Service learning blends community service activities with academic learning. At Southeastern it has taken many forms, from conducting oral histories to teaching languages to school children to conducting outreach programs on drug and alcohol abuse. In fall 2005, students in David Benac's "Introduction to Museum Practice" did more than just study the principals of what makes successful museum presentations, they also researched, created and installed exhibits on steamboats and boat-building families for the university's partner, the Lake Pontchartrain Basin Maritime Museum.

LEARNING UP CLOSE SERVICE LEARNING

Southeastern faculty research keeps learning on the academic cutting edge. David Wyld, Maurin Professor of Management, is a leading voice in the technology of RFID (Radio Frequency Identification), which is positioned to replace the ubiquitous barcode over the next decade in tracking and inventory control. Not only has Wyld lectured nationally and written many articles, including a highly praised report commissioned by IBM on this fast-emerging technology, but he has also brought it into the classrooms through a special topics graduate course.

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