Klayder Named Mortar Board Outstanding Educator

Mary Klayder, Lecturer in the English Department, has been chosen as a Mortar Board Outstanding Educator for 2002. She will be honored, along with the other four recipients of this honor, at the KU-KSU football game on 2 November and at a special ceremony to be held 12:30 - 2:00 pm in the Big 12 Room of the Kanas Union on 3 November. Congratulations Mary!

Presentations

Bruni, John

Davidson, Mary Catherine (with Wheaton Elkins)
“Bringing Up Babel: Multilingualism in Renoir’s Grand Illusion and Jarmusch’s Mystery Train,” Literature/Film Association Annual Conference, Carlisle, PA, 17-20 October.

Hirsch, Bernard A.

Johnson, Michael L.
Reading, poems from “Southwestern Afflatus,” section of a new book tentatively entitled To by God Set the Record Straight: More Poems About the American West, Western Literature Association, Tucson, AZ, 9-12 October.

Announcements, Notes, & News

• Beverly Boyd chaired a session at the 29th Annual Manuscripta Conference, Vatican Film Library, Saint Louis University, St. Louis, MO, 12 October.

• KU and Regional Events ( Posted)

• Early Modern Seminar, “Nostalgia for the Early Modern in Later Works of Art,” Susan Earle, 28 October, Spencer Museum of Art, 3:30-5:00 pm, Spencer Museum of Art.

• Forum to provide suggestions for improvement of the proposed policies regarding Conflicts of Interest and Technology Transfer, 29 October, Simons Building Auditorium, Room 100, 3:30-5:00 pm.

• Re(Searching) Life: A Contemplation of Organizing Collectively, “Education Versus Research: An Evolving Crisis of Identity,” Joseph A. Heppert, KU Center for Science Education/Chemistry, 31 October, 3:30-5:00 pm, Hall Center Conference Room.

• Nature & Culture Seminar, “Toxic Bodies: Environmental Change and Human Health,” Nancy Langston, Forestry & Environmental Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1 November, 3:30-5:00 pm, Hall Center Conference Room.

• Presidential Lecture Series, Edmund Morris, Pulitzer Prize-winning biographer of Theodore Roosevelt and Ronald Reagan, 3 November, 8:00 pm, Lied Center.

Calls For Papers, Conferences, Symposiums, Etc. (Posted)

• C. S. Lewis and the Inklings: The New Mythmakers, 6th Annual C. S. Lewis and the Inklings Conference, 4-5 April 2003, Oklahoma City University, Oklahoma City, OK. Deadline: 30 January.


Contests, Fellowships, Grants (Posted)

• Lillith, independent Jewish women’s magazine, offers its second annual prize in Jewish Feminist Fiction. Deadline: 1 December.

• National Hispanic Cultural Center of New Mexico Literary Prize, hispano/a or latino/a authors, poetry, short stories, or novels. Deadline: 15 November.


• Raymond Carver Short Story Award, Carve Magazine, (open to all writers, but last two winners have been graduate students). Deadline: 1 January.

Bouncer Trivia

The Ivy League library bouncer was Professor William O. Scott. The only Department sleuth to correctly guess the mystery bouncer’s identity was Professor Janet Sharistanian.

Calendar

T 29  Feminist Discussion Group, 6:00 pm, La Prima Tazza
M 4  British Seminar, “Macmillan’s Magazine and Margaret Oliphant: A Major Victorian Periodical and One of Its Major Contributions,” George Worth, Professor Emeritus, English, 3:30-5:00 pm, Hall Center Conference Room
Happy Halloween!