

BOARD OF REGENTS
EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

REPORT

REPORT: 2005 PROVOST'S NEW FACUTLY RESEARCH AWARDS

ACTION REQUESTED

It is recommended that the Board of Regents accept and place on file the Report on the 2005 Provost's New Faculty Research Awards.

STAFF SUMMARY

The Provost's Research Award for New Faculty offers competitive awards of up to \$5,000 to faculty in their first or second year of employment to carry out carefully designed research or creative projects. The program is designed to help new faculty establish a research agenda that will make them more competitive for external funding. Awards must be expended during the 2005 calendar year.

The Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs has awarded a total of \$28,367 to six (6) new Eastern Michigan University faculty for research and creative projects under the Provost's Research Award for New Faculty program for 2005.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The cost of Provost's Research Awards for New Faculty will be absorbed in the 2005-2006 faculty salary budget.

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION

The proposed action has been reviewed and is recommended for Board approval.

University Executive Officer
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Date

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY
DIVISION OF ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

2005 PROVOST'S RESEARCH AWARD FOR NEW FACULTY
2005 WINNERS

Melanie L. Buffington, Art

"Expanding Visual Arts Education into the Community: Connecting EMU Students and Local Teachers through the Resources of Ford Gallery"

Megan Lee Endres, Management

"Toward a Model of Gender Differences and Complex Financial Decision Making"

Ellen I. Koch, Psychology

"Comparison of Dosed and Prolonged Exposure Treatments for Posttraumatic Stress Disorder"

Ryan Molloy, Art

"*Labwork*: A Journal for Visual Representation"

Jeff Parker, English

"*The Drinking Game*: A Hypermedia, Performance, and Short Story Project"

Thomas Suchan, Art

"The Cliff Sculpture of Dazu: A Study of a Regional Artistic Tradition and the Domestication of Buddhism in Medieval China"