

Connecticut State University System

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BR# 09-5

RESOLUTION

honoring

DR. KAREN BURKE

upon being awarded

THE CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM 2009 UNIVERSITY-LEVEL TRUSTEES RESEARCH AWARD

March 12, 2009

WHEREAS, Through BR#06-06 the Board of Trustees reaffirmed its commitment to support and recognize faculty doing research/creative work of exceptional promise by establishing a university-level awards competition among tenure track or tenure assistant and associate professors in good standing at each university who can demonstrate substantive contributions, achievements and scholarly activity during the previous five years, and

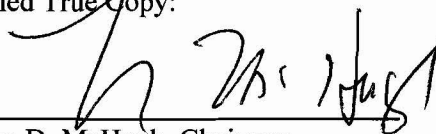
WHEREAS, Dr. Burke, an associate professor in the Department of Education and Educational Psychology at Western Connecticut State University (WCSU), has advanced the understanding of learning styles in children and adults, has translated this knowledge into curriculum development and assistance to school leaders and practitioners in Connecticut, nationally and abroad, and has promoted the evaluation of instructional strategies within educational accountability systems, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Burke has been selected by an appropriate peer-review process at WCSU and recommended to the System Review Committee of CSU Professors, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Dr. Burke for her academic and research achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the University-level Trustees Research Award and extends its best wishes for continued success in her academic endeavors, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Chancellor of the Connecticut State University System will work with the university President to ensure maximum visibility to this award through local and statewide print and electronic media.

A Certified True Copy:



Lawrence D. McHugh, Chairman



David G. Carter, Chancellor