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Katie See honored for 25th anniversary. See page 12.

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MICHIGAN STATE
UNIVERSITY

Madison Students Lead MSU Debate Team to National Championship

A stellar season performance record earned Michigan State University's debate team the 2001-02 Cross Examination Debate Association (CEDA) Seasonal National Championship. Nine of the team's 12 members are James Madison College students.

The title is awarded to the university that has the best overall performance throughout the season, which runs from September to early April.

MSU's participation in the National Debate Tournament (NDT), with a sophomore team in the "final four" and a senior team in the "elite eight," and the CEDA nationals, where two teams reached the "final four," helped the team achieve the championship title. The NDT tournament was held March 23-27 at Southwest Missouri State in Springfield, Missouri, and the CEDA tournament was held April 6-9 at California State University in Fullerton, California.

JMC students **Greta Stahl** (IR) of Utica and **David Strauss** (IR) of East Lansing, both sophomores, became the youngest of only four teams in the history of intercollegiate debate to reach the "final four" of both CEDA and NDT in the same year. MSU was the only program that had two teams that advanced past the "sweet 16" at either of this year's CEDA and NDT tournaments.

The team of Stahl and Strauss and the team of Madison seniors **Austin Carson** (IR) of Grand Rapids and **Calum Matheson** (SR) of East Lansing collectively won 41 of a possible 42 ballots at CEDA up until the final round.

This year's topic was "The United States federal government should increase federal control throughout Indian Country in one or more of the following areas: taxation, child welfare, natural resource management, environmental protection, gaming, criminal justice and employment."

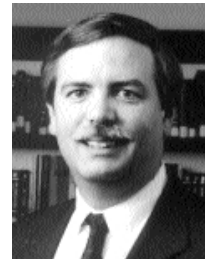
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Amber Watkins, Aaron Hardy,
Maggie Ryan, Suzanne Sobotka,
Greta Stahl, Gabe Murillo,
Alison Woidan, Michael Eber,
John Groen, John Rood,
Austin Carson, Calum Matheson,
David Strauss, William Repko,
Jason Trice.*

From the Dean

Madison's Top Ten
for 2001-02



JMC Dean Sherman Garnett

At the MSU Board of Trustees' retreat this summer, President Peter McPherson will submit a "President's Report" for the 2001-02 academic year.

One component of the report will be the top-ten accomplishments of each MSU college and academic support area as they reflect the expectations of accountability set forth when President McPherson was appointed: development of a vision, improvement of public image and funding, containment of tuition, and enhancement of access to the university.

Here are the top-ten accomplishments of James Madison College based on the requested criteria:

Continued student success. While the results of our senior survey have not yet been tabulated, Madison graduates continued to find admission at top graduate and law schools (e.g., Harvard, Yale, Duke, University of Michigan, Stanford, Berkeley, Northwestern). Nine of the twelve debaters on this year's nationally recognized MSU team were Madison students (see cover story).

Significant rise in out-of-state students. Out-of-state admissions have climbed from 4% in 1999-2000 to 11% now participating in MSU's Academic Orientation Program (34 out of 307). The college remains popular and competitive. Admissions closed this year on October 20th, even as we continue with the rest of the university to improve student GPA and test scores. Minority numbers are also on the rise, now 13.5% of the incoming class.

A record year in development. The college has raised more than \$250,000 in donations for the first time ever. In addition, this spring, two of our alumni became the first Madison alumni in the

Snyder Society through their leadership pledges to the MSU Capital Campaign. This past year's success has broken an historical tendency in the college to experience a lull after reaching a milestone (as it did in 1997 after successful 1996). This year's success expands upon last year's completion of the Porteous Challenge.

Alumni reaching local, state, and national prominence, including a Madison grad in President Bush's cabinet. John Walters (JMCD, '74) was sworn in as the national drug control policy director in December 2001. Wallace Jefferson (JMCD, '85) became the first African American to serve on the Texas Supreme Court with his appointment last year. The college has been able to use these and other alumni successes to expand reputation, create stronger college-alumni links, and establish new alumni mentorship and assistance programs for graduating students.

A vigorous, intellectual, serious and sensitive response to September 11th. Madison held special panel discussions throughout the fall semester, usually attracting substantial crowds from inside and outside the college. These symposia provided context and insight into political, military, political, and tolerance issues surrounding the terrorist attacks and provided alternative views and voices. Madison now has four courses on the books for next year designed to deepen understanding of the issues surrounding September 11th. These include courses on the Middle East (Professor Rubner), the Politics of the Islamic World (Professor Ayoob), the military issues surrounding terrorism and the Afghan War (Professor Rip), and a course on Islamic Thought (Professor DePasquale). Professor

DePasquale is a special Islamic Studies post-doc hired with the help of the Provost.

Robust study abroad and international internship participation continues. Despite fears of post-September 11th decline in participation in study abroad, participation in Madison Summer Study Abroad programs has dipped only slightly (roughly a 4% decline). This should keep overall participation rates by Madison students, by the time of graduation, in the 60% range. International internships for academic credit more than doubled this past year (from 10 to 23) in the United Kingdom, Turkey, and overseas placements with the State Department and Department of Commerce.

Renovation of the Madison Library. Although a small project by university standards, the renovation of the library is the first-ever Madison project to be sustained by outside donations. Thanks to a generous founding gift to the college by David and Joan Porteous and matching gifts by alumni, the library was renovated in the summer of 2001 and re-dedicated in September. This renovation project is the first of a series designed to improve the college's appearance and to underscore its success and professionalism.

Significant public outreach in international affairs. The highlight in this category is Professor Ayoob's December 2001 opinion piece in the *New York Times* on the response of the American Muslim community to September 11th. Ayoob has also published many other articles on international issues of policy importance in newspapers and prominent public policy journals. Professor Rubner and Dean Garnett appeared often in the local, national, and international media to discuss September 11th,

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ALUMNI SCENE



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Consider Those Who Stand on Your Shoulders

On the heels of another impressive graduation ceremony, I again congratulate the 2002 graduates of James

Madison College and welcome them to the esteemed group of Madison alumni. The students' level of pride and sense of both accomplishment and relief permeated the ceremony. Those elements, coupled with the heartfelt sentiments offered by the commencement speaker, Madison alumnus Justice Wallace Jefferson (JMCD '85), and the distinguished faculty made this year's graduation a truly impressive event. I am certain that, armed with the knowledge and skills that they have gained over the last few years, the graduates who crossed that stage will go on to achieve great things.

The success and eagerness of those graduates tie directly to one of the most frequent questions I receive from alumni: "How can I help the college and the JMC Alumni Association?" My past columns have noted that one can help in many ways, including contributing financially, serving as a contact resource for students, or assisting with recruiting by contacting prospective students interested in the college. But I have not previously mentioned a key area in which alumni can truly make a difference for the college: assisting new graduates with their next step after Madison.

James Madison College has witnessed the impressive success of its graduates in all walks of life. We have a phenomenal

resource available to new graduates in the form of our alumni base. Whether established alumni consider offering recent graduates a first job in a new career or a letter of recommendation for graduate school, they can make a great deal of difference—not only to the individual assisted but also to the college as a whole by nurturing our future alumni, who, in turn, will help those who follow. Even if you are not in a position to help someone directly, you may be able to serve as a "networking conduit" by providing a valuable contact or introduction. As Justice Jefferson pointed out in his graduation comments, by standing on the shoulders of those who have gone before them, the graduates of today will have the opportunity to reach even greater heights. Please consider giving someone a boost.

In other areas, the JMC Alumni Association (JMCAA) continues to be active. In early March, we cohosted with the college our annual spring alumni reception at the University Club. We expect to hold our next receptions in the Novi area in early September 2002 and in the Grand Rapids area later in the fall. Please watch for details.

In April, we hosted our second annual Crunchy's Night for Madison students. A carry-over from the days when the event used to be hosted at Bilbo's Pizza, Crunchy's Night was a big hit. Finally, the JMCAA awarded \$6,000 in scholarships through our Alumni Endowed Scholarship and our Diversity Scholarship. A special thanks to all of those alumni who have contributed to

those scholarships in the past and those who will do so in the future. Your generosity makes such awards possible.

Returning to the theme of graduation and moving on, I announce that this will be my final column as president of the JMC Alumni Association. It has been an honor to serve as president over the last two years with a fine board of dedicated people who share a unifying goal of bettering the college, and to have met so many of our great alumni. I urge those who would like to become more involved with the college to do so. Whether you are interested in running for a position on the board at the October annual meeting or in one of the many other avenues available, please consider making the college one of your priorities.

Christopher J. Iamarino
JMCD/IR '91
President, JMC Alumni Association

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sign on to the alumni registry,
look around the site, and let
us know what you think.

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As always, the JMCAA welcomes any ideas, suggestions, or input from our members. Further, if you are interested in volunteering with efforts such as Law Night, phone calls to prospective students, or other events, contact Kim Allan at (517) 353-3381 or fill out and return the form on the JMC Website in the alumni section at <www.jmc.msu.edu>

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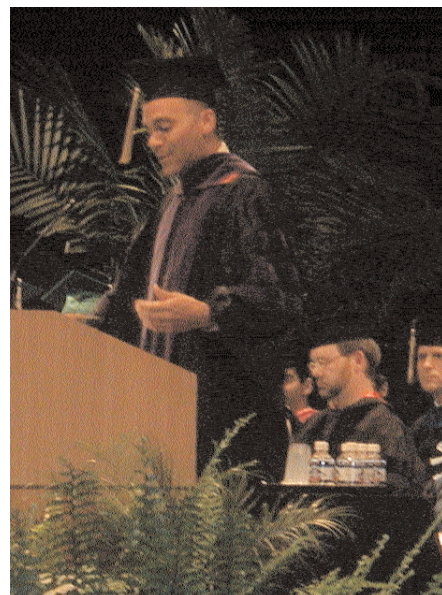
2002 Outstanding Alumni Awards Presented

Each year the James Madison College Alumni Association honors two alumni at spring commencement. This year's award recipients were **Wallace Jefferson** (JMCD '85), who received the Distinguished Alumnus Award, and **Louis Hirsh**, who received the Honorary Alumnus Award.

Award recipients are selected by a selection committee appointed by the JMCAA Board of Directors. Distinguished alumni are JMC alumni nominated by fellow alumni and members of the faculty and administration on the basis of their prominence in a field and demonstrated service to the college. Honorary alumni are nongraduates of JMC who have significantly contributed to the progress and development of the college.

Wallace Jefferson is the first African American to serve on the Texas Supreme Court. Before his appointment to the court, he engaged in a unique and distinguished law practice. He founded his own law firm, specializing in appellate law, and successfully argued two cases before the U.S. Supreme Court. He has been active in his community and a supporter of JMC.

Louis Hirsh, currently the senior associate director of admissions at the University of Delaware, was the first recruiter for JMC, coming to East Lansing in 1975 from Columbia University. He traveled to high schools throughout the state and devised a comprehensive system to encourage incoming MSU students to attend Madison. Personal attention was Hirsh's hallmark, and he advised a new group of freshmen every year. He worked at Madison until 1983 and contributed to the success the college has known for 35 years. Hirsh continues to be a good friend of the college.



Wallace Jefferson



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OTHER ALUMNI NEWS

1970s

Barbara Ballantine Katz (SOCEC '72) is a self-employed psychotherapist in Charlotte, NC. She received her Master of Social Work from MSU in 1982.

Jud Cole (JMCD '72) is an information technology consultant with CIBER, on account with Ford Financial. Cole has also held positions with Control Data Institute and Wayne County. Cole, who lives in Detroit, MI, is married to Nancy Cole and has three children, one in college and two in high school.

William ("Bill") Travis (JMCD '76) died March 16, 2002 in Dresden, TN. Travis served in the U.S. Army before coming to JMC. He began a lifelong career with the Grand Trunk Western/CN Railroad in 1976 as a clerk and worked in a variety of areas before reaching his most recent position of assistant superintendent, Transportation Department, in Pontiac, MI. Surviving are his wife, Carla, and children, John and Morgan.



Douglas Stratton

Douglas Stratton (IR '78) holds a position in polymer marketing with Bayer Corporation. He previously worked in sales and marketing at General Electric, Celanese, and Monsanto. In 2000, Stratton was

president of the Stratton Foundation, a charitable foundation with the purpose of developing the SPE Fund, a permanent endowment for the Society of Plastics Engineers, Detroit Section, at the Community Foundation for Southeastern Michigan. He also served as president of the Society of Plastics Engineers, Detroit Section. Stratton received his MBA from the MSU Broad School of Business. Married with two children, he resides in Birmingham, MI.

Eric Roberts (IR '79) married Laura Davis on November 22, 2001 in a private ceremony in Florence, Italy. They

live in Minneapolis, MN. Roberts is the group vice president for McQuay Manufacturers.

1980s

Richard Cordray (JMCD '81) is the attorney for Jennifer Harbury, a lawyer-activist who is arguing for the right to sue former senior U.S. officials for allegedly covering up the murder of her husband. The case reached the U.S. Supreme Court on March 18, 2002. The political and legal drama began ten years ago when Harbury's husband, Efrain Bamaca-Velasquez, a Guatemalan rebel leader, died in Guatemalan army custody. U.S. officials deny that they intentionally misled Harbury and also argued that Harbury could never have gone to a U.S. court to save her husband, noting that U.S. judges lack authority over Guatemala's military.

Paul Stankewitz (Urban '85) has completed his first year as director of the Michigan Catholic Rural Life Coalition. Stankewitz researches, educates, and makes public policy recommendations regarding farmland preservation, urban sprawl, food supply issues, and environmental concerns. He and his wife, Diane, have three small children and now reside in Alma, MI.

1990s

Mercedes G. Alonzo (IR '90) is an assistant attorney general in Connecticut. She had served as assistant commission counsel to the Connecticut Commission on Human Rights and

Opportunities. From 1997 until 2001 she served on the Easter Seals of Connecticut board of directors. From 1998 until 1999 she was the vice president of the Connecticut Hispanic Bar Association. Alonzo received her J.D. from the University of Connecticut School of Law.

Phil D'Anieri (JMCD '90) is pursuing a Ph.D. in urban planning at the University of Michigan. He is married to Alicia Farmer (JMCD '91) and lives in Ann Arbor, MI.

Matthew LeMieux (MS '90) is the executive director of the ACLU of Eastern Missouri. Previously, he was the executive director of the Nebraska ACLU and staff attorney with Macomb County (MI) Legal Aid. LeMieux received a J.D. from the Detroit College of Law. He lives in St. Louis, MS.

Chris Tracy (JMCD '90) is an attorney with Fognani Guibord Homsy & Roberts in Chicago, IL. Previously, he served as assistant U.S. attorney, Northern District of Illinois, as well as judicial law clerk to Judge Patrick Duggan, Eastern District of Michigan. He is a member of the Lake Michigan Federation Board of Directors as well as of the Chicago Council of Lawyers Board of Directors. He holds a J.D. from the Chicago-Kent College of Law.

Alicia Farmer (JMCD '91) was recently named program coordinator for the University of Michigan's new undergraduate Program in the Environment. She is married to Phil D'Anieri (JMCD '90) and lives in Ann Arbor, MI.

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Jacob and Leslie Osojnak (IR '91) take special pride in announcing the birth of their daughter Halina Marie Osojnak on March 29th, 2002. Osojnak holds a position with South Central Bank in Chicago, IL.

Dennis Denno (JMCD '92) is now the director of communications for the House Democrats. He was previously the director of communications for the Michigan Democratic Party.

Matthew Godlewski (MS '92) joined Pernod Ricard USA in Washington, D.C. in March 2002 as director of state and federal policy, a new position in which he will direct the company's state government relations program and coordinate policy decisions at the state and local level. Godlewski has more than 12 years of experience in state government, corporate government relations, and public affairs. Before joining the company, he served in the Washington, D.C. office of Joseph E. Seagram & Sons, Inc. and its parent, Vivendi-Universal, where he lobbied on state and federal issues related to the beverage, alcohol, and entertainment businesses.

Terry Langston (SR '92) will seek the democratic nomination for the Michigan State Board of Education at the democratic state convention in August 2002. Langston is a development officer with Olivet College and is a member of the JMC Alumni Association board of directors.

Stephanie (Marrs) McMahon (PE '92), cost analyst with Nortel, and her husband, Jim McMahon, had their first child, Colin, in March 2002. They were married in October 2000 and live in Nashua, NH.

Michael Roberts (IR '92) recently joined Aon Corporation in Chicago, IL as a program manager leading large-scale, global systems implementations. Previously he was a senior manager with Accenture Ltd. (formerly Andersen Consulting LLP). During his nearly ten years at the management consulting firm, he developed financial management strategies, reengineered processes, and implemented large-scale financial systems for Fortune 500 clients. Roberts played key roles in the creation of Accenture's two internal international

finance shared-services centers in Chicago, IL, and Dublin, Ireland. He is actively involved in initiatives that underscore the importance and benefits of a diverse workforce. During his tenure with Accenture, he co-chaired the Minneapolis Diversity Committee and later led the Chicago Inclusive Culture Committee. Currently, he is a member of the Aon Diversity Council. He is an active member of the Executives' Club of Chicago and its Young Professionals' Committee as well as the Chicago Professional Networking Association. Roberts resides in the Lakeview neighborhood of Chicago with his partner Steven Abel.

Scott Wolfson (JMCD '92) has been elected partner to the Detroit-based law firm Honigman Miller Schwartz and Cohn LLP, where he concentrates his practice in the Bankruptcy, Reorganization and Commercial Department.

Wolfson earned his J.D. *cum laude* from the University of Minnesota Law School in 1995. He serves on the JMC Alumni Association board of directors and resides in Berkley, MI.



Scott Wolfson

Nicolette Nystrom (PTCD '93) has joined the government and policy practice group of Dykema Gossett PLLC in the Lansing office. She lobbies before the Michigan legislature, Michigan regulatory agencies, and the executive office on behalf of clients.



Nicolette Nystrom

She will focus on legislative, regulatory, and administrative issues ranging from economic development, taxation, municipal, and infrastructure to financial services, health care, education, and environmental. Before joining Dykema Gossett, Nystrom was employed by the Michigan Economic Development Corporation as the assistant vice president of legislative relations. She also worked as director of legislative affairs, director of community

and constituent relations, and treasurer for Senator Michael J. Bouchard and as the clerk for the Senate Committees on Financial Services and Gaming and Casino Oversight. Nystrom is a resident of Brighton, MI.

Shawn B. Collins (PTCD '95) has been appointed director of the Tenderloin Sidewalk Improvement Program (TSIP) in San Francisco, CA. Collins received his M.A. in sociology from Arizona State University in May 2000 and Ph.D. in sociology from the University of California-Santa Cruz in June 2001. The TSIP is a nonprofit organization with the goals of cleaning the sidewalks and improving the sub-basements of the Tenderloin Neighborhood, a low-income area in downtown San Francisco. The TSIP believes that a healthy environment for community and business begins with neighborhood maintenance and beautification and that these efforts will develop resident investment in the neighborhood through promoting a safe and enjoyable atmosphere.

Jennifer Joseph (SR '95) is a human resources consultant for Bayer Pharmaceuticals in West Haven, CT.

Heather Anderson (PE '96) works at GM in the Global Market and Industry Analysis Department, in downtown Detroit, MI. She received her MBA from the University of Detroit-Mercy in April 2002 and is applying to law schools in the Detroit area.

Matthew Schneider (IR '96) has recently been appointed by U.S. President Bush to join the White House staff as senior advisor and assistant general counsel, Executive Office of the President, Office of Management and Budget. He is leaving his position as an associate with Wiley Rein & Fielding LLP in Washington, D.C. After graduating from JMC, Schneider worked for Michigan Governor Engler before attending and graduating from the University of Michigan Law School. During and after law school, he was the campaign manager for Michigan Supreme Court Justices Clifford Taylor, Stephen Markman, and Robert Young, who all won. After the 2000 election, Schneider traveled to Florida as an observer and advisor for the Bush-Cheney campaign. He also assisted in

editing Justice Clarence Thomas's forthcoming book set.

Diane (Neff) Baird (SR '97) is supervisor for the Refugee Foster Care Program with Lutheran Social Services of Michigan, where she began working in 2000. Married to Corey Baird, she resides in Stockbridge, MI and volunteers as missions coordinator for her church.

Danielle Martinez (PTCD '97) joined the corporate finance practice group of Dykema Gossett PLLC in the Detroit office. A resident of Birmingham, MI, she holds a J.D. *cum laude* from American University, Washington College of Law.



Danielle Martinez

Amanda Sloat (PTCD, '97), a research fellow at Queen's University, Belfast, Ireland, recently published the book *Scotland in Europe: A Study of Multi-Level Governance* (Peter Lang, 2002). Sloat received her Ph.D. in politics from the University of Edinburgh in Scotland in 1997.

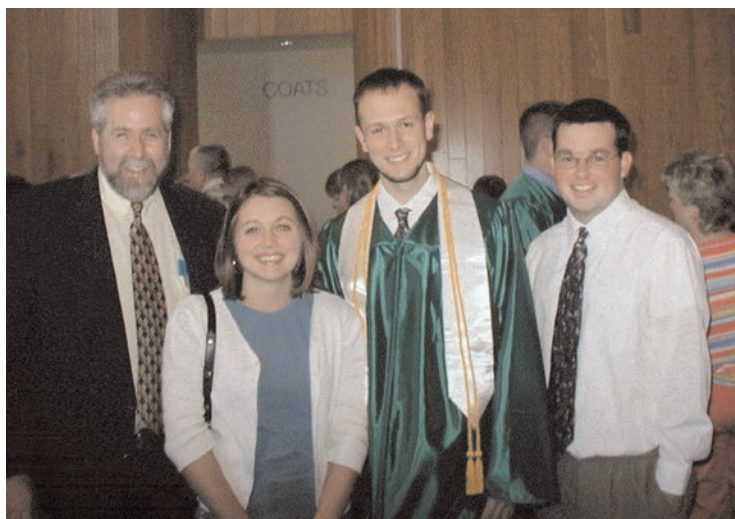
Saytam Talati (PE '97) is an attorney with Dykema Gossett PLLC in Lansing, focusing on general litigation matters. A resident of Haslett, MI, he holds a J.D. from Ohio State University.



Saytam Talati

Julie (Nelson) Wellmann (PTCD '97) was married to Eric Wellman in New York City in August 2001 and in November they moved to Paris. Wellman received her master's in political science from Northwestern University in 1999. She worked as an analyst at Salomon Smith Barney in New York City in 1999-01.

Sheila Bedi (SR '98) is a staff attorney and teaching fellow at Georgetown University Law Center/IPR. She previously served as president of the Equal Justice Foundation in Washington, D.C. Bedi has also been a neighborhood legal services fellowship recipient, a law clerk



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in the Civil Rights Division of the U.S. Department of Justice, and a dean's fellow/advocate for women inmates sexually abused while incarcerated. She graduated from law school *cum laude* in May 2001 and is a member of the Washington, D.C. Bar, a recipient of an award for outstanding service to the American University community, and a volunteer at the Whitman-Walker Clinic, a center providing legal services to people with HIV/AIDS. Bedi is working on an LLM at the Georgetown University Law Center, where she litigates civil rights claims at Georgetown University Law Center's Institute for Public Representation. Her practice has focused on prisoner's rights, racial profiling, and the civil rights of people living with HIV/AIDS and employment discrimination.

Kathryn Hoffman (PTCD '99) will begin working toward a dual degree in law and public policy at the University of Minnesota in fall 2002. She is the recycling coordinator for Macalester-Groveland Community Council in St. Paul, MN. Hoffman is engaged to marry Brad Thompson in a July 2002 wedding in St. Paul.

Mark Holbert (IR '99) has accepted a two-year position with the Peace Corps in Romania as part of an international program that will allow him to work on his master's degree. Holbert was a recipient of a Fulbright Scholarship in 2000 and did research on the Turkish minority in Germany and

their treatment/implications on the social welfare state there. At MSU, Holbert served as president of the International Honors Society, Phi Beta Delta and as president of the Local AIESEC Chapter for a semester. He was president and founder of Teambuilding Systems, an organization founded after the 1999 riot at MSU to build student-community relations and inspire more student involvement in already existing student groups. Holbert studied for a semester in Mexico and a semester in Budapest (JMC program) before graduating.

Sarah Lively (IR, French '99), a law student at Northwestern University, has published "The ABC's and NTB'S of GMOS: The Great EU v. US Trade Debate—Do European Restrictions on the Trade of Genetically Modified Organisms Violate International Trade Law?" Lively is one of four students working on a case involving the longest serving prisoner in Illinois, William Heirens, whom they believe was wrongfully convicted in 1946 and should receive clemency. She is an executive editor on NWU's *Journal of International Law and Business*. After graduation in 2003, she will be clerking for Federal Judge James T. Moody, Northern District of Indiana.

Adam McBride (SR '99) is a fuels management officer for the U.S. Air Force at the Langley base in Virginia. He had served as air terminal services

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commander, combat readiness and resources commander, and aerial delivery flight commander. In 2000, he was awarded squadron company grade officer of the year, and in 2001 he earned both the Air Force Achievement Medal and the Air Force Commendation Medal. He is enrolled in the program for an M.A. in applied sociology at Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA.

Chintan Panchal (IR '99), second-year law student at Emory University, has accepted a clerkship with Judge Barzilay of the U.S. Court of International Trade in New York City. He will work with Judge Barzilay for two years upon graduation in 2003. In the summer of 2002, Panchal will work for the Washington, D.C. law firm Arent Fox.

Roman Zeltser (IR '99) is currently working at SAIC in support of the Defense Threat Reduction Agency. He is the program analyst for the Cooperative Threat Reduction (CTR) program working on the Fissile Material Storage Facility project, the largest of the CTR programs. He is also the researcher for the Office of the Special Advisor on Central & Eastern European Affairs at NATO, where he researched developments on Russian mass media. That work is to be published in *Dutch-English Review*. Previously, he interned at the

U.S. Mission to NATO; the U.S. State Department, Bureau of European Affairs; and the U.S. Commerce Department, International Trade Administration.

2000-02

Phil Beekman (IR '00) is enrolling in the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs of Syracuse University to pursue his master's degree. He has passed the oral and written portions of the foreign service exam.

Kristin Hartgrove (PTCD '01) is a special assistant for federal projects of the State of Michigan Governor's Office. Previously, she worked as a legislative assistant for the American Medical Association, campaign coordinator for Congressman Dave Camp (R-MI), and grassroots campaign coordinator for the Michigan State Medical Society.

Leslie Holoweiko (IR '01) will pursue a master's in public relations at the University of Maryland beginning fall 2002. She has been the communications assistant for Michigan Attorney General Jennifer Granholm. She interned at Stony Point Communications, Jackson National Life Insurance Company, the MSU Women in International Development program, and the Volunteer Center of Mid-Michigan. Holoweiko is also a volunteer facilitator with Ele's Place, working with early elementary age children who are grieving.

She was a member of the JMC Senate for two years, one of those years as secretary.

Jessica Meyers (PTCD '01) has taken a position as legislative assistant to Michigan Representative Nick Smith (R). She interned at Ogilvy Public Relations Worldwide.

Tim Senk (IR '01) will enroll at the Elliot School of International Affairs at George Washington University to pursue a master's degree.

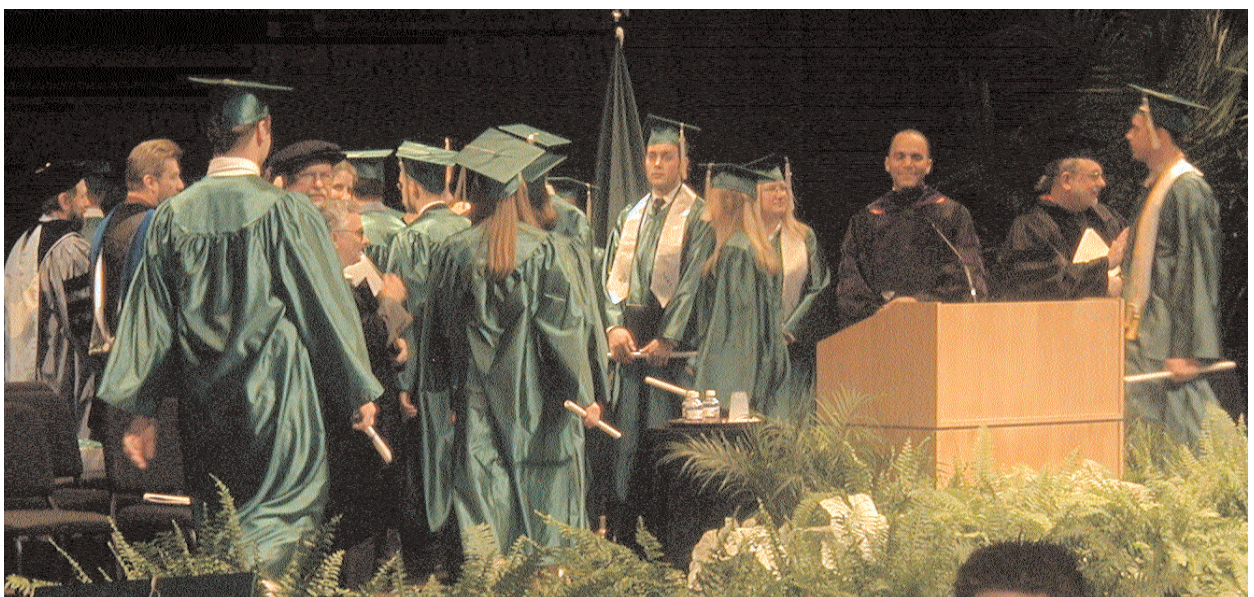
Bill Pearson (IR '02) will attend the University of Michigan School of Law.

Sarah Schnable (IR '02) will enroll in the Elliot School of International Affairs at George Washington University to pursue a master's degree.

Eric Smith (IR '02) will teach English in Japan as part of the Japan Exchange and Teaching Programme. The program offers college and university graduates the opportunity to serve in local government organizations as well as public and private junior and senior high schools.

Kyle Tisdell (IR '02) will attend Vermont Law School, where he will pursue a law degree focused on environmental law and a master's degree in environmental studies.

Jennifer Troxell (IR '02) has enrolled in the M.A. program in political science at George Washington University.



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STUDENT SCENE

Admissions Update

Through a combination of programs, publications, and collaborative efforts with other units at Michigan State University, James Madison College has extended its reach beyond the borders of the state of Michigan. As a result of these efforts, JMC has experienced a dramatic increase in students interested in pursuing their undergraduate studies in the program. For the academic year beginning August 1999, JMC received 552 applications for admission, including 39 from out-of-state students. For the academic year beginning August 2002, Madison has already received 843 applications (as of March 26, 2002), including more than 100 applications from out-of-state students, and has more than 220 students on the waitlist for the 2002 academic year.

This dramatic increase in students interested in JMC is the reflection of the tireless efforts of the dean, faculty, staff, students, and alumni of the college. Sixty-three JMC alumni volunteered to contact students admitted for fall 2002 and congratulate them on their acceptance to MSU and JMC. Alumni from the Philippines to Texas, South Carolina to Massachusetts, and Illinois to a naval vessel at sea eagerly volunteered to assist the college in these efforts. Prospective students and parents truly enjoy communicating with alumni from the college. Alumni offer students and their families a unique perspective on the college. Anecdotally, many current JMC students have indicated that alumni contact was very important in their decision-making process and remember their telephone or e-mail conversations vividly.

Without the assistance of the entire James Madison College community, it would have been difficult to attract such a distinguished first-year class—one of

the most distinguished and accomplished classes ever at Michigan State University and James Madison College. Having been in communication with the majority of these students, I have been truly amazed by not only their academic achievements but also their civic spirit. Many of the students in this group have volunteered a tremendous amount of time and energy to their communities and schools.

During the past year, JMC has not only reached out to college-age students, but the college has also increased its efforts to reach pre-college students.

As part of this effort, the college hosted a visit-day program for more than 200 fifth grade students from Rochester, MI. As part of the program, Professor Eric Petrie gave a lecture on core democratic values. The students also toured Case Hall, ate lunch in the cafeteria, and visited the state Capital in the afternoon.

James Madison College, in cooperation with the Honors College, the College of Education, and the Lyman Briggs School has also developed a program for eighth grade students to introduce them to college and develop their

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Madison Student Achieves A 4.0

Sarah Zagata (IR and agriculture and natural resources communications) was among the ten Michigan State University students who were honored for their academic achievements this year by the MSU Board of Trustees. The students, all May 2002 graduates, achieved perfect 4.0 grade-point averages. The Board of Trustees awards are granted at each commencement to students having the highest scholastic averages at the close of their last semester in attendance. Zagata is the daughter of Michael and Lorene Zagata and is a 1997 graduate of Unionville-Sebewaing Area High School.



Sarah Zagata is recognized for her achievement by Professor Michael Schechter at the JMC Parade of Honors on April 25, 2002.

JMC Alumni Awards Scholarship Winners

Awards recognized at the April Parade of Honors

Michael Doby (freshman), **Meghan Paulus (freshman)**, and **Benjamin Wilensky (freshman)** were the recipients of the JMC Alumni Endowed Scholarship.

Christien Oliver received the Nelson and Marlene Cummings Scholarship. Oliver is the son of JMC alumnus Glenn Oliver (Urban '84) and Anita Oliver.

Kevin Richard Roth and **Michael Rouker** received the JMC Alumni Association Award for Study Abroad.

Benjamin Wilensky received the JMC Alumni Endowed Scholarship for Diversity. He is the son of JMC alumni Marianne Budde (Urban '78) and Jay Wilensky (JCMD '77).

Other Award Winners

Christopher Desmond, Coyne-Jako Book Award

Molly Donovan, Jack Chapin Memorial Prize

Elizabeth Jordon, Burton L. and Rosalie P. Gerber Scholarship

Michelle Heisner, Randall Smith/M. Richard Zinman Award for Study Abroad

David Levine, Shao Chang Lee Best Undergraduate Paper, Asian Studies

Aaron Payne, Walter and Pauline Adams Scholarship

Michael Schaefer, William McCagg Memorial Student Paper Competition, Russian and East European Studies

Kyle Tisdell, Herbert Garfinkel Award for Outstanding Community Service

O T H E R STUDENT HONORS

Austin Carson (IR) has accepted the one-year William J. Taylor internship with the Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) in the international security program in Washington, D.C. beginning September 2002. He will be doing research analysis and



Austin Carson

will be assigned to several research projects during the year. The position was created six years ago by Alex Lennon, Editor-in-Chief of the *Washington Quarterly* and a national champion debater at Harvard. Lennon selects one graduating senior debater in the country to fill this role on the basis of both debate success and academic achievements. As part of the application process, Carson specifically referenced work he did under Madison Professors Ayoob, Garnett, and Schechter to demonstrate a thorough background in the relevant areas in which they specialize. Carson is the first MSU graduate to be selected.

Molly Donovan (PTCD '02) is the recipient of the Jack Chapin Memorial Prize, which is given to one outstanding graduating political theory student chosen by the faculty. As a freshman, Donovan received the Adams scholarship. At MSU, she volunteered at MSU Safe Place,



Molly Donovan

interned at Children's Charter of the Courts of Michigan (a nonprofit agency geared toward serving the needs of abused and neglected children), and worked at Capital Area Literacy Coalition where she tutored academically at-risk children. During the summer, Donovan is working in Pennsylvania at an after-school program for elementary and middle school

students and will attend Duke Law School in the fall. She is interested in family law and hopes to use her law degree to provide legal services to abused and neglected children and their families.

Andrew Kramer (SR) is the recipient of the Rosenthal Award, which is awarded to an outstanding legislative intern. The Rosenthal Award was created in honor of Daniel Rosenthal by his family as a tribute to his life and to recognize the value he placed on his work as a legislative intern.

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leadership skills. The "Developing Tomorrow's Leaders" conference took place on March 22, 2002. More than 80 high-achieving students from Lansing and Detroit public schools were nominated by their teachers, counselors, and principals to participate. Students spent an entire day on campus, working on a project focused on leadership and technology. Participants, teachers, parents, and administrators enjoyed the program and found the experience very enriching.

The college will continue to refine and develop programs for college-age students and pre-college students to better inform both groups of the formative power of higher education.

Jeff Judge
Director of Admissions,
James Madison College

FACULTY SCENE

Dorr Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Writing Announced

James Madison College Dean Sherman Garnett has announced a new award: the Ron Dorr Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Writing to be awarded annually in recognition of the best academic essay, autobiographical narrative, or piece of creative writing submitted by a JMC student. The award is named in honor of Professor Ron Dorr, whose vision, dedication, and passion for teaching have immeasurably enriched the college. The award originated with a request from Professor Dorr's students and writing faculty colleagues and was approved by the Faculty Affairs Committee.

Dorr's founding vision of a first-year writing program focused on the human dimensions of public affairs has ensured that, from their first semester on campus, JMC students are encouraged to "take serious books seriously," gaining an appreciation for the richness and complexity of the human experience by engaging with significant texts from the humanities.

Dorr's dedication to fostering his students' analytical abilities has contributed to the college's reputation for graduating students skilled at conveying complex ideas clearly, in writing and in speech.

His own passion for ideas and model of self-reflection have helped his students develop the habits of mind essential to a liberal education. His sponsorship of the Madison "Madhouses" has enabled countless students to share their literary and musical talents, enhancing the sense of community that is vital to a residential college.

Dorr's commitment to educating the whole student—in the classroom, in his office hours, and at evening Madhouses—embodies the college's primary mission of excellence in undergraduate teaching. The Dorr Award acknowledges the central place of writing in the Madison curriculum, and honors Ron Dorr's outstanding contributions to the Madison community.

The college will be seeking donors to endow this award in perpetuity.



Ron Dorr, Molly Donovan, and Dean Garnett at the 2002 Parade of Honors

OTHER FACULTY NEWS

Mohammed Ayoob's editorial "How to Define a Muslim American Agenda" appeared in the *New York Times*, December 29, 2001. It can be read in its entirety at <www.jmc.msu.edu/news/facultypress.asp> Ayoob also published "South-West Asia After the Taliban," in *Survival* (44:1, spring 2002), and "Humanitarian Intervention and State Sovereignty," in *International Journal of Human Rights* (6:1, spring 2002). In February 2002, he delivered the lecture "South-West Asia after the Taliban" at the Burkle Center for International Affairs, University of California-Los Angeles (UCLA) and made the presentation "Kashmir and Pluralism in India" at the Conference on Terrorism, Pluralism and Democracy: The Case of India, also at UCLA. In April 2002, he delivered the lecture "India, Pakistan and Kashmir" at the Institute for Commonwealth Studies, University of London, and presented "Third World Perspectives on International Administration of War Torn Territories" at a conference on International Administration of War Torn Territories organized by the International Institute for Strategic Studies, London. In May 2002, he presented "The Impact of the War in Afghanistan on South Asia" at a conference on the UN and South Asia organized by the UN University, Tokyo. In June 2002, he will present a paper on "Security Lies in the Eyes of the Insecure: Multiple Meanings of Security in the Age of Globalization" at a conference on Security in the Age of Globalization organized by the Center for Eurasian Strategic Studies, Ankara, Turkey.

Gene Burns appeared on the Michigan Radio Network on April 25, 2002 to discuss the sexual abuse controversy in the Catholic Church.

Neil DeVotta's doctoral dissertation "From Linguistic Nationalism to Ethnic Conflict: Sri Lanka in Comparative Perspective" won this year's University of Texas Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Award from among

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dissertations in social science, education, and business. DeVotta received his doctorate from the University of Texas, Austin in 2001.

Mark Elder participated in a roundtable with the MSU Economics Association in April 2002 on trade restrictions, with special emphasis on U.S. President Bush's new steel import restrictions. His paper "The Japanese Challenge to Conventional (Western) Theories of Corporate Trade Policy Preferences" was presented at three conferences: the Annual Convention of the International Studies Association in New Orleans in March, the Annual Meeting of the Association of Asian Studies in Washington, D.C. in April, and the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago in April.

Norman Graham, Linda Racioppi, and Katie See participated in the March

2002 International Studies Association Conference in New Orleans. Their panel was titled "Democracy, Security and Stability in Europe: The Role of Regional Integration and the Impact of Domestic Politics." Graham chaired the panel and presented the paper "European and Atlantic Security Institutions after the Fall of Milosevic." Racioppi and See presented the paper "At the Nexus of European Integration and Ethnic Politics: The European Union Special Support Programme for Peace and Reconciliation in Northern Ireland."

Michael Rubner has been interviewed numerous times since mid March on the Israeli/Palestinian conflict: by the Voice of America, WILX-TV in Lansing, WWJ Radio in Detroit, WOOD Radio in Grand Rapids, Michigan Talk Radio Network, the *Lansing State Journal*, and the MSU *State News*.

Colleen Tremonte presented the papers "Towards a Third Space: Interdisciplinarity and the Scholarship of Teaching" at the Conference on College Composition and Communication national meeting in Chicago in March 2002 and "What's Home Got to do with It? Visual Literacy and Affective Learning" at the American Association of Higher Education national conference, also in Chicago in March. Her review essay of *Learning to Rival: A Literate Practice for Intercultural Inquiry* (Lawrence Erlbaum, 2000) appeared in the fall/winter 2001 issue of *Issues in Writing*.

Ken Waltzer presented "Liebe Perla, Dear Perla" at the recent Disabilities and the Holocaust seminar at Michigan State University in March 2002. Perla Ovitiz was a member of a Romanian Jewish dwarf family, the Lilliput Troupe that entertained throughout Eastern Europe. Sent to Auschwitz in 1944, the family believed it survived the concentration camp because Josef Mengele selected them for his "experiments."

Katie See's 25th Anniversary Recognized



Katie See

Madison Professor Katie See was recognized at JMC's 2002 spring commencement for 25 years of service on the faculty.

See specializes in comparative race and ethnic relations, social stratification, gender relations, and political sociology. She has written *First World Nationalisms: Class and Ethnic Politics in Northern Ireland and Quebec*. With Professor Linda Racioppi, she completed *Women's Activism in Contemporary Russia* in 1998. See was a Rockefeller Fellow in Human Rights, received an MSU 1980 Teacher Scholar Award, a research award from the National Endowment for the Humanities, a 1991 State of Michigan Teaching Excellence Award, the 1992 Mid-Michigan Alumni Association Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching, and a 1997 MSU Distinguished Faculty Award. See received her Ph.D. in sociology from the University of Chicago.

Sherman Garnett, Norman Graham, Douglas Hoekstra, and Michael Rubner were members of a panel discussing "The Aftermath of September 11th" in a symposium sponsored by James Madison College for alumni, students, and faculty on February 24, 2002 at MSU's Kellogg Center.



Graham, Rubner, Hoekstra, and Garnett

February 24th
symposium attendees



FROM THE DIRECTOR

Where Does Madison Belong?

It has been said that “one of Madison’s strengths is that it does not fit in any particular category.” James Madison College is not a department of political science or a small liberal arts college unto itself. This unique nature in part gives rise to the college’s success, but also makes it hard to quantify.

The qualitative information is easier to assess. I have been impressed with the positive statements graduates, parents, employers, and faculty members make about undergraduate education at Madison. Regardless of the decade a person studied or taught in Case Hall, his or her appreciation that Madison is a special place rings loud and clear. Even the negative comments are constructive and point to areas in which the college can improve. The hundreds of names on the Donor Honor Role in this newsletter also make an important statement about the college and the support it generates.

As an alumnus and the development officer, I try to benchmark our private giving to see how Madison measures up. Can I quantify what people are saying about the college? An important number to consider is the participation rate—that is, the number of donors among active alumni. In fiscal year 2001, Madison had a 12.5% participation rate, or 618 donors out of 4,918

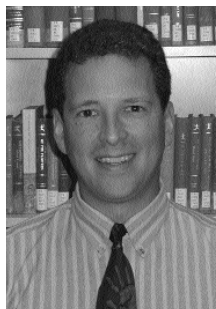
alumni. Below are the rates at some other institutions.

The big question is not where Madison is on this list, but where you think it should be. When I hear people talk so positively about their undergraduate education, I think our participation rate could be much higher.

If you think Madison should have a greater participation rate, please make a financial contribution to support JMC every year. If you have not made a contribution this year, please use the enclosed envelope and send your gift today. Donations of any size are welcome. Your contributions make an important difference in the quality of a Madison education and the capacity of the college to deliver its best year after year.

For those who have regularly made annual gifts to JMC, THANK YOU! You have made a tremendous difference in advancing the college’s mission for future generations of Madisonians.

Rocky Beckett
JMC Development Director



Beckett

Madison Alum Endows Scholarship in Honor of his Parents

By Rick Seguin, University Development

Jeff Cummings feels blessed for the opportunities he has had thus far. The 1984 Phi Beta Kappa graduate of James Madison College at Michigan State University is an attorney and partner with the Chicago law firm of Miner, Barnhill and Galland, P.C. He credits his parents and his education at MSU for opening many doors.



Jeff Cummings

“My parents provided me, and my three brothers, with great examples of family values, leadership, and community involvement. They devoted their careers to public affairs, civic activities, and education. They also supported my education at James Madison College both financially and in many other ways. I am eternally grateful for the terrific opportunities I had at a residential college like JMC and I have always wanted to honor my parents.”

By creating and endowing the **Nelson and Marlene Cummings Endowed Scholarship**, Jeff has accomplished both of these goals in the best way he knows how: to provide an opportunity for future students and open the doors of education for generations to come.

“I wish and hope to do more; this scholarship is a start, something to build on. My goal is to help James Madison College spread the word about its excellent undergraduate education to minority communities and encourage them to attend the college and MSU. Steve Smith set a great example with his donation to MSU by creating a scholarship for students from his high school

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Where should Madison be in this list?

PERCENTAGE OF DONORS AMONG ACTIVE ALUMNI

Ivy League Consortium	35.1%
Penn State University	19.0%
University of Michigan	15.7%
James Madison College	12.5% *
Michigan State University	12.0%
State University Consortium	12.0%
University of Oregon	9.9%

* JMC participation rate is from fiscal year 2001. The rates from other institutions in this list are from fiscal year 2000.

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to attend MSU. His gift helped motivate me to pursue this idea.”

Jeff fondly remembers his time in Case Hall, the home of JMC. There were more than 100 students in his graduating class, and he was able to develop many special friendships. He also had an opportunity to meet other African American students from around the state and country. Many of his friends lead impressive careers—for example, the first African American Supreme Court Justice in Texas, a district judge in Flint, and several other very successful professionals.

It is important to have this rich diversity at JMC. The purpose of the Cummings Scholarship is to increase the number of African American and other students from racial and ethnic groups who are under-represented at JMC. A diverse student body will be a key factor in maintaining Madison’s ability to graduate students who have success in

Madison’s Top Ten *continued from page 2*

terrorism, the Middle East, and other issues (*Voice of America*, *Detroit News* and *Free Press*, radio and television outlets in Detroit, Lansing, Grand Rapids, and Kalamazoo). In summer 2001, Dean Garnett was one of three project directors of an Institute of East-West Studies Task Force Report on U.S.-Russian Relations. (Senators Boren, Danforth, and Simpson chaired the group, which included prominent leaders from government, university, and business circles.) Dean Garnett was one of five outside scholars asked by the National Intelligence Council to provide a paper on U.S.-Russian relations for the U.S. president and other senior officials in the run up to the May Summit in Moscow. This public outreach has its roots in the strong internationally oriented scholarship base within the college. September 11th brought some of that base to greater prominence. Other issues will bring out other strengths.

Expanding college assets and student opportunities in political economy, economic thought, and policy analysis. In the aftermath of the elimination of political economy as a field, the college

public policy, business, education, and many other careers.

Jeff also has great things to say about the faculty at JMC, whom he credits with bringing out the best in him. He points particularly to Professor Katherine See, who directed him to a full-tuition, merit-based scholarship to Northwestern University School of Law that he applied for and won. He knows other Madison alums can tell similar stories.

“I hope my gift helps to reconnect other alumni to the college and encourage them to donate as well. Like my parents, I want to give something back to the students who are following in my path at JMC. Establishing this scholarship at JMC is one of the best ways I can pass my blessings on to future generations of students.”

To contribute to the Nelson and Marlene Cummings Endowed Scholarship, please contact Rocky Beckett at 517-432-2117.

has in fact expanded the range and capabilities of the faculty and courses offered to students in these important areas. The college has hired two new faculty—both with substantial backgrounds in economics and economic thought and methods—for the 2003-2004 academic year. New and revised courses are in the offing.

Professor Zinman’s University Distinguished Professorship. In recognition of a long and distinguished 30-year career at Madison and MSU, Professor Richard Zinman was named a university distinguished professor in 2002—Madison’s second faculty member so honored. His work in helping to found and sustain the college’s curriculum and programs; his year-in, year-out excellence in the classroom; and his stewardship of the LeFrak forum are just a few of the highlights of Professor Zinman’s career. This award is another reminder of the reservoir of teaching excellence in the college.



Sherman Garnett
Dean

Debate Team *continued from page 1*



MSU Debate Team members Calum Matheson and Austin Carson with the trophy recognizing them as the third best two-person team based on performance during regular season.

MEMBERS OF THE 2001-02 MSU DEBATE TEAM ARE:

Austin Carson, JMC senior from Grand Rapids, MI

Calum Matheson, JMC junior from East Lansing, MI

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Maggie Ryan, JMC freshman from Grand Rapids, MI

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John Groen, MSU history sophomore from Rochester, MI

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These pages contain two lists. The first is an honor roll recognizing all James Madison College supporters holding a distinction as donor society members at Michigan State for cumulative gifts throughout the university. The second honor roll recognizes all cash contributions from individuals to the college received during the 2001 calendar year. Multiple gifts by individuals have been combined to reflect the total amount given.

We apologize for any errors or omissions in the lists and encourage you to contact the Development Office at (517) 432-2117 or beckettr@msu.edu to make corrections.

If you would like information on contributing to James Madison College, please contact Rocky Beckett, 359 S. Case Hall, East Lansing, MI 48825-1205 for confidential assistance.

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Named for the eighth president of Michigan State University, this society recognizes lifetime gifts of more than \$1,000,000 or documented planned gifts of at least \$1,500,000.

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Robert S. Shaw served as acting president of Michigan State University three times before becoming president in 1928. He was succeeded by his son-in-law, John Hannah, in 1941. This society recognizes lifetime gifts of more than \$500,000 or planned gifts of at least \$1,000,000.

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Jonathan L. Snyder served as president of Michigan State University from 1896 to 1915 and is credited with many innovations in higher education. This society recognizes lifetime gifts of more than \$100,000 or planned gifts of at least \$200,000.

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Revered by many and credited with guiding the university through its period of greatest physical growth, John Hannah was president of Michigan State University during the founding of James Madison College. This society recognizes lifetime gifts of more than \$50,000 and planned gifts of at least \$100,000.

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The familiar tower was built in 1928 to mark the site of College Hall, the first academic building on the Michigan State University campus. This special gift society recognizes lifetime donations of \$25,000 and greater.

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This society is named in honor of the first female faculty member at Michigan Agricultural College. Professor Linda E. Landon had a distinguished career beginning in 1891 until her retirement in 1932. Individuals and families who, through their estate plans, have established a planned gift benefiting James Madison College are recognized in this society.

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Saturday, October 5, 2002

2:00 p.m.

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Everyone is invited!

Homecoming Tailgate

Saturday, October 19, 2002

Tent behind Case Hall

2 hours before kick-off

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