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Mount Mary College Faculty Members Receive Awards

MILWAUKEE (December 4, 2009) – Two Mount Mary College faculty members have received national recognition, President Eileen Schwalbach announced today.

Bruce Moon, Ph.D., Chair and Graduate Program Director of Mount Mary College’s Art Therapy Department, was awarded the Buckeye Art Therapy Association’s Honorary Life Member Award in recognition of his work and influence in the development of art therapy in Ohio and the nation. The award was bestowed at the Association’s annual symposium in Columbus, Ohio.

Dr. Moon also recently published the 3rd edition of *Existential Art Therapy: The Canvas Mirror*. He received his B.S. from Wright State University, Dayton, OH, his M.A. and M. Divinity from Methodist Theological School in Ohio, and his Ph.D. from The Union Institute and University in Ohio.

Lynne Woehrle, Ph.D., Associate Professor in Behavioral Science/Sociology, received the “Best Journal Article of 2008 Award” by the American Sociological Association Section on Peace, War and Social Conflict. The award was presented for the article, “Discursive Legacies: The U.S. Peace Movement and ‘Support the Troops’,” Patrick G. Goy and Gregory Maney, co-authors. The award was bestowed at the American Sociological Association’s annual meeting in San Francisco.

Dr. Woehrle, who also coordinates the Peacebuilding Certificate Program at Mount Mary, is co-author of a book entitled, “Contesting Patriotism – Culture, Power and Strategy in the Peace Movement” which was just released in paperback. She received her B.A. from Colgate University in New York, an M.A. from University of Notre Dame and an M.A. from Syracuse University, and her Ph.D. from Syracuse University.

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Mount Mary College, founded in 1913 by the School Sisters of Notre Dame, was Wisconsin’s first four-year, degree-granting Catholic college for women. Located on an 80-acre campus in Milwaukee, the College offers more than 60 undergraduate areas of study for women and seven graduate programs for women and men. Mount Mary also emphasizes study abroad, service learning, and social justice initiatives. Its more than 1,900 students enjoy small class sizes (average 14) and 90 percent of full-time students receive financial aid or scholarships. Through classroom instruction and community service, Mount Mary develops women to be leaders in their professions and their communities, serving as role models to inspire achievement in others. Visit Mount Mary at www.mtmary.edu.