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Summary: Fifteen students from Texas, Arizona, South Dakota and Minnesota participated in Gateway 2007 this summer. Students "aspire to succeed not only academically but also socially."

(September 12, 2007)-Fifteen students from Texas, Arizona, South Dakota and Minnesota participated in Gateway 2007 at the University of Minnesota, Morris. Founded in 1995, the Gateway Program is a four-week transition program, which includes a four-credit umbrella course along with workshops, seminars and recreational/athletic activities. Students are motivated to succeed at UMM and gain an understanding of the level of work expected in college.

"Each summer, the Gateway students bring a lot of energy to campus with their dynamic personalities and their diverse experiences," said Fang Du, assistant director of the Multi-Ethnic Student Program at UMM. "Gateway 2007 was especially fun in that they love studying and aspire to succeed not only academically but also socially in their college careers at UMM."

For more information about the Gateway program at UMM, contact the Multi-Ethnic Student Program at (320) 589-6095.

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