UWW Faculty Committee Report, 2001-2002 Academic Year

Date: June 14, 2002

During the 2001-2002 academic year, the University Without Walls Committee met twenty-one times. Forty-one students personally presented their degree programs to the Committee for review and all received approval for their individual degree plan and final project proposal.

The Committee recommended to the Faculty that twenty-two students receive the Bachelor of Arts degree and that twenty-eight students receive the Bachelor of Science degree for a total of 50 students.

The Committee has established two meetings, one each semester, as Committee business meetings. Included among several topics discussed were approval of UWW course seminars for Fall 2001, Spring 2002 and Summer 2002. Also considered and approved were UWW on-line courses for Fall 2001, Spring 2002 and Summer 2002.

The Committee discussed a developing UWW initiative on the Caribbean island of Antigua. Collaborating with the Antigua and Barbuda Union of Teachers, UWW has enrolled 15 island teachers. Their goal is to earn a Skidmore College bachelor's degree, providing otherwise unattainable opportunities for professional development.

The Committee was notified that UWW was awarded an Alfred P. Sloan Foundation grant in the amount of \$460,000 to assist UWW's on-line learning efforts.

Faculty members for 2001 - 2002:

Joanna Zangrando, Chair Betty Balevic Greg Goodwin Kate Graney Suma Rajiva Joanne Vella