

McConnell on Computer Graphics



Computer science students can learn about the practical applications of computer graphic concepts in **Dr. Jeffrey J. McConnell's** new textbook, *Computer Graphics Companion*. The chair of the Computer Science Department edited the book, which offers an introduction to the field of computer graphics and explores the basics of computer-graphics software and hardware; art and entertainment; and computer-aided design. The book also features autobiographical profiles of computer graphics professionals working in the field.

Canisius Makes Room for 14 New Faculty

The fall semester at Canisius brought with it the addition of 14 new full-time faculty members. Six of the newly created positions are housed in the School of Education and Human Services to accommodate increased enrollment. They include: **M. Fernanda Astiz, PhD**, assistant professor; **Paul Fields, PhD**, director of educational administration; **Marya Grande**, assistant professor; **Ellen M. Hamm**, assistant professor; and **Julie Henry,**

PhD, associate professor. **Sandra M. Estanek, PhD**, former vice president for student development and dean of students at Alvernia College, is the new director of the school's master's program in College Student Personnel Administration.

Other full-time additions to the Canisius faculty include: **Jack T. Ampuja**, executive-in-residence, management/marketing; **Peter Boehm, PhD**,

assistant professor/modern languages; **Maj. Terrence K. Crowe**, instructor/military science; **Richard K. Falkenstein, PhD**, assistant professor/fine arts, music; **Joseph L. Grossi Jr., PhD**, assistant professor/English; **Rebecca Krawiec, PhD**, assistant professor/religious studies; **Patricia E. Mosher, PhD**, associate professor/sports medicine; and **William E. O'Donnell**, assistant professor/modern languages.

Career-Crowning Achievement

Stanton H. Hudson Jr. '72 marked a career-crowning achievement in San Francisco this month when he was inducted into The Public Relations Society of America (PRSA) College of Fellows. The director of the graduate Organizational Communication and Development Program is the first Western New Yorker to receive the prestigious honor, which recognizes lifetime achievements of senior public relations practitioners.

Throughout his 27-year career in public relations, Hudson has been active in PRSA at the local, regional and national level. He is past president of the Buffalo/Niagara PRSA Chapter, which named him Practitioner of the Year in 1993, and past chair of the organization's seven-state Northeast district. Hudson also volunteers for the American Lung Association and the American Red Cross.



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I N M E M O R I A M



Canisius College lost two former professors and friends this summer.

Rev. David S. Toolan, S.J., passed away July 16, 2002 in the Jesuit Infirmary at Fordham University. He was 66.

A professor of philosophy at Canisius in 1962, Toolan left the college in 1964 to study theology at Southern Methodist University. He returned in 1971 and served as a professor of religious studies

for eight years.

Toolan graduated from Georgetown University and attended one year at Columbia Law School before entering the Society of Jesus in 1960. He was ordained a priest in 1967.



REV. DAVID S. TOOLAN, S.J.

Toolan worked as an associate editor for the Jesuit magazine *America*, until the time of his death.

On August 27, 2002, **Edith C. DeLuca**, a beloved professor

of music at Canisius, died at age 75.

DeLuca dedicated her life to teaching music and



EDITH C. DELUCA

in 1977 initiated the successful "BPO Goes to College" concert series, which brought the Buffalo Philharmonic to campus in a series of concerts.

During her tenure on campus, DeLuca also served as assistant to the dean of cultural affairs and upon her retirement in 1988, she was awarded The President's Medal for her many contributions to the college and the community.