

**Department of Language and Literacy Education Honors and
Leadership Positions--Faculty**

RESEARCH

Dissertation Award Winners

** denotes departed or retired faculty member*

AERA Writing SIG Steve Cahir Award for Research in Writing

Peter Smagorinsky 1991

Carrie Hunter Tate Award for Outstanding Anthropology Studies

Melisa Cahnmann, 2000

International Reading Association Outstanding Dissertation Award

Donna Alvermann (Finalist) 1980

Linda D. Labbo (Finalist) 1994

National Council of Teachers of English Promising Researcher Award

*Anne Haas Dyson (winner)

*Lee Galda (winner)

Peg Graham (finalist)

*Sally Hudson-Ross 198x (finalist)

*Yolanda Majors 2002 (winner)

Don Rubin 1979 (winner)

Speech Communication Association Dissertation Award

Don Rubin 1979

Research Awards—National

American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages

Paul Pimsleur Award for Research in Foreign Language Education

*Tom Cooper 1978

*Tom Cooper 1982

American Educational Research Association

Raymond B. Cattell Early Career Award for Programmatic Research

Peter Smagorinsky 1999

Interpretive Scholarship Award

*Steven Stahl 2001

American Library Association

Outstanding Academic Book of the Year

Linda D. Labbo, *David Reinking, Michael McKenna, *Ron Kieffer 1998

Association of Teacher Educators

ATE Distinguished Research Award

Peter Smagorinsky (with Laura Wright, Sharon Murphy Augustine, Cindy O'Donnell-Allen, & Bonnie Konopak) 2008

College Reading Association

College Reading Association's Laureate Award

Donna Alvermann 2004

H.B. Herr Award for Contributions to Research in Reading Education

Donna Alvermann 1993

Conference of Southern Graduate Schools

Achievement Award for New Scholars

Donna Alvermann 1986

Education Press Association of America

Distinguished Achievement, Learned Article Award

JoBeth Allen 1991

International Reading Association

Reading Hall of Fame

*Ira E. Aaron 1983

Donna Alvermann 1999

*Steven Stahl 2004

William S. Gray Citation of Merit

Donna Alvermann 2006

*Steven Stahl 2004

*Ira E. Aaron 1994

Technology in Literacy Education SIG award for outstanding research

Linda D. Labbo 2000

Journal of Educational Research

Award for Meritorious Contribution to Educational Practice Through Research

Donna Alvermann 1988

Harold E. Mitzel Award

*Steven Stahl

National Council of Teachers of English

NCTE Janet Emig Award (for best article in *English Education*)

Peter Smagorinsky (with Andrea Lakly & Tara Star Johnson) 2003

NCTE Alan C. Purves Award (for article in *Research in the Teaching of English* most likely to affect educational practice)

Bob Fecho 2002

NCTE Richard Meade Award (for distinguished research in English Education)
Bob Fecho 1992 (Co-authored with Susan Lytle)

NCTE/CEE James N. Britton Award (for exemplary studies that encourage teacher development through reflective inquiry)
Bob Fecho 2004

NCTE Edwin M. Hopkins Award (for best article in *English Journal* written by a university-based author)
Peter Smagorinsky (with Cindy O'Donnell-Allen) 2000

NCTE *English Journal* Writing Award (for best article in *English Journal* written by a K-12 based author)
Peter Smagorinsky 1989

National Reading Conference

Oscar S. Causey Award for Outstanding Contributions to Reading Research
Donna Alvermann 1997

Ed Fry Book Award Winners

*David Reinking (1999)

Linda D. Labbo (1999)

*Ronald Kieffer (1999)

Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages

TESOL Heinle & Heinle Distinguished Research Award
Linda Harklau 1995

Research Awards—The University of Georgia

Research Professor
Donna Alvermann 1993-2000

Distinguished Research Professor
Donna Alvermann 2001- present

William A. Owens Creative Research Award
Donna Alvermann 1998

Warren G. Findley Research Award
Donna Alvermann 1985

Creative Research Medal awarded by the College of Arts and Sciences
*Tom Cooper 1983

Phi Delta Kappa Faculty Research Award

Linda D. Labbo 2000

Awards for Creative Scholarship

Sow's Ear Poetry Prize

Melisa Cahnmann, 2004 (runner-up)

Anthropology & Humanism Poetry Prize

Melisa Cahnmann, 2003

Anna Davidson Rosenberg Award for Poetry on the Jewish Experience

Melisa Cahnmann, 2000

Dorothy Sargent Rosenberg Poetry contest

Melisa Cahnmann, 2005

Barbara M. Kelly Peace Organization Waging Peace Poetry Award

Melisa Cahnmann 2005

Fellows, National Conference on Research in Language and Literacy

JoBeth Allen

Donna Alvermann

Peter Smagorinsky

Journal Editorships

The Advocate

Joel Taxel 1981-1985

Communication Education

Don Rubin 2002-2005

Journal of Literacy Research

*David Reinking & Donna Alvermann (with Cynthia Hynd & Penny Oldfather) 1996-2001

New Advocate

Joel Taxel 1987-1995

Reading Research Quarterly

Donna Alvermann & *David Reinking 2001-2007

The Reading Teacher

*James F. Baumann, 1989-1993

Research in the Teaching of English

*Roy O'Donnell 1978-1983

Peter Smagorinsky (with Michael W. Smith) 1996-2003

Journal Editorships—Associate or Category Editor
Associate Editor—Critical Inquiry in Language Studies
Misha Cahnmann 2006-present

Book Review Editor—Linguistics and Education
*Betsy Rymes xxxx-present

Review Editor—Reading Psychology
*James F. Baumann, 1982-1985

Journal Editorial Board Service
American Journal of Education
Peter Smagorinsky 1994-1997

Anthropology and Education Quarterly
Linda Harklau 1995-1997

Educational Researcher
Donna Alvermann 2007-2010
Peter Smagorinsky 2007-2010
Bettie St. Pierre 2007-2010

English Education
Bob Fecho 2004-present

International Journal of Early Childhood Literacy
Linda D. Labbo 2000-present

Journal of Reading Behavior/Literacy Research
**James F. Baumann 1984-1989, 1992-1994; 1996-2002
Bob Fecho 1998-2002
Linda D. Labbo 1995-present
Bettie St. Pierre 1999-present
JoBeth Allen 1989-1993

Journal of Teacher Education
Bob Fecho 2001-present

L1 – Educational Studies in Language and Literature
Peter Smagorinsky 2000-present

Language Arts
Linda D. Labbo 1990-1998, 2001-2002

Literacy, Teaching and Learning: An International Journal of Early Literacy

*James F. Baumann, 1998-2006

Primary Voices

JoBeth Allen 1998-2001

Reading Teacher

JoBeth Allen 1996-1998

*James F. Baumann, 1998-2003

Reading Online

Linda D. Labbo 1997-present

Reading Psychology

*James F. Baumann, 1982-present

Reading Research and Instruction

*James F. Baumann, 1985-87, 1996-2005

Reading Research Quarterly

*James F. Baumann, 1995-present

Bob Fecho 2002-2007

Linda Harklau 2002-2007

Linda D. Labbo 1996-2007

Peter Smagorinsky 2003-2007

Bettie St. Pierre 2002-2007

JoBeth Allen 1991-1997

Reading & Writing Quarterly

Peter Smagorinsky 1996-present

Research in the Teaching of English

Bob Fecho 1997-2003

James Marshall 2003-present

Peter Smagorinsky 1995-1996

JoBeth Allen 1993-1994

Review of Educational Research

Peter Smagorinsky 1997-1999

TESOL Journal

Linda Harklau 1997-2003

TESOL Quarterly

Linda Harklau 2000-2003

Written Communication

Peter Smagorinsky 1995-1999; 2003-present

Book Series Editorships

NCRL Approaches to Language and Literacy Research

JoBeth Allen & Donna Alvermann 1998-present

Book Series Editorial Boards

ESL & Applied Linguistics Professional Series, Lawrence Erlbaum Associates

Linda Harklau 2000-present

Practitioner Inquiry Series, Teachers College Press

JoBeth Allen 2002-present

Bob Fecho

Chairs of National/International Conferences

Assembly for Research of NCTE—Midwinter Conference

James Marshall 1991

Peter Smagorinsky 1996

Qualitative Research in Education Conference (QUIG)

Linda D. Labbo (with Sherry L. Field) 1997

*Yolanda Majors & *Betsy Rymes 2004

Melisa Cahnman 2005

JoBeth Allen (with Jude Preissle 1988), 1989, 1992

Research Fellowships

American Educational Research Association-Institute of Educational Sciences Post Doctoral Fellowship

Rebecca Callahan 2003-2006

Keizai Koho Center Fellowship

Linda D. Labbo 1997

NCTE Cultivating New Voices Among Scholars of Color

*Yolanda Majors 2000-2002

Robert L. Snodgrass Award for Excellence in Research

**James F. Baumann 1987-1988

University of California Linguistic Minority Research Institute Post Doctoral Fellowship

Rebecca Callahan 2003-2004

National Research Center Directorships

National Reading Research Center

Donna Alvermann & *James Baumann 1992-1997

Grants

Carnegie Corporation of New York

Donna Alvermann, 2002

Ford and Spencer Foundations: Texas Higher Education Opportunity Program

Rebecca Callahan 2005-2006

International Reading Association

JoBeth Allen 1989

*James Baumann and Donna Ware, 2002, Elva Knight Research Award

National Council of Teachers of English Research Foundation

Donna Alvermann (with Rick Umpleby) 1989

*Fenice Boyd

Peter Smagorinsky 1995

Bettie St. Pierre

National Science Foundation

Linda D. Labbo 2000-2005

National Writing Project

Bob Fecho and JoBeth Allen 2003-present

Russell Sage Foundation

Rebecca Callahan 2006-2009

Spencer Foundation

Donna Alvermann, 1999-2000

Mark Faust and *Ronald Kieffer

Linda D. Labbo & JoBeth Allen, 1999

Linda D. Labbo (With *D. Reinking & C. Hynd) 2000

Peter Smagorinsky 2001-2

JoBeth Allen 1988

U. S. Office of Educational Research and Improvement (OERI)

*James F. Baumann, Field Initiated Studies Research Grant, 1999-2002

*James F. Baumann, National Reading Research Center, 1993-1997

Linda D. Labbo 1993-94

Linda D. Labbo (With *D. R. Reinking & M. McKenna) 1994-1995

Linda D. Labbo (With *D. R. Reinking & M. McKenna) 1995-1996

Peter Smagorinsky 1996-2001

University of Georgia Research Foundation

Rebecca Callahan 2007

TEACHING
Teaching Fellowships

Fulbright Scholar

Michelle Commeyras, University of Botswana 1997-1998

University of Georgia Teaching Awards

The University of Georgia Teaching Academy

Donna Alvermann 2000

JoBeth Allen 2001

Senior Teaching Fellow

Donna Alvermann 1998-1999

JoBeth Allen 2001

Josiah Meigs Award for Excellence in Teaching

JoBeth Allen (Honorable Mention) 2001

JoBeth Allen (Honorable Mention) 2002

Richard B. Russell Undergraduate Teaching Award

Peg Graham 1997

Graduate School Outstanding Mentoring Award in Humanities and Fine and Applied Arts

Peter Smagorinsky 2007

Outstanding Faculty Member Award - UGA Disabilities Service

**James F. Baumann 2004

UGA Teaching Academy

Peg Graham 2007

UGA College of Education Teaching Awards

D. Keith Osborn Faculty Senate Teaching Excellence Award

Peg Graham 1997

Peg Graham 2002

Mark Faust

Linda D. Labbo 2000

Bettie St. Pierre 2000

Melisa Cahnmann, 2005

Ira E. Aaron Award for Teaching Excellence and Collegiality

Michelle Commeyras, 2005

Linda Labbo, 2006

State of Georgia Teaching Awards
Georgia Association of Teachers of English

Distinguished Program in Teacher Education Award

Peg Graham, *Sally Hudson-Ross, and the UGA-NETS mentor teachers 1999

Georgia chapter of the American Association of Teachers of German

Professor of the Year Award

*Tom Cooper 1989

*Tom Cooper 2002

SERVICE

National Leadership Positions

American Association for Applied Linguistics

Executive Board

Linda Harklau 2004-2007

Program Committee

Linda Harklau 1999, 2005-2006

*Betsy Rymes 1999

International Reading Association

President

*Ira E. Aaron 1983-4

Reading Hall of Fame—President

*Ira E. Aaron 1987-1988

Member, Board of Directors

**James F. Baumann 1995-1998

Chair, Technology in Literacy Education Special Interest Group

Linda D. Labbo 1997-1999

Chair, Technology, Communications and Literacy Committee

Linda D. Labbo

Chair, Literacy Development in Young Children

JoBeth Allen 1984-1986

Co-chair, Publications Committee

JoBeth Allen 1991-1993

Chair, Teacher Educator Awards Committee

**James F. Baumann 1998-1999

National Reading Conference

Co-chair, Literacy and Language Diversity Committee

Linda Harklau 1998

Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages
Chair TESOL Applied Linguistics Interest Section
Linda Harklau 1998

National Council of Teachers of English
Chair NCTE Standing Committee on Research
James Marshall 1992-1995
Peter Smagorinsky 1995-1996

Chair NCTE Assembly for Research
James Marshall 1991
Peter Smagorinsky 1996

Chair NCTE Research Forum
Peter Smagorinsky 2003-present

Trustee NCTE Research Foundation
James Marshall 1992-1995
Peter Smagorinsky 1998-2003

Chair NCTE Research Foundation
Peter Smagorinsky 2001-2003

Secretary/Treasurer NCTE Assembly for Research
Peg Graham 1995-1997

National Reading Conference

President
Donna Alvermann 1992

Chair - Technology Committee
Linda D. Labbo 2004-2007

Board of Directors
JoBeth Allen 1992-1994

National Conference on Research in Language and Literacy

President
*Roy C. O'Donnell 1981
JoBeth Allen 1996
Peter Smagorinsky 2001
James Marshall 2003

National Service Awards
American Educational Research Association

Outstanding Reviewer Award

Bettie St. Pierre (*Educational Researcher*) 2005
Peter Smagorinsky (*Educational Researcher*) 2006
Peter Smagorinsky (*Educational Researcher*) 2007
Bettie St. Pierre (*Educational Researcher*) 2007
Rebecca Callahan (*Educational Researcher*) 2007
Donna Alvermann (*Educational Researcher*) 2007

International Reading Association

John Chorlton Manning Public School Service Award

JoBeth Allen, 2005

National Reading Conference

Albert J. Kingston Award for Distinguished Service

Donna Alvermann, 1997

UGA Service and Outreach Awards

UGA Walter Barnard Hill Award

*Sally Hudson-Ross 1999

Carl Glickman Award

Bettie St. Pierre, 2006

UGA Student Government Association Faculty Recognition Award

Bettie St. Pierre, 2005

UGA Career Center Career Development of UGA Students

Michelle Commeyras 2005

State Leadership Positions

Georgia chapter of the American Association of Teachers of German

Lifetime Achievement Award for service and leadership

*Tom Cooper 2004

Foreign Language Association of Georgia

Post-Secondary Leadership Award for outstanding support for foreign languages and learning in the state of Georgia

*Tom Cooper 2006

OTHER

Honorary Doctorates

Donna Alvermann, Long Island University 2005

UGA College of Education

Aderhold Distinguished Professor

*Genelle Morain
JoBeth Allen 1997

Joel Taxel, 2007