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PHILOSOPHY PROFESSOR TO GIVE LECTURE AT WESTERN

St. Joseph, Mo. — Nov. 25, 2003—Dr. Lisa Wilkinson, assistant professor of philosophy at Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln, will present a lecture with accompanying slides Dec. 3 at 4 p.m., in the Missouri Western State College Thompson E. Potter Fine Arts Building, room 107. The event is free and open to the community.

Dr. Wilkinson's presentation, entitled "Ancient Poesis: Art or Anti-Art?" will focus on Plato's criticisms of artistic imitation in "Republic, Book X," and Aristotle's discussion of "general truth" in the "Poetics."

The event is sponsored by the Western Co-curricular Activities Committee with funds provided by the Academic and Student Affairs office and the Western Foundation. For more information, contact Dr. Mark Mikkelsen at mikkelsen@mwsc.edu or 816-271-4530.

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