

## Instructional Media Center Missouri Western State University



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### IMC Highlights

#### Academic Computing to Assume Major Responsibility for Most Computer Labs

Academic Computing Support within the Instructional Media Center is your new contact for academic computing lab needs such as requesting software loads, reporting technical problems, printer maintenance, training on how to use vision software, etc. Our goal is to make teaching and learning in the labs as productive and efficient as possible. If you have academic computing lab needs that should be addressed before Fall semester, please contact us so we can make sure your needs are met before school starts.

Additionally, most academic labs will be scheduled centrally, and student workers will be hired centrally and supervised through Academic Computing Support. This will result in an efficiency that will allow some labs to extend their hours. Also, a new drop in lab is being established in Wilson 200B.

For support for any academic computing lab technology needs contact Academic Computing Support at 271-5999. The IMC will be hiring a lab coordinator. Until this position is filled, Cori Criger will lead the support team for the labs. She can be contacted at 271-5661 or [criger@missouriwestern.edu](mailto:criger@missouriwestern.edu). More information will be coming out before fall semester about services.

#### Danielle Hunt transfers to Athletics

The staff of the Instructional Media Center wishes to thank Danielle Hunt for her many years of service to the campus through her role with the IMC. On June 15, 2009 Danielle assumed a new position in Athletics. Requests for Educational Television Services should be directed to Tara Stoll at 271-4171 or [stoll@missouriwestern.edu](mailto:stoll@missouriwestern.edu) or Kevin McQuirter at 271-5662 or [kmcquirter@missouriwestern.edu](mailto:kmcquirter@missouriwestern.edu).

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### Tip of the Month

This summer is the perfect time to see the new teachers station coming to Remington Hall in the Spring of 2010.

Check out the new projectors, computers and document cameras on a prototype set up in Hearnes 102, and schedule an individual viewing and training session by contacting Jesse Rice at [jrice2@missouriwestern.edu](mailto:jrice2@missouriwestern.edu)



- Classroom Services is working on many projects this summer to maintain or improve classroom technology. We will have a full listing of all projects and changes in the August newsletter prior to the fall semester.
- If you have any known special requests you will need for the fall or a special project you will be working on that you need our assistance with please let us know as soon as you can.

## Educational Television Services

### Congratulations to Educational Television Services Communicator Awards Winners!

#### **Tara Stoll, Video Communications Producer**

- *Incubator Marketing Video for the Bond Science & Technology Incubator*  
Award of Distinction for category Film/Video – Self Promotion  
Award of Distinction for category Film/Video – Editing
- *Community Expectations for MWSU Griffon Edge program*  
Award of Distinction for category Film/Video –Editing  
Award of Distinction for category Film/Video –Motivational
- *RESLife Video for MWSU Residential Life & Admissions Departments*  
Award of Distinction for category Film/Video –Educational Institutions

#### **Kevin McQuirter, Video Communications Specialist**

- *MWSU Capital Campaign 2008 for the MWSU Foundation*  
Award of Distinction for category Film/Video – Fund Raising

#### **Danielle Hunt, Manager, Educational Television Services**

- *2008 Campaign Video “Together We Win” for the United Way of Greater St. Joseph*  
Award of Distinction for category Film/Video – Fund Raising



- All classes taught on campus and listed in Banner are available via Blackboard/WebCT. The student roster is automatically placed in each course as well. The login information for both students and faculty is the same as the Western email login information. Even if faculty just want to make class files, such as syllabi, available to students, this is a convenient way to make sure course information is accessible at any time from any location with an Internet connection.
- Class Climate is available for all faculty/staff to create and disseminate surveys for course and/or research needs. Surveys may be conducted online or via paper/pencil. Paper forms are able to be scanned in and the data retrieved in CSV, SPSS, or PDF report format. Data may also be merged with data from online surveys. To get this set up for use, please contact Cindy Wells at [cwells5@missouriwestern.edu](mailto:cwells5@missouriwestern.edu) or 271-4172.
- Blackboard/WebCT tutorials are available for faculty and students at the IMC homepage. Just click on the Resources link, Instructor or Student Tools and choose WebCT Resources. Step by step instructions are available. Please contact Cindy Wells if there are questions or further assistance is needed.
- Fall 09 classes should now be listed in Blackboard/WebCT. Please notify Cindy Wells as soon as possible if there are any problems or questions at X4172 or [cwells5@missouriwestern.edu](mailto:cwells5@missouriwestern.edu).
- Trainings and other offerings for the fall semester are being planned. Please watch the faculty list serve for dates and times. If you have suggestions for offerings, please contact the IMC or Cindy Wells at 271-4172 or [cwells5@missouriwestern.edu](mailto:cwells5@missouriwestern.edu).