

# COLA NEWS

## June 6, 2008

1. Tony Kushner's *Angels in America*, an offbeat comedy about sexual, racial, religious, and political identity that shines light on all the dark places in the human heart, will be performed in the Herbst Theatre on June 6 and 7 at 8:00 p.m. and on June 7 and 8 at 3:00 p.m. Call the Theatre Box Office at 775-2500 to reserve your tickets today.
2. The Senior Dance Concert will be held on June 6 at 8:00 p.m. and June 7 at 3:00 p.m. in the Festival Playhouse. Call the Box Office at 775-2500 for tickets.
3. *A Classical Viennese Evening*, celebrating the chamber and sacred music of Haydn, Mozart, and Beethoven, will be presented on June 7 at 7:30 p.m. in the Creative Arts Center Concert Hall. Tickets (\$10 adult; \$8 student/faculty/staff/senior//child) can be purchased by calling the Student Union Box Office at 775-5544.
4. The Liberal Arts Awards Ceremony will be held on June 13 at 2:00 p.m. in the Creative Arts Concert Hall. The following students and faculty will be recognized at this ceremony:

### Outstanding Seniors

Iotha Roberts (African and African American Studies)  
G. Logan Miler (Anthropology)  
Frank Travers (Art and Art History)  
Shawn G. Daniels (Classics)  
James Tobe (Communication)  
Beau Sakshaug (Criminal Justice)  
Michael Ward (English)  
Brett Beach (English-ILA)  
Michelle Rigg (Geography)  
Tina Konjic (International Studies)  
Abigail Etter (Liberal Studies)  
Melissa Doran (Modern Languages)  
Kristen Jayne (Music)  
Jami L. Gautney (Philosophy)  
Brad Turner (Political Science)  
Katharine Luebcke (History and Religion)  
Samantha Howell (Social Work)  
Ashley Thoreen (Sociology)  
Alison Reny (Theatre Arts)  
Morgan Patten (Women's Studies)  
Patricia Abu-Ghosh (Urban Affairs)

### Outstanding Graduate Students

Kerri Hauman (English Composition/Rhetoric)  
Sarah Coates (English Literature)  
Christine Sitko (English TESOL)  
Rachel DeHart (History)  
Tiffany Harbour (Master of Humanities)  
Kathleen Davis (International and Comparative Politics)  
Mark Jauss (Music)  
Shamera Totty (Master of Public Administration)  
Karen Sisk (Women's Studies)

### Liberal Arts Leadership Scholarship Recipients

Brian Ely (Criminal Justice)  
Angela King (Communication)  
Tatiana Lurie (International Studies)  
Paige Piper (French)  
Nathan Turner (Political Science)  
Emily Yantis (Women's Studies)

### Outstanding Faculty

Annette Oxindine, Associate Professor of English  
Jeannette Horwitz, Instructor of English

### Outstanding Advisor

Kirsten Halling, Associate Professor of French

A reception in the Robert and Elaine Stein Galleries will follow the ceremony. RSVP's are due to Event Services by June 6.

5. Dr. In-Hong Cha, Associate Professor of Music, participated in the 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Ohio Wheelchair Game in Columbus on May 15-17. Dr. Cha won first place in both 100 race and Slalom game (wheelchair obstacle course) and set the new state record in the slalom game.
6. Congratulations to Danielle Fry, who has been selected for the Presidential Scholar Award which consists of full tuition for the 2008-09 academic year. Danielle, a communication major, will complete a one credit hour research project under Dr. Hopkins' supervision.
7. CoLA has surpassed our CSIC dollar goal of \$20,000 and only needs seven more donors to reach 35% participation from faculty and staff. Thank you to everyone who has contributed to this success and congratulations to the eight departments that have reached 35% participation in this year's campus scholarship campaign: The Dean's Office, Modern Languages, Geography/Urban Affairs/CUPA, History, Political Science Religion/Philosophy/Classics, Social Work, and Sociology. There's still time to turn in your pledge form and help us reach our goal. You may print off a pledge form at [www.wright.edu/csic](http://www.wright.edu/csic) and submit your donation to Jennie Cabrera or Shirley Barber in 163 Millett.

Week 7 winners of two tickets each to see *Thoroughly Modern Millie* are Joanne Ballmann (political science) and Ann Biswas (communication). Turn in your gift by this Friday to be included in next week's drawing for appetizers from Don Pablo's and Fox and Hound. We will also select one winner from all first-time donors to have lunch with Dean Taylor.

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