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News: MU-ADVANCE Earns Two-Year Renewal Friday, September 4, 2009

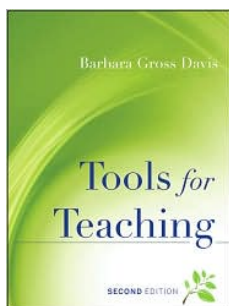
The National Science Foundation has awarded the MU-ADVANCE Program funding for two additional years. The focus of the next two years will be to implement a sustainability plan intended to benefit all faculty long-term. [More information...](#)

The New Fellow: Dr. Piyali Dasgupta

In the last year, **Dr. Piyali Dasgupta** has garnered more than \$350,000 in grant monies to study the role nicotine plays in the development of disease, such as lung cancer. Her latest award, from the American Retina Foundation, will examine how nicotine leads to the development of age-related macular degeneration. Dasgupta, MU-ADVANCE's newest Faculty Fellow, is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Pharmacology, Physiology, and Toxicology. [More information...](#)



Library Resource: Tools for Teaching



"Tools for Teaching," by Barbara Gross Davis, is designed to provide useful tips to enhance teaching methods, including suggestions on how to incorporate technology into your lectures. This book will help new and seasoned faculty improve their classroom experience, from their delivery to sparking student discussions. The book is available for loan in the MU-ADVANCE office (S-200A).

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



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