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CST Awards for Outstanding Teaching, Research, and Service

Each year the College of Science and Technology recognizes exceptional professors with the CST Awards for Outstanding Teaching, Research, and Service.

2009 Award Recipients

OUTSTANDING TEACHING :: **Carl Lee**



Carl Lee
Professor of Statistics

Carl Lee, professor of statistics, teaches and mentors students at all levels - from freshman through doctoral. An enthusiastic and effective teacher, Carl is especially known for his innovation in both teaching methods and curriculum. In his 25 years at CMU, he has been a leader in assessment, online teaching, and inquiry-based learning.



Mona Sirbescu, right, works with student Kathleen McCabe in a geology lab.

OUTSTANDING TEACHING :: **Anna Monfils**



Anna Monfils
Assistant Professor of Biology

Anna Monfils, assistant professor of biology, teaches courses in botany, systematics, and electron microscopy. She has developed novel methods of stimulating student learning in her courses. Anna is a dedicated mentor, working with undergraduate and graduate research students to train them in all aspects of scientific work - from grants through presentations.

OUTSTANDING RESEARCH :: **Sivaram Narayan**



Sivaram Narayan
Professor of Mathematics

Sivaram Narayan, professor of mathematics, has published numerous journal articles in operator theory and matrix theory. He is the principal contributor to the nationally-recognized NSF-funded REU and LURE programs for research training of undergraduate students. Sivaram is headed to Alberta, Canada in August 2009 to begin a grant-funded collaboration at the Banff International Research Station for Mathematical Innovation and Discovery.

OUTSTANDING SERVICE :: **James Gillingham**



James Gillingham
Professor of Biology
Director, CMUBS

James Gillingham, professor of biology and director of the CMU Biological Station on Beaver Island, has applied his professional expertise and passion for biology and herpetology to help numerous community organizations and educate countless school groups throughout the state. Jim's dedication to CMUBS has built strong relations with the Beaver Island community, as well as with friends and alumni of CMU.

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