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WESTERN HOSTS OUTDOOR SEMESTER PRESENTATION

St. Joseph, Mo. —Oct. 19, 2005—A presentation on Missouri Western State University's Outdoor Semester will take place at 10 a.m. Oct. 22 in Leah Spratt Hall, Kemper Recital Hall. The presentation will feature students' and faculty members' slides and journal entries from this semester's Lewis and Clark Outdoor Semester. The event is free and open to the community.

In the multidisciplinary Outdoor Semester program, students take five courses together and spend over two weeks of the semester hiking, canoeing and camping throughout the western United States as part of their coursework. This year, participants traveled along the Lewis and Clark Trail to Great Falls, Mont., which included a four-day canoe trip down the upper Missouri River.

For information about the presentation or the Lewis and Clark Outdoor Semester, contact Dr. Elizabeth Latosi-Sawin at 816-271-4274.

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Missouri Western State University is a four-year public institution providing a blend of traditional liberal arts and professional degree programs. The university offers student-centered, high quality instruction that focuses on experience-based learning, community service, and state-of-the-art technology. Western is located in St. Joseph, Mo. and is committed to the educational, economic, cultural and social development of the region it serves.

