## Mr. Francis M. Molloy

Awarded St. Hilaire Award for Distinction in Academic Writing (3<sup>rd</sup>Class)

## Citation:

Mr. Francis M. Molloy, from Perth in Western Australia, came to Assumption University in 1997. He had a background of journalism in Australia and publishing in Canada before coming to Assumption University from Curtin University in Perth where he taught Social Work and Family Therapy.

At Assumption University, he has taught in all levels of the IBLE. He is also a Feot examiner and has supervised master's degree students in their teaching practicums this year. He presented a paper at the Thai TESOL conference last January - on essay writing - and on interlanguage at the Thai TESOL literature conference at Au last month.

He had three articles published in **The Bangkok Post** newspaper. A keen traveller, all three of his **Bangkok Post** articles described journeys to neighbouring countries - Vietnam, Cambodia and China.

His trip to China was based on the first Assumption University tour group to that country organized by the School of Tourism and Hotel Management.

The article publicized the official contacts made between Assumption University and three major Chinese universities.

Mr. Francis M. Molloy has contributed his knowledge of different countries to the public through his writing. Though still few in numbers, he represents the University in some way. His constant contributions in writings bring recognition to him, and thus, he is awarded St. Hilaire's Award for Distinction in Academic Writing ( $3^{rd}$  Class).