

## Open to debate: Autism the subject of Café Scientifique

A unique forum will provide opportunity for community discussion around issues of autism. "Across the spectrum: Understanding the impact of research on the lives of people with autism and their families" is the first Café Scientifique hosted by Brock.

The session will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 29 from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Niagara College Culinary Institute restaurant in Niagara-on-the-Lake.

The event is an opportunity for parents, educators, family members and friends to speak with scientists and practitioners at the cutting edge of autism and Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) research.

The Café Scientifique is geared toward people interested in science who generally don't have the opportunity to discuss their views with scientists. Individuals living or working with persons with autism can hear about some of the advances in ASD research, and express some of their hopes and concerns.

"With this event, Brock joins a global effort to reach out and bring science to the people. The Café Scientifique is an exciting opportunity for Brock and the Niagara community to connect in a casual and welcoming atmosphere," says Frances Chandler, Associate Director of Research, Brock University. "Autism affects many people and, no matter what our role, we can all learn things from one another."

Experts in the field of autism and ASD from Brock University, McMaster University, the University of Western Ontario, Niagara College and the Niagara Peninsula Children's Centre, as well as people who experience ASD in their own lives every day, will be on hand to take part in the discussion.

Café Scientifique invites an informal public dialogue and is intended to make science accessible to a general audience. The movement, which began more than a century ago in coffee shops in Europe, has in recent years become a worldwide phenomenon. This event is funded in part by the Canadian Institutes for Health Research (CIHR), which supports several Brock University researchers studying autism and ASD.

The event is free, but space is limited. If you are interested in attending, please contact Jeannie Mackintosh at ext. 5024; e-mail: [jmackintosh@brocku.ca](mailto:jmackintosh@brocku.ca)

## New traffic stop on campus

In coming weeks the intersections at University Road and Isaac Brock Boulevard East and West will become three-way stop intersections. This change will affect motorists travelling north towards the Schmon Tower and south away from the tower.

This change was prompted by safety concerns for both motorists and pedestrians travelling east/west along University Road. Please e-mail Brock University Parking Services at [parking@brocku.ca](mailto:parking@brocku.ca) if you have any questions regarding this change.

## Bird's-eye view



John Milloy, Minister of Training, Colleges and Universities, was at Brock on Jan. 7 to meet with University administrators, in addition to key dignitaries from around the region. During the visit, President Jack Lightstone, left, provided Milloy with a bird's-eye view of the surrounding area from the 13th floor of the Schmon Tower.

## Emergency preparedness at Brock

Over the past two years, Brock University has been developing and enhancing its Emergency Response and Preparedness to ensure a safe and secure environment for the local community.

In 2006, the Emergency Response and Recovery Plan was developed and approved, which provides the framework for our response.

A procedure that will enhance our response is the new "Imminent Threat" Shelter in Place/Lock Down Procedures.

This procedure provides basic guidelines to follow if the University implements a campus-wide lock down, and it is important that all members of the community take the necessary time to be familiar with this information.

Tragic events have taken place at university, college and high school campuses across North America, and this document has been developed based on best practices derived from

many of those scenarios.

In 2008, the University will be enhancing its mass notification capabilities, auditing door locking procedures and embarking on an educational campaign to familiarize the entire Brock community with the new procedures.

In the very near future, the Emergency Notice that is found in the procedure will be posted throughout the University next to fire notifications for easy access and reminder.

The new procedures can be accessed online at [www.brocku.ca/campussecurity/policy.php](http://www.brocku.ca/campussecurity/policy.php) or via a link from the Brock main web page under the Highlights section, and also through the Brock portal page under the Bulletin Section.

Let's keep Brock University safe. Please make it a priority to review these procedures regularly.

## Preventing Child Neglect Brock University Chancellor's Chair for Research Excellence lecture

Maurice Feldman, Professor in the Department of Child and Youth Studies, Director of the Centre for Applied Disability Studies, and recipient of a Chancellor's Chair for Research Excellence, presents a lecture entitled "Preventing Child Neglect" today from 3:30 to 5 p.m. at Alphi's.

Although child neglect harms more children than physical and sexual abuse combined, few evidence-based programs exist that focus on the

prevention of child neglect. Feldman will describe his programmatic research in the assessment and teaching of parenting skills to parents with learning difficulties, who are at risk for neglectful child care.

Feldman is considered one of the leading experts in this area, with more than 35 peer-reviewed publications and numerous media appearances. The parent education program that he will

## New Inclement Weather Policy in place

A new Inclement Weather Policy has been developed to guide Brock's communications to faculty, staff, students and the broader community when severe weather threatens to interrupt normal university operations. (The new policy replaces the former Interruption of Normal Operations Policy.)

Using suggestions brought forward by faculty, staff and students following last February's severe winter storm, the new policy defines "essential services" and what it means for the university to be "closed". Closing the University is defined as:

- Classes are not held;
- Meetings and other scheduled community events are cancelled. Any exceptions will be communicated via the Brock website and/or local radio stations;
- All areas and operations not defined as "essential" are closed;
- Examinations scheduled on the day or evening of a closing are cancelled, and rescheduled;
- Deadlines for assignments and other submissions are postponed until the same hour of the next academic day on which the University is not "closed."

As the home of 2,400 students living in campus residences, the University is responsible for maintaining essential services throughout emergency closing. The "essential services" to be kept in operation during weather-related closings include:

- Food service in the residences
- Campus security services
- Facilities management
- Animal care
- Residence and conference services
- Emergency repair and maintenance
- Telecommunications
- Communications

Staff providing essential services are designated by the department heads responsible for those services.

Individual faculty, staff, and students are responsible for checking the Brock website, portal, and/or telephone switchboard, and to listen for local radio station announcements of closures at the University.

In the absence of a communicated decision to close, the University remains open and all activities continue as planned. At all times, individuals should assess their personal safety in deciding whether to come to work or class.

It is the responsibility of faculty to inform their students of class cancellations in the event they are unable to attend and the University is open.

The new Inclement Weather Policy will be available on the front page of the Brock website at [www.brocku.ca](http://www.brocku.ca)

All faculty, staff and students are encouraged to familiarize themselves with the policy as the season of winter hazards is now upon us.

# Master's student receives award for outstanding achievements

Last month, the Graduate Students' Association (GSA) awarded the Ralph D. Morris Bursary to Cindy Lee Scott, a second-year master's student in the Department of Classics. Presented by the award's benefactor, Professor Emeritus Ralph D. Morris, Scott accepted the award during the association's annual holiday festivities on Dec. 5.

Scott's research interests have to do with questions of ethnicity and identity in Minoan Fresco, and she has excavated on Cyprus, Crete and the Greek Mainland. Some of her principal work has been on the Nemea Valley Archeological Project with Professor R. Angus Smith, her advisor. She works as a Teaching Assistant in the areas of Greek and Roman Civilizations, Greek Mythology, Greek Sanctuaries and Classical Archeology.

"It's a pleasure to be able to publicly acknowledge the great work being done by Brock grad students," said Claire Meldrum, President of the GSA. "Cindy is an outstanding

example of the commitment our members bring to their studies, Brock University and the community at large and we congratulate her for it."

Marilyn Rose, Dean of Graduate Studies, acknowledges the high calibre of Scott's research and her many leadership activities at Brock and abroad.

"Her work in helping to introduce Brock undergraduates to archeology during the 2006 Brock archaeological practicum on Crete is particularly noteworthy," says Rose. "Such experiences are life-changing for Brock students, and Cindy's role in inspiring others to aspire to graduate work in Classics is a significant contribution to the development of a strong graduate culture at Brock."

First presented in 1996, the Ralph Morris Bursary is awarded annually and recognizes the outstanding contributions of graduate students to Brock University and the surrounding community.

## St. Catharines approves consultant for City/Brock study

On Monday, Jan. 14, St. Catharines City Council approved the hiring of a consultant to undertake a Program, Site and Facility Management Feasibility Study for a Cultural and Academic Development in Downtown St. Catharines. Levitt Goodman Architects lead a team made up of members from multiple firms, including Martin Vinik Planning for the Arts and Urban Strategies.

"This partnership project is a cornerstone in the vision for a revitalized St. Catharines," says Mayor Brian McMullan. "The project's partnership team has selected a truly outstanding consulting team to undertake the practical planning required for the success of our project. Council has shown real leadership in supporting the recommendations of the team."

The objectives of the study include assessing the potential of moving Brock University's School of Fine and Performing Arts into downtown St. Catharines, as well as partnering with the University's Centre for the Arts to create an integrated arts facility that will include programming from local arts groups and events. The study will develop an Artistic Program Plan, make recommendations for site selection, establish a business plan for operations and measure the economic impact of the development.

"Brock is excited about partnering with the City, not only to provide a new home for its School of Fine and Performing Arts and for the activities of its Centre for the Arts, but also to create a significant 'arts hub' for Niagara as part of a comprehensive plan to revitalize downtown St. Catharines," says Jack N. Lightstone, President of Brock.

"We are very pleased with the depth of expertise this consulting team brings to the table for the next phase of our development process," states David Oakes, Director of Economic

Development and Tourism Services for the City. "We require expertise in arts management, architectural assessment and urban planning in order to maximize the economic opportunities that this partnership with Brock University has to offer our community."

Levitt Goodman Architects is an award-winning architecture firm that has a proven record of designing innovative projects and tackling problems from a unique perspective. Projects include the School of Architecture in downtown Cambridge that has revitalized the area with its creative development of space for both university and community purposes.

Martin Vinik Planning for the Arts has a long history of providing planning, design and management services to a vast range of arts communities across North America. Martin Vinik is a proven expert in cultural district planning, whose list of projects includes the historic reclamation and revitalization of 42nd St. in New York, N.Y.

Urban Strategies is a full-service planning and urban design firm, with dozens of awards and an international reputation for its visionary and achievable proposals. Work with the public and private sectors has included the creation of a masterplan for Brock University.

Selection criteria for the process included understanding of the project's goals and objectives, appropriate methodology for the project, demonstrated ability of the team to undertake the work, and relevant experience and qualifications. The Levitt Goodman team's bid of \$250,000 matches the budget available for the study. Funds for the project are from three sources, including \$100,000 from the Ontario Ministry of Economic Development and Trade; a \$75,000 contribution from Brock University; and \$75,000 from the cultural services budget at the City.

## Best practices for effective minute taking

Faculty and staff are invited to learn about best practices for effective minute taking and also related privacy issues. Sign up for this information session offered by the University Secretariat. This interactive session will introduce participants to best practices for minute taking, such as what should and should not be included in drafting minutes.

The session takes place on Monday, Feb. 11 from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. in the Dr. Charles A. Sankey Chamber.

The session will be facilitated by Mike Farrell, Marion Hansen and Margaret Thompson of the University Secretariat.

Sign up by visiting:  
[www.brocku.ca/hr/training/focus/](http://www.brocku.ca/hr/training/focus/)

## Brock wrestlers capture gold at Olympic trials

Brock Wrestling Club's Tonya Verbeek and Saeed Azarbayjani both captured gold at the 2008 Canadian Olympic Trials last month in front of a sold-out crowd at the Etobicoke Olympium.

Verbeek, the top seed at 55kg, defeated Western's Terri McNutt two matches to one. Azarbayjani, the second seed at 60kg, defeated pool winner James Mancini from the Montreal Wrestling Club 2-0.

Verbeek and Azarbayjani will now have to qualify their individual weight classes in the new year for the 2008 Summer Olympics in Beijing.

## Brock Briefs

### Master of Education thesis defence

Master of Education student Christa Love will present her thesis defence on Thursday, Jan. 24 at 10 a.m. in WH 147. The title of her thesis is "Teaching Media Literacy Skills About Commercials: A Comparative Analysis of Media Literacy Instruction." Supervisor: Joe Engemann; External Examiner: Paul Nesbitt-Larking, University of Western Ontario; Committee Members: Vera Woloshyn, Nicholas Baxter-Moore; Chair of the Examining Committee: Dolana Mogadime. All are welcome to attend.

### Resolution solutions from Recreation Services

Fitness and spin classes have already begun. Hip hop dance classes begin Monday, Jan. 21. Pilates, yoga, and yogalates classes begin the week of Monday, Jan. 21. Ballroom Latin, swing dance classes begin Wednesday, Jan. 23. Also available by appointment are personal training, triathlon, and body composition, strength, and aerobic fitness evaluations. Register now at ext. 4060. For full details, visit: [www.brocku.ca/recserve](http://www.brocku.ca/recserve)

### A note of thanks

It is difficult to find the words to express my and my family's gratitude for the many kindnesses you have shown us during this sad time.

We are so grateful for all you have done for us - the cards, prayers and visits meant a great deal to us as we struggle with this heartbreaking loss. Along with the emotional support you gave us, the meals, flowers and other gifts of your time and energy helped to sustain us day by day.

We are unable to write individual thank you notes to each one of you, given the great outpouring of support. Please know that your generosity and thoughtfulness will always be remembered. Knowing that we were not alone is helping us bear our grief and sadness. Thank you for being there for us.

Warm Regards,  
Adele Romak and family

## Residence Life Staff hiring 08-09

Do you know a student who is a role model and leader? A student who wants to become more involved in campus life? The Department of Residences is now accepting applications from students who want to become a part of the Residence Life Staff for the 2008-09 academic year. Positions available include Don, Don of Academics and Don of Activities. Being a member of the Residence Life Staff is an excellent leadership opportunity. Staff members enhance their communication and leadership skills, including active listening, conflict management, mediation, meeting management and program planning. No experience is necessary, but students who have lived in residence for at least one term are preferred. For application forms, job descriptions and more information on the selection process, please go to: [www.brocku.ca/residence/residence\\_life/hiring](http://www.brocku.ca/residence/residence_life/hiring)

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describe is emulated worldwide.

Created in 2001, the Chancellor's Chair for Research Excellence recognizes high quality research, scholarly and creative achievement by providing a three-year grant to support an individual's research program.

Building on the Canada Research Chair Program, the Chancellor's Chair program is a key element in Brock University's transition from a primarily undergraduate to a comprehensive, research-intensive institution. In compliance with the terms of the award, each Chancellor's Chair agrees to present a lecture to the University community. This is one of those lectures.

## Remembering Danielle Parks

The Department of Classics has organized a special lecture in memory of the late Professor Danielle A. Parks.

Parks was professor in the Department of Classics from July 2001 until her untimely death from leukemia in 2007. Her research focused on the island of Cyprus.

On Sunday, Jan. 27, Professor Stuart Swiny, Department of Anthropology, University at Albany, State University of New York, will present "Of Cows, Copper, Corners and Cult: the Cypriot Bronze Age in Perspective" at 3 p.m. in AS 215.

This event is co-sponsored by the Brock University Archaeological Society, the Niagara chapter of the AIA, and the Department of Classics.

For more information, visit [www.niagaraia.net/firms.com/lectures.htm](http://www.niagaraia.net/firms.com/lectures.htm)

In addition, a special endowment fund has been established as the Danielle A. Parks Memorial Award.

A fund was originally initiated by Parks and some colleagues several years ago with the intention of creating a new award to allow Brock Classics graduate students to travel to the Mediterranean to pursue study and fieldwork opportunities.

This new award is being renamed in memory of Parks and will serve as a tribute to her contributions at Brock. It will be a fitting legacy for the passion that she had for study in the Mediterranean.

Friends, family and colleagues are invited to make contributions to this fund in memory of Parks. All contributions will be matched dollar for dollar by the Faculty of Graduate Studies. Contributions can be made to Brock University (with the notation "Danielle Parks Memorial") at:

[www.brocku.ca/donorrelations/pdf/pledge\\_form\\_05.pdf](http://www.brocku.ca/donorrelations/pdf/pledge_form_05.pdf)

For more information, visit: [www.brocku.ca/classics/danielle\\_parks.php](http://www.brocku.ca/classics/danielle_parks.php)

## Mediatalk People in the news

**Ernest Biktimirov**, Associate Professor of Finance, Operations and Information Systems, was interviewed by *Niagara This Week* for a Jan. 2 story about using proverbs to help teach financial concepts to students whose first language is not English. In the article, "Using folk wisdom to simplify financial concepts", Biktimirov notes "I always found these idioms and proverbs quite fascinating. I thought what a nice way in a very short phrase to capture the main idea."

**Alun Hughes**, Associate Professor of Geography, was interviewed by the *St. Catharines Standard* for its Dec. 29 "Search Engine" column, "Houses on Queenston sideways because of necessity, not folklore." Hughes was also interviewed by *The Standard* for its Jan. 5 "Search Engine" column, "Stone at street corner a surveyor's monument."

**Fanny Dolansky**, Assistant Professor of Classics, was interviewed by the *St. Catharines Standard* for a Dec. 22 story about the religious and cultural significance of Dec. 25, entitled "December 25: The chosen day and why so many celebrate it." The article was also published in the Dec. 22 issue of the *Niagara Falls Review*, "December a celebration of light."

**Don Cyr**, Associate Dean of Graduate Programs, Faculty of Business, was interviewed by *Niagara This Week* for a Dec. 21 story - "Research paper points to ways to protect against bad icewine seasons" - about a research paper published in the *Journal of Wine Economics*, "Canadian Ice Wine Production: A Case for the use of Weather Derivatives", which he co-authored with Martin Kusy, Dean, Faculty of Business.

*The St. Catharines Standard* also interviewed Cyr about the study in a Jan. 4 story, "Risky business for Niagara icewine producers."

**Nota Klentrou**, Professor and Chair, Physical Education and Kinesiology, and Ken Lodewyk, Assistant Professor, Physical Education and Kinesiology, were both

interviewed by the *St. Catharines Standard* for a Dec. 17 feature story about osteoporosis and physical activity in youth, entitled "Stopping the Silent Thief." The article was also republished in the Dec. 17 issues of the *Niagara Falls Review* and *Welland Tribune*.

**David Siegel**, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, was interviewed by the *Niagara Falls Review* for a Dec. 13 story about citizen journalism, entitled "Citizen reporters." In the article, Siegel notes "Whether it's YouTube, Facebook, or virtually any search engine, you're bound to find citizen blogs or community groups about hot button political matters at every level of government."

**Rosemary Hale**, Dean, Faculty of Humanities, was interviewed by *Niagara This Week* for a Dec. 12 story about a detailed study of the region's cultural assets being conducted by the Niagara Region culture committee. The Dec. 12 article, "Niagara's 'rich history' a part of cultural assets mapping", notes that the study includes everything from the canals and battlefields to festivals, museums, libraries, theatres, the Underground Railroad, and local artists' studios.

**Harris Loewen**, Associate Professor of Music, was interviewed by the *St. Catharines Standard* for a Dec. 6 story about his concert Niagara Noel: Works by Niagara Composers, entitled "Niagara's composers in the spotlight." Loewen was also interviewed about the concert by AM 610 CKTB on Dec. 6 and 7.

**Brad Clarke**, Off-Campus Housing Services Officer, was interviewed by the *St. Catharines Standard* for a Dec. 1 story about an off-campus living public service announcement video written and directed by Brock students, entitled *The Landlord: How I Survived Student Housing*. In the article, "'Mockumentary' spoof has a serious message", Clarke notes: "Given that the project was student-driven, they were able to pull together creative ways to deliver those educational messages and a video that's enjoyable to watch. The more times students see this video, the more messages that will sink in." Clarke was also interviewed by *The Standard* for a Dec. 18 followup story, "Two thumbs-up for Brock's student video."

## 2008 Brock News Schedule

Publication date	Submission date	Publication date	Submission date
Jan 30	Jan. 18	July 16	July 4
Feb. 13	Feb. 1	July 30	July 18
Feb. 27	Feb. 15	Aug. 13	Aug. 1
March 12	Feb. 29	Aug. 27	Aug. 15
March 26	March 14	Sept. 10	Aug. 29
April 9	March 28	Sept. 24	Sept. 12
April 23	April 11	Oct. 8	Sept. 26
May 7	April 25	Oct. 22	Oct. 10
May 21	May 9	Nov. 5	Oct. 24
June 4	May 23	Nov. 19	Nov. 7
June 18	June 6	Dec. 3	Nov. 21
No issue	July 2	Dec. 17	Dec. 5

## IN MEMORIAM

Dr. Lewis Perinbam, renowned for his distinguished contribution to Canadian public life and record of distinguished humanitarian service, died in Vancouver on Dec. 12, 2007, from complications after heart surgery. He was 82.

Dr. Perinbam was awarded an honorary degree from Brock at the Fall 2004 convocation. During his convocation address, he challenged graduates to be responsible in their actions:

"We are a single global community. As in all communities we are responsible for each other."

He also called on graduates

to work towards a world of peace and knowledge, even during times of turmoil and trouble.

"It is a daunting challenge, but times of danger are times of opportunity," said Dr. Perinbam. "They are also times of hope when new possibilities arise and new horizons appear. You must never become discouraged, because you can be the architects of a more humane and just world."

Dr. Perinbam was born May 11, 1925, at Johor Bahru in what is now Malaysia. He is survived by his wife, Nancy Garrett, brothers Alfred, Cecil and Raj, and sister Jeya.

## Faculty and Staff

### APPLIED LINGUISTICS

**Lynn Dempsey**, Wenonah Campbell, and Elizabeth Skarakis-Doyle presented a poster entitled, "The Classification Accuracy of the MacArthur Communicative Development Inventory - Level III" at the Annual Convention of the American Speech, Language, and Hearing Association (ASHA) in Boston, Mass. on Nov. 17.

### COMMUNICATIONS, POPULAR CULTURE AND FILM

**Bohdan Y. Nebesio** spent the Fall term at Harvard University as the 2007-08 recipient of Eugene and Daymel Shklar Fellowship and presented a public lecture "The Ukrainian Film Industry and the Soviet Studio System of the 1920s."

### ECONOMICS

**Robert Dimand** presented a paper, "Lessons from the 1929 crash and the 1930s debt-deflation: What Ben Bernanke and Mervyn King learned, and what they could have learned" at a conference on Post-Keynesian Economic Policies, University of Burgundy, Dijon, Dec. 1.

### ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

**Elizabeth Sauer's** article, "Milton's Of True Religion, Protestant Nationhood, and the Negotiation of Liberty," in *Milton Quarterly* (40.1, 2006, pp. 1-19) was awarded the Milton Society of America's James Holly Hanford Award for Most Distinguished Essay at the Modern Language Association Convention, Chicago, Ill. on Dec. 28.

### MARKETING, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND STRATEGY

**Antonia Mantonakis** recently made the following conference presentations:

- Hughes, Andrea D.; Mantonakis, Antonia; and Whittlesea, Bruce W. A. "Retrieval-Induced Forgetting: Inhibition or Interference?" and Appleton-Knapp, Sara; and Mantonakis, Antonia (2007). "Remembering the Competition in Comparative Advertising" at the Psychonomic Society Annual Meeting, held in Long Beach, Calif., in November.
- Mantonakis, Antonia and Whittlesea, Bruce W. A. "Remembering Words and Brand Names after a Perception of Discrepancy", Competitive Paper at the Association for Consumer Research Conference held in Memphis, Tenn., in October.

**Chang Hoon Oh** recently presented following papers:

- "Natural Disaster, Man-made Disaster, and International Trade," at the 2007 JIBS/AIB Frontier Conference in Miami, Fla., on Nov. 30.
- "Market, Resources, and Their Interplay" A Multi-level Random Coefficient Approach," at the 2007 Copenhagen Conference on Strategic Management in Copenhagen, Denmark on Dec. 11.

## Publications

**Alexander, Robert.** (2008). "The language of the 'naked facts': Joseph Priestley and the apocalypse of language." *Language and Communication*, 28(1), pp. 21-35.

**Buteau, C.** (2007). "Technology in University Mathematics Instruction? At Brock, Yes!" *Ontario Mathematics Gazette*, 24(2): pp. 26-27.

**Bradshaw, Leah.** (2007). "Classical Enfleshments of Love", Zoe Detsi-Diamanti et.al, eds., *The Flesh Made Text Made Flesh*, New York, Peter Lang, pp. 111-124.

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**Brand, U.,** Webster, G. D., Azmy, K., Logan, A. (2007). "Bathymetry and productivity of the southern Great Basin seaway, Nevada, U.S.: An evaluation of isotope and trace element chemistry in mid-Carboniferous and modern brachiopods." *Palaeogeography, Palaeoclimatology, Palaeoecology*, 256, pp. 273-297.

**Cheung, S. S.** (2007). "Neuropsychological determinants of exercise tolerance in the heat." *Progress in Brain Research*, 162: pp. 45-60.

**Cheung, S. S.** (2007). "Hyperthermia and voluntary exhaustion: integrating models and future challenges." *Applied Physiology, Nutrition and Metabolism*, 32, pp. 808-17.

**Cherubini, Lorenzo.** (2007). "Beginning teachers' critical perceptions of their professional induction." *The Professional Educator*, 29(1).

Coon, D. and **Mitterer, J. O.** (2009). *Psychology: Modules for Active Learning* (11th ed.). Belmont, CA: Wadsworth.

**Dimand, Robert.** (2007) "The Creation of Heroes and Villains as a Problem in the History of Economics," in E. Roy Weintraub and Evelyn L. Forget, eds., *Economists' Lives: Biography and Autobiography in the History of Economics* (Durham, N.C.: Duke University Press), *Annual Supplement to History of Political Economy*, Volume 39, pp. 76-95.

**Grant, Barry Keith,** ed. *Auteurs and Authorship: A Film Reader*. Boston: Blackwell, 2007, 323 pages. Included in this book, which includes the work of Francois Truffaut, Pauline Kael, Gore Vidal and others, is Grant's essay "Man's Favorite Sport?: The Action Films of Kathryn Bigelow."

**Halog, Anthony** and Chan, Albert. (2008). "Developing a Dynamic Systems Model for the Sustainable Development of the Canadian Oil Sands Industry", *International Journal of Environmental Technology and Management*, Vol. 8, No. 1, pp. 3-22.

**Li, Yuanlin** and Balogh, Zsolt. (2007). "On the derived length of the group of units of a group algebra," *Journal of Algebra and Its Applications*, 6 (6), pp. 991-999.

**Li, Yuanlin** and Parmenter, M. M. "Reversible group rings over commutative rings," *Communications in Algebra*, 35 (12) (2007) pp. 4096-4104.

**MacKenzie, H. F. (Herb).** (2008). *Sales Management in Canada*. Toronto, Ont. Pearson Prentice Hall, 446 pages.

**Morrison, L. M.** (2007). "Faculty motivations: an exploratory study of motivational factors of faculty to assist with students' research skills development." *Partnership: the Canadian Journal of Library and Information Practice and Research*, 2(2). <http://journal.lib.uoguelph.ca/index.php/perj/issue/current>

**Mulligan, Thomas.** (2007). "Plato's New Dialogue." *Arion: A Journal of Humanities and the Classics*, 15, 2 (Fall), pp. 57-71.

Neufeld, Craig, **Ross, Brian J.,** and **Ralph, W.** (2007). "The Evolution of Artistic Filters", chapter in *The Art of Artificial Evolution*, P. Machado and J. Cardalda (eds.), Springer.

Reynolds, L. F., Mekjavic, I. B. and **Cheung, S. S.** (2007). "Effects of cold acclimation on thermal responses of the foot." *European Journal of Applied Physiology*, 102, pp. 73-78.

**Suarez, Doug.** (2007). "What students do when they study in the library: using ethnographic methods to observe student behavior." *E-JASL: The Electronic Journal of Academic and Special Librarianship*, 8 (3). <http://southernlibrarianship.icaap.org/>

**Vrbik, Jan.** (2008). "Monte-Carlo computation of ground-state energy derivatives." *International Journal of Quantum Chemistry*, 108, pp. 493-502.

*The International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, second edition, edited by William Darity, Jr., Detroit: Macmillan Reference U.S., nine volumes, 2008, includes the following articles by Brock authors:

- **Hichem Ben-El-Mechaiekh** and **Robert Dimand**, "Mathematical Economics"
- **Robert Dimand**, "Efficient Market Hypothesis," "Fisher, Irving," "Koopmans, Tjalling," "Multiplier," "Neoclassical Growth Model," "Nonco-operative Games," "Probability, Subjective"
- **Tomson Ogwang**, "Inequality, Income," "Nominal Income," "Public Assistance," "Real Income"

- **Murray E. G. Smith**, "Credentialism," "Managerial Class," "Mandel, Ernest," "Putting-Out System," "Self-Determination," "Self-Employment," "Value, Objective"
- **Lewis Soroka**, "Sports Industry"
- **William Veloce**, "Bayes' Theorem," "Logistic Regression," "Model Selection Tests"

## Events

**The Brock University Film Society:** BUFS continues its winter season on Jan. 20 with *Lars and the Real Girl*, starring Ryan Gosling and Patricia Clarkson. On Jan. 27, the Office of Human Rights and Equity Services, the Positive Space Campaign, and the Department of Physical Education and Kinesiology join BUFS in presenting the Canadian comedy *Breakfast with Scot*, the story of a very private gay hockey star (Tom Cavanagh) taking in his show tune-loving and boa-wearing nephew. For more information on our upcoming films including ticket prices, please visit [www.brocku.ca/bufs](http://www.brocku.ca/bufs)

**The Canadian Federation of University Women:** CFUW Welland and District will meet today at 7:30 p.m. at Plymouth Cordage Retirement Home. The topic "Social Justice: Poverty in Welland" will be presented by Father Jim Mulligan of St. Kevin's Church in Welland. New members and interested women welcome. For information, call 905-892-1179.

**Centre for the Arts:** Brock University's 2007/2008 Professional Entertainment Season continues in January. All performances start at 7:30 p.m. in the Sean O'Sullivan Theatre unless otherwise stated.

Tickets are on sale at [www.arts.brocku.ca](http://www.arts.brocku.ca) or through the Box Office at ext. 3257. The Comedy Lounge featuring Sean Cullen and hosted by Jon Dore, Jan 17; Marc Jordan and Amy Sky, Jan 19; The East Village Opera Company, Jan 23; Rubberbandance: Elastic Perspective, Jan 26 (David S. Howes Theatre); DK Ibomeka with Kellylee Evans, Jan 30; DRUM!, Jan 31; The Spirit of Harriet Tubman starring Leslie McCurdy, Feb 19; Tommy Douglas: Arrows of Desire starring John Nolan, Feb 20; Connie Kaldor with Eve Goldberg, Feb 21; Black Umfolosi, Feb 28; The Czech Boys Choir (Boni Pueri), Feb 29.

### Brock Athletics

Women's Basketball: Wednesday, Jan. 16 vs. Waterloo at 6 p.m.; Saturday, Jan. 19 vs. Windsor at 2 p.m.; Wednesday, Jan. 23 vs. Laurier at 6 p.m.; Saturday, Jan. 26 vs. Guelph at 2 p.m. All games at the Bob Davis Gymnasium.

Men's Basketball: Wednesday, Jan. 16 vs. Waterloo at 8 p.m.; Saturday, Jan. 19 vs. Windsor at 4 p.m.; Wednesday, Jan. 23 vs. Laurier at 8 p.m.; Saturday, Jan. 26 vs. Guelph at 4 p.m. All games at the Bob Davis Gymnasium.

Women's Volleyball: Saturday, Feb. 2 vs. Waterloo at 3 p.m.; Sunday, Feb. 3 vs. Laurier at 3 p.m. All games at the Bob Davis Gymnasium.

Women's Hockey: Saturday, Jan. 19 vs. York; Sunday, Jan. 20 vs. Toronto; Saturday, Feb. 2 vs. Waterloo; Sunday, Feb. 3 vs. Laurier. All games at 3 p.m. at the Seymour-Hannah Centre.

Men's Hockey: Saturday, Jan. 19 vs. York; Saturday, Jan. 26 vs. Ryerson; Saturday, Feb. 2 vs. Guelph. All games at 7:30 p.m. at the Seymour-Hannah Centre.

Tickets available at the door. Adults \$7, students and seniors \$4.

### School of Fine and Performing Arts

**Department of Dramatic Arts:** Guest Artist Ker Wells will present his critically acclaimed show "Living Tall" on Saturday, Jan. 26, 2008 at 8 p.m. in The Studio (ST107). Tickets are \$15 at the door. Seating is limited.

**Department of Visual Arts:** Alex Watts: The Optical Art of Anaglyph Images - 3D Drawings (VISA 3F99) Exhibit runs Jan. 22 to Feb. 2 at The Gallery, Sean O'Sullivan Theatre (Monday through Friday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.)

**Department of Music:** ENCORE! Professional Concert Series presents the Penderecki String Quartet on Friday, Jan. 18 at 7:30 p.m. at the Sean O'Sullivan Theatre.

As one of the most celebrated chamber ensembles of their generation, this quartet has performed in New York, Amsterdam, St. Petersburg, Paris, Los Angeles, and Atlanta. Tickets available from the Centre for the Arts Box Office, ext. 3257 or visit: [www.arts.brocku.ca](http://www.arts.brocku.ca) MUSIC@NOON presents: Faculty recital with Gordon Cleland, cello, on Tuesday, Jan. 22, at the Sean O'Sullivan Theatre. Faculty recital with Timothy White, trumpet; and Lesley Kingham, piano, on Tuesday, Jan. 29, 2008, at the Sean O'Sullivan Theatre. Both recitals are free community events.

**Department of Biological Sciences:** Winter Seminar Series. Unless indicated otherwise, all seminars are held on Fridays at 2:15 p.m. in TH246.

- Friday, Jan. 18: Andria Jones, Department of Biology, University of Guelph. Topic TBA. Hosted by Martha Bajec, graduate student.
- Monday, Jan. 28, \*\*12:30 p.m. in MC H313: Dr. Kenneth Storey, Department of Biology, Carleton University. "Nature's Frozen Vertebrates: Surviving Winter as a Solid." Hosted by Professor Glenn Tattersall.
- Friday, Feb. 1: Litsa Tsiani, Department of Community Health Sciences, Brock University. "Resveratrol, a red wine polyphenol, prevents FFA-induced Insulin Resistance." Hosted by Professor Jeff Stuart.

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**For sale:** Rare 1940 Quidoz (Quebec) upright piano with bench. Burlwood, curved lines. Excellent shape. Digital photos available. \$1,500. Call 905-732-1166 for more information.