



# News Release

Missouri Western State College • 4525 Downs Drive • St. Joseph, MO 64507 • (816) 271-5649

**Contact: Kristy Hill**

**Phone: (816)-271-5649**

**Title: Public Relations/Marketing Director**

**Email: [hillk@mwsc.edu](mailto:hillk@mwsc.edu)**

## WESTERN STUDENT NAMED LEGISLATIVE INTERN

**St. Joseph, Mo.** —Jan. 9, 2003— Ann Stock of St. Joseph was awarded the Edwin D. Gorman Public Service Internship through the Missouri Western State College Foundation. Dr. Janet Murphy, former president of Western, began the internship in honor of her father who served for 12 years in the Massachusetts Legislature.

Stock, a senior at Missouri Western State College, will serve as a legislative intern for State Senator Charlie Shields this legislative session. She will begin Jan. 13 and work until the session concludes May 16.

Stock, a history major, is a member of the Education Honor Society, the College Republicans and the Newman Club at Western.

“I am very excited about the internship and look forward to learning a lot during my time at the State Capitol,” said Stock. “I’m very interested in politics, and I want to see how the system works.”

Missouri Western State College is a four-year public institution providing a blend of traditional liberal arts and professional degree programs. The college 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.

—end—

