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RESOLUTION

OF CONGRATULATIONS to SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY'S $\frac{FOLIO}{STAFF}$

October 6, 1989

WHEREAS,

Southern's Literary Arts magazine, <u>FOLIO</u>, has recently been awarded a first place certificate in a national competition for student media; and

WHEREAS,

Southern's students have produced a magazine of the finest professional quality, bringing honor to the University and themselves; be it

RESOLVED,

That the Board of Trustees congratulates the writers, artists, editors and faculty advisor of the <u>FOLIO</u> upon winning the Columbia Scholastic Press Association first place award.

A Certified True Copy:

L. J. Davidson Chairman

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Dallas K. Beal, President Connecticut State University New Britain, CT 06050

Dear President Beal,

On behalf of the student editors and staff of FOLIO, I am extremely proud to announce that the most recent issue of Southern's Literary Arts magazine has won a First Place Certificate in a national competition for student media. Sponsored by Columbia University, the Columbia Scholastic Press Association has awarded its highest honor to the 1989 FOLIO, edited by George Peterman and Martha Marinara. This past spring, after distributing what we thought was a first-class magazine to the Southern campus, I decided along with the editors to enter this issue in a national competition. Although it involved our spending out-of-pocket funds, we truly believed that Southern's students had produced a magazine of the finest professional quality, and we strongly desired to see that quality recognized outside the University. the past week, I was sent the results of the competition, a packet which included a certificate of our ranking. The English Department plans to frame the actual certificate; in the meantime we have posted a copy on the second floor, under a banner celebrating the honor.

I know you share my deep conviction that Southern's students can compete with those from the most prestigious schools in the country, and that such a tangible affirmation of the quality of our writers, artists, and editors should be cause for celebration throughout the University. Having attended Princeton and Cornell, and taught at Kenyon College (where I advised their literary magazine, also a national award winner), I have seen much student talent, but nowhere have I observed the consistent originality and vitality that we have here at Southern. I cannot express my pride at seeing my belief in our students confirmed, and their talent and commitment rewarded. The students who submitted work to FOLIO and those who saw it through production have every reason to celebrate their First Place award.

Along with the current student editors, Pedro Herrera and Susan Rubinsky, I would like to express my continued appreciation for your support of the arts here at Southern, which has made such achievements as the Columbia Award a possibility for us.

Very Sincerely,

Migar Macomber
Professor Megan Macomber Faculty Adviser, FOLIO Department of English

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