



Schuhmann wins the Faculty W. LaMarr Kopp International Achievement Award

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. (Feb. 3, 2009) - Richard Schuhmann, assistant professor and director of the Engineering Leadership Development Minor, was awarded the Faculty W. LaMarr Kopp International Achievement Award. The Kopp Awards annually recognize those at Penn State who have been extraordinarily effective in contributing to the advancement of the international mission of the University. Schuhmann shared the award as a co-winner with Judith Kroll, distinguished professor of psychology, linguistics, and women's studies.

Both Schuhmann and Kroll will share a \$1,000 stipend and each receive a plaque at the University Awards Faculty/Staff Awards Luncheon on March 23, 2009 at the Nittany Lion Inn. They will also be honored at the University Office of Global Programs' International Achievement Reception on April 21, 2009 in the Hintz Alumni Center.



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Schuhmann was awarded the stipend for his efforts in developing several international programs in locations such as Hungary, Morocco, Cambodia, Jamaica, Afghanistan, Panama, Malaysia and, most recently, the Peruvian Amazon. Many of his courses focus on teaching global citizenship and leadership and emphasize the importance of cultural understanding, communication and global awareness.

"I intend to give all of this award to my students for travel scholarships so they can see the world," said Schuhmann.