Colleagues and Friends,

It is with great sadness that I inform you that Janene Oettel passed away over the weekend. She was a much loved colleague and friend and she will be greatly missed. Janene was the Director of the International Student & Scholar Office at Towson University for 16 years before her retirement in May, 2011 and devoted her entire career to the field of International Education and to helping international students. She was a NAFSA member since 1991 and an active member of Region VIII. Janene was an incredible friend, mentor and colleague to us in the field and her passing is an incredible loss.

Janene is survived by her husband Michael Lorei, son Alexander William Lorei, 4 siblings and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangement details can be found at http://www.donaldsonfuneralhome.com/ (click on Janene K. Oettel) and flowers or messages of condolence can be sent to the funeral home. Additional information regarding memorial donations will be added to the site in the following day.

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