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News: WV Receives an "A" in Technology

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In the journal *Southern Compass*, the Southern Growth Policies Board scored individual states on the progress they are making toward science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) education. When examined on such things as student/computer ratio, access to high speed Internet, etc., WV was one of three states that received an overall "A." [More information...](#)

The Retiring Faculty: Dr. Elaine Baker

Dr. Elaine Baker, MU-ADVANCE Administrative Partner, Professor of Psychology, and the Director of the Center for the Advancement of Teaching and Learning (CATL), will hand her duties to the next generation June 1, 2008. After 36 years of service to Marshall, Dr. Baker will begin a new phase in her life: retirement. MU-ADVANCE thanks Dr. Baker for all her efforts with the Program, and hopes hers is a happy retirement. [More...](#)



Resource: The Road to Retirement



"The Road to Retirement" is a narrative from a Grants Administrator outlining why he has begun to consider retirement. Published in the *Chronicle of Higher Education*, this article discusses the ways in which the mind becomes less sharp, and as these processes begin, along with everyday responsibilities, retirement becomes more and more attractive.

Recommendations or suggestions for additional resources for the MU-ADVANCE Office can be sent to Heidi Williams: willi143@marshall.edu.



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