standards and spatial thinking skills. The teachers guide will be designed for pre-service programs in geography education, but will also support early-career mentoring programs and mid-career recertification programs.

### Building Collaborations

The AAG prides itself on its accomplishments and new initiatives in geography education, but we recognize that the challenges facing us are much larger than can be reasonably taken on by one organization. One such challenge is reforming teacher professional development in geography. At this time, most geography teachers do not major in geography; African Americans and Latinos remain under-represented in the instructional workforce; many teachers

have no access to graduate programs in geography education; few Ph.D.'s are awarded in geography education in any given year; and research has yet to clarify how pedagogic expertise develops in geography. The scope of the problem requires a coordinated, broad-based, and interdisciplinary response from multiple institutions and organizations. I am pleased to report that the AAG submitted an

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AAG should always be open to those ideas. But frustration over this or that should not obscure the larger picture. The AAG is vital to the health of the discipline, and every member who joins or renews makes it possible for the AAG to do more. Against this backdrop,

our recent growth in membership is encouraging. If we build upon that trend, we will also be building a stronger discipline. ■

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## Correction

In the February and March 2004 issues, the URL listed to purchase copies of the new *Guide to Geography Programs in North America* was incorrect. The correct URL is [www.aag.org/publications/guide\\_form.htm](http://www.aag.org/publications/guide_form.htm).

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contributions of geographers, 3) strengthen initiatives in geographic education by continuing partnerships with NCGE, NGS, and AGS, 4) convince high school students (and their parents!) that geography is a viable career choice and suitable major in which to begin their university studies, 5) support strategic initiatives of the AAG Diversity Task Force, AAG Standing Committee on Membership, and V.P. Lawson to make the AAG more inclusive, 6) build the AAG Centennial Endowment Fund, started by Past President Nellis, and 7) organize plenary sessions at annual meetings that bring together a broad array of geographers, a goal of current President Murphy."

Newly elected National Councillors are: Kirstin Dow (University of South Carolina) and Ines Miyares (Hunter College-CUNY). Newly elected Honors Committee members are: Stephen J. Walsh (University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill), Amy Glasmeier (Penn State University), and Susan M. Roberts (University of Kentucky). And new Nominating Committee members are: Mona Domosh (Dartmouth College), Sallie A. Marston (University of Arizona),



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National Councillor



Ines Miyares,  
National Councillor



Stephen J. Walsh,  
Honors Committee A



Amy Glasmeier,  
Honors Committee B



Susan Roberts,  
Honors Committee B



Mona Domosh,  
Nominating Committee



Sallie A. Marston,  
Nominating Committee



Patricia McDowell,  
Nominating Committee

and Patricia F. McDowell (University of Oregon).

Election results came from a count of 1,350 ballots at the Washington, DC offices of McMaster & Associates, PC., Certified Public Accountants, on February 20, 2004. The 2004 AAG Tellers

Committee was comprised of Ronald E. Wilson, Chair; Jochen Albrecht; Timothy LeDoux; Jean McKendry; Petronella Muraya; Dennis E. Nicholas; Patrick C. Pioli; Vidyamali Samarasinghe; John H. Wittmann; David Wong; and Sarah Zapolsky. ■

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invited proposal in February to the NSF Centers for Learning and Teaching program, requesting \$10,179,220 to develop a Center for the Advancement of Geography Education. This proposal marshals the talents of faculty at Howard University, Texas A&M University, and the University of Oregon to develop and implement new teacher-training and graduate programs in partnership with local school districts, the Geographic Alliance network, Environmental Systems Research Institute, the Dutton Institute for e-Education at Penn State, the National Council for Geographic Education, the National Geographic Society, JES and Co., and the American Geographical Society.

In the coming months, the AAG will prepare another large multi-institution NSF proposal to examine the science of spatial learning. These proposals have already yielded new ideas and constructive relationships among organizations that share a strong interest in geography education.

The AAG is also working closely with other geography organizations to monitor federal policy developments of interest to geographers and geography educators. With a recent donation of \$150,000 and additional support from GENIP, the AAG will devote one FTE of staff time to policy monitoring and analysis, and will allocate a minimum of 0.25 FTE staff to geography education-related issues, including No

Child Left Behind. GENIP and the AAG are currently exploring strategies for securing funding for geography under the current provisions of NCLB, as well as building political support and presence for geography education when NCLB comes up for reauthorization in 2006.

Please visit the AAG's website for more information about its geography education initiatives, and let Doug and me know how we're doing and what we could be doing better. With your help, the AAG can ensure that geography education's glass will someday truly spillover. ■

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**Don't Miss the Mapping the News Conference at the National Press Club  
in Washington, DC, May 14-15, 2004. [www.aag.org/mapnews](http://www.aag.org/mapnews)**

## AAG Supports Geography at Latin American Youth Center

For many years, the AAG has supported geographic education throughout the country, in both primary and secondary institutions. Recently an opportunity arose to support geography at the community level in the AAG's backyard. Just a few blocks northeast of the AAG's Meridian Place office in Washington, DC, young students of a charter school run by DC's Latin American Youth Center (LAYC), began to map their own neighborhood. The LAYC, in partnership with the Smithsonian National Zoological Park and the University of Massachusetts, Boston, operates the Columbia Heights Community Science Workshop, a hands-on science education program. Under the guidance of workshop director Mario Castellanos, students have gotten involved in mapping projects, using GPS units and ArcView software to create maps of the area within walking distance from the school.

The AAG is working with Castellanos and his students to help the program

develop a focus on geography in the curriculum and to connect students with geography programs in local community colleges and universities.

The school, founded in 1996 by the LAYC, offers high school equivalency courses to teen parents and youth aged thirteen to twenty-one. It also offers classes in English as a second language, social studies, math, and computer literacy. The LAYC workshop offers formal science labs during school, and informal after-school activities that promote a self-directed exploration of science under the guidance of experienced staff.

Mapping is one of the workshop's more popular projects, and was originally designed to help next year's new students quickly navigate the surrounding area by marking places of interest to students, from good lunch spots and music stores to banks and post offices. Participants have also mapped the locations of overflowing trashcans neglected by city services, trees downed by hurricane Isabel, crime sites, street

vendors, historical buildings, community organizations, and bus routes. The Community Mapping Project has two strategies in selecting themes: a survey approach where students document their neighborhood by selecting a



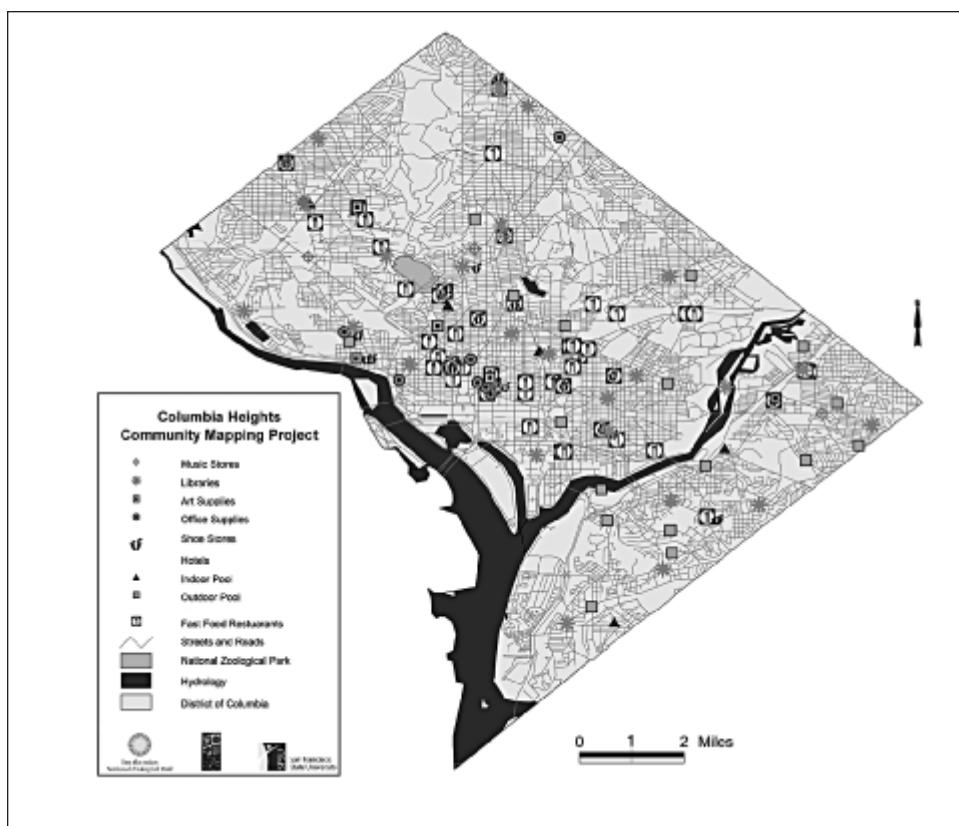
Above: Workshop students mapping their neighborhood.



Left: Columbia Heights Community Science Workshop students and helpers from right to left: Oscar Larson (AAG), John Nystrom (ERSI), Patricia Solís (AAG), Mauricio Bautista (workshop instructor), Mario Castellanos (workshop director), Indira Campos (student), Jabari Thompson (student), John Collier (workshop instructor), and Enrique Alvarenga (student).

Opposite top: Initial map produced by workshop students (areal distortion in original).





theme; or a community issue approach in which students identify a local issue and use GIS to gather information that helps them document, discuss, or inform others on a specific issue.

Workshop Director Castellanos, who earned a degree in biology from UCLA and has worked as a conservation biologist in South, Central, and North America, has been working with the Community Science Workshop in Columbia Heights for since its inception in October 2001. Students appreciate the access they have to science tools through the workshop; Castellanos related how Iris, a teenager at LAYC Saturday Academy recently commented to him, "I wish you were my science teacher at school because you do fun science, you make science interesting!" ■

## Nominations Invited for AAG Honors

**T**he Honors Committee of the AAG invites nominations for AAG Honors to be conferred in 2005. AAG Honors are given in recognition of outstanding contributions to the advancement or welfare of the profession in five categories: Lifetime Career Honors, Distinguished Scholarship Honors, Distinguished Teaching Honors, Ronald F. Abler Distinguished Service Honors, and Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geography Education. Normally no more than one award will be made in each category. No more than six individuals may be recommended for AAG Honors in a single year. In addition to Honors, the committee may recommend a Publication Award and a Media Achievement Award each year.

Nominees must be AAG members if they are residents of the United States; if

they reside elsewhere the membership requirement is waived. In some cases professionals from other disciplines or professions are eligible for consideration. Geographers or other professionals previously honored may be nominated again for distinction achieved since their first awards. See the handbook section of a recent issue of the *Guide to Geography Programs in North America* for a complete list of past Honors Award recipients. The deadline for nominations is April 30, 2004.

Send six copies of the nominating letter and the candidate's CV to the Honors Committee chair: Geraldine Pratt, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC V6T 1Z2, Canada; gpratt@geog.ubc.ca. Email submissions are acceptable. The nominating letter should provide justification for the award and may

include a proposed citation of no more than 200 words. Solicitation of support letters from additional nominators is welcome and should be limited to no more than five.

Other members of the Honors Committee are: Robert W. Morrill, Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University, [morrill@vt.edu](mailto:morrill@vt.edu); Kim England, Department of Geography, University of Washington, [england@u.washington.edu](mailto:england@u.washington.edu); Gary Gaile, Department of Geography, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO 80309-0260, [gaile@spot.colorado.edu](mailto:gaile@spot.colorado.edu); James Wheeler, Department of Geography, University of Georgia, [jowheel@uga.edu](mailto:jowheel@uga.edu); and Julie Winkler, Department of Geography, Michigan State University, [winkler@msu.edu](mailto:winkler@msu.edu). ■

**Mark Your Calendar:**  
The next AAG Annual Meeting will be held in Denver, Colorado from April 5-9, 2005.

# Buy a Birthday Brick

## Celebrate the AAG's Centennial— Make your Mark at Meridian Place

**I**n honor of the AAG centennial, the AAG is currently filling orders for personalized bricks named by donors of \$1,500 or more. These birthday bricks, to be placed in the walkway leading to the AAG Meridian Place office in Washington, DC, will become a permanent part of the effort to advance geography. Proceeds go to the Advancing Geography Centennial Fund. Contributions are tax exempt.

Some suggestions for naming bricks are parents' names, your institution, your name and organization, you and your spouse's names, or the name of a professor or mentor you wish to honor or remember. Personalized bricks make a unique and lasting tribute or memorial to a loved one or a congratulation gift to a recent graduate. Buying a brick is a great way to make your mark at Meridian Place while you support efforts to advance geography.

Reserve your brick today by filling out the order form on this page. For further information, call Robert Andelman at 202-234-1450 or email [randelman@aag.org](mailto:randelman@aag.org).

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## Editor Sought for *The Professional Geographer*

**T**he Association of American Geographers seeks applications and nominations for Editor of *The Professional Geographer*. The new Editor will be appointed for a four-year editorial term that will commence on January 1, 2005. The appointment will be made by October 2004.

*The Professional Geographer* is a forum for timely debates on geography's contribution to contemporary issues in the environment, in society, and the interplay between them. The Editor for this journal will solicit, review, and accept for publication articles, comments, maps, technical notes, and other items appropriate for publication in *The Professional Geographer*, within publication-space limitations that will be determined annually. The AAG Council expects that the new Editor will accept manuscripts from across the breadth and depth of intellectual

activity in contemporary American geography. The Editor should be eager to act as an intellectual entrepreneur to attract the very best work being produced.

In support of these goals, each Editor candidate should possess a distinguished record of scholarly achievement, a broad perspective on the discipline of geography, respect and affection for its diversity, and an ability to work constructively with authors during the review process. Institutional support for the new Editor (especially some time released from teaching) is quite desirable, but not mandatory. The AAG will provide a modest stipend to be used for expenses and honorarium at the Editor's discretion.

The Editor will work in coordination with the Journals Manager, located at the Meridian Place AAG office in

Washington, DC. The Journals Manager bears primary responsibility for the logistics of processing manuscripts and book reviews, and for assembling and coordinating the publication of each issue of the journal in collaboration with the journal's publisher.

A letter of application that addresses both qualifications and a vision for *The Professional Geographer* should be accompanied by a complete curriculum vitae. Nominations should be submitted no later than June 15, 2004, and applications no later than August. Send applications or letters of nomination to: Chair, AAG Publications Committee, 1710 Sixteenth Street NW, Washington, DC 20009-3198. Nominations and applications (in Word or WordPerfect format) may be submitted electronically to [profgeog@aag.org](mailto:profgeog@aag.org). ■

## Mapping the News Conference

**T**he Association of American Geographers, the National Geographic Society, and Environmental Systems Research International (ESRI) are pleased to invite you to the 2004 Mapping the News Conference to be held on May 14–15, 2004, at the National Press Club in Washington, DC. This event will bring journalists, geographers, and media experts together to explore how geographic understanding, information, and technology combine to enhance the world of media and the news. The conference will also open new networking opportunities with experts in environmental matters, cartography, human rights, geography, politics and elections, news media design, crime mapping, taxes and infrastructure issues, and homeland security applications, among others.

The 2004 Mapping the News Conference will be an exciting joint forum to discuss how understanding a place, its culture, demographics, geography, and

history make telling the story of news events richer, more vivid, more engaging, and more understandable. This year's conference will place special emphasis on mapping elections.

### Conference Highlights include: Conference Sessions

*Friday, May 14 at the National Press Club (luncheon at the Press Club included)*

The conference offers a full day of plenary and breakout sessions presented by professionals and users alike in the journalism and media industry. Speakers will include leading journalists and cartographers from major news organizations across the nation.

### Mapping the News Solutions Expo

*May 14 at the National Press Club*

The EXPO offers our conference partners the opportunity to display their integrated GIS services; earth observation tools; a variety of governmental, non-governmental, and commercial data; GIS

applications for the media industry; software application tools; consulting services; and much more.

### Welcome Reception

*May 14 at National Geographic Explorer's Hall*

Join fellow journalists, cartographers, editors, geographers, publishers, and other friends on Friday evening for drinks, hors d'oeuvres, and conversation at the beautiful National Geographic Explorer's Hall, in the heart of our nation's capitol.

### Training & Technical Seminars

*Saturday, May 15 at Northwestern University's Washington, DC campus*

Learn the how-to of media mapping during half-day seminars of specific technical topics and areas of interest including the basics of how to map election data and an advanced course on the latest news mapping and GIS tools now in use.

For registration, hotel information, and conference program information, please visit [www.aag.org/mapnews](http://www.aag.org/mapnews). ■

## Nellis to be Provost at Kansas State

**A**AG Past President M. Duane Nellis recently accepted an offer to become provost at Kansas State University (KSU). He will succeed James R. Coffman as KSU's chief academic officer in July of 2004.



Nellis

Nellis has been dean of the Eberly College of Arts and Sciences at West Virginia University (WVU) since June 1997. Prior to his tenure at WVU he spent seventeen years at KSU, progressing from assistant professor of geography to professor and head of the department, and then to senior associate dean of KSU's

College of Arts and Sciences. He was the first director of KSU's Institute for Social and Behavioral Research.

"I look forward to working with Duane Nellis in his new position as Kansas State University's provost," said KSU president Jon Wefald. "He has an excellent track record both here and at West Virginia University, where he has been dean since 1997. He is known for his student-centered leadership, and he also works very effectively with faculty, administrators, university supporters and legislators." ■

## New AAG Employee Shubhra Srivastava

**T**he AAG is proud to announce the appointment of Shubhra Srivastava as AAG Website Developer. In this position she will assist with website development and membership services, including work using the database software iMIS which supports meeting and web-based capabilities.

Shubhra grew up in Uttar Pradesh, India, and earned her master's in psychology from Banaras Hindu University. She moved to the Washington, DC area two years ago and developed her computer

skills through a Northern Virginia Community College internship program. Before joining the AAG, Shubhra did Internet work for the Synthetic Chemicals

Manufacturers Association and the Fairfax County Public Library. In her spare time, Shubhra enjoys making oil paintings; she and her husband Shishir love traveling, music, and sports. ■



Srivastava

## Walt Westman Award

**T**he National Organization of Gay and Lesbian Scientists and Technical Professionals, Inc. (NOGLSTP) honored founding member and geographer, Walt Westman, by naming its highest member award the Walt Westman Award. Westman was on the faculty of the Department of Geography at University of California, Los Angeles from 1976-86.

The new award recognizes unselfish and outstanding contributions in the fields

of engineering and science and in the gay/lesbian/ bisexual/transgender (GLBT) community.

Walt Westman, was chosen as the namesake for this award for his conduct as a role model for GLBT engineers and scientists.

More on the Walt Westman award can be found at [www.noglstp.org/2004-awards-diamond.html](http://www.noglstp.org/2004-awards-diamond.html). Individuals interested in sponsoring this award may contact George Malanson at [george-malanson@uiowa.edu](mailto:george-malanson@uiowa.edu). ■

## Galloway Elected to NAE

**G**erry Galloway, a geographer and long-term professor of geography and first head of the Department of Geography



Galloway

and Environmental Engineering at the United States Military Academy, was elected to the National Academy of Engineering for distinguished leadership in the management of sustainable water resources and education in environmental engineering.

From 1998 to 2003 Galloway was secretary of the United States section of the U.S.-Canada International Joint Commission and principal advisor to the commissioners. He has served as a consultant on a variety of water resources engineering and management issues to U.S. and international organizations and has served as a presidential appointee to the Mississippi River Commission (1988-95) and the American Heritage Rivers Committee (1998-2000). In 1994, he led the White House Study of the Great Mississippi Flood of 1993.

Galloway is also a former dean of the Faculty and Academic Programs at the Industrial College of the Armed Forces and dean of the Academic Board of the United States Military Academy. He served for thirty-eight years in the Army before retiring as a brigadier general in 1995. He currently serves as vice president of the Enterprise Engineering Group, Enterprise Services and Solutions Sector, at Titan Corporation (Fairfax, VA).

Galloway co-founded and chaired the AAG Water Resources Specialty Group. He holds a Ph.D. in geography from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. ■

## Grants and Competitions

### National PERISHIP Dissertation Fellowship Awards

The Natural Hazards Research and Applications Information Center in Boulder, Colorado, in partnership with the National Science Foundation and the Public Entity Risk Institute (PERI), has launched a dissertation fellowship program. Program participants will receive support to conduct dissertation work in any aspect of natural and human-made hazards, risks, and disasters. The goal of the program is to foster the development of the next generation of interdisciplinary hazards scholars who can offer wide-ranging contributions to the body of knowledge in hazards research. This program helps solidify student interest in and commitment to hazards, via financial support, and to contribute to the ongoing development of scholars in the disciplines that underlie the field of hazards, risk, and disasters.

Applications for the first round of fellows are due July 1, 2004. Complete program information, including deadlines, eligibility, and application requirements, is available at [www.cudenver.edu/periship](http://www.cudenver.edu/periship) or [www.colorado.edu/hazards/special/projects.html](http://www.colorado.edu/hazards/special/projects.html). Specific questions can be directed to Audre Hoffman, PERI, 11350 Random Hills Road, #210, Fairfax, VA, phone: 703-352-1846; or email: [periship@riskinstitute.org](mailto:periship@riskinstitute.org).

### Fulbright—University of Salzburg Distinguished Chair in the Natural Sciences

The Fulbright Distinguished Chairs program is offering a grant opportunity for the 2005-06 academic year: the Fulbright-University of Salzburg Distinguished Chair in the Natural Sciences.

To apply for the chair appointment, please submit hard copies of the following materials by May 1, 2004. 1) A detailed

letter of interest (about three pages), including a statement outlining your suitability for the position and professional reasons for seeking the appointment. 2) A curriculum vitae (limit of eight single-sided pages) including: date of birth, work and home addresses and telephone numbers, email address, and contact information for the month of July. 3) A sample syllabus (up to four pages) for a course that you would propose to teach if you received the chair appointment or a syllabus for a course you have previously taught that you would adapt to teach as the chairholder. If you provide a syllabus for a course that you previously taught, please address in your letter of interest how you might adapt the course to meet the requirements of the host institution.

All applicants must have U.S. citizenship. For further information visit [www.cies.org/ab\\_dc/ab\\_dc2005/country/FulUniA3.htm](http://www.cies.org/ab_dc/ab_dc2005/country/FulUniA3.htm). ■

## Book Awards Conferred at Centennial Meeting

**A**uthors of recent books in geography were honored at the AAG Awards Luncheon on March 19, 2004 at the Philadelphia Centennial Meeting. Many of the awards are administered by special committees of Association members, and are bestowed on persons regardless of AAG membership in recognition of excellence and distinction.

The **J.B. Jackson Prize**, for a book that conveys the insights of professional geography in an accessible style, went to **Peirce F. Lewis** of Pennsylvania State University for his book *New Orleans: The Making of an Urban Landscape*. The book offers a penetrating and evocative study of an American city with strong claims to distinctive regional



Lewis

culture that exemplify the best in geographical writing.

**Michael Williams** received the **2003 AAG Meridian Book Award for Outstanding Scholarly Work in Geography** for *Deforesting The Earth: From Prehistory to Global Crisis* (University of Chicago Press). The book consists of a thorough and in-depth analysis of the causes, dynamics, and consequences of deforestation throughout human prehistory and prehistory that contributes greatly to the understanding of the social construction of nature.

The **2002 AAG Globe Book Award for Public Understanding of Geography** went to **Mark Monmonier** for the book, *Spying with Maps: Surveillance Technologies and the Future of Privacy* (University of Chicago Press). *Spying with Maps* represents a fine effort to engage non-experts

in geographical thinking and in examining the uses and misuses of geospatial technologies. It reveals careful research and documentation, and speaks in a very accessible language and style about advanced technologies.

**Neil Smith** received the **2003 AAG Globe Book Award for Public Understanding of Geography** for *American Empire, Roosevelt's Geographer and the Prelude to Globalization* (University of California Press). This book covers an important era in American history and in American geography, making arguments that this era laid the foundations for contemporary processes of globalization. It depicts how geography, personality, geopolitics, and historical moment converged to propel the United States to the forefront of the new world order with geographer Isaiah Bowman at the center of the ferment. ■



## Grants and Awards

**Richard Marston** received the Sterling L. (Bud) Burkes Award for Outstanding Environmental Research from the Environmental Institute at Oklahoma State University. The award is based on demonstrated success in winning environmental research grants, peer-reviewed publications, and student support. Five-hundred dollars is allocated in the name of the winner to an environmental science graduate student who intends to pursue a career in environmental research.

The National Science Foundation's Geography and Regional Science Program awarded \$99,971 to **Helen Power** (University of South Carolina) and **Scott Sheridan** (Kent State University). Power and Sheridan's two-year project will use synoptic climatological analyses, together with aerosol data from forty stations, to explain temporal and spatial variability in aerosol properties over continental North America. These analyses will then be used to provide aerosol climatologies (statistical summaries of aerosol properties) that will be more representative than those presently available.

The National Science Foundation's Arctic Natural Science Program awarded \$720,000 to **Nikolay I. Shiklomanov** and **Frederick E. Nelson** (University of Delaware), **Tingjun Zhang** (University of Colorado), **Vladimir E. Romanovsky** (University of Alaska, Fairbanks), and **Oleg A.**

**Anisimov** (State Hydrological Institute, St. Petersburg, Russia) for a research effort entitled "Collaborative Research: Permafrost Model Intercomparison Project." The three-year project will compare spatially oriented approaches to permafrost modeling, test the models using available permafrost observations, synthesize current knowledge about the distribution of permafrost, and refine cartographic strategies for representing permafrost distribution.

The Muskegon Community College (MCC) Global Awareness Festival, a program co-created and co-directed by **Diana Casey** of MCC, received the 2004 LAND Award for Excellence in Institutional Leadership from the Michigan Liberal Arts Network for Development.

**Jim Brey**, professor of geography and geology at the University of Wisconsin-Fox Valley in Menasha, Wisconsin, was recently named 2003 Wisconsin Professor of the Year. Brey was chosen for the award, presented by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching and the Council for Advancement and Support of Education, from among nearly 400 top professors in the U.S.

**Daniel Sui** of Texas A&M University was named as the 2004-05 AT&T Faculty Fellow in industrial ecology. AT&T faculty fellows are selected through a national competition and each receives \$25,000 per year for two years for a research project in

industrial ecology. Sui's project is focused on developing a regional approach for exploring environmental impacts of the digital economy. Sui also recently received a grant of \$20,000 from the Texas Center for Transportation Safety for research on the "Impacts of demographic transitions on transportation safety."

The National Park Service, National Natural Landmark program granted \$45,000 to **Linda Sanford** of Laney College, Oakland, California, to develop interpretive materials for the "Trail Through Time" in Mt. Diablo State Park. The trail covers the park, from base to summit spanning a geologic rock record of over 100 million years. Interpretive materials include twenty trailside panels, a trailside brochure, and educational materials for teachers. The map, "Trail Map of Mt. Diablo State Park," published in 2003, has sold over 10,000 copies and received the "California Poppy Award" as the best California State Park publication.

**Joby Bass**, University of Southern Mississippi, has been awarded a University Summer Faculty Research Grant. This award will be used to undertake research on landscape and landcover change in a coffee-producing area of mountainous western Honduras and the landscape dynamics of an area that has experienced a significant increase in forest/tree cover throughout the past half-century. ■

## Members of Note

**Helen Power**, an assistant professor of geography at the University of South Carolina, recently gave an interview to the British newspaper, *The Guardian*. The resulting article, titled "Goodbye Sunshine," appeared December 18, 2003 and described a worldwide decline in the amount of solar radiation received at the surface of the earth. Power's research of temporal and spatial variability in solar radiation and aerosols suggests that the phenomenon of "global dimming" may be easing in some parts of Western Europe.

An op-ed piece entitled, "Awash in a Sea of Geographical Ignorance," written

by AAG President **Alec Murphy** recently appeared in the Minneapolis *Star Tribune*, the Portland *Oregonian*, the Arizona *Daily Star*, the Provo *Daily Herald*, the Concord *Monitor*, *Ubique* (the newsletter of the American Geographical Society), *Directions Magazine* (online), the *Persian Journal* (online), and in smaller newspapers in North Dakota and Massachusetts.

*The New Imperialism* (Oxford University Press, 2003), written by Distinguished Professor of Anthropology at City University of New York Graduate Center **David Harvey**, received a favorable review in the January 30, 2004 *Boston Phoenix*.

**Chris Merrett**, associate professor of geography at Western Illinois University, was interviewed by the *Chicago Tribune* (09/01/03) and Reuters News Service (09/26/03) on a study he completed with the Illinois Institute for Rural Affairs, examining the economic impact in Illinois of Maytag's imminent relocation from Galesburg, Illinois to Reynosa, Mexico. The Reuters interview was subsequently published in the online version of *Forbes Magazine* (09/30/03) and the *Boston Globe* (10/04/03). ■

## AAG Honors and Geography Awards

The following honors were conferred at a special awards luncheon held March 19, 2004, at the Centennial Meeting of the AAG in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Many of the awards and honors are administered by special committees of Association members, and are bestowed on persons regardless of AAG membership in recognition of excellence and distinction. The AAG Honors are the highest awards bestowed by the Association.

### AAG Honors

The 2004 Gilbert Grosvenor Honors for Geographic Education went to Osa Brand, Director of Educational Outreach at the National Council for Geographic Education, for her leadership of the Educational Affairs Division within the AAG and for her role in creating materials that will continue to enhance geography education.



Brand



Gritzner

Charles F. Gritzner of South Dakota State University received the 2004 Distinguished Teaching Honors for his outstanding contributions to geographical education.

He is a model teacher, who has worked tirelessly to ensure that geography is both required and taught well within schools throughout South Dakota.

Edward Malecki of Ohio State University received the 2004 Distinguished Scholarship Honors for his creative scholarship and

for his fundamental contributions to economic geography and to the study of the impact of technological change on regional development.

The 2004 Ronald F. Abler Distinguished Service Honors were conferred on Gordon E. Matzke of Oregon State University for his service to geography in his own department, in his university, in international development, and, indirectly, in the many institutions where his well-mentored students have been placed.

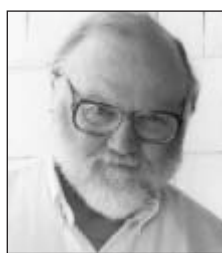


Malecki



Matzke

Phillip W. Porter of University of Minnesota-Minneapolis received the 2004 Lifetime Achievement Honors for major contributions to physical and human geography, and geographic techniques. For the publication of path breaking work in nature-society-development, agrometeorology, food security, cultural ecology, and political ecology; for devotion to converting research into teaching and service; and for contributing to the intellectual life of the discipline.



Porter

### Geography Awards

Joel L. Morrison received the 2004 Meredith F. Burrill Award in recognition of his exceptional contributions to the profession of geography and to public policy; for

his service to the discipline in academia; for his service to society through senior government positions such as Senior Scientific Advisor at the U.S. Geological Survey, chief of the Geography Division of the U.S. Census Bureau, and chairman of the U.S. Board of Geographic Names; and for his strong leadership within national and international scientific organizations.

Marilyn A. Brown of Oak Ridge National Laboratory, received the James R. Anderson Medal in Applied Geography for her leadership in applying the concepts of geography's innovative diffusion theories to addressing clean energy technology transfer processes and her pioneering role in the analysis and interpretation of energy futures in the United States.

The George and Viola Hoffman Award went to Steven Oluic for field research in Bosnia and Herzegovina and the former Yugoslavia toward completion of his doctoral dissertation in geography at Kent State University.

The 2004 Glenda Laws Award went to Vincent Del Casino Jr. for his passionate commitment to ease the suffering of people with AIDS and HIV and to help in the prevention of these diseases, especially in marginalized and vulnerable communities.

J. Keith Ord, professor of decision sciences at the McDonough School of Business Management at Georgetown University was awarded the title of 2004 Honorary Geographer. Ord was selected for his pioneering work in spatial autocorrelation, the spatial diffusion of disease, and the creation of spatially local statistics, and for his collaborations with prominent geographers and co-authorship of prominent texts of major importance to geography. For full details, see the March AAG Newsletter page four. ■

## New Appointments

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Assistant Professor, Meredith Reitman. Ph.D., 2004, University of Washington.

Colgate University, Assistant Professor, Peter Scull. Ph.D., 2002 San Diego State University/University of California, Santa Barbara. ■

Key: New Institution, position, name. Degree, year degree granted, granting institution.

## New Members

### AAG welcomes these new members whose memberships were processed during the last month.

Abraham, Joseph	Duszak, Andrew, Wilmington, DE	Lave, Rebecca, Berkeley, CA
Allison, Mike, Milan, IL	Elston, Robert, Reno, NV	Law, Jonathan, Auburn, AL
Alvarez, Kristin, Keene, NH	Erazo, Juliet, Berkeley, CA	Ledwith, Valerie, Los Angeles, CA
Anderson, Tim, Whitmore Lake, MI	Erskine, Therese, Newton, NJ	Leonard, Korine, Newport News, VA
Arvelo, Jason, Coral Springs, FL	Ethridge, Max, Rolla, MO	Lewis, Richard, Kent, OH
Asante, Christiana, Grambling, LA	Fahrni, Todd	Lim, Up, Austin, TX
Baccala, Zachary, Salisbury, MD	Fetterman, Gregory, Lincoln, NE	Loeffler, Christopher, Middlebury, VT
Bagwell, Anne, West Grove, PA	Finley, John, Reston, VA	Longbrake, William, Denver, CO
Banks, Thomas, Keene, NH	Flanigan, Stephen	Macko, John, Naperville, IL
Barracough, Marc, Washington, PA	Fokas, Alex, Fairbanks, AK	Majka, Kevin, NY
Beesley, Kyle, San Marcos, TX	Foor, Chrisdan, Morgantown, WV	Malam, Pamala, Reston, VA
Belden, Deborah, Missoula, MT	Ford, Richard, Ogden, UT	Marion, Jeff, Morgantown, WV
Bennett, Drew, Denver, CO	Frappier, Amy, Durham, NH	Marti, Adrian, Chicago, IL
Berbert, Ben, Port Republic, MD	Fretz, Lauren, Wilmington, DE	Martinez, Pedro, Washington, DC
Bergmann, Luke, Minneapolis, MN	Fulcher, Micah, Auburn, AL	Martino, Diego, Ottawa, ON, Canada
Biddle, Matthew, Norman, OK	Galland, Matt, Winters, CA	Mattli, Jarrett, Auburn, AL
BinTouq, Ahmad, IN	Garstka, Grant, Chicago, IL	Maureen, Smith, Long Beach, CA
Black, William, Auburn, AL	Giese, Eric, Sheboygan Falls, WI	Medley, Trina, Edmond, OK
Blumenfeld, Kenneth, St. Paul, MN	Gilliam, Cayla, West Plains, MO	Meledge-Ade, Victor, Tea, SD
Boyer, Jennifer, Vestal, NY	Goss, Kenneth, Randolph, VT	Meola, Valerie, Newark, DE
Brandt, Zachary, Missoula, MT	Gribbin, Meghanne, Salisbury, MD	Michellini, Juan, Santa Rose, CA
Brody, R.C., Topanga, CA	Grossman, Joanna, Long Island City, NY	Millar, Jack, Murphysboro, IL
Broendel, Katherine, Fairfax, VA	Guerin, Nicole, Manitowoc, WI	Millar, Matthew, Murphysboro, IL
Browning, Lusiana, Media, PA	Halligan, Jay, West Chester, PA	Miller, John, Lafayette Hill, PA
Cairney, Sarah, Atlanta, GA	Hare, Alison, England	Miller, Nathan, Villanova, PA
Cambell, Robert, Nemo, SD	Hodge, G Derrick, New York	Mitchell, Jay, Richmond, KY
Chen, Ying-Chih, Piscataway, NJ	Holzer, Jacqueline, Los Angeles, CA	Mitchell, William, Portland, ME
Chisena, Andrew, Geneseo, NY	Huddy, Andrew, Lansing, MI	Mokuni, Alan, Menlo Park, CA
Choate, Terry, Athens, WV	Hutka, Scott, Brook Park, OH	Moran, Katherine, Portland, CT
Chow, Hsueh-Wen, University Park, PA	Hyde, Elaina, Tucson, AZ	Moseley, Sarah, Washington, DC
Chynoweth, Mark	Ianacone, Tianna, Newark, DE	Musselman, Tina, Hamburg, NY
Coffey, Jeffery, Fort Worth, TX	Jensen, Grace, Sparks, NV	Norris, Joe, Auburn, AL
Coleman, Andre, Pasco, WA	Joeger, Brian, Salisbury, MD	O'Brien, James, West Chester, PA
Conger, Steven, Boise, ID	Johnson, Nathan K, Austin, TX	Olsen, Lola, Greenbelt, MD
Cornell, Kelly, Arlington, VA	Johnstone, Lex, Bethesda, MD	Onwueme, Victor, Upper Montclair, NJ
Cox, Thomas, Marietta, GA	Kang, Ranbir, Stillwater, OK	Ozkan, Arife, Henniker, NH
Croll, Tim, Slippery Rock, PA	Kauffman, Justin, Cochranville, PA	Paoni, Matthew, Dublin, CA
Cruzatt, Silvia, Newark, DE	Keithley, Devin, College Park, MD	Peltier, Richard, Denver, CO
Cyffka, Bernd, Adelebsen, Germany	Kelley, Paul, Lincoln, NE	Peterson, Valerie, Arlington, VA
Davis, Bradley, Granbury, TX	Kersen, Thomas, Mississippi State, MS	Petty, Daniel, Greenfield, TN
Deaner, Larry, Athens, OH	Kim, Jeongdai, Richardson, TX	Pinder, Terrence, Millersville, PA
Decllet, Juan, Tempe, AZ	Kipp, Dana, Madison, WI	Plummer, Joel, Binghamton, NY
Dedrick, Carter, Bartlett, TN	Kogan, Linda, Colorado Springs, CO	Ponte, Ricardo, Dallas, TX
Demulder, Mark, Reston, VA	Kruzik, Stephen, Millersville, PA	Powell, Richard, Tecumseh, MI
Dima, Nicholas, Washington, DC	Kucuker, Yenal, Rochester, NY	Prince, Larry, Auburn, AL
Donello, Daniel, Binghamton, NY	Kuniko, Chijiwa, Gainesville, FL	Pursell, Dyanna, Columbia, MO
Drummond, Corrie, Falls Church, VA	LaForge, Lisa, Colorado Springs, CO	Reisser, Wesley, Washington, DC
Dunbar, Brian, Los Angeles, CA	Lane-Miller, Chelsea, Hanover, NH	Reynolds, Erin, Milwaukee, WI



## New Members continued

Rhoades, Erica, Elkton, MD  
 Richards, Allan, Leesburg, VA  
 Richards, Kenneth, Brooklyn, NY  
 Ripullo, Margarita, Chicago, IL  
 Ritter, Tiffany, Millersville, PA  
 Rochelo, Mark, Delray Beach, FL  
 Ryan, Barbara, Reston, VA  
 Salisbury, Michael, Riverview, FL  
 Salmon, Scott, Blairstown, NJ  
 Sanford, Samuel, Tucson, AZ  
 Savoy, Margaret, Seabrook, TX  
 Scheitlin, Kelsey, Salisbury, MD  
 Schubert, Faye, Slidell, LA  
 Scott, Daria, Newark, DE  
 Signer, Ian, Washington, DC  
 Silvent, Erin, Fleetwood, PA  
 Smith, Michael, Blairs, VA  
 Snider, Ian, Boone, NC

Solzman, David, Chicago, IL  
 Sperrazza, Joseph, Geneseo, NY  
 Springer, David, Richmond, TX  
 Steingisser, Alethea, Eugene, OR  
 Stern, Joshua, Hanover, NH  
 Stevens, Joel, Eau Claire, WI  
 Stott, Samuel, Nokesville, VA  
 Stroh, Wesley, Denver, CO  
 Stueve, Kirk, Lake Jackson, TX  
 Sulenta, Sage, Salt Lake City, UT  
 Suter, Laurel, Santa Barbara, CA  
 Swiatek, William, Wilmington, DE  
 Thompson, David, Fort Lauderdale, FL  
 Thorn, Rebecca, Eau Claire, WI  
 To, Tina, San Francisco, CA  
 Tolian, Haylee  
 Torres-Cuevas, Lizandra, Johnson City, NY  
 Treves, R., Astoria, NY

Uejio, Christopher, Los Angeles, CA  
 Veazy, Thomas, Sylacauga, AL  
 Vidal, Lindsay, Washington, DC  
 Wahleithner, Jason  
 Watkins, Rachel, Kent, OH  
 Wedo, Andrea, Newark, DE  
 Wei, Hu, Columbus, OH  
 Wilkinson, Monica, Norman, OK  
 Williams, Sarah, Cordova, MD  
 Williams, Scott, Irvine, CA  
 Wood, Nichola, Bristol, U.K.  
 Woods, Meghan, Columbia, SC  
 Zdenek, Cole  
 Zeiders, Michelle, University Park, PA  
 Zhiyong, Hu, Hong Kong  
 Zou, Li, Honolulu, HI  
 Zou, Zhijun, Dallas, TX

## Call for Papers

### **FOCUS on Geography**

The American Geographical Society publication *FOCUS on Geography* requests submissions. Manuscripts should be sent to either editor listed below. Submission-by email attachment is preferred.

*FOCUS* Editors are: Gregory Chu, Dept. of Geography and Earth Science, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI 54601 (chu.greg@uwlax.edu) and James Young, Department of Geography & Planning, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC 28608 (youngje@appstate.edu). For detailed submission guidelines visit [www.amergeog.org](http://www.amergeog.org).

### **Hawaii'i International Conference on System Sciences**

The thirty-eighth Annual Hawaii'i International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS) is soliciting papers for the mini-track "location technology in business." The aim of this mini-track is to cover both the strategic and the technical issues that firms may encounter when adopting and implementing location technology. Papers may be theoretical, conceptual, tutorial, or descriptive in nature. Submissions undergo a peer

referee process and those selected for presentation will be published in the conference proceedings. Submissions must not have been previously published. Authors should submit full papers by June 15, 2004.

HICSS will be held January 3 - 6, 2005, in Hawaii'i. Additional details may be found on the HICSS website: <http://www.hicss.hawaii.edu>. (This mini-track falls under the larger track of, "Decision Technologies for Management.")

### **Wengen-2004 Workshop**

The Wengen-2004 Workshop on "Mountain Glaciers and Society: Perception, Science, Impacts and Policy" is soliciting submissions. Contributions based on the workshop themes are invited.

The deadline for abstract submission is May 14, 2004. For more information, please visit [www.unifr.ch/geoscience/geographie/EVENTS/Wengen/04/Wengen2004.html](http://www.unifr.ch/geoscience/geographie/EVENTS/Wengen/04/Wengen2004.html).

### **Journal of Maps**

The newly created *Journal of Maps (JoM)* is soliciting submissions. This journal, launching May 4, 2004, aims to publish original, custom-made maps from

any discipline. The editorial panel is specifically put together to provide a broad range of knowledge, expertise, and experience. While initial submissions will likely concern traditional geo-subjects, other subject areas are strongly encouraged to submit original work.

*JoM* is an entirely electronic, online journal and all published material will be given away freely. Authors will pay a nominal fee to cover the review and distribution process.

The principal author will need to supply a press-quality map and a short article ready for review. The article should describe the data presented in the map and any pertinent techniques used during the collection/mapping process. Long articles incorporating data analysis and interpretation will not be accepted. The principal author should also supply the details of two people who may act as external referees; these persons should not have recently published with the author(s) or work at the same institution.

For more information please visit the journal's Web site: [www.journalofmaps.com](http://www.journalofmaps.com). ■

# Jobs in Geography

## UNITED STATES

**\*ARIZONA, FLAGSTAFF, 86011-5016.** The Department of Geography, Planning and Recreation at Northern Arizona University announces a non-tenure track full-time position of **Visiting Assistant Professor (Ph.D.) or Visiting Lecturer (M.A., M.S., or ABD) in Public Planning and/or Geography**. This is a nine-month sabbatical replacement position beginning the August 23, 2004 semester. The successful candidate will be required to teach introductory courses in Land Use Planning and Environmental Planning. Additional areas of teaching specialization are open to the wide range of geography, planning and recreation subject areas in which the department offers courses.

Information about the department can be found at [www.geog.nau.edu](http://www.geog.nau.edu). Applications are to include (1) an academic CV, (2) a one to two-page statement of teaching experience, philosophy and interests, (3) a list of three appropriate references with full contact information (including email address). Northern Arizona University is an affirmative action and equal opportunities employer. Women, minorities, individuals with disabilities, and veterans are encouraged to apply. The search committee will begin reviewing applications on April 5, 2004. The position is open until filled or closed. Please direct your applications to the address below. APR 04-67.

Apply: Dr. Alan A. Lew, Chair, Department of Geography, Planning and Recreation – Bld 82, Rm 116; Northern Arizona University – Box 15016, Flagstaff, Arizona 86011-5016, email: [alan.lew@nau.edu](mailto:alan.lew@nau.edu). Email submissions are strongly encouraged.

**ARIZONA, TUCSON 85721-0038. Assistant/Associate Specialist in Climate Science.** The Department of Soil, Water and Environmental Science invites applications for a faculty position in Climate Science. The primary responsibility of the position is to work with stakeholders and natural and social scientists to develop and deliver innovative and effective extension programs on climate related issues of importance to Arizona and the desert southwest. The successful applicant is expected to work closely with faculty affiliated with Arizona Cooperative Extension and the University of Arizona's Institute for the Study of Planet Earth to identify and address stakeholder needs. Expected areas of

programmatic focus include the impact of climate variability/change on regional water supplies, range management, and forest ecology and management. The applicant is expected to develop and fund a research program that complements their programming efforts in extension education. While the primary focus of this position is extension and research, the incumbent will have the opportunity for involvement in the academic programs of the department. This is a fiscal year position eligible for continuing appointment with responsibilities divided between extension (70%) and research (30%). The department is seeking an individual who is able to work with diverse students or colleagues, and who has experience with a variety of teaching methods and curricular perspectives. Ph.D. in climatology, meteorology, atmospheric science, geography, hydrology or a closely related field with expertise in applied climatology.

To apply, please submit expanded letter of application describing the applicant's experience in extension/outreach education and research

interests, CV and names, addresses (including email), and telephone numbers of five references to the address below. MAR 04-40.

Apply: Dr. Paul W. Brown Dept. of Soil, Water & Environmental Sciences, 429 Shantz, Bldg. #38, The University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ 85721-0038. Review of materials will begin 2/22/04 and will continue until position is filled. The University of Arizona is an EEO/AA Employer-M/W/D/V.

**ARIZONA, TUCSON 85721-0076.** University of Arizona. The Department of Geography and Regional Development (GRD) invites applications for an **Assistant/Associate Professor** position in **human-environment relations**, with preference for those working in political ecology. Area of regional expertise is open, but a specialization in Latin America is preferred. We are interested in hiring an energetic faculty member who is committed to excellent teaching and graduate advising, and who has made or promises to make superior contributions in

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\* Indicates a new listing

research. The department is seeking an individual who is able to work with diverse students and colleagues, and who has experience with a variety of teaching methods and curricular perspectives. GRD is housed within the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences (see [www.geog.arizona.edu](http://www.geog.arizona.edu)). We encourage interdisciplinary cooperation and have close connections with university research units such as the Institute for the Study of Planet Earth, the Office of Arid Lands Studies, the Bureau of Applied Research in Anthropology, the Center for Applied Spatial Analysis, the Laboratory of Tree-Ring Research, the Southwest Institute for the Study of Women, and the Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy. Faculty members also maintain strong connections with other academic units such as Anthropology, Hydrology and Water Resources, Latin American Studies, Planning, Near East Studies, and Women's Studies.

Appointment will be subject to final budgetary approval. The Ph.D. degree is required at the time of appointment. MAR 04-50.

To apply, complete the on-line faculty application at [www.uacareertrack.com](http://www.uacareertrack.com). Follow "Search Postings" and enter job number 30007. Be prepared to attach a CV and cover letter describing teaching and research experience, expected contributions, and future plans. Instructions for sending three letters of recommendation are provided on-line. Review of materials will begin March 10, 2004 and will continue until position is filled. As an equal opportunity and affirmative action employer, the University of Arizona recognizes the power of a diverse community and encourages applications from individuals with varied experiences, perspectives, and backgrounds (M/W/D/V).

**ARKANSAS, FAYETTEVILLE 72701.** University of Arkansas. The Department of Geosciences invites applications for two full-time tenure track, assistant professors, one in the area of geospatial methodology and one in remote sensing.

The candidates for the first position should have a research focus in one or more of the areas of: digital photogrammetry, spatial database design and inter-operability, land information systems and/or surveying and should have an earned doctorate. It is desirable that the candidate is or be capable of being certified as meeting the NCEES Model Law requirements.

The second search is for an individual with a research program that applies aircraft and satellite sensor data to compliment and/or expand current research strengths in one or more of the following areas: land cover/land use analysis,

object identification/extraction, change detection/analysis, infrastructure mapping, climate modeling, bio-geographic cycles, sensor data interoperability and warehousing, and/or hazard and risk analysis at local, regional or global scales. Candidates should have demonstrated research capabilities with a range of multispectral sensor systems including those of high resolution. Experience with hyperspectral data and strong GIS skills are very desirable. This second position is subject to a competitive campus process conducted by the Dean and Provost and approval will be based on the strength of the candidate's credentials.

Both positions will be affiliated with the Center for Advanced Spatial Technologies (CAST) and the incumbent will have full access to the Center's extensive resources and to the facilities of the new UA collaborative information technology building. The Center has extensive hardware, software, staff and data resources including a new suite of remote sensing hardware and software systems recently acquired through a 2003 NSF MRI. Geosciences offers undergraduate and graduate degrees in geography, geology and environmental dynamics and the candidate is expected to teach effectively at all levels. The UA is supportive of multidisciplinary collaborations and seeks scholars with interests and experience in such a setting. A strong record of research productivity with the potential for student involvement is desired. The successful applicants are expected to initiate and maintain a vigorous externally funded research program, building on the Center for Advanced Spatial Technologies already substantial base.

Application review will commence April 10, 2004 and will continue until the positions are filled. For additional information about the department, CAST, the university and region see <http://www.cast.uark.edu/cast/recruitment/employment.htm>

Please submit statement of interest, Vita, and three letters of recommendation to the address below. MAR 04-51.

Apply: Dr. Fred Limp, Search Committee, Center for Advanced Spatial Technologies, 12 Ozark Hall, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR 72701. [fred@cast.uark.edu](mailto:fred@cast.uark.edu).

The University of Arkansas is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer and particularly encourages applications and nominations from minorities and underserved group candidates.

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Effective and highly developed communication skills are essential for this role. Candidates must have a B.S./M.S. degree in computer science, geography, or a GIS-related field; a high level of understanding of complementary ESRI products including ArcGIS Desktop, ArcGIS Server, ArcGIS Engine, ArcGIS extensions, ArcSDE, and/or ArcIMS; and five or more years of GIS implementation and/or GIS application development experience. It is also highly desirable to have experience with programming languages (e.g., .NET, Java, COM) and administration/development of industry standard databases (e.g., SQL Server, Oracle, Informix, DB2).

To apply, send your cover letter and resume to [jobs@esri.com](mailto:jobs@esri.com) or apply online at [www.esri.com](http://www.esri.com). Please code all submissions AAC/AM. MAR 04-55.

**CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO 94132.**

**Director of Environmental Studies.** San Francisco State University and the College of Behavioral and Social Sciences invite applications for an energetic Director (Associate Professor to Professor rank with tenure) for our innovative, rapidly growing, four-year-old interdisciplinary Environmental Studies Program. The ENVIS Program currently has about 150 majors taking courses in six of the eight University colleges. The Program awards two BS and three BA degrees. For more details, please visit <http://bss.sfsu.edu/envstudies>.

The successful applicant must have a doctoral degree or equivalent in Environmental Studies or relevant field and be a committed teacher and researcher, show clear potential for being an articulate spokesperson for the Program and for securing external Program funding, and be able to collaborate with faculty from Arts, Humanities, Science, and Social Science disciplines. Rank and salary will be negotiated and commensurate with experience. San Francisco State University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.



Applicant screening will begin March 8, 2004, and continue until the position is filled. Appointment starts August 2004. Please send letter of application, curriculum vitae, three letters of reference, and statement of philosophy of academic leadership to the address below. MAR 04-54

Apply: Dr. Trish Foschi, Chair, ENVIS Search Committee, Department of Geography and HES, San Francisco State University, 1600 Holloway Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94132. Email: [tfoschi@sfsu.edu](mailto:tfoschi@sfsu.edu). Tel: 415-338-7508.

**\*COLORADO, BOULDER 80301.** The National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR), in Boulder seeks a **Director** for its **Institute for the Study of Society and Environment (ISSE)**. ISSE is a new interdisciplinary institute focusing on the science of weather and climate impact assessment, use and value of weather and climate information, disaster dynamics, and applications of GIS in the atmospheric and related sciences. NCAR is committed to an ambitious program of growth in ISSE staff, scientific program content, and scientific visitor programs over the next five years. A comprehensive overview of the current ISSE program can be viewed at: <http://www.esig.ucar.edu>.

The Director will develop and implement science and program plans that build creative and effective partnerships between the social and physical sciences. The ISSE Director will work cooperatively and collaboratively with many external and internal stakeholders and will be a member of the management committee for NCAR and will have a shared responsibility for NCAR's future directions as a national center. He/she will advocate the scientific values of the institute, as well as develop and disseminate a shared vision for the broader atmospheric and related sciences.

This individual will direct the overall scientific productivity, creativity, and excellence of the Institute, including the formulation and execution of both long and short-range plans. Additionally, she/he will enhance the quality of the scientific and support staff through effective management of personnel and the recruitment of high caliber individuals, supporting organizational diversity initiatives including affirmative action goals.

Requires Ph.D. in social science, physical science, humanities or public health, with international recognition as a scholar and leader in the investigation of the relationship of human activities, atmospheric phenomenon, and Earth system change. Must have acumen and leadership skills associated with the development of

scientific programs and skill in directing and developing a staff of widely varying backgrounds and experience.

View detailed job description at [www.ucar.edu](http://www.ucar.edu). Initial consideration will be given to applications received prior to 4/30/2004. Thereafter, applications will be reviewed on an as-needed basis. Apply online or send a scannable resume to the address below. APR 04-64.

Apply: 3065 Center Green Drive, Boulder, CO 80301. (Reference job #4092AAG). We value diversity. AA/EOE.

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, (WASHINGTON, DC) 20303.** The National Geospatial Intelligence Agency (NGA), an agency of the U.S. Government has **multiple openings** for the positions of: **Geospatial Intelligence Analyst** and **Imagery Intelligence Analyst**. NGA has offices in the St Louis, Missouri and Washington DC Metropolitan Areas.

Geospatial Analysts need to possess a Bachelors Degree in one of the following fields: Cartography, Civil Engineering, Cognitive Science, Geography, Geology, Hydrology, Information Science, Mathematics, Meteorology, Philosophy, Statistics, Remote Sensing or a closely related

discipline. Education or experience with Geographic Information Systems is strongly desired.

Imagery Intelligence Analysts are required to possess a Bachelors Degree in one of the following fields: Biology, Chemistry, Cultural Area Studies, International Economics, Environmental Science, Forestry, Geodesy, Geography, Geology, History, Imagery Science, International Affairs, Military Science, Photogrammetry, Political Science or Remote Sensing.

Starting salaries range from \$36,054 to \$48,184 depending on education. United States citizenship is required for employment at NGA. Applicants need to mail a resume, one to two page writing sample and all academic transcripts to the address below. MAR 04-53a.

Apply: National Geospatial Intelligence Agency, Recruitment Center, Mail Stop P-41, 12310 Sunrise Valley Drive, Reston, Virginia 20191.

**FLORIDA, BOCA RATON 33431.** Florida Atlantic University. One-year **Visiting Instructor** or **Visiting Assistant Professor** beginning Fall Semester 2004 (mid-August). Ph.D. preferred; ABD considered. Teaching responsibilities will be three sections per semester including, but not limited to, **World Regional Geography**.

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The selected professional for this full-time, tenure-track position will regularly teach Geography of the Western World and Geography of the Eastern World regional courses, as well as our year-long program in Geographic Information Systems. The ideal candidate will have a regional specialization other than Russia or Latin America. The candidate will also be charged with developing and leading workshops for K-12 faculty, and maintaining the College's relationships to local and regional organizations. A Master's in Geography is required; additional graduate work beyond the MA may be favorable. Experience teaching Geography at the college level a must. Experience teaching at a community or two-year college and experience in international education are preferred. An equivalent combination of education and experience may be considered. Excellence in teaching is a primary criterion in the hiring decision.

This position is available September, 2004. Starting salaries are dependent on education and experience but normally range from \$40,130 - \$56,080. This is an academic year assignment with opportunities to earn significant additional income through overload and summer remuneration. Teaching at College of DuPage is enhanced and enlivened through institutional support of faculty creatively engaging in instructional development, in research to improve student learning, and in remaining current in their field of specialty. College of DuPage also offers a generous benefits plan. You may submit your application, cover letter and resume on-line by visiting our website at [www.cod.edu/gen\\_info/hum\\_res/](http://www.cod.edu/gen_info/hum_res/) • EOE

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Experience teaching large lecture sections preferred. Other areas of specialization in human geography are open. More information about the department may be found at [www.geogeo.fau.edu](http://www.geogeo.fau.edu)

Interested individuals should submit a letter articulating qualifications, teaching interests and experience, research goals, and a curriculum vitae with the names of at least three references to the address below. MAR 04-43.

Apply: Dr. Ronald Schultz, Chair, Department of Geography and Geology, Florida Atlantic University, 777 Glades Road, Boca Raton, FL 33431. Review of the applications will begin on 1 March 2004, and will continue until the position is filled. AA/EOE.

**\*ILLINOIS, ELMHURST 60126-3296.** Elmhurst College, Assistant Professor. Tenure track appointment beginning Fall Term 2004. Ph.D required in Geography or a closely related field. Specialties in **Physical Geography, Environmental/Conservation, and GIS** needed. Primary responsibilities include: teaching upper level undergraduate courses in GIS, physical geography, and environmental geography and introductory courses in physical geography; advising environmental management majors and geography majors. Candidates must be committed to excellence in undergraduate teaching and have evidence of teaching effectiveness. Elmhurst College, founded in 1871, is a private comprehensive undergraduate and graduate liberal arts and professional institution ranked in the top 10 of Midwestern comprehensive colleges by *US News and World Report*. The Geography Department has its own GIS lab (25 station ArcGIS 8.3 and extensions) and specialty lab and excellent campus wide computer and support facilities. See the Elmhurst College internet site at [www.elmhurst.edu](http://www.elmhurst.edu) and the Geography Department site at [www.elmhurst.edu/~geo](http://www.elmhurst.edu/~geo) for more details. EC's classic campus, located in a suburb 16 miles west of the Chicago Loop, provides easy access to a world-class city for research, field trips, and entertainment. We seek candidates with demonstrated ability to contribute positively to a multicultural campus community. Applicants should submit a cover letter, a statement of professional objectives, a curriculum vita, and the names, addresses of three references by April 1, 2004. APR 04-57-1.

Apply to Kenneth R. Brehob, Geography Search Committee Chair, Elmhurst College, 190 Prospect Ave., Elmhurst, IL 60126-3296, or email [barbk@elmhurst.edu](mailto:barbk@elmhurst.edu).

**\*INDIANA, INDIANAPOLIS 46227-3697.** Human Geography. The University of Indianapolis invites applications for an entry-level, tenure-track **assistant professorship in political/economic geography** to begin in fall 2004. Teaching responsibilities will include sections of a core course in World Geography. Non-western regional specialty preferred. PhD by August 2004. Teaching experience required, along with evidence of scholarly potential. The University of Indianapolis is a private institution affiliated with the United Methodist Church, serving more than 4,000 students. Qualified candidates should submit a letter of application, c.v., transcripts, and three letters of recommendation to the address below. APR 04-61.

Apply: Prof. Lawrence Sondhaus, Chair, Dept. of History and Political Science, University of Indianapolis, 1400 East Hanna Avenue, Indianapolis, IN 46227-3697. Web page: [www.uindy.edu](http://www.uindy.edu). Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Preliminary interviews will be conducted at the AAG meeting in Philadelphia, March 18-19. The University of Indianapolis is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Employer and encourages applications from women and minorities.

**\*KANSAS, MANHATTAN 66506-2904.** The Kansas State University Department of Geography invites applications for a one-year position beginning August 2004. PhD required for appointment as a **Visiting Assistant Professor**; ABD considered for appointment as Visiting Instructor. Teaching responsibilities are three course sections per semester, including Environmental (Physical) Geography and/or World Regional Geography. Experience teaching large lecture sections will be considered favorably. **Area of specialty is open**; expertise in rural, economic, or human-environment topics is preferred.

Send application letter describing teaching/research interests and addressing fit with the department. Also include curriculum vitae; a statement of teaching philosophy; evidence of teaching effectiveness; and a list of names, addresses, and e-mail addresses of three referees. Materials should be sent to the address below. APR 04-59.

Apply: Dr. Karen De Bres, Search Committee Chair, Department of Geography, 118 Seaton Hall. Departmental information may be found at <http://www.ksu.edu/geography/>. E-mail [geog@ksu.edu](mailto:geog@ksu.edu) for more information. Review of applications will begin April 12, 2004, and continue until the position is filled. Kansas State

University is an equal opportunity employer and actively seeks diversity among its employees.

**MICHIGAN, MOUNT PLEASANT 48859.** Physical and Cultural Geography: The Department of Geography at Central Michigan University invites applications for **one or more non tenure-track appointments** at the level of Assistant Professor effective August 2004. A doctorate in geography or related field is preferred (ABD will be considered). The positions, pending budgetary approval, are for one year with a possibility of renewal and involve **teaching introductory undergraduate courses in physical, environmental, and cultural geography**. Applicants must show evidence of potential for teaching excellence. Screening will begin April 1, 2004 and continue until the positions are filled. Send an application letter, vitae, teaching evaluations, and three letters of reference to the address below. MAR 04-45.

Apply: Dr. Richard N. Mower, Chair, Department of Geography, Central Michigan University, Mount Pleasant, MI 48859. For additional information contact Dr. Mower at 989-774-3821.

Serving more than 28,159 students, Central Michigan University is an innovative doctoral/research-intensive institution recognized for strong undergraduate education and a range of focused graduate programs and research. CMU, an AA/EO institution, strongly and actively strives to increase diversity within its community.

**\*MINNESOTA, MINNEAPOLIS.** The University of Minnesota Libraries invites applications and nominations for the position of Curator of the James Ford Bell Library <http://bell.lib.umn.edu>, a world renowned collection of rare books, maps, and manuscripts documenting relations between Europeans and non-European places and peoples in the period 1400 to 1800. The collection focuses on the interplay of commercial, geographic, political, and religious contacts between Europe and the rest of the world in this early period. APR 04-58.

Full description is at <http://www.lib.umn.edu/about/ul172.phtml>.

**MISSOURI, ST. LOUIS 63118.** The National Geospatial Intelligence Agency (NGA), an agency of the U.S. Government has multiple openings for the positions of: Geospatial Intelligence Analyst and Imagery Intelligence Analyst. NGA has offices in the St Louis, Missouri and Washington DC Metropolitan Areas.

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semester hours of course work in any combination of Astronomy, Cartography, Engineering Science, geodesy, Geography, Geology, Geophysics, Mathematics, Photogrammetry, Physics or Surveying.

Geospatial Analysts need to possess a Bachelors Degree in one of the following fields: Cartography, Civil Engineering, Cognitive Science, Geography, Geology, Hydrology, Information Science, Mathematics, Meteorology, Philosophy, Statistics, Remote Sensing or a closely related discipline. Education or experience with Geographic Information Systems is strongly desired.

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**NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10021. Assistant or Associate Professor.** The Department of Geography, Hunter College-CUNY, the largest geography program in New York City, in conjunction with the CUNY Doctoral Program in Earth and Environmental Sciences, seeks a candidate with a Ph.D. in geography or related discipline for a **tenure-track faculty position in coastal processes** interested in teaching and research centered on urban coastal beaches, inlets, bays, and estuaries. The successful candidate will be expected to develop an independent research program in one or more of the focus areas listed above and must be able to collaborate with other faculty in the Department as well as across the Program in Earth and Environmental Sciences. That person will be expected to develop and teach classes at the undergraduate and graduate levels, mentor undergraduate, masters and doctoral students, and participate in departmental and programmatic activities, as well as in college-wide and university-wide affairs. The successful candidate will have significant input into curriculum development of the CUNY Ph.D. Program in Earth and Environmental Sciences.

Preference will be given to applicants with academic credentials in an area such as coastal engineering, coastal geology, shallow-water oceanography, shallow-water marine science, or a related field in the physical sciences or engineering. The applicant is expected to demonstrate knowledge in focus areas such as near-shore hydrodynamics including wave breaking and currents, coastal sediment transport and morphology change covering beaches and coastal inlets, estuarine processes, numerical modeling, and natural coastal hazard processes in urban areas such as erosion and flooding by storm surge.

The Ph.D. degree is required at the time of appointment. A strong record of, or potential for teaching, research, funding, and publication in geographic information science/applied geography is required for consideration. Good interpersonal skills and effective oral and written communication skills are necessary.

To apply, send a cover letter that discusses teaching and research agendas, curriculum vitae, a sample of recent publications, and full contact information for at least three references before April 10, 2004 to the address below. MAR 04-47.

Apply: Prof. Charles Heatwole, Chair, Department of Geography, Hunter College – CUNY, 695 Park Avenue, NY, NY 10021. E-mail: cah@geo.hunter.cuny.edu. Hunter College is an EOE, ADA, AA, IRCA employer.

**\*NORTH CAROLINA, CHARLOTTE 28223-0001.** University of North Carolina at Charlotte. The Department of Geography and Earth Sciences invites applications for a nine-month, tenure-track faculty position in Geography at the rank of **Assistant Professor** with interests in **regional economics or public policy economics**. The ability to teach the application of microeconomics theory to public policy issues is required. The ideal candidate will have had extensive coursework and/or teaching experience in applying microeconomics theory and methods to urban/regional systems. Ability to teach cost-benefit analysis, the economics of local and regional spending, or the evaluation of public sector projects and activities highly desirable. While the position is housed in Geography and Earth Sciences, the candidate is expected to teach graduate level courses to students with diverse disciplinary orientations for both the Public Policy Ph.D. program and the MA program in Geography. The Ph.D. in Public Policy is an interdisciplinary program focusing on the study of urban/regional systems and how policy should be shaped within urban regions.

As the public university in Charlotte, UNC Charlotte is heavily involved in research and collaborative activities with the private, public and nonprofit organizations within the greater metropolitan region. UNC Charlotte offers numerous exciting opportunities for interdisciplinary teaching and research within its broader metropolitan focus, including the Urban Institute, Transportation Policy and the GIS Center. Candidates are expected to have an active research agenda that contributes to the broader study of public policy within urban/regional systems (e.g., community development, transportation policy, public finance). Candidate must have the PhD at time of appointment.

The position begins August 2004. Interested individuals should submit a letter articulating qualifications, teaching interests and experience, research goals and a curriculum vitae with the names of at least three references to the address below. APR 04-62.

Apply: Dr. Gerald L. Ingalls, Chair, Department of Geography and Earth Sciences, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, 9201 University City Boulevard, Charlotte, NC 28223-0001. Review of the applications will begin immediately, and will continue until the position is filled. AA/EOE.

**\*OREGON, PORTLAND 97207.** Portland State University. The Geography Department invites applications for a two-year fixed-term position beginning Fall 2004. **Assistant Professor and Interim Director of GIS Programs with GIS/Remote Sensing Specialty.** Ph.D. is required. The successful applicant will be expected to teach courses in GIS and remote sensing, help coordinate campus-wide GIS programs, and coordinate the Graduate Certificate in GIS Program. The ability to secure outside funding is desirable.

Portland State University is a comprehensive public university with approximately 24,000 students. The Geography Department offers bachelors and masters degrees in Geography and a doctoral degree in conjunction with the Environmental Sciences and Resources program. Departmental faculty are also affiliated with the university's School of Urban and Public Affairs and International Studies. For information about the university and department see: <http://www.geog.pdx.edu/>. Applicants should submit a letter of application (include e-mail address), curriculum vitae, and the names of three professional references. Consideration of applications will begin 1 March 2004 and will continue until the position is filled. PSU is an AA/EO institution and, in keeping with the



President's diversity initiative, welcomes applications from diverse candidates and candidates who support diversity. APR 04-68.

Apply: Chair, Search Committee, Department of Geography, Portland State University, PO Box 751, Portland, Oregon 97207-0751.

**\*TENNESSEE, NASHVILLE 37208.** The Glenmary Home Missioners seek an **experienced Ph.D.** in sociology or related social science to **direct the Glenmary Research Center.** The center focuses on applied research related to social, cultural and religious life in the rural U.S., particularly the South, with emphasis on parish, community and region.

The position requires the ability to design and conduct studies using quantitative and qualitative research skills, with GIS skills a definite plus. Also required are strong leadership and administrative skills, ability to communicate with a wide variety of Catholic and ecumenical lay and professional audiences and to supervise a small staff. The director must be a Roman Catholic with knowledge of, or willingness to learn about, Glenmary and its missions.

Salary is competitive with an excellent fringe benefit package. Search begins immediately and continues until the position is filled. Those with a master's degree and a minimum of five years experience in a similar type research center may be considered. Further information about Glenmary, the GRC or the position can be found at [www.glenmary.org](http://www.glenmary.org). Please submit vita (or resume) to the address below. APR 04-6

Apply: Search Committee, Glenmary Research Center, 1312 Fifth Avenue North, Nashville, TN 37208 or email documents as MS-Word attachments to [grc@glenmary.org](mailto:grc@glenmary.org) or Fax to 615-251-1472.

**TEXAS, FORT WORTH 76129. Environmental GIS Position.** Texas Christian University (TCU) invites applications for an Assistant Professor position in Environmental GIS, beginning August 2004. The appointment will be a tenure track position in the Department of Geology; the successful candidate will liaise with the Center for GIS and Remote Sensing and the Institute of Environmental Studies. Candidates must possess a strong background and track record in environmental and geoscience GIS applications. Responsibilities will include building upon an existing GIS/ Remote Sensing curriculum through development of introductory and advanced ArcGIS courses. Other teaching duties will reflect departmental needs and the scientific expertise of the individual. Candidates should

demonstrate an equal commitment to both teaching and research. This is an opportunity-rich appointment; the candidate will be expected to foster cross-campus collaborations, and bridge the link between the university and a very active regional GIS community.

Applicants should send a vita, statement of teaching and research interests, and contact information for three references to the address below. MAR 04-56.

Apply: R.N. Donovan, Chair, Department of Geology, Box 298830, Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, TX 76129. Review of applications will begin April 1 and continue until the position is filled. TCU is an AA/EEO employer and encourages a diversity of applicants.

**\*WISCONSIN, LA CROSSE 54601.** The University of Wisconsin-La Crosse. **Chair, Department of Geography/Earth Science**, starting August 2004. The applicant must presently hold the rank of Associate Professor or Professor of Geography and have administrative program development experience, preferably as a department chair. Candidate must hold a Ph.D. in Geography, have a research and publication record in physical geography, a working knowledge of geographic information systems, demonstrated successful grant writing abilities, a commitment to student research, teaching excellence at the undergraduate level, and possess strong interpersonal and communication skills. The chair will actively promote the interests of the department to the university community and outside interests while providing leadership and direction for the department faculty. The chair would be leading a faculty and staff of nine members in an undergraduate program at an academically recognized comprehensive university. Areas of responsibility include budget development, management, faculty development, review and assessment, and the development of student recruitment programs. Preference will be given to applicants who have teaching and research experience in fields such as water resources, soils, biogeography, or geomorphology. The candidate should be willing to teach introductory and upper division courses. Rank and salary commensurate with experience and qualifications. Candidates should submit letter of application, curriculum vitae, up to three reprints, and three letters of reference by May 15th to the address below. APR 04-60.

Apply: Dr. Dean Wilder, Department of Geography/Earth Science, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, 1725 State Street, La Crosse, Wisconsin, 54601. The University of Wisconsin-La Crosse is

an Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action employer. Women, persons of color, and individuals with a disability are encouraged to apply.

**\*WISCONSIN, LA CROSSE 54601.** The University of Wisconsin – La Crosse, Department of Geography and Earth Science invites applications for a temporary **Lecturer position in cartography and geographic information science** effective August 30, 2004. Applicants should have a Ph.D. or ABD in progress. The selected candidate is expected to provide leadership and vision to the cartography and geographic information science core of the undergraduate geography program. Demonstrated expertise in several of the following areas is required: cartography, computer cartography, map design, web-based cartography, geographic information science, and an object oriented computer language. The applicant is expected to carry out a strong research program and should be capable of attracting external funding for these research activities. In addition, the candidate will be asked to promote and serve as advisor for student undergraduate research projects in geography and earth science. The selected candidate must be capable and willing to teach introductory courses in geography or earth science as part of their semester course load. Application materials should include a detailed curriculum vitae, a complete list of publications and three letters of reference. All application materials must be received by May 15, 2004 and should be mailed directly to the address below. APR 04-66.

Apply: Dr. Dean Wilder, Department of Geography and Earth Science University of Wisconsin - La Crosse, 1725 State Street, La Crosse, Wisconsin 54601. UW-La Crosse is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer. Women, persons of color, and individuals with a disability are encouraged to apply. If you have a special need/accommodation to aid your participation in our hiring process, please contact the committee above to make appropriate arrangements.

## INTERNATIONAL

**CANADA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, KAMLOOPS V2C 5N3.** The Department of Geography, Sociology, and Anthropology at the University College of the Cariboo (UCC) invites applications for a full-time, ongoing **Assistant Professor position in Physical Geography.**

UCC Geography is seeking a Geographer with expertise in hydrology, glacial geomorphology, or any other field of Physical Geography. Preference

will be given to applicants who can contribute to interdisciplinary research and teaching initiatives at UCC. The successful candidate will share in the teaching of lower level Physical Geography courses, and teach and develop upper level courses, including a field course. The successful candidate will demonstrate a commitment to excellence in teaching and research, and possess strong interpersonal and collegial skills. An ability and commitment to carry out research in the local region will be viewed as an asset. The position requires participation in departmental initiatives and responsibilities. Please see web page ([www.cariboo.bc.ca/ae/ses/geog/index.html](http://www.cariboo.bc.ca/ae/ses/geog/index.html)) for more information.

Qualifications: Ph.D. (or near completion at the time of appointment) in Geography or closely related disciplines

Start Date / Term of Appointment: August 1, 2004. A review of applications will begin March 5, 2004 and continue until the position is filled.

In accordance with Canadian Immigration laws, this ad is directed to citizens and permanent residents of Canada. UCC is committed to the principle of employment equity. Please forward a letter of application discussing relevant work experience, a current C.V., copies of teaching evaluations if available, quoting the Comp. #04-006 with names, addresses and telephone numbers of three (3) referees, along with a copy of graduate transcripts to the address below. MAR 04-42a.

Apply: Irene Bazell, Human Resources Officer, UCC, P.O. Box 3010, Kamloops, British Columbia, V2C 5N3. <http://cariboo.bc.ca/hr/job.htm>.

**CANADA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, KAM-LOOPS V2C 5N3.** The Department of Geography, Sociology, and Anthropology at the University College of the Cariboo invites applications for a full-time, ongoing **Lab Faculty position in Physical Geography**.

The successful candidate will provide lab instruction and assistance in scheduled Physical Geography lab. Duties will include: designing, grading, and recording assignments and exams; organizing, setting up, and removing of equipment and materials for labs; maintaining, purchasing, and inventorying lab equipment and supplies; maintaining weather station equipment, and providing instructional assistance in its use. The successful candidate may also be asked to teach a section of an introductory Physical Geography course. Excellent interpersonal and collegial skills are required, as lab faculty must work

closely with course instructors. The position requires participation in departmental initiatives and responsibilities. Please see web page ([www.cariboo.bc.ca/ae/ses/geog/index.html](http://www.cariboo.bc.ca/ae/ses/geog/index.html)) for more information.

Qualifications: B.A. or B.Sc. in Geography, M.Sc. in Physical Geography or closely related disciplines preferred, lab instructional experience is an asset.

Start Date / Term of Appointment: August 1, 2004. A review of applications will begin March 5, 2004 and continue until the position is filled.

In accordance with Canadian Immigration laws, this ad is directed to citizens and permanent residents of Canada. UCC is committed to the principle of employment equity. Please forward a letter of application discussing relevant work experience, a current C.V., copies of teaching evaluations if available, quoting the Comp. #04-007 with names, addresses and telephone numbers of three (3) referees, along with a copy of graduate transcripts to the address below. MAR 04-42b.

Apply: Irene Bazell, Human Resources Officer, UCC, P.O. Box 3010, Kamloops, British Columbia, V2C 5N3. <http://cariboo.bc.ca/hr/job.htm>.

**CANADA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, KAM-LOOPS V2C 5N3.** The Department of Geography, Sociology, and Anthropology at the University College of the Cariboo invites applications for a full-time, ongoing **Assistant Professor position in Human Geography**.

UCC Geography is seeking a Geographer with expertise in any field of Human Geography or Planning. Preference will be given to applicants who can contribute to disciplinary and institutional projects on small to mid-sized cities and their rural contexts. The successful candidate will share in the teaching of lower level Human Geography courses, and teach and develop upper level courses. An ability to teach techniques and regional courses is an asset. The successful candidate will demonstrate a commitment to excellence in teaching and research, and possess strong interpersonal and collegial skills. An ability and commitment to carry out research in the local region will be viewed as an asset. The position requires participation in departmental initiatives and responsibilities. Please see web page ([www.cariboo.bc.ca/ae/ses/geog/index.html](http://www.cariboo.bc.ca/ae/ses/geog/index.html)) for more information.

Qualifications: Ph.D. (or near completion at the time of appointment) in Geography or Planning.

Start Date / Term of Appointment: August 1, 2004. A review of applications will begin March

5, 2004 and continue until the position is filled.

In accordance with Canadian Immigration laws, this ad is directed to citizens and permanent residents of Canada. UCC is committed to the principle of employment equity. Please forward a letter of application discussing relevant work experience, a current C.V., copies of teaching evaluations if available, quoting the Comp. #04-008 with names, addresses and telephone numbers of three (3) referees, along with a copy of graduate transcripts to the address below. MAR 04-42c.

Apply: Irene Bazell, Human Resources Officer, UCC, P.O. Box 3010, Kamloops, British Columbia, V2C 5N3. <http://cariboo.bc.ca/hr/job.htm>.

**CANADA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, KAM-LOOPS V2C 5N3.** The Department of Geography, Sociology, and Anthropology at the University College of the Cariboo invites applications for a full-time, ongoing **Lab Faculty position in Physical and Human Geography**.

The successful candidate will provide lab instruction and assistance in scheduled Geography labs. Duties will include: organizing, setting up, and removing of equipment and materials for labs; assisting other lab faculty with his/her duties; and grading, and recording Physical and Human Geography lab assignments and exams. Excellent interpersonal and collegial skills are required, as lab faculty must work closely with course instructors. The position requires participation in departmental initiatives and responsibilities. Please see web page ([www.cariboo.bc.ca/ae/ses/geog/index.html](http://www.cariboo.bc.ca/ae/ses/geog/index.html)) for more information.

Qualifications: B.A. or B.Sc. in Geography, M.A. in Human Geography or M.A. or M.Sc. in Physical Geography or closely related disciplines preferred, Lab instructional experience is an asset.

Start Date / Term of Appointment: August 1, 2004. A review of applications will begin March 5, 2004 and continue until the position is filled.

In accordance with Canadian Immigration laws, this ad is directed to citizens and permanent residents of Canada. UCC is committed to the principle of employment equity. Please forward a letter of application discussing relevant work experience, a current C.V., copies of teaching evaluations if available, quoting the Comp. #04-009 with names, addresses and telephone numbers of three (3) referees, along with a copy of graduate transcripts to the address below. MAR 04-42d.

Apply: Irene Bazell, Human Resources Officer, UCC, P.O. Box 3010, Kamloops, British Columbia, V2C 5N3. <http://cariboo.bc.ca/hr/job.htm>. ■

## 2004 APRIL

15-16. 35th Annual South Dakota State Geography Convention. Brookings, SD. [www3.sdstate.edu/Academics/CollegeofArtsAndScience/Geography/Index.cfm](http://www3.sdstate.edu/Academics/CollegeofArtsAndScience/Geography/Index.cfm).

18-22. American Conference on Surveying & Mapping. Nashville, TN. [www.acsm.net/acsmconf.html](http://www.acsm.net/acsmconf.html).

20-22. 15th Global Warming International Conference & Exposition. San Francisco, CA. [www.globalwarming.net](http://www.globalwarming.net).

21-24. Western Social Science Association 46th Annual Meeting. Salt Lake City, UT. <http://wssa.asu.edu>.

25-28. GITAs 27th Annual Conference. Seattle, WA. [www.gita.org](http://www.gita.org).

30 April-2 May. Annual International Conference of Philosophy and Geography. Towson, MD. [www.towson.edu/spg](http://www.towson.edu/spg).

## MAY

5-7. 3rd Annual Centre for Tourism and Cultural Change (CTCC) Tourism and Festival Research Conference. Innsbruck, Austria. [www.tourism-culture.com](http://www.tourism-culture.com).

6-9. Canadian Anthropology Society 2004 Conference. London, Ontario, Canada. [www.ssc.uwo.ca/anthropology/casca](http://www.ssc.uwo.ca/anthropology/casca).

7-10. Congress of Cultural Atlases: The Human Record. Berkeley, CA. [www.ecai.org/Activities/Congress2004/congress\\_home.html](http://www.ecai.org/Activities/Congress2004/congress_home.html).

11-12. 12th Annual Pennsylvania GIS Conference. Harrisburg, PA. [www.pagisconference.org](http://www.pagisconference.org).

14-16. **Mapping the News Conference.** National Press Club, Washington, DC. [www.aag.org/mapnews](http://www.aag.org/mapnews).

21-22. First International Workshop on the Human Dimensions of Climate Change in Central Asia. Grand Rapids, MI. [www4.gvsu.edu/lioubime/CentralA\\_files/a\\_call\\_for\\_papers\\_and\\_participat.htm](http://www4.gvsu.edu/lioubime/CentralA_files/a_call_for_papers_and_participat.htm).

23-27. American Society for Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing Annual Conference. Denver, CO. [www.asprs.org/denver2004](http://www.asprs.org/denver2004).

25-29. Canadian Association of Geographers Annual Meeting. Montcon, New Brunswick, Canada. [www.cag-acg.ca/en/cag\\_annual\\_meeting.html](http://www.cag-acg.ca/en/cag_annual_meeting.html).

## JUNE

9-11. 61st Eastern Snow Conference (ESC). Portland, ME. [www.easternsnow.org/](http://www.easternsnow.org/).

16-19. 3rd Annual Hawaii International Conference on Social Sciences. Honolulu, HI. [www.hicsocial.org](http://www.hicsocial.org).

21-26. Summer Institute on Internal Migration. Los Angeles, CA. [www.international.ucla.edu/migration2004](http://www.international.ucla.edu/migration2004).

23-26. Council on Undergraduate Research, 10th Annual National Conference. La Crosse, WI. [www.cur.org/conferences.html](http://www.cur.org/conferences.html).

## JULY

12-24. The 20th Congress of the International Society for Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing. Istanbul, Turkey. [www.magister.tr](http://www.magister.tr).

21-25. 10th International Conference on Information Systems Analysis and Synthesis (ISAS 2004) and International Conference on Cybernetics and Information Technologies, Systems and Applications (CITSA 2004). Orlando, FL. [www.infocybernetics.org/citsa2004/WebSite/Default.asp](http://www.infocybernetics.org/citsa2004/WebSite/Default.asp).

22-26. Tourism & Literature: Travel, Imagination & Myth. Harrogate, Yorkshire, UK. [www.tourism-culture.com](http://www.tourism-culture.com).

## AUGUST

9-13. ESRI International User Conference. San Diego, CA. [www.esri.com/events/uc](http://www.esri.com/events/uc).

15-20. 30th Congress of the International Geographical Union. Glasgow, UK. [www.meetingmakers.co.uk/IGC-UK2004](http://www.meetingmakers.co.uk/IGC-UK2004).

21-24. Post-IGC Symposium in Urban Morphology. Newcastle upon Tyne, UK. [www.let.rug.nl/isuf/](http://www.let.rug.nl/isuf/).

## SEPTEMBER

7-11. 6th International Conference on Geomorphology: Geomorphology in regions of environmental contrasts. Zaragoza, Spain. <http://wzar.unizar.es/actos/SEG/index.html>.

8-10. International Symposium on Earth Systems. Istanbul, Turkey. [www.earthsystem2004.org/default.asp](http://www.earthsystem2004.org/default.asp).

8-11. **AAG Pacific Coast Division Meeting.** San Luis Obispo, CA. <http://cla.calpoly.edu/~jkeese/>.

15-21. The 21st Meeting of the Permanent European Conference for the Study of the Rural Landscape. Limnos and Lesvos, Greece. [www.aegean.gr/geography/PECSRL2004](http://www.aegean.gr/geography/PECSRL2004).

17-19. **Race/Ethnicity and Place Conference.** Howard University, Washington, DC. [www.aag.org/meetings](http://www.aag.org/meetings).

30 September-2 October. **AAG Great Plain/Rocky Mountain Division Meeting.** Eros Data Center, South Dakota State

University, SD. <http://geography.unco.edu/GPRM/>.

## OCTOBER

6-8. Wengen 2004 International and Interdisciplinary Workshop: Mountain Glaciers and Society: Perception, Science, Impacts and Policy. Wengen, Switzerland. [www.unifr.ch/geoscience/geographie/events/Wengen/04/Wengen2004.html](http://www.unifr.ch/geoscience/geographie/events/Wengen/04/Wengen2004.html).7-9.

7-9. **AAG West Lakes Division Meeting.** Oshkosh, WI. [www.geog.umn.edu/West\\_Lakes\\_AAG](http://www.geog.umn.edu/West_Lakes_AAG).

8-10. **AAG East Lakes Division Meeting.** Department of Geography at Ohio University. Contact Tim Anderson at [anderst1@ohio.edu](mailto:anderst1@ohio.edu).

11-13. Spatial Cognition 2004. Bavaria, Germany. [www.sfbtr8.uni-bremen.de/events.html](http://www.sfbtr8.uni-bremen.de/events.html).

15-16. **AAG New England St. Lawrence Valley Division Meeting.** Portland, ME. Contact Cathleen McAnneny at [mcanneny@maine.edu](mailto:mcanneny@maine.edu).

20-23. **GIScience 2004.** College Park, MD. [www.giscience.org](http://www.giscience.org).

20-23. National Council for Geographic Education Annual Meeting. Kansas City, MO. [www.ncge.org/activities/meetings/kansascity/](http://www.ncge.org/activities/meetings/kansascity/).

20-24. Applied Geography Conference. St. Louis, MO. [www.appliedgeog.org/html/main.htm](http://www.appliedgeog.org/html/main.htm).

21-23. Pioneer America Society, 36th Annual Meeting. Newtown, PA. Contact David Kimmerly at [kimmerly@comcast.net](mailto:kimmerly@comcast.net).

21-23. **AAG Southwestern Division Meeting.** Nacogdoches, TX. Contact Darrell McDonald at [dmcDonald@sfasu.edu](mailto:dmcDonald@sfasu.edu).

29-30 **AAG Middle States Division Meeting.** Villanova, PA. Contact Keith Henderson at [keith.henderson@villanova.edu](mailto:keith.henderson@villanova.edu).

## NOVEMBER

11-14. 2004 American Studies Association Meeting. Atlanta, GA. [www.georgetown.edu/crossroads/AmericanStudiesAssn/annualmeeting/](http://www.georgetown.edu/crossroads/AmericanStudiesAssn/annualmeeting/).

## 2005

5-9 April. **AAG 101st Annual Meeting.** Denver, CO. [www.aag.org](http://www.aag.org).

## 2006

7-11 March. **AAG 102nd Annual Meeting.** Chicago, IL. [www.aag.org](http://www.aag.org).

## 2007

16-21 April. **AAG 103rd Annual Meeting.** San Francisco, CA. [www.aag.org](http://www.aag.org). ■



The April 1979 issue of the AAG *Newsletter* noted that the historic move of the AGS Collection from New York to the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee was complete. Curator Roman Drazniowsky was working on getting the collection ready for a planned opening to the public in mid-1979. The department looked forward to having many visitors using the collection in their research...Terry G. Jordan, professor and chairman of geography at North Texas State University has been awarded the Coral Horton Tullis Memorial Prize for writing the most important book on Texas published during 1978. The award, presented through the Texas State Historical Association, was for Jordan's book *Texas Log Buildings: A Folk Architecture*,

published by the University of Texas Press...Kingsley E. Haynes completed a two-year assignment as director of the Middle East Office of Resources and Environment with the Ford Foundation and moved on to a position as professor of geography, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University.

He also received a grant (\$85,000) from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and the Indiana State Planning Service Agency, for examination of energy facility siting and coastal dependent energy facilities in the Indiana coastal zone (Lake Michigan-Indiana interface). ■

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