Sunday, November 22, 2009
2 - 4 p.m. Reception for the artists held in the Carnegie Room with remarks by President Kent Chabotar, trustee Daniel Mosca and Professor of Art Roy Nydorf beginning at 2:30 p.m. Free and open to the public.

In December 2008, trustee Dan Mosca and his wife, Beth, donated a collection of rare books to Guilford College, which included the design book bindings by noted bookbinders Monique Lallier and Don Etherington on display.

An internationally recognized bookbinder and book artist, Lallier was born in Canada and studied bookbinding there and in Switzerland and France. She serves as director of the American Academy of Bookbinding and chair of the Standards Committee of Excellence of the Guild of Book Workers, and her work is in numerous public collections, including the National Museum of Women in the Arts, and in private collections in the U.S., Canada, Europe and Japan.

Etherington founded the Etherington Conservation center, which is now a subsidiary of the HF Group, a dominant bookbinding company in the United States. He is a Fellow in the National Institute of Conservation and the International Institute of Conservation and is known internationally for his innovative techniques for book and paper conservation.

Dan Mosca has served on the Board of Trustees since May 2002. The Mosca’s children, Stacey Mosca Seguin and Daniel Paul Mosca, are Guilford graduates in the classes of 1990 and 1993, respectively.

In addition to these art bindings, the Moscas donated two volumes of North Carolina history. When not on display, these books are housed in the Friends Historical Collection and may be viewed by appointment.