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WESTERN ANNOUNCES FACULTY AND STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

St. Joseph, Mo. —Oct. 20, 2006—Missouri Western State University announces recent achievements of its faculty and staff:

- Developing a Personal Style: Janet Flanner's Literary Journalism, an article published by Dr. Ann Thorne, professor of journalism, has been published in *American Journalism: A Journal of Media History*.
- Dr. Cynthia Jeney, assistant professor of English, published her textbook “Writing for the Web: A Practical Guide” (Prentice Hall, August 2006). She also presented her paper Granny! What a Big Blog You Have!: The Logos of Ethos in a Mass-Pathological Century, and Other Truthinesses in Web Communication at the 22nd annual meeting of the national Computers and Writing conference in Lubbock, Texas.
- Dr. Phil Mullins, professor of philosophy, and Struan Jacobs published an article entitled “T.S. Eliot’s Idea of the Clerisy, and Its Discussion by Karl Mannheim and Michael Polanyi in the Context of J. H. Oldham’s Moot,” in *the Journal of Classical Sociology*, vol. 6, no. 2 (2006):147-156. This essay is accompanied by 1944 papers from Eliot, Mannheim and Polanyi edited by Dr. Mullins and Jacobs.
- Assistant professor of physical education Dr. Bill Russell’s article “The Argument for Promoting Authentic Assessment in Physical Education” was published in the June 2006 edition of the *Iowa AHPERD Journal*.

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