### Fall Schedule for UC

**Sept 28th (Wed) 5:00-6:00 pm**  

**Oct 1st (Sat) 3:00 pm**  
Kara Watkins, Sr. Vocal Recital  

**Oct 2nd (Sun)**  
Chorale Church Concert Time and Place TBA

**Oct 5th (Wed) 5:00-6:00 pm**  
Critical Thinking Series Library 13

**Oct 6th 8:00–9:00 pm**  
Logical Fallacies, Library Room 13

**Oct 12th (Wed)**  
Midterm

**Oct 13th – 16th (Thur–Sat)**  
Fall Break

**Oct 18th (Tues) 12:15 p.m.**  
Colloquium BSC B-109

**Oct 19th (Wed) 5:00-6:00 pm**  

**Oct 25th (Tues) 7:00 pm**  
Phi Alpha Theta Lecture #2  
Bennett Auditorium

**Oct 25th (Tues) 7:30 pm**  
Jazz Ensemble

**Oct 28th—Oct 30th (Fri-Sun)**  
Alumni and Family Weekend

**Oct 28th (Fri) 7:30 pm**  
Homecoming Concert - Recital Hall

**Oct 31st—Nov 4th (Mon–Fri) 9:00am–3:00 pm**  
Phi Alpha Theta Fall Book/Bake Sale - Boswell

**Nov 3rd–5th (Thur-Sat) 7:30 pm, Nov 6th (Sun)**  
2:00p.m., Nov 10th–11th (Fri-Sat) 7:30p.m.  
Nov 12th (Sat) 2p.m Into The Woods Musical - Kohn Theatre

**Nov 12th (Sat) 9:00 am**  
Campus Discovery Day

**Nov 15th (Tue) 12:15 p.m.**  
Colloquium BSC B-109

**Nov 15th (Tues) 7:30 pm**  
Cumberland Singers - Recital Hall

**Nov 17th (Thurs) 7:30 pm**  
Chorale Concert - Recital Hall

**Nov 19th (Sat) 7:30 pm**  
Rachel Dobbs, Sr. Clarinet Recital

**Nov 21st (Mon) 4:00 pm**  
Prism concert

**Nov 23rd–27th (Wed–Sun)**  
Thanksgiving Break

**Nov 29th (Tues) 7:30 pm** - Gatliff Chapel  
Hanging of the Green

**Dec 9th (Fri)**  
Last day of fall semester classes  

**Dec 12th–15th (Mon–Thur)**  
Final Examinations

**CONGRATULATIONS**

**Dr. Mary Ruth Isaacs**  

**Megan Atwood**  
Graduated with honors, from Liberty Baptist Theological Seminary with a Masters of Arts in Religion in Pastoral Counseling May 2011

**University of the Cumberlands**  
2011 College Guide ranked UC in its top 30 list of baccalaureate colleges and universities

### Announcements

**October 28th 10:00 AM**

**New Faculty Learning Community Opportunity**

“Ahead of the Curve: The Power of Assessment to Transform Teaching and Learning” For more information please contact Susan Weaver.

**New York Times Book group**

October 6 selection “Black Echo” by Michael Connelly.

November - “A Great Deliverance” by Elizabeth George.

December - “Lost Mountain” by Eric Reeve.  
Contact Nick.Harris@ucumberlands.edu.
**Professional Services, Performances, and Recognition**

**Sara Ash**
- President Elect of the Kentucky chapter of the Wildlife Society at the annual meeting, September 2011

**Megan Atwood**
- Graduated with honors from Liberty Baptist Theological Seminary, Master of Arts in Religion in Pastoral Counseling, May 2011

**Gina Bowlin**
- Participated in panel discussion Hospice of the Blue Grass Living with Grief: Spirituality and End of Life Care, Corbin, KY, April 27, 2011
- Served as a leader for Emmaus Walk Leadership Team Corbin, KY, May 5-8, 2011
- Attended the ACA-UNCA Partnership for Undergraduate Research and received grant to conduct community-based research initiatives with students Asheville, NC, July 5-7, 2011
- Serving as a member of the Williamsburg Domestic Violence Council beginning, September 2011

**Anita Bowman**
- Received the 2011 Excellence in Teaching Award, April 2011
- Associated Professor Rank
- Completed Phase I of Disaster Relief training from the Kentucky Baptist Convention
- Participated and helped to raise funds for Whitley County Relay for Life with UC and First Baptist Church Williamsburg
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

**Jay Bourne**
- Participated in QEP Cadre at the Summer Teaching Institute at Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011

**Kimberly Brown**
- Completed the Rick Stiggins Faculty Learning Committee at the University of the Cumberlands, Williamsburg, KY, February-May 2011
- Participated in QEP Cadre Summer Teaching Institute at the Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

**Melanie Cardell**
- Participated in QEP Cadre Summer Teaching Institute at the Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Presenting QEP Critical Thinking research at AAER on November 3rd during the AAER conference, November 1-5, 2011
- Paper accepted for presentation at the Appalachian College Association, Asheville, NC “Critical Thinking Development through Qualitative Study”, October 2011

**Oline Carmical**
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011
Janie Carter

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Garnet Chrisman

- Completed the Rick Stiggins Faculty Learning Committee at the University of the Cumberlands, Williamsburg, KY, February-May 2011
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Michael Colegrove

- Appointed by Senator Rand Paul to serve on his Military Service Academy selection Board

Justin DeCecca

- Attended the ACA Summer Teaching Institute and received a mini-grant to conduct a study factors that influence student motivation and learning, Brevard, NC June 6-10, 2011
- Attended the ACA-UNCA Partnership for Undergraduate Research and received conduct community-based research initiatives with students, Asheville, NC, July 5-7, 2011
- Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/

Laura Dennis

- Paper, "India Song: Script, Soundtrack, and More in Michèle Rakotoson’s Juillet au pays" was named best-of-session at the 2011 Kentucky Philological Association's annual conference, March 2011
- Consultant QEP Cadre at the Summer Teaching Institute at Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Graded French AP exams in Cincinnati, OH, June 2011
- Received a summer immersion grant to present “Congorama: Flim, Francais et Francophonie” at the American Association of Teachers of French Convention, Montreal, Quebec, July 2011
- Will co-present, with Dr. Kim Miller, a session on stimulating students’ creativity and critical thinking at the Appalachian College Association Summit at the Crowne Plaza in Asheville, NC, October 14-15, 2011
- Will present a paper, “Congorama: From Domination to Diversity” at the 26th Annual Interdisciplinary Conference in the Humanities on Transformation/Adaptation at the University of West Georgia, November 10-12, 2011
- Guest editor for the upcoming issue of the Kentucky Philological Review
- Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/

Theresa Dickman

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Grant Doepel

- Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/
Bob Dunston

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011
- Serving as treasurer for Theta Alpha Kappa, the National Religion Honor Society, through, June 30, 2012

Kathy Fish

- Consultant QEP Cadre at the Summer Teaching Institute at Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011
- Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/

Tom Frazier

- Was one of the seven poets invited to present their works at Hazard Community College’s Evening with the Poets, April 28, 2011
- Consultant in QEP Cadre at the Summer Teaching Institute at Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Katie Flynn

- Participated in QEP Cadre Summer Teaching Institute at the Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011

Karen Goldman

- Completed the Rick Stiggins Faculty Learning Committee at the University of the Cumberlands, Williamsburg, KY, February-May 2011
- Participated in QEP Cadre Summer Teaching Institute at the Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Participated in the inaugural exposition of the Tennessee Art Educators Association, “Connections” with her watercolor of an early morning on Norris Lake, “Frog’s Eye View” Belmont University in Nashville, TN, June–August 2011
- Article “Discovering Creativity through Color Exploration” accepted for publication in the It Works For Me, Creatively by Hal Blythe and Charlie Sweet.
- Named Director of the Teacher as Leader Program, Master of Arts in Teaching at the University of the Cumberlands, July 2011
- Participated in the Kentucky Association for Teacher Educators, Georgetown, KY, September 2011
- Participated in KTIP Training, University of the Cumberlands, September 2011
- Presentation “Critical Thinking Development through Qualitative Study” accepted for the Appalachian College Association, Asheville, NC October 2011
- Presentation “Problem Based Learning Projects for Middle Schools”, accepted for the National Art Education Association conference, New York City, NY March 2012

Bob Heffern

- Completed the Rick Stiggins Faculty Learning Committee at the University of the Cumberlands, Williamsburg, KY, February-May 2011
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Joan Hembree

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011
Gina Herring

- Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/

Christine Hall

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Steve Halstead

- Attended the ACA-UNCA Partnership for Undergraduate Research and received grant to conduct community-based research initiatives with students. Asheville, NC, July 5-7, 2011

Bruce Hicks

- Attended the Annual Kentucky Political Science Association Conference at Western Kentucky University, August 2011

Kathy Hockert

- Publication “Spermatogenetic but not immunological defects in mice lacking the τCstF-64 polyadenylation protein.” Journal of Reproductive Immunology, April 2011

Harold Hubbard

- Was Inducted into the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) Hall of fame, August 31, 2011

PJ Hughes

- Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/

John Hymo

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Mary Ruth Isaacs

- Completed doctorate in the UC Ed.D. first graduating class in The title of her dissertation is “Factors Affecting College Student Enrollment and Workforce Placement in an Appalachian Context.”, May 2011

Diane Jamison

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011
Jennifer Knuckles

- Attended the ACA-UNCA Partnership for Undergraduate Research conduct community-based research initiatives with students, Asheville, NC, July 5-7, 2011

Chris Kraftick

- Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger [http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/](http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/)

Elizabeth Lasley

- Completed the Rick Stiggins Faculty Learning Committee at the University of the Cumberlands, Williamsburg, KY, February-May 2011
- Participated in QEP Cadre Summer Teaching Institute at the Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011.
- Attended the ACA Summer Teaching Institute and received a mini-grant to conduct a study factors that influence student motivation and learning. Brevard, NC, June 6-10, 2011.
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011
- Presentation “QEP Critical Thinking Research” at AAER on November 3rd during the AAER conference, November 1-5, 2011
- Presentation “Critical Thinking Development through Qualitative Study”, accepted for the Appalachian College Association Summit, Asheville, NC, October 2011

Christopher Leskiw

- Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger [http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/](http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/)
- Received and completed research fellowship from the Appalachian College Association with Dr. Eric Stephens on a project entitled, “What is American? Ideology and Cognition in American Politics”, Summer 2011

Lisa Lyford

- Attended Converging Trends in Teaching and Learning, Northern Kentucky University, Erlanger, KY, May 24-25, 2011

Sandy Mancuso

- Presentation - United States Distance Learning Association *Faculty Training, Evaluation, and Development: The Foundation of Online Education*– National Conference, St. Louis, MO, May 3, 2011
- Presentation *Faculty Training, Evaluation, and Development: The Foundation of e-Learning* Blackboard Collaborate – Connections Summit, Las Vegas, NV, July 14, 2011

Jim Manning

- Completed the Rick Stiggins Faculty Learning Committee at the University of the Cumberlands, Williamsburg, KY, February-May 2011
- Consultant QEP Cadre at the Summer Teaching Institute at Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Led astronomy and Physics Program for Roger’s Explores in, June 2011
Jennifer Marsh

- Graded Spanish AP exams in Cincinnati, June 2011
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Jeremiah Massengale

- Participated in QEP Cadre Summer Teaching Institute at the Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger [http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/](http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/)

Kay Dawn McFarland

- Served as adjudicator for the National Association of Piano Teachers in Chattanooga, TN, May 10-14, 2011
- Took 7 students to be judged in National Association of Piano Teachers auditions in Knoxville, TN, May 20, 2011
- Served as adjudicator for the National Association of Piano Teachers in Blacksburg, VA, June 2-4, 2011
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Kim Miller

- Consultant QEP Cadre at the Summer Teaching Institute at Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Attended the ACA Summer Teaching Institute and received a mini-grant to conduct a study factors that influence student motivation and learning. Brevard, NC, June 6-10, 2011
- Will co-present, with Dr. Laura Dennis, a session on stimulating students’ creativity and critical thinking at the Appalachian College Association Summit at the Crowne Plaza in Asheville, NC, October 14-15, 2011

Teresa Montgomery

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Vonda Moore

- Completed the Rick Stiggins Faculty Learning Committee at the University of the Cumberlands, Williamsburg, KY, February-May 2011
- Consultant QEP Cadre at the Summer Teaching Institute at Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Ela Molina Morelock

- Presentation “Mujer, casta y patria en el México decimonónico: El caso de la escritora Isabel Prieto de Landázuri.” accepted for SMLA Conference. WOMEN’S CAUCUS WORKSHOP: La voz de la mujer de las Américas en el siglo XIX, November 4-6, 2011
Dr. Willette Nash

- Presentation “Points of Light: Multicultural Curriculum Infusion in Action” by the North Carolina Chapter of the National Association of Multicultural Education University of North Carolina Charlotte held on, September 17, 2011

Larry Newquist

- Conducted a two day planetarium show at Barbourville City School for first through seventh grades, May 2011
- Consultant QEP Cadre at the Summer Teaching Institute at Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011

Cindi Norton

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Carolyn Pate

- Attended the ACA Summer Teaching Institute and received a mini-grant to conduct a study factors that influence student motivation and learning. Brevard, NC, June 6-10, 2011.

Iona Patrick

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Susan Rose

- Completed the Rick Stiggins Faculty Learning Committee at the University of the Cumberlands, Williamsburg, KY, February-May 2011
- Presented School Counselor Perceptions and Competencies for Closing the Achievement Gap: Implications for Counselor and Higher Education Programs for All Educators. Overview of paper published in ACA Vistas Online, March 24, 2011
- Participated in QEP Cadre Summer Teaching Institute at the Cumberland Inn May, 10-13, 2011
- Attended Connecting Preparation Programs with the Professional Growth and Evaluation System: Alignment from Preparation to Practice. Presentation for Kentucky University Colleges of Education Deans and Faculty at the Kentucky Department of Education, July 28, 2011
- Published “Making a Difference in Student Achievement: Defining the School Counselor’s, Role” School Counselor Connection., Fall 2011
- Accepted for presentation at the Appalachian College Association, Ashville, NC “Critical Thinking Development through Qualitative Study”, October 2011
- Accepted for presentation at the Association for the Advancement of Educational Research, Hutchinson Island, FL “Problem Based Learning Projects for Middle Schools”, November 2011
- Presenting QEP Critical Thinking research at AAER on November 3rd during the AAER conference, November 1-5, 2011
Fred Sagester

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Jolly Sharp

- Consultant QEP Cadre at the Summer Teaching Institute at Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011
- Publication of her book “Between the House and the Chicken Yard: The Masks of Flannery O’Connor”, November 2011

Alvin Sharpe

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Brad Shelton

- Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger [http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/](http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/)

Jeff Smoak

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Sharon Smith

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

Eric Stephens

- Article entitled, *Creating Musical Group Names to Aid Student Memory* accepted for publications in the peer-reviewed “It Works For Me”
- Received and completed research fellowship from the Appalachian College Association with Dr. Chris Leskiw on a project entitled, “What is American? Ideology and Cognition in American Politics”
- Promoted to rank of Professor
- Attended the Teaching Institute sessions of the Association for Psychological Science Convention in Washington, DC, May 2011
- Reviewer for *Teaching of Psychology* which is a peer-reviewed affiliated with Division 2 of the American Psychological Association

Jamey Temple

- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

David Threlkeld

- Performed as a featured saxophone soloist with the concert and jazz bands of both Monticello and Madison Southern High Schools
- Led the London Jazz Orchestra in performances for the Thursday Night Live concert series and the Laurel County Homecoming in London, KY
· Performed as clarinetist with the London Community Band and London Community Orchestra
· Performed in Dayton, Ohio in the Big Man's Big Band on a benefit concert for the Walter Smith Memorial Scholarship
· Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger [http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/](http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/)

**Patrick Tuck**

· Solo Cornet: Southern Stars Symphonic Brass, Stone Memorial High School, Crossville, TN, April 3, 2011
· Faculty Artist: Faculty and Staff Appreciation Dinner: University of the Cumberlands, April 15, 2011
· Cantor: Easter Vigil Service: Episcopal Church of Our Savior, Richmond, KY, April 23, 2011
· Trumpet: Easter Mass: Episcopal Church of Our Savior, Richmond, KY, April 24, 2011
· Brass Clinician: Madison Brass, Kit Carson Elementary, Richmond, KY, May 16, 2011
· Adult Forum facilitator: Episcopal Church of Our Savior, Contemporary Anglican Church Musicians in Canada, June 26, 2011
· Trumpet: Madison Brass, McCreasy Manor July 4 Celebration, Richmond, KY, July 4, 2011
· Director of Music, Vacation Bible School, St. Thomas Lutheran Church, Richmond, KY, July 24-27, 2011
· Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger [http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/](http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/)

**Barry Vann**

· Wrote and Published “Puritan Islam: The Geoexpansion of the Muslim World”, released August 2011
· Appeared on Fox News Live for an interview on “Spirited Debate”, September 30th, 2011

**Carl Walling**

· Participated in QEP Cadre Summer Teaching Institute at the Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011

**Glenda Warren**

· Completed the Rick Stiggins Faculty Learning Committee at the University of the Cumberlands, Williamsburg, KY, February-May 2011
· Participated in QEP Cadre Summer Teaching Institute at the Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
· Covington, KY Converging Trends Conference, May 24-25, 2011
· Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011

**Susan Weaver**

· Completed the Rick Stiggins Faculty Learning Committee at the University of the Cumberlands, Williamsburg, KY, February-May 2011
· Program co-chair Covington, KY Converging Trends Conference, May 24-25, 2011
· Co-director ACA Summer Teaching Institute, Brevard, NC, June 6-10, 2011.
· Attended SACS-COC Quality Enhancement Institute, Ft. Worth, TX, July 17, 2011
· Program Committee ACA Summit to be held Oct 13-15, 2011
· Selected as co-chair ACA Summer Teaching Learning Institute 2012
· Featured “Campus Perspectives” blogger [http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/](http://www.ucumberlands.edu/campus-perspective/)
Jennifer Woodruff

- Participated in QEP Cadre Summer Teaching Institute at the Cumberland Inn, May 10-13, 2011
- Completed the Rick Stiggins Faculty Learning Committee at the University of the Cumberlands, Williamsburg, KY, February-May 2011
- Participated in CPE Senate Bill 1 workshop at Cumberland Inn, August 15, 2011
- Accepted for presentation at the Appalachian College Association, Ashville, NC “Critical Thinking Development through Qualitative Study”, October 2011
- Presenting QEP Critical Thinking research at AAER on November 3rd during the AAER conference, November 1-5, 2011

**Academic Departments Achievement’s**

**History & Political Science**
- The History and Political Science Department participated in creating the 2011 September edition of “Morning in America”, a publication for University of the Cumberlands. Dr. Eric Wake is serving as the editor.
- Upsilon-Upsilon Chapter of Phi Alpha Theta, under the direction of Dr. Eric Wake, has been awarded the 2011 Best Chapter Award. This marks the 34th year of receiving this award.
- Upsilon-Upsilon Chapter of Phi Alpha Theta will present the first lecture of their 2011-2012 series. The lecture entitled “A New Understanding of the 10th Amendment.” will be presented by Dr. Aaron Nathan Coleman, an alumnus of UC and Assistant Professor of History at Kentucky Christian College. September 19, 7:00 p.m. in the Bennett Auditorium.
- The History and Political Science department along with the Upsilon-Upsilon chapter of Phi Alpha Theta published its student journal for the 22nd year. This journal is entered into nationwide competition.

**Education**

UC Department of Education is pleased to announce the continuing accreditation by the Education Professional Standards Board (EPSB) on August 1, 2011.

**CTLA - New Location**

Dr. Susan Weaver & Dr. Sandy Mancuso have moved! We are now in Library 20, formerly Rick Fleenor's Office. Please stop by anytime.