TO: Faculty and Staff Colleagues
FROM: Mick Vande Berg
RE: Foreign Study Magazine

You'll find in your box today a copy of the first issue of The Atlas, The Foreign Study Magazine of Kalamazoo College. As you'll see, the magazine, which is edited by Maria Carlson, consists entirely of contributions by K College students—short stories, poems, journal entries, letters, photographs, translations, and other creative work that grew out of the students' foreign study experiences.

Copies of this first issue are being distributed free to any member of the K community who would like one. We're also planning to distribute the magazine outside the College in order to help attract students by profiling the foreign study program: among other things, Admissions will be mailing out some five hundred copies later in the year to those prospective students who've been admitted and paid their deposits.

We're planning to have The Atlas come out once each year, and have encouraged the students now leaving for the various foreign study sites to consider what sort of creative contribution they might make to the second issue, which will appear during tenth week next summer.

Since we hope this is just the beginning of what will prove to be an annual tradition at K College, we'd appreciate receiving any feedback you'd care to share with us about our first issue. Please jot down any comments below, and send them on to me at the Foreign Study office.