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Glenn Carroll, Jane Campbell

named outstanding WLU teachers

Two faculty members at Wilfrid Laurier University-- Glenn Carroll and Jane L. Campbell-- have been named Outstanding Teachers and will be honored at the university's spring convocation May 25.

They were selected as winners for the 1985-86 academic year by a university committee which looked at nominations put forward by students, faculty and administrators.

Dr. Andrew Berczi, chairman of the selection committee, said candidates for the award were expected to have excelled in a number of teaching areas and to have wide support from the various groups making nominations.

"They must be judged truly outstanding and not merely very good," Berczi said. "And they must have an effect upon student learning and development, not merely be popular with students."

Prof. Carroll and Dr. Campbell will receive plaques in recognition of the honor at convocation and \$1,000 each to be spent at their discretion for any purpose related to the development and improvement of teaching and learning.

Carroll, who was named WLU Alumnus of the Year two years ago, is associate professor of business and has been at Laurier since 1960. Dr. Campbell, associate professor of English, joined the Laurier faculty in 1961.

Dr. Berczi pointed out that the two are quite different in their teaching style, which demonstrates there is more than one way to win the highest commendation. Both received many ballots expressing the highest of praises.

Here are two comments made about Prof. Carroll:

"Learning flourishes in his class because he creates an excellent environment to enhance learning. His use of straight-forward honesty and his respect for students are two qualities that make him an excellent professor."

"In the classroom, Glenn is innovative and creative. He causes students to look inside themselves for the decision-making process and communication skills that are vital for future careers."

And this about Dr. Campbell:

"The love she has for her field is obvious to everyone who has the opportunity to know her. Not only does she devote a great deal of time to her students, but she also continues to publish and to study current articles to keep up with recent trends in English studies."

"She's so little, and she knows so much."