

Sabbatical Proposals Approved for Academic Year 2004-05

Name	Department	Proposal
Cynthia Baker	Religious Studies	The Rabbis' Jewish Others
Jose Barria	Mathematics and Computer Science	The Strong Closure of the Similarity Orbit of a Pair of Finite Rank Operators
Terry Beers	English	Manifest Destiny: California Writing and the Injustices of Western Expansion
Michael Carrasco	Chemistry	N-alkyl-aminoxy Amino Acids as Versatile Substrates for In Vitro Post-translational Modifications
Ruth Cook	Education	Adapting Early Childhood Curricula for Children in Inclusive Settings
Ruth Davis	Computer Engineering	Foundations of Predictable Software
John Dunlap	Classics	The Development Of An Answer Key For Use With Collins <i>Primer of Ecclesiastical Latin</i>
Eileen Elrod	English	Piety and Poetics: Literary Conventions, Personal Voice and Inflections of Race in Early American Religious Poetry
Jerry Enos	Theater & Dance	New Technologies in Theater Design
Frank Farris	Mathematics and Computer Science	Research in Expository Mathematics and Differential Geometry
Sara Garcia	Education	Ethics in Environmental Education: A Teacher Development Project
Linda Garber	English	Past Desire: Claiming Lesbian History
Tracey Kahan	Psychology	To Sleep, Perchance to Dream of External Funding
Philip Kain	Philosophy	Nietzsche and the Horror of Existence
Lisa Kealhofer	Anthropology and Sociology	The Political Economy of the Phrygians in the First Millennium BC
Daniel Lewis	Computer Engineering	An Introductory Computer Programming Book for Freshman
Tammy Madsen	Management	Does Experience with Technolgy Matter? Understanding the Drivers of Competitive Heterogeneity
Yahia Mahamdi	Communication	"Fleecing Jose," a Feature-length Documentary
Michelle Marvier	Biology	Finding a Conservation Future
Catherine Murphy	Religious Studies	Economic Models in the New Testament and their Relationship to the Love Command
Lawrence Nelson	Philosophy	Four Projects: Constitutional Personhood, Cloning, Bioethics, Sex Binary
Jean Pedersen	Mathematics	Mathematical Research and its Relation to Teaching Undergraduate Courses

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David Pinault	Religious Studies	Prince Dara Shikoh and the Legacy of Religious Pluralism in Islam
Mahmud Rahman	Electrical Engineering	Study of Emerging Research Devices and Technologies
Atulya Sarin	Finance	Value of Control
Edward Schaefer	Mathematics and Computer Science	Teaching and Research at Mzuzu University
Amy Shachter	Chemistry	Porphyrins and SENCER
Dragoslav Siljak	Electrical Engineering	Inclusion Principle for Dynamic Systems
Russell Skowronek	Anthropology and Sociology	The Discovery, Excavation, and Identification of a British Man-of-War Lost off the Cape of Florida in 1748.
Nancy Unger	History	Beyond "Natures Housekeepers": American Women and Gender in Environmental History
Lucia Varona	Modern Languages and Literatures	Introducing Rural Women's Voices into Spanish Studies through Appreciate Inquiry
Byron Walden	Mathematics and Computer Science	Harmonic Measure Distributions; Triangle Division through the Conformal Center