

**STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES
DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICS (October, 2004)**

The St. Olaf College Department of Classics is committed to offering its students the finest education in the Classics currently available from an undergraduate liberal arts college. To that end, the faculty of the department are expected to be dedicated teachers whose classroom work is grounded in and enhanced by significant professional activities. In most cases the significance of a professional activity is judged not only by the effect it has on the College, but also by the impact it has on the discipline at large. Only those teachers who continually challenge themselves and exercise their minds by participating in the scholarly exchange of ideas can hope to be successful at instilling in their students a lifelong love of learning and a drive for excellence. When those students are undergraduates studying the fundamentals of a language, it is all the more necessary for teachers to be able to convey some degree of the excitement and devotion they themselves feel toward their field. The Department of Classics desires its faculty to be true teacher-scholars, for whom teaching and scholarship are inseparable. This goal is reflected in the following outline of significant professional activities, arranged in descending order of importance within each section.

I. PUBLICATIONS

A. SCHOLARLY

1. Books
2. Refereed articles
3. Chapters or parts of books
4. Reviews in scholarly publications

B. EDITING

1. Editing books or collections
2. Serving on editorial boards
3. Refereeing book manuscripts
4. Refereeing articles for scholarly publications

II. PRESENTATIONS

- A. Papers delivered at refereed national meetings
- B. Papers delivered at refereed regional meetings
- C. Named lectureships
- D. Other invited papers

III. SERVICE TO PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

A. OFFICES

1. Holding office in national organizations
2. Holding office in regional organizations

B. MEMBERSHIPS

1. Organizing panels at professional meetings
2. Chairing sessions at professional meetings
3. Attending national meetings
4. Attending regional meetings

IV. GRANTS, HONORS, AWARDS

- A. Received from outside sources
- B. Received from St. Olaf

V. OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- A. Serving as external reviewer or consultant
- B. Serving as referee for granting bodies
- C. Guest lectures or performances at St. Olaf
- D. Guest lectures or performances for St. Olaf's outreach program