

## **Departmental Honors Report for 2006-2007**

The Departmental Honors Committee revised the Departmental Honors Manual over the summer and approved the revised manual during fall 2006. This revision was important because the Manual had not been revised in four years.

The Committee approved 7 Departmental Honors Proposals in the fall 2006 semesters, and also approved 3 project extensions. The Committee approved 27 Departmental Honors Proposals in the spring 2007 semester and 4 project extensions. The Committee discussed concerns about the written quality of some proposals, but noted the content of the DHON proposals has improved in recent years. The Committee also discussed concerns with some project directors not being as diligent as they should be in stewarding the DHON projects in some departments. The Committee agreed that we should monitor those directors and perhaps not approve proposals involving troublesome directors in the future.