Professor Ching-chih Chen delivered speeches on her Global Memory Net at the American Association for College and Research Libraries’ Asian, African, and Middle Eastern Section (ACRL/AAME) conference, where she also received a Distinguished Service Award, and at the Chinese American Librarians’ Association Annual Meeting. Chen spoke at the Library of Congress’s “Digital Future & You” lecture series in July, and presented posters on Global Memory Net at the International Federation of Library Institutions in Buenos Aires in August. • This summer, Ellen David professor in the Department of Education, did

Bob Oppenheim, professor in the art and music department, received a $5,000 Massachusetts Cultural Council Artist Grant in Painting. • Sociology Professor Jyoti Puri received a Fulbright Senior Research Award to India for summer 2005, to do research on sexual minorities and the movement to decriminalize homosexuality in India. During the summer, she presented a paper on “Engaging Transnational Feminisms” at a conference on Transnational Feminist Sociologies at the University of California, Berkeley; organized and presided over a