PUBLICATIONS

• Jennifer Henderson (with Shelle Barton and Shyene Heller), "We Were Such a Generation--Memoir, Truthfulness, and History: An Interview with Patricia Hampl." River Teeth: A Journal of Nonfiction Narrative 5.2 (Spring 2004):129-142.


PRESENTATIONS


• Philip Nel, "UNLESS: The Legacy of Dr. Seuss's The Lorax" (invited talk). Kansas Association for Conservation and Environmental Education. Dodge City, KS. 5 Nov. 2004.

• Imad Rahman, fiction reading at Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA. The event was sponsored by the Stanford Continuing Studies' Writer's Studio. 12 Oct. 2004.


AWARDS

• Michele Janette received a teaching award from the KSU chapter of Mortar Board Senior Honor Society, honoring outstanding KSU instructors, advisors, and mentors. 1 Nov. 2004.

NEWS FROM ALUMNI

• Carmen Eichman (M.A. 2004) has been appointed an Assistant Professor of English at Danville Community College in Danville, Virginia.

• Cree Roberts (M.A. 2004) is working as the Administrative Coordinator at the Western Colorado Center for the Arts.

• Sarah Hamblin (M.A. 2004) and Hugh O'Connell (M.A. 2004) are teaching English in Matsusaka, Japan.


CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, December 2, 4:00 p.m., Hale Library. English Department Colloquium featuring second-year graduate students. Barrett Bowlin: "Trauma, Violence, and Animated Origins in Quentin Tarantino’s Kill Bill, Volume one." Holly Chism: "Objectification and Personification in Sexual Humor: From the Anglo-Saxon to the Present.” Mindy Trenary: “On the Path to Transcendence: The Portrayal of Bodies in Jeanett Winterson’s Sexing the Cherry.”

Friday, December 10, 6:00 - 10:00 p.m. The English Department Winter Solstice Party will be held at the home of Linda Brigham and Greg Eiselein. This year’s event will include a staged reading of selected scenes from Susanna Centlivre’s A Bold Stroke for a Wife (1718) by graduate students and faculty.


Friday, April 8. Imogene Bolls, K-State English Alumna and poet, will be the special guest for the department’s Alumni Event.
Thursday, April 14 & Friday, April 15. Caroes Eire, Pulitzer Prize winner for his book *Waiting for Snow in Havana: Confessions of a Cuban Boy.*

Friday, April 22. Graduate Literature Symposium.

Early May. Annual Awards Banquet.

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