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## Quick Facts

- Seven faculty/staff members received awards based on nominations from their peers and students.



L-R: Morrow, Pickett, Leach, Hablutzel,

McLaine, Ard, Jenny.

Photo courtesy of Marshall Jones.

ROCK HILL, SOUTH CAROLINA — Deb Leach, associate professor in Winthrop University's **Richard W. Riley College of Education**, has helped raised more than \$35,000 in scholarship money for the university's **Think College** program students.

In just the last three years, Assistant Professor Seth Jenny has published 11 peer-reviewed journal articles, with several others in review or in progress.

And you can't pass by Instructor Geoff Morrow without receiving a high-five or handshake.

The College of Education recognized these and others faculty and staff members April 26 at a special awards ceremony, highlighting those who have gone "above and beyond" their job duties.

The awards given were:

**\*Stewardship and Service Award:** **Deb Leach**, for her work with the Think College program, grant proposals and bringing the 2nd annual Inclusion Across the Lifespan Conference to Winthrop.

**\*Research and Scholarship Award:** **Seth Jenny**, for his significant contributions to the physical education field.

**\*Spirit and Collaboration Award:** **Geoff Morrow**, for his positive attitude.

**\*Student Engagement and Development Award:** **Alice McLaine**, assistant professor and athletic training program coordinator, for her ways of applying students' classroom work to the real world and connecting students through networking.

**\*Cross Collaboration Award:** **Linda Pickett**, assistant professor, for her work with Hunter Street Elementary School, the Department of Biology and the STEM initiative.

**\*Adjunct Faculty Award:** **Stacy Ard**, for her willingness to take on more classes.

**\*Support Staff Excellence in Service Award:** [Dia Hablutzel](#), who is instrumental in arranging students' field placements.

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