FACULTY/STAFF RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Tuesday, March 23, 2010
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Tomás D. Morales, PhD
President
Congratulations to our faculty and staff for their scholarly accomplishments, which bring distinction to them and our College.

Tomás D. Morales, PhD
President

Faculty and Staff Recognition Ceremony
2008–2009
INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF
TENURE, PROMOTIONS, AND RECLASSIFICATIONS

TENURE
Cassandra Camillo Biology
Iliana D’Aversa Biology
Kinnea Keating Biology
Shi Jin Chemistry
Brian Carolan Education
Bethany Rogers Education
Sandra Gambetti History
Susan Smith-Peter History
Judy Xiao Library
Tobias Schaefer Mathematics
Cynthia Chris Media Culture
Gerry Milligan Modern Languages
Eileen Quagliano Nursing
Sarah Berger Psychology
Sandra Hunt Psychology
Grace Mitchell SASW
Ananya Mukherjea SASW

PROMOTIONS
To Full Professor:
Louis Petingi Computer Science
Alexandre Zaitsev Engineering Science and Physics
Janet Dudley English
James Kaser Library
Linda Roccos Library
John Verzani Mathematics

To Associate Professor:
George Wang Business
Ralf Peetz Chemistry
Shuqun Zhang Computer Science
Zhangyang Zhang Computer Science
Brian Carolan Education
Ruth Silverberg Education
Lihong (Connie) Li Engineering Science
Charles Liu Engineering Science
Grace Mitchell Cho English
Mary Reda English
Cynthia Chris Media Culture
Matthew Solomon  Media Culture
M. Nuria Morgado  Modern Languages
Sarah Berger  Psychology

RECLASSIFICATIONS
Marie Anderson, to Higher Education Officer
Janice Awerbuch, to Higher Education Officer
Kim Crabbe, to Higher Education Officer
Donna Gerstle, to Higher Education Officer
Sherry Heller, to Higher Education Assistant
Erika Hellstrom, to Higher Education Officer
Joanne Hollan, to Higher Education Associate
Linda John, to Higher Education Officer
Debi Kee, to Higher Education Associate
Frances Lee, to Higher Education Assistant
Terence Mares, to Higher Education Associate
Nicholas Saccone, to Higher Education Officer
Sandra Sanchez, to Higher Education Associate
Maria Xenakis, to Higher Education Assistant
Vito Zajda, to Higher Education Assistant

FULBRIGHT SCHOLARSHIP
Susan Sullivan  Department of Education

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY

Alejandra Del Carmen Alonso
Published an article in *Expert Opinion on Therapeutic Patents* (2009).

Rebecca Chamberlain

William L’Amoreaux
Published three articles in *Canadian Journal of Microbiology* (2009), *Proceedings of the Academy of Natural Sciences in Philadelphia* (2009), and *Neuroscience* (2008).

Richard Veit
Published three articles in *Bird Observer* (2008), *Marine Ornithology* (2008), and *New Jersey Birds* (2009).
**William Wallace**  
Published two articles in *Archives of Environmental Contamination and Toxicology* (2009) and *Integrated Environmental Assessment and Management* (2008).

**Andrzej Wieraszko**  

**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS**

**Soon Chun**  
Published four articles: two articles in *Information Polity* (2009), one in *Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE) Computer* (2008), and one in *Government Information Quarterly* (2009).  

**Baruch Englard**  

**Rosane Gertner**  

**Paul Herskovitz**  

**Jonathan Peters**  

**Mary Recor**  

**Alan Zimmerman**  
Published a book: *The Economics of Counterfeit Trade: Governments,*

Published two articles in *Journal of Asia Pacific Business* (2009) and *Business Horizons* (2009).

**DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY**

**Qiao-Sheng Hu**
Published three articles in *SynLett* (2009), *Organic Letters* (2008), and *Syntheses* (2008).

**Shi Jin**

**Michal Kruk**

**Fred Naider**

**Krishnaswami Raja**

**Chwen-Yang Shew**

**Shuiqin Zhou**

**DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE**

**Shuqun Zhang**
Xiaowen (Sean) Zhang

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Judit Kerekes

Irina Lyublinskaya

Helen Robinson
Published one article in *Early Childhood Education, Young Children* (2009).

DEPARTMENT OF ENGINEERING SCIENCE AND PHYSICS

Neo Antoniades

Alfred Levine
Published an article in *Photonics Technology Letters* (2009).

Lihong Li
Published a book chapter in the *Handbook of Cancer Models with Applications* (2008).

Alexander Zaitsev
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

Sarah Benesch
Published a book chapter in Generation 1.5 in College Composition: Teaching Writing to U.S. Educated Learners of ESL (Routledge, 2009). Published one article in Journal of Language Identity and Education (2008).

Ava Chin
Published nine juried creative articles: two articles in Jade (2009), four articles in Time Out New York (2009), one article in A Gathering of the Tribes (2009), and two articles in The New York Times online.

Janet Ng Dudley
Published a book: Paradigm City: Space, Culture and Capitalism in Hong Kong (SUNY Press, 2009).

Dalia Kandiyoti
Published a book: Migrant Sites: America, Place, and Diaspora Literatures (Dartmouth College/University Press of New England, 2009).

Fred Kaufman
His book, A Short History of the American Stomach, was chosen as a Favorite Book of the Year by the Chicago Tribune, and awarded the Gourmand Award for “Best Culinary History Book,” 2008.

Lee Papa

Mary Reda

Terry Rowden

Sarah Schulman

Published one book chapter in *That’s Revolting* (Soft Skull Press, 2008), and one article in *Publisher’s Weekly* (2008).

### DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

**Marcela Echeverri**
Selected to participate in the National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute (2009).

**Sandra Gambetti**

**Samira Haj**

**Eric Ivison**
Published an article in *Anatolian Archaeology* (2008).

**Catherine Lavender**
Published a book chapter in *Their Own Frontier: Women Intellectuals Re-Visioning the American West* (University of Nebraska Press, 2008).

**Emmanuel Mbah**

**Jonathan Sassi**

**Susan Smith-Peter**
Selected to participate in the National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute (2009).
DEPARTMENT OF MEDIA CULTURE

David Gerstner

Michael Mandiberg
Was 2008-2009 Senior Fellow at the Eyebeam Center for Art and Technology, New York.


Jason Simon
Published three articles in Artforum (2009), Bidoun, A Journal of Middle Eastern Culture (2009), and Log, A Journal on Architecture and Theory (2008).


Matthew Solomon

Ying Zhu
Published two books: TV China (Indiana University Press, 2009) and TV Drama in China (Hong Kong University Press, 2009).

DEPARTMENT OF NURSING

Margaret Lunney


**DEPARTMENT OF PERFORMING AND CREATIVE ARTS**

**Beatrix Reinhardt**
Participated in three group exhibitions in Miami, Florida; Athens, Georgia; and Pingyao, China (2008).

**George Sanchez**
Performance in *Buried Up to My Neck While Thinking Outside the Box* (2009).

**Maurya Wickstrom**

**DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL THERAPY**

**Zaghoul Ahmed**
Published three articles in *The Open Neuroscience Journal* (2009), *Neurotrauma* (2009), and *Brain Research* (2008).

**Maria Knikou**
Published three articles in *Journal of the International Federation of Clinical Neurophysiology* (2008), *Journal of Neuroscience Methods* (2009), and *Experimentation cerebrale* (2009).

**DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, ECONOMICS AND PHILOSOPHY**

**Ming Xia**
Produced the HBO Documentary *China’s Unnatural Disaster: The Tears of Sichuan Province* (2009).
Published one article in *Journal of Contemporary China* (2008).
DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

Comfort Asanbe

Florette Cohen

Published three articles, two in Journal of Personality and Social Psychology (2008 and 2009) and one in Self and Identity (2009).

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY, ANTHROPOLOGY, AND SOCIAL WORK

Grace M. Cho
Published a book: Haunting the Korean Diaspora: Shame, Secrecy, and the Forgotten War (University of Minnesota Press, 2008).

Ismael Garcia-Colon

EXTERNAL GRANTS AWARDED
April 2007-March 2008

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY

Alejandra Alonso
NIH, Tau Phosphorylation and Neurodegeneration, $148,846.
CUNY Collaborative, Tau Structure and Function, Its Implication in Neurodegeneration (with Hunter College), $10,000.

Frank Burbrink
CUNY Collaborative, A North American Biodiversity Hotspot: How the Mississippi River Functions as an Engine of Species Diversification (with Queens College), $10,000.
Michal Kruk  
ACS, New Opportunities in the Synthesis of Ultra-Large-Pore Ordered Mesoporous Materials, $60,000.  
NSF, Ordered Mesoporous Materials with Closed Pores, $92,069.

Alan Lyons  
Gray Glass, Novel Acid Resistant Coatings for Glass, $10,000.

Krishnaswami Raja  
Nulastin Inc., 2008-present, $38,028.

Chang-Hui Shen  
NSF, RUI: Transcriptional Regulation of 1NO1 in Yeast, $89,794.

Richard R. Veit  
USFWS Fund, 2009-2011, $268,000.

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS  
Soon Chun  
New Jersey Meadowlands Commission, A Sensor Network Based Real Time Flood Warning System, $35,000.

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY  
Probal Banerjee  
CUNY Bridge Fund Program, Nurturing of the Early Hippocampus by 5-HT1A Signaling, $25,000.  
NIH, The 5HT1A Receptor and Brain Development, (Minority Supplement), $31,598.  
NIH, The 5HT1A Receptor and Brain Development, $206,880.

Qiao-Sheng Hu  
NSF, Development of Highly Enantioselective Type 1 Palladacycles and Platinacycles for Asymmetric Catalysis (supplement), $22,904.  
NSF, Development of Controlled Palladium(0)-Catalyzed Cross-Coupling Polymerizations (stimulus funds), 370,000.

Shi Jin  
3M, Nanostructured Organic Optoelectronic Materials, $15,000.  
CUNY Collaborative, p-Stack Engineering for High Carrier Mobility in Organic Materials (with Brooklyn College), $38,000.
Michal Kruk
Petroleum Research Fund, 2009-2011, $100,000.

Fred Naider
NIH, Peptide-Cell Interactions in Saccharomyces cerevisiae (with University of Tennessee), $352,741.
NIH, Peptide-Cell Interactions in Saccharomyces cerevisiae (with University of Tennessee), $363,320.
NIH, Multi-Dimensional NMR of HIV-1 Envelope (with Weizmann Institute of Science), $38,731.
Saccharomyces cerevisae 2008-2012.

Ralf Peetz, Shi Jin
Pall Corporation, Testing and Consultative Services Agreement, $12,960.

Sebastian Poget
CUNY Community College Collaborative, Structural and Mechanistic Studies of Inactivation in the Potassium Channel KcsA via a Channel-Opener Toxin (with Laguardia Community College).

Krishnaswami Raja
Nulastin, Inc., Improvement of Wound Care Preparations, $19,014.

Krishnaswami Raja, William L’Amoreaux
CUNY Collaborative, Living Copolymer-Antibody Conjugates for Imaging Applications (with City Tech), $10,000.

Chwen-Yang Shew
Oak Ridge National Labs, R & D Molecular Calculations, $54,999.

Richard Veit
Manomet Center for Conservation Sciences, American Oystercatcher Management and Monitoring in Massachusetts, $11,820.
Birdlife International, How Much Do Tunas and Great Shearwaters Overlap in the Atlantic Ocean?
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Marine Bird Surveys in the Northwest Atlantic Ocean in FY09, $100,000.
ARO, Ion Beam Written Carbon Nanostructures on Carbonaceous Substrates, $80,000.

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Nan-Loh Yang
CIBA Corporation, Confidential Testing and Consultative Services, $5,000.
NYSTAR, Center for Engineered Polymeric Materials (CART), $477,002.
Pfizer, Pfizer/CUNY Collaborative Project on Depo-Medrol, $66,509.
Kuraray America, Inc., Polycetal Research with Acetal Ring, $25,250.
Momentive Performance Materials, Solid State Analysis of Copper Materials, $2,100.
NYSTAR, Center for Engineered Polymeric Materials (CART), $75,000.

Shuiqin Zhou
The National Academies, Synthesis and Characterization of Smart Polymer Microgels for Biomedical Application, $63,992.
CUNY Collaborative, Self-Assembly of Recombinant Collagen Fragments in Aqueous Solution (with Hunter College), $38,000.

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

Herbert Schanker, Sarah Zelikovitz
SENCER, NSF Post-Institute Implementation Award, $3,000.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Maysaa Bazna
CUNY Collaborative, Increasing the Participation in Mathematics for Students in Inclusive Settings: Recommendations for Teacher Education (with Brooklyn College), $38,000.

Irina Lyublinskaya
Texas Instruments, Effect of Using TI-Nspire Technology on Student Achievement in Geometry, $89,480.

Bethany Rogers
University of Washington, Field Research and Archival Analysis, New York City School Reform, $6,927.
CUNY Collaborative, Teaching for America: Lessons from Teach for America Participants (with City College), $33,209.
Gail Simmons
NYSED, Collegiate Science and Technology Entry Program (C-STEP), $203,685.
NYSTAR, Material Sciences and Polymer Chemistry Faculty Development at CSI/CUNY, $500,000.
NYSED, Science and Technology Entry Program (STEP), $250,861.

Gail Simmons et al.
NSF, STEM Talent Expansion via Applied Mathematics (STEAM), $180,508.

Gail Simmons, Debra Evans-Greene
NYSED, Science and Technology Entry Program (STEP), $254,436.
NYSED, Collegiate Science and Technology Entry Program (CSTEP), $199,032.

DEPARTMENT OF ENGINEERING SCIENCE AND PHYSICS

Neophytos Antoniades
National Grid, 2009, $15,000
RSoft Design Group, 2009, $25,000.

Neophytos Antoniades, Xin Jiang, Syed Rizvi
NYSED/VTEA, Electrical Engineering Technology High Tech Vocational Training, $105,659.

Anatoly Kuklov
NSF, Worm Algorithm and Diagrammatic Monte Carlo in Atomic and Condensed Matter Physics, $64,000.
NSF, Worm Algorithm and Diagrammatic Monte Carlo in Atomic and Condensed Matter Physics, $58,000.

Alfred Levine
ISC, Environmental Science Program, $7,500.
ISC, Environmental Science Program, $21,000.
Environmental Science Research, 2009, $30,000.

Charles Liu
Vadim Oganseyan
CUNY Collaborative, Spin Diffusion: Quantum Coherence, Disorder, Reduced Dimensionality (with York College), $10,000.

Alexander Zaitsev
Army Research Office, 2006-2009, $150,000.

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

Dalia Kandiyoti
Received small grants from UCLA, Sephardic Studies Chair and from the Posen Foundation.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

Donna Gerstle
NYC Council, Breast Cancer Initiative, $60,000.
NYC Council, Breast Cancer Research Initiative, $80,000.
Central New York Regional Planning and Development, Staten Island Water Education Program, $25,000.
Staten Island Breast Cancer Research Institute, $213,000.

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

Eric Ivison
Loeb Classical Library Foundation, Harvard University, $17,500 (2009) and $30,000 (2008).

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

Abhijit Champanerka
NSF, FRG: Hyperbolic Geometry and Jones Polynomials, $12,934.

Jane Coffee
Fund for Public Schools, Curriculum Grant, $13,710.

Jane Coffee, Leonard Ciaccio
USED, Replication Grant 09, $5,940.
Jane Coffee, Irina Lyublinskaya, Susan Sullivan  
NSF, Robert Noyce Teacher Academy at the College of Staten Island  
(stimulus funds), $839,000.

Joel Hamkins  
NSF, Research in Set Theory, $70,000.  
John Templeton Foundation, Effective Mathematics of the  
Uncountable, $5,267.

Ilya Kofman  
NSF, Collaborative Research: FRG: Hyperbolic Geometry and Jones  
Polynomials (year 4) (with Barnard), $11,866.

Joseph Maher  
NSF, Geometry of the Mapping Class Group and Applications to 3-  
Manifolds, $69,147.

Dan McCloskey  
CUNY Collaborative, The Role of Endogenous VEGF in the  
Development and Protection of Cortical Networks in the Neonatal Rat  
(with Queens College), $38,000.

Jay Rosen  
NSF, Northeast Probability Seminar, $45,000.

Tobias Schaefer  
NSF, Impact of Perturbations on Ultra-Short Salitary Waves in Optical  
Media, $91,953.  
CUNY Collaborative, Multi-dimensional Quickest Detection (with  
Brooklyn College), $38,000.

Allen Tesdall  
DOE, Analysis of Self-Similar Solutions of Multidimensional  
Conservation Laws, $35,894.

DEPARTMENT OF PERFORMING AND CREATIVE ARTS

David Keberle  
New England Foundation for the Arts, Meet the Composer/New  
England, 2009, $8,000.
DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

Zaghloul Ahmed, Andrzej Wieraszko
NYS/DOH, Acrobatic Exercises and Spinal Stimulations after Spinal Cord Injury, $152,399.
NYS/DOH, Acrobatic Exercises and Spinal Stimulation after Spinal Cord Injury, $157,256.

Maria Knikou
NYS/DOH, Mechanisms Underlying Locomotor Recovery after Step Training in SCI, $1,422,066.

ADMINISTRATION

William Fritz, Jane Coffee
Fund for Public Schools, New York City Partnership for Teacher Excellence, $75,249.

Susan Holak
NSF, Development of Highly Enantioselective Type 1 Palladacycles and Platinacycles for Asymmetric Catalysis (supplement) (with LaGuardia Community College), $370,000.
USED, Piloting ePortfolios in Linked General Education Courses for The Verrazano School at the College of Staten Island, (with LaGuardia Community College), $8,000.

Michael Kress, Richard Rothbard
CUNY, CUNY High-Performance Computing Center, $45,000.

Michael Kress, Tobias Schaefer
II-EN: The City University of New York – Computing Research Infrastructure (with City Tech, CCNY, and Brooklyn).
AWARDS

Sandra Gambetti
Awarded the CUNY Felix Gross Endowment Award, 2009.

Sarah Schulman
Fellow, New York Institute for the Humanities at New York University
Kessler Prize for Sustained Contribution to Lesbian and Gay Studies,
The Graduate Center/CUNY.

PATENTS

Alan Lyons
C. Light-Weight Signal Transmission Lines and Radio Frequency
E. Structured Dielectric for Coaxial Cable, application filed 2008.