Call to Artists: Recycled Book Exhibit or
What You Can Finally Do with the *Brothers Karamazov*
(besides sitting it on your shelf as a trophy)*

You probably like to recycle. You probably like art, too. You might even be sophisticated enough to have rolled your eyes as your friend said, “I could splatter paint” about Jackson Pollock. Or, maybe you’re the one who said that. No matter. You like recycling and Planet Earth, remember? Focus on that. I’ve got a cool thing for you to do . . . and you do like to do cool things, correct?

We are issuing a call to artists—yes, even the inner/secretive ones—to create an original work of art, using used books as your raw materials. If you don’t have your own used books (reading, *pbbt!*), we’ll even supply some for you during the months of November and December.

All submissions may be dropped off at WUWF’s Gallery 88 on Monday, April 4th, 8:00am-4:00pm, and must be gallery-ready.**

That gives you some time to rip pages from your favorite novels, find good glue, accidentally spray paint the grass surrounding the book cover, recognize the irony in killing the grass and atmosphere for a repurposed book exhibit, decide instead to use eco-friendly peanut butter as an adhesive and curry powder paint, and smell weird. In short, it’s just another Saturday night.

The exhibit will run April 11-May 20, 2011 which may or may not coincide nicely with National Library Week. But it probably does.

Imagine your work on a pedestal and-- AND!-- that guy who said you had the artistic vision of a toad, roaming around the exhibit in envy.

“Who’s green now?” you could say. But, you wouldn’t. You’re nice.

*Read the *Brothers Karamazov.*

**For official rules, go to the Circulation Desk and ask for Blythe Webster or email her at bmarshall@uwf.edu.
She’s the Art-Person and also the Billing-Person. So, if you check out our circulating books and use them, you’ll need to see her again, too, after you receive the very uncreative bill and Eternal Stamp of Shame.

Send questions, comments, and thoughts on the MOMA to Britt McGowen at bmcgowan@uwf.edu

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**Slogan Winner**

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Congrats go out to Nathan Young, writer of that super-crafty slogan. He wins the iPod shuffle, and he wants it in pink. Do you know why? He is giving it to his mom for Christmas (shh!). I so approve of this sweet goodness.

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You want to research all night and study every day, like a super-terrible Kiss song (new! with extra cheese flavor!). So, I want to tell you that our check-out laptops can now leave the building, and that the Commons is open 24/7, and they have food, and that many of our resources are online. Make Gene Simmons proud (or yawn).