

## Teaching and Learning

### Full Listing of Women's Studies Courses 2010-11

SUBMITTED BY **JESSICA NATHANSON, DIRECTOR, WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTER, WOMEN'S STUDIES**

Interested in taking a Women's Studies course in the fall? If you've been looking under "WST", you probably haven't seen all the courses that Women's Studies at Augsburg has to offer. For a complete listing, check out: <http://www.augsburg.edu/womensstudies/documents/wst1011.pdf> or go to our homepage: <http://www.augsburg.edu/womensstudies/> and click on "2010-11 Courses (pdf)" in the sidebar.

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### Sabo Symposium on Alternative Energy: Wednesday, April 7

SUBMITTED BY **GARRY W HESSER, PROFESSOR AND SABO CHAIR FOR CITIZENSHIP AND LEARNING, SOCIOLOGY AND SABO CENTER**

The Sabo Center invites you to the Sabo Symposium on Alternative Energy Options, to take place on Wednesday, April 7, from 3:40–6 p.m. in Hoversten Chapel and Foss Center. You will learn about options in nuclear energy, biodiesel fuels, and wind energies. The symposium is co-sponsored by the academic departments in natural science and math (Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Math, and environmental studies), along with the Chemistry Club and Sabo Scholars. Martin Sabo will serve as moderator. The panelists will host breakout sessions after the panel to further discuss their work and careers [5:00-6:00].

The panelists are:

- Cynthia Jones '81, a senior technical adviser for nuclear security at the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
- Clayton McNeff '91, CEO of ZirChrom Separations and co-inventor of the Mtgyan Process
- Rolf Miller, technical consulting services manager of WindLogics

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### International Travel Award Request Due TODAY

SUBMITTED BY **THERESAL MARTIN, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT, CENTER FOR TEACHING AND LEARNING**

Additional International Travel Funding Available  
Due April 6

Faculty presenting a paper at an international conference are eligible for additional travel funding through CTL. Two \$400 awards are available to supplement the annual travel award of \$1200 for which faculty presenting a paper are eligible. (Canada is considered international.) These supplemental awards are determined competitively by the Committee on Faculty Development. The funding year is June 1-May 31st.

Apply online at the CTL webpage [www.augsburg.edu/ctl](http://www.augsburg.edu/ctl). Link at the left of the page, webforms.

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### Shakespeare on the Miracle Mile

SUBMITTED BY **CATHLEEN ADALGLISH, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, ENGLISH**

English Professor Doug Green participated in the annual conference of the Shakespeare Association of America in Chicago, 1-4 April 2010, which he has attended for 25 years. In addition to attending paper presentations on matters like "Shakespeare's Sex" and the practice of kissing in early modern Europe (more important than you'd think) and screenings of new Shakespeare films, including an adaptation of Macbeth the inmates of a Northern Irish prison, Professor Green took part in a workshop on "Close Reading without Readings," organized by Stephen Booth of UC-Berkeley and conducted by Heather James of USC. The workshop re-examined the possibility and value of textual explication as a practice in its own right rather than in service to a thematic or interpretive agenda.

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### Congratulations, President Pike

SUBMITTED BY **TIMOTHY D. PIPPERT, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, CHAIR, SOCIOLOGY**

As president of the Midwest Sociological Society, Diane Pike delivered her address, "The Tyranny of Dead Ideas," to a packed house at the MSS annual meetings in Chicago this past week. Excellent job Diane!

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## General Announcements

### Choral Auditions for 2009-2010

SUBMITTED BY **PETER AHENDRICKSON, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, MUSIC**

Auditions for returning students for all choral ensembles for the coming school year, 2010-2011, will be held on the following days:

12 April, Monday -- 2-5 PM  
13 April, Tuesday -- 2-5 PM  
15 April, Thursday -- 2-5 PM  
20 April, Tuesday -- 2-5 PM  
22 April, Thursday -- 2-5 PM

Signup sheets for auditions are on the bulletin board between the band and choir rooms. Please sign up for the earliest time possible.

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### Minneapolis Is the Best Biking City in the Nation

SUBMITTED BY **THOMAS S RUFFANER, DAY CUSTODIAL SUPERVISOR, CUSTODIAL SERVICES**

According to the latest issue of Biking Magazine, Minneapolis is the best biking city in the nation -- ahead of Portland, OR and Boulder, CO. Go to the link below for the full article. The online version of Biking Magazine is not available yet.

[http://blogs.citypages.com/blotter/2010/04/minneapolis\\_nam.php](http://blogs.citypages.com/blotter/2010/04/minneapolis_nam.php)