



Ivy Tech Professor's Photos Featured in Travel Guides

These photos were taken by Tom Reading, Associate Professor of Business Administration with Ivy Tech. Both photos will be featured in online travel guides published by Schmap.



Frauenkirche and Martin Luther statue

The photo of the Frauenkirche (Church of the Lady) will appear in an online travel guide for Desden, Germany.

The photograph of Bellevue, Germany, the home of the country's President, will be published in an online travel guide for Berlin. Both travel guides are available at www.schmap.com/.

Reading joined Ivy Tech in 1991. He has made three trips to Germany in the past three years. Reading said even though it has been 17 years since the fall of the Berlin Wall the city is in a constant state of construction. Berlin is also the capital, again, of a reunified Germany.

According to Reading, Dresden's Altstadt (Old City) was almost completely destroyed by Allied bombing raids in February of 1945, less than three months before the end of the war. After reunification, the Fraunkirche was



Reading's photo of Schloss Bellvue

rebuilt over a 12 year period from 1993 to 2005.

He said that today this new baroque church stands tall as a symbol for the rebuilding of the city.

Reading enjoys to travel. He has visited Scotland, England, France, Estonia and Australia in recent years.

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Ivy Tech President Recognized

President Gerald Lamkin was recently presented with the State of Indiana's Distinguished Service Medal for Outstanding Meritorious Service by Major General, Adjutant General, Marten Umbarger.

President Lamkin received this award for removing obstacles and smoothing the way for returning servicemen to continue their education at Ivy Tech Community College.

Lamkin will step down as the college's President as well as the President of the Ivy Tech Foundation on June 30, 2007. Under Lamkin's leadership as President, Ivy Tech has seen its



(left to right) Major General, Adjutant General, Marten Umbarger, President Gerald Lamkin and Bob Garton.

enrollment increase by over 300 percent to nearly 106,000 students annually, making Ivy Tech the second largest post-secondary institution in the state.

In 1983, when Lamkin was named president, of what was then Indiana Vocational College, Ivy Tech had an operating budget of \$42.6 million. The school became Ivy Tech State College in 1995 and in 2005 Governor Mitch Daniels signed Senate Bill 296 making Ivy Tech the state's community college and thus changing its name to Ivy Tech Community College. Today Ivy Tech has an operating budget of \$267.7 million.

Lamkin is the longest standing current president of a public institution of higher education in the state and has been a member of Ivy Tech's staff in various capacities since 1967.

Ivy Tech Receives Regional Awards

Marketing Department Wins Five NCMPR Medallions

The National Council for Marketing and Public Relations (NCMPR) awarded five Medallion Awards to Ivy Tech Community College-Bloomington's marketing department during its District III regional conference in Grand Rapids, Michigan. The Medallion Awards recognize outstanding achievement in communications at community, junior and technical colleges.

Ivy Tech-Bloomington's marketing pieces competed against 381 marketing submissions from throughout District III which includes Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin and Ontario, Canada. The marketing department received a Gold Medallion of Merit for the O'Bannon Institute in the category of promotional campaign for a special event and another Gold Medallion of Excellence in the category of fundraising/annual/multi-year campaign for the Grow Ivy Tech Fundraising Campaign. The college's academic program brochures were awarded a Silver Medallion of Achievement, and Bronze Medallions of Merit went to the the region's website and viewbook for prospective students.

Members of the award-winning marketing department are Mark Howard, former coordinator of marketing and communications, Daniel McDeavitt, webmaster/graphic designer and Penni Sims, director of marketing and communications. Marketing and Communications is part of the campus's Enrollment Services department, lead by Dean of Enrollment Services and Student Development, Bryan Newton.

The NCMPR's Medallion Awards are the only regional competition of its kind that honors excellence exclusively among marketing and public relations professionals at two-year colleges. The college will compete for national awards at NCMPR's national conference in San Diego, California this coming March.



Director of Marketing, Penni Sims, displays the five Medallion awards received at the Regional NCMPR Conference.

2006 NCMPR AWARDS

Gold Medallion of Excellence
O'Bannon Institute
Grow Ivy Tech

Silver Medallion of Achievement
Program Brochures

Bronze Medallion of Merit
Regional Website
Viewbook

Adjunct Named Rotary "Ambassador"

La Shona Donica, sponsored by the Bedford Rotary Club in Southern Indiana's Rotary District 6580, has been awarded a Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholarship. Donica plans to study at the University of Cape Town in Cape Town, South Africa next year.

Originally from Bedford, Indiana, Donica received a bachelor's degree in General Studies at Indiana University Bloomington in 1998 and is currently pursuing a masters of science degree in educational technology from Indiana State University in Terre Haute, IN. She is employed as a full-time professional at Indiana State University and is an adjunct instructor at Ivy Tech Community College in Bloomington. As an Ambassadorial Scholar, she intends to study education and technology, which will help her create ongoing programs between our countries through shared educational interests.

Donica will receive funding to cover round-trip transportation, tuition and fees, room, board, and necessary educational supplies for one academic year, up to a maximum amount of \$26,000.

Donica is one of more than 800 students worldwide to receive a Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholarship. Designed to promote international understanding and goodwill, the scholarships give students the opportunity to study in one of the more than 160 countries where Rotary clubs are located. While abroad, Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholars speak to Rotary clubs and districts, schools, civic organizations and other forums where they act as "ambassadors of goodwill."

The Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholarships program is the world's largest privately sponsored international scholarship program. Focused on humanitarian service, personal diplomacy, and academic excellence, the program has sponsored more than 37,000 Rotary scholars abroad since it began in 1947.



La Shona Donica, winner of the 2006 Rotary Ambassadorial Scholarship.

Ivy Tech Receives Volunteer Award

Ivy Tech Community College-Bloomington was awarded the Franklin Initiative Volunteer Award at The Greater Bloomington Chamber of Commerce Annual Meeting. The award recognizes individuals or businesses demonstrating outstanding service and dedication to the Franklin Initiative and to Monroe County youth through exemplary volunteer participation to middle and high schools serving the county.

"I am honored to receive the Franklin Initiative's Volunteer Award," said Chancellor John Whikehart. "Ivy Tech-Bloomington has benefited greatly from the support of our community. Service, whether in the form of volunteering, service-learning programs for students or the use of our facility, is a way that we can give a little back to our community."

The Franklin Initiative recognized Ivy Tech for sharing 21 volunteers in 39 different student career development experiences including "Reality Store" events, providing classroom tours of Ivy Tech's campus, hosting job-shadowing opportunities and speaking to students about their own careers and experiences.

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