

Human Resources Update

By Sheila O’Rourke

October is Open Enrollment month. If you wish to enroll in the Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield PPO plan and have previously waived coverage, or if you would like to add a family member, this is your opportunity to do so. Changes made in October will be effective December 1, 2005.

Representatives from Delta Dental will be on campus October 5th at 2 p.m. and at 3 p.m. in the faculty dining room to describe the Delta Advantage Program. The new program uses a smaller network but offers lower premiums and deeper discounts on services. Many employees already use Delta Advantage dentists and may realize significant savings by enrolling in the new plan. Others may view the network of participating dentists at www.deltadentalnj.com to consider switching to a participating dentist. Employees with individual coverage will save 35.5% and family subscribers will save 17.5% of current premiums by enrolling in the Delta Advantage plan.

It’s here! Caldwell College’s flexible spending account!!!! Plan to attend an informational meeting and learn how you can reduce your costs on medical, dental, and childcare expenses not covered by insurance. Meetings are scheduled on October 25th at 3 p.m. and October 26th at 9 a.m. in the faculty dining room. Refreshments will be served to entice you if the prospect of considerable personal savings is not enough!

Sign up for on-campus individual retirement counseling from a TIAA CREF representative on October 25th. Call Joe

Morgan (ext. 3405) for an appointment. What’s an EAP? Some people STILL don’t know! On November 3rd at 9 a.m. in the faculty dining room, a representative from our CONCERN Employee Assistance Plan will present an orientation for new employees and anyone interested in learning more about it. Attention half-time faculty and staff! You and your family members are now eligible to avail yourselves of the confidential EAP off-campus counseling services. The number of sessions for all has been increased from 5 to 10 per issue per year. There is no cost to use this important benefit. It is entirely college paid.

Save the Date...

Mid-Semester Break, Oct. 10 - 11. College Closed.

Caldwell College Concert Series, Sheila Cooper, Alto Saxophonist and Vocalist with her Jazz Quartet, October 26 at 8 p.m., Alumni Theatre Wednesday, October 26, 2005 8 p.m. - Alumni Theatre Call Laura Greenwald, ext. 3520, for information.

Full-time traditional student Open House, Oct. 22 from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., Alumni Theatre. Call Kathryn Reilly, ext. 3226, for more information.

Campus Store Halloween Sale, Oct. 27, 28 and 29. There is a 20% discount off any Halloween gift item. Trick or Treat packs available.

HR is scheduling a Brown Bag Lunch Series called “A Day in the Life of...” featuring directors and staff from various departments to explain what a day in their offices is like. This is a valuable means of communicating the functions of departments and the contributions they make to the overall mission of Caldwell College. Look for the schedule for the series which will be circulated shortly.

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! HR is planning a Town Hall Meeting as a forum for communicating initiatives and issues to all interested employees. Is there a topic of particular concern to you or maybe a rumor you think should be openly discussed? If so, please give me a call or shoot me an e-mail. I will include it among the topics to be discussed. The meeting is tentatively scheduled for early November. Details to follow...

Has someone gone out of her way to help you recently? Has someone made you day? e-mail FISHBOWL and HR will send your comments and a gift to the recipient to make his/her day!

Excerpts from the FISHBOWL inbox: ...I really appreciate the way you always promptly reply to my requests, even when it’s clear that you have a full plate. It’s nice to know that I can always rely on your expert and speedy assistance.

... Thank you so much for the explanation. I really appreciate you taking the time to answer my question so quickly. Now things make sense.

Keep ‘em coming.....the good will is contagious.

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Applications for the Wachovia Scholarship for Business are due March 31 for the following academic year. For further information and/or an application, please contact ICFNJ at (908) 277-3424 or at icfnj@njcolleges.org

Be a part of **INSIGHT!** We need your suggestions and submissions. The deadline for the October issue is Thursday, Oct. 6. Send info. to Media Relations Dept. via e-mail at: kberriga@caldwell.edu

Insight

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Graduate Enrollments Continue to Surge Undergraduate Maintains Growth in Critical Areas

While 2003-2004 saw another year of solid growth for the graduate division, which passed several enrollment milestones that academic year, 2004-2005 proved to be even better. After the summer numbers were in, it was clear that the number of new students, total students, degrees awarded, and credits enrolled all grew by about 20%, an extremely aggressive increase.

Now the fall 2005 semester is making the current academic year look like another record-breaker. With almost 560 students now, the number of applicants, new students, and enrolled students (both total number and credits) were again all up by over 20% from the previous fall. While the phenomenal rate of growth cannot be sustained indefinitely, it is currently a very bright spot for the College.

These increases result in part from the introduction of two new master’s programs, in Special Education and Applied Behavior Analysis, but there was also growth in

Counseling, School Counseling and Art Therapy. The Education Department continues to bring in the lion’s share of graduate students, about 70%. The graduate population is split almost evenly between master’s degree and graduate certificate students.

The Office of Graduate Studies has done yeoman’s work in attracting, admitting, and registering such a large class with such a small staff. Administrative Assistant Bette-Jo Ho’Aire acts as office manager, graduate registrar and the students’ sympathetic guide to graduate affairs, while Senior Admissions Counselor Liana Corrao is a one-person recruitment team and admission office. Graduate Dean Joseph Thomas, Ph.D., says, “Our success reflects their hard work, but also that of the faculty coordinators and the reputation for good academic quality that the entire Caldwell College community has earned.”

Traditional Undergraduate Admissions enrolled 303 new students, the largest

enrolling class since 2000. With the increase in both Graduate and traditional undergraduate admissions, the overall student population stands at 2,242 students compared with 2,175 in fall 2004.

The average SAT score of the entering freshman class was 963, up from 940 in 2004 and 912 in 2003. This fall freshman retention of the fall 2004 freshman class increased from 67% to 73%.

Residence life is beyond capacity with 375 students in on-campus housing, the largest on campus population in the College’s history. Approximately 140 students living on campus are freshmen. The College also attracts students from 14 states and 8% of our student population is now comprised of international students.

Overall freshmen applications (1,234) to the College was the largest in the College’s history and the second consecutive year the College had more than 1,200 applications.

Men’s Soccer Ranked 24th In Nation

For the first time in the 15-year history of the program, the Caldwell College men’s soccer team was recently ranked among the nation’s top 25 teams. On September 6, the Cougars were ranked No. 24 in the NSCAA/adidas Division II National Rankings. Additionally, Caldwell was ranked third in the New England Region that week, the program’s highest regional ranking. Last season the Cougars were ranked as high as seventh in the region. Although the team has since fallen out of the national rankings, the regional rankings released on September 27 have the Cougars at No. 5.

The men’s soccer team, coached by Jamie Nash, is striving to be among the top three teams in the New England Region and thus

qualify for its first trip to the NCAA Tournament. The Cougars have defeated Merrimack College, the region’s top-ranked team, and have yet to lose a Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference



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game. A five-game unbeaten streak has helped put the team in position to threaten the program record of 13 wins in a season, set last year. Junior forwards Bard Skjelstad of Bodo, Norway, and Uke Dauti of West Orange, N.J., each have scored four goals through seven games, while Skjelstad leads the team with four assists. Senior goalkeeper Mike Turdo of West Paterson, N.J., has been solid in goal as the Cougars have allowed just over a goal per game.

Come out and support the men’s soccer team in their quest for a CACC title and a spot in the NCAA Tournament. The Cougars host Molloy College on October 6, Bloomfield College on October 20, and Concordia College on October 29.

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Campus Ministry Office feed the homeless in New York City through the Midnight Run program and tutored several 7th graders in science and English at Trinity Academy.

“My family and I are very grateful for the generosity of Wachovia and the opportunity afforded me and other college students to help us ease the financial burden of obtaining a college education,” said Danielle O’Connell.

Eligibility is limited to full-time juniors enrolled at one of the following college or

universities who plan to pursue careers in business or finance: Bloomfield College, Caldwell College, Centenary College, College of Saint Elizabeth, Drew University, Fairleigh Dickinson University, Felician College, Georgian Court University, Princeton University, Rider University, Saint Peter’s College or Stevens Institute of Technology. Applicants must possess a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0. Financial need will be considered.

Wachovia Corporation is a diversified financial services company that provides a broad range of banking, asset management, wealth management and corporate and

Friends of Caldwell College Host 31st Annual Craft Show

The Friends of Caldwell College will sponsor the 31st Annual Craft Show and Sale, Saturday and Sunday, November 19 and 20 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Student Center at Caldwell College.

“The College is extremely grateful for the long-standing commitment and dedication of the Friends of Caldwell College to our institution and especially to our students,” said Caldwell College President Sister Patrice Werner, O.P.

Over 70 crafters and participants from the metropolitan area will feature unique quality crafts including hand painted ornaments, dolls, wooden items, candles, pottery, hand knit and crocheted items, beautiful floral arrangements, hand made baskets, unique dolls and toy items. Also, a large selection of jewelry featuring silver, gold, crystal beaded, gem stones and antique jewelry. This year promises many elegant seasonal items as well.

All proceeds from this show support The Friends of Caldwell College Scholarship Fund. An auction and various other raffles will be featured during show hours. Admission and parking are free. Food and refreshments will be on sale in the cafeteria and will benefit the Scholarship Fund. Crafters are still wanted. For further information and/or contract information, please contact Jane Bestys at 973-226-2885 or Donna M. Dowd at 973-618-3547.

College Receives NCAA Speakers Grant

Sandy Rock, Director of Substance Awareness Counseling, working closely with Mark Corino, Executive Director of Athletics and Nicole Durnien-Amato, Assistant Director of Athletics, has acquired a \$1,000 Speaker’s Grant from the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) for the purpose of a drug education-wellness program.

The program, which will be held Oct. 17 at 7:30 p.m. in the College’s Alumni Theatre, will focus specifically on The Four Stages of Drinking and will be delivered by Mike Green, an NCAA approved speaker on this topic and President of Collegiate Consultants on Drugs and Alcohol.

Over the past 15 years, Green has presented on more than 1,000 campuses nationwide in his effort to make drug and alcohol awareness and education an integral part of every student’s life.

He is a recognized leader in the field who has earned the respect of both his colleagues and students he has counseled. Green’s firsthand experiences as a recovering alcoholic gives him the credibility to honestly relate the dangers drugs and alcohol pose for many students.

College Screens for Depression

In an effort to identify students and others who may be suffering from depression or other hidden mental health issues and in recognition of National Depression Screening Day, the Caldwell College Counseling Office is teaming up with the Mental Health Association of Essex County to conduct free “Mood Check-ups” October 5, 2005 in the Student Center upper lounge from 11a.m. to 2 p.m. The free screening is open to the public.

In recent years, there has been a noted increase in mental health concerns surfacing among students on college campuses around the nation. According to the National College Health Assessment (2003) sponsored by the American College Health Association, nearly 40% of students reported feeling “so depressed it was difficult to function.” Nearly 10% reported “seriously considering attempting suicide.”

There has been much speculation as to what has caused a rise in mental health concerns on campuses nationwide. Aside from living in a complicated and complex world that places many demands on students’ time, they also face more competition as they attempt to apply to college and seek employment opportunities upon graduation.

The Friends of Caldwell College have funded student scholarships to assist deserving students in defraying the costs of tuition and books. Students must maintain a minimum grade point average of 3.0 or better and demonstrate willingness outside the classroom toward the betterment of their community.

Caldwell College is a Catholic, co-ed, four year liberal arts institution offering 28 undergraduate degrees and 13 graduate programs on a beautiful, 70-acre campus in suburban Caldwell. The college provides students with close, personal attention while enhancing technological facilities on campus.

He has made it his life’s work to help young people avoid the perils of abuse through interactive presentations which are humorous, entertaining, and poignant.

“Obviously, this is a topic of tremendous concern and one that constantly needs focus,” Corino said. “Information is one of our most precious assets and the communication between our College’s administration and our student-athletes is also crucial. We feel this will be an important program.”

This year’s program marks the third consecutive year the College has received the grant from the NCAA.

Many students experience stress from trying to live up to perfectionist standards, while others deal with the additional stress of coming from homes that are unstable. Taken together these factors can lead to feelings of depression or anxiety for today’s college student.

Participants will have the opportunity to assess their mood by filling out a simple screening form. These forms are scored by a trained screener who is then able to present the results to the participant in a brief 5 to 10 minute interview. This is not meant to be a diagnostic interview, but simply a chance for an individual to gain further insight about his or her mood state. This event is available to all Caldwell College students, faculty, and staff, as well as to individuals in the surrounding community.

College Awarded \$12,000 Social Norms Grant

The New Jersey Higher Education Consortium recently awarded the College a \$12,000 Alcohol Social Norms Grant. The source of funding for this project is a Block Grant for Prevention and Treatment of Substance Abuse from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Sister Deborah Lynch, OP, a Counselor in the Student Development Center, submitted the grant application and has been named Project Director for the grant. She will be working closely with Sandy Rock, Director of Substance Awareness, in implementing the grant’s requirements.

The grant requires that the campus initiate a Social Norms Campaign in an effort to positively impact the drinking behaviors of college students. The premise of the social norms approach is that students base their own drinking behaviors on what they perceive to be the drinking behaviors of their peers.

Students typically believe that their existing attitudes and/or behaviors differ from their peers when, in fact, they do not. The effect of these misperceptions causes individuals to adjust their own behavior and attitudes to the perceived norms on their campus. In order to fit in socially and be accepted by their peers, students rationalize their problem behavior and suppress their healthy behavior.

Extensive research on social norms suggests that most college students overestimate the alcohol use among their peers. This belief results in most moderate or light drinkers consuming more alcohol; non-users begin the process of drinking alcohol; and heavy drinkers justify their drinking behavior. When students use their false beliefs and incorrect perceptions about alcohol consumption as the basis to conform to the perceived norms, it creates a campus drinking culture that is self-perpetuating and mutually reinforcing.

Through the Social Norms Campaign, the Substance Awareness and Counseling Offices will attempt to disseminate information to the student body, faculty, and staff about students’ actual drinking behaviors. The results of the 2004 Core Survey of 120 students (consisting of a mixed student population) will be the foundation for this 2005-2006 comprehensive media campaign.

The aim is to repeatedly expose students to the positive drinking data represented by the majority of Caldwell College students, thus moving from an education-based alcohol abuse prevention program to an environmentally-based approach. To support and enhance the impact of the Social Norms Media Campaign, normative messages will be displayed in such forms as posters, bulletin boards, flyers and leaflets, newsletter ads, mouse pads and screen savers. Student participation will include focus groups, interviews, contests and alternative alcohol-free social events and recreational activities.

The effectiveness of the College’s Social Norms Campaign will be evaluated by students through random surveys, focus groups, and individual interviews during the fall and spring semesters and

by re-administering the Core Survey during the spring semester.

Additionally, the Substance Awareness and Counseling Offices will initiate a campus-wide Alcohol Prevention Task Force involving participants from all sectors of campus life who will monitor the implementation of the Social Norms project. All activities funded by this grant will need to be completed by June 30, 2006.

The Social Norms Campaign is a first-time venture for the Student Development Center and it welcomes the support of the campus community in promoting healthy attitudes and behaviors among Caldwell College’s students. This Campaign promises to further the College’s mission of fostering our students’ academic and personal development and encouraging student success.



SUBSTANCE ABUSE AWARENESS – Helping to distribute information about the campuses new Social Norms Campaign are from left, Harriet Schenk, Assistant Academic Dean and freshmen Camille Mammolite, Jaime Bosland and Melissa Abdelfattah.

Join the Cougars at the Disney Tip-Off Classic Nov. 10-14

The College’s men’s basketball team opens the 2005-06 season at Disney’s Division II Tip-Off Classic Nov. 10-14 at Disney’s Wide World of Sports Complex in Orlando, Fla., providing Cougar fans an opportunity to follow their favorite team while enjoying the Walt Disney World Resort.

Official fan packages are available through Anthony Travel that includes admission to the Walt Disney World theme parks, accommodations for three or four nights at Disney’s All-Star Sports resort and more. For more information on the fan packages, visit Anthony Travel at www.anthonyttravel.com/disney_menstipoff05.cfm or call (800) 736-6377.

This is the ninth year of Disney’s Division II Tip-Off Classic, which has featured some of the top Division II teams in the country. This year’s tournament is no different, as five of the eight teams participating in Orlando won at least 20 games last season and three teams qualified for the 2005 NCAA Division II tournament.

The Cougars went 17-15 last season and advanced to the finals of the Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference (CACC) Tournament. Forward Manny Perez returns for his sophomore season after leading the team in scoring and rebounding en route to receiving CACC Newcomer of the Year honors.

With each team guaranteed three games at Disney’s Division II Tip-Off Classic, there is a chance Cougar fans who join the team in Orlando will see head coach Mark Corino earn his 300th victory. Corino, who has a record of

297-200 in 17 years as the Cougars’ coach, also needs just eight wins to reach 400 for his career.

The Cougars open the 2005-06 season against Southern Indiana (27-5) on Nov. 11 at 6 p.m. Nebraska-Omaha (23-6) and Presbyterian (18-11) are the other teams in the Cougars’ half of the bracket. Philadelphia University (21-9), which joins the CACC this season, Columbus State (23-9), Bridgeport (21-9) and Alaska-Anchorage (11-16) are the other teams participating in the tournament.

It’s not too early to make your plans to follow the Cougars to Disney’s Division II Tip-Off Classic. Put a little magic in your basketball season and contact Anthony Travel to reserve your official fan package. And be sure to tell them that you’re a Cougar fan!

Around The Campus

HISTORY DEPT.

The fall issue of *The Historian* (V.67) published **William Barnhart's** article, Evangelicalism, Masculinity and the Making of Imperial Missionaries in Late Georgian Britain, 1790-1820.

MANNING CAMPUS STORE

www.caldwell.bkstr.com
The campus store gave away five \$100 Russell Athletic shopping sprees to start the semester. Three were given to incoming freshman that took advantage of our textbook reservation program, two were given to students who placed web orders. They were invited to come in during the week of September 12 -16 to make their selections.

The campus store also took part in efforts to aid victims of Hurricane Katrina. Cans were placed at the store's cash registers. Faculty, staff and students were very generous in offering their help. The store also donated clothing items, flip flops and school supplies to the Montclair Fire Department; which is sponsoring fire trucks to deliver needed supplies to the affected areas.

GRADUATE STUDIES

This past August, many of the graduate students in The College's Post-Baccalaureate and Master of Arts in Applied Behavior Analysis programs served as volunteers at the first annual New Jersey Association for Behavior Analysis conference in New Brunswick.

PSYCHOLOGY DEPT.

In August, **Ken Reeve** served as the moderator for a panel discussion presentation concerning

staff training models for agencies that teach children with autism at the first annual New Jersey Association for Behavior Analysis conference in New Brunswick.

EDUCATION DEPT.

During the summer, **Sharon Reeve** was a member of a panel discussion on staff training models for agencies that teach children with autism at the first annual New Jersey Association for Behavior Analysis conference in New Brunswick.

THEOLOGY/PHILOSOPHY DEPT.

The department will sponsor two upcoming lectures for the fall 2005 semester. **Jeffrey Tranzillo** will present *Pope John Paul II and the Agency of Vulnerable Persons* October 20 at 4:30 p.m. in the Academic Building Lecture Hall. Michael Downey will present *Spiritual Leadership*

Sister Barbara Moore was guest speaker at a day for Catechists at St. Aloysius Parish in Caldwell September 18th. Her topic was *A Graced Life*.

JENNINGS LIBRARY

Lynn Randall was a speaker at the Middle States Association workshop for New Evaluators and Chairs in October. She worked with Dr. Kevin Manning, President of Villa Julie College to provide insights into the use of the revised Characteristics of Excellence in the evaluation process.

The library's Book Discussion Group sponsored a discussion of W. Somerset Maugham's Of Human Bondage. **Mary Ladany** and **Joan Reamer** coordinated the discussion forum.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Lisa DiBisceglie will be serving on an advisory board for Lincoln Educational Services.

COUNSELING OFFICE

The Counseling Office is once again partnering with the Mental Health Association of Essex County to conduct Mood *Check-ups* in the upper lounge of the Student Center Oct. 5 from 11a.m. to 2 p.m. in recognition of National Depression Screening Day. Students, faculty and staff are all encouraged to participate. For further information, contact Robin Davenport at ext. 3905.

HUMAN RESOURCES

Sheila O'Rourke attended the National CUPA-HR College and University Professional Association for Human Resources conference in Orlando Sept 25-28. She has also completed Employers Association of New Jersey (EANJ) certification in employment law.

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

In October, she will attend the Independent College Fund of New Jersey's (ICFNJ) Executive Committee meeting October 12, the ICFNJ annual meeting October 19, the Association of Independent College's and Universities in New Jersey (AICUNJ) Board meeting October 21. On October 24-26, she will do a preliminary visit at Saint Francis University in Pennsylvania as she chairs the Middle States Evaluation Team that will visit that campus in April 2006.

College Plans Winter Session Trip to Rome

The College's Theology and Philosophy Department will sponsor a trip to Rome during the January 2006 Winter Session.

The 11-day program, running from January 5 -15, is open to both graduate and undergraduate students as well as faculty and staff. Students will earn three credits and can satisfy the graduate Pastoral Ministry Theology requirement or the undergraduate core requirement in theology.

The course is designed to introduce participants to the ecumenical and inter-religious movements from a Roman Catholic perspective. It will offer a historical and theological overview of the issues that divide Christians as well as the bonds that

unite them. The course will also include the Church's relationship with other world religious traditions. There will be excursions to the catacombs, Basilica of St. Peter and excavations, "Roman ghetto," Synagogue and museum, Mosque and Islamic center and Assisi. Included in our sites to visit will be Santa Sabina, the central offices for the Dominican Order worldwide.

Individuals will also visit the Vatican, St. Peter's, Sistine Chapel, Churches of Rome and have an audience with the Pope.

The total costs is \$2450 plus tuition for students, who can go to the Financial Aid Office to inquire including the cost of the trip in your aid package. The total cost includes,

roundtrip air on Continental from Newark, round trip transfers, meals - breakfast & dinner, hotel, taxes and trip insurance for medical reasons only. Registration begins on Monday, August 29th in the Center for Continuing Education. You must have a \$300 non-refundable deposit to secure your place. There will be an information session to answers questions about the trip September 14 at 5:30 p.m. in the Alumni Theatre.

Contact Sr. Barbara Moore at 973-618-3521 or at SBMoore@caldwell.edu for additional information.

Space Is Limited So Register EARLY after August 29th!

Wachovia Awards Student Business Scholarship

Wachovia recently named junior business management major Danielle O'Connell a recipient of a \$5,000 Wachovia Scholarship for Business, which helps students pursuing careers in business or finance to complete their college degree.

In a letter of recommendation to the financial institution, Sister Elaine Keenan, Vice President and Dean for Student Life, said, "From the moment she stepped foot in the Residence Hall to the present time, Danielle has made an impact on

students, faculty and staff. In addition to her conscientious academic endeavors, Danielle has served as a volunteer in campus-sponsored activities and in the outreach programs of our Campus Ministry to the poor and homeless. As a student athlete, she competes in the CACC Conference, NCAA Division II as a member of the women's tennis team. Last year, her peers elected her to the Student Government in recognition of her leadership skills."

Danielle, who has a 3.4 overall G.P.A.,

has served as past President of the Student Activities Committee (SAC) past Vice President of the Student Government Association (SGA) and as an orientation leader. She has also been an active volunteer for Institutional Advancement special events such as the craft fair, golf and tennis tournament and Presidential Gala. She has volunteered at Marion Manor where she helped coordinate the Halloween and Valentine's party. She has helped the

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CELEBRATION – Homecoming 2005 drew over 150 alumni back to the campus September 24 for an expanded schedule of both day and evening events. At left, Gina Delcurla Lesniewski, '85 and Jeanne Brown, '85, toast each other with a glass of wine at the Homecoming 2005 luncheon. The celebration continued September 25 when the College marked the 30th Anniversary of the College's Bachelor of Fine Arts degree with the Gala Opening of Dorothy Gillespie's exhibition of paintings and sculptures. At right, College Art Department faculty from left, Judith Croce, Larry Szycher and Kendall Baker pose with the world renowned artist in front of one of her art pieces.

Graduate Student Presents Paper at Theological Constorium

Felicia Salvation-Levine, a graduate student in the Pastoral Ministry program, will present a paper at the New Jersey Theological Consortium of Graduate Programs in Theology & Ministry's Fourth Bi-Annual symposium, The Laity: Revitalizing a Forgotten Charism, October 22 at 9:30 a.m. at the College of St. Elizabeth in Convent Station.

Keynote speakers will be Dr. Paul Lakeland talking about Ministries of Laypersons and the Future of the Church and Sister Marie

Gilligan, S.C.

speaking about Reflections From a Sister Pastor in Mississippi.

Breakout sessions will include Felicia Salvacione-Levine presenting her paper The Role of Lay Ministry in the Anointing of the Sick. Other breakout sessions will include Christian Feminist Spirituality by Pauline Alger, Hospitality an Act of Transforming Love by Joanne Calafiore, Life of the Laity by Anne Masters by John Cortney Murray, A Pastoral Approach to Sacraments by Sallie

Kabash, Women and Catholicism by Maria Ramirez and Women Respond to, On the Collaboration of Men & Women in the Church by Marilyn Wickel.

You can complete a registration form for a fee of \$10 (make checks payable to Caldwell College/NJCGPT) by contacting: Dr. Dolores Henchy, Felician College, 262 South Main St., Lodi, NJ 07644 on or before October 7.