

## *Staff Employee of the Week*

### **Tammie Smith**

**NAME:** Tammie Smith

**JOB TITLE:** Administrative Assistant

**HOME DEPARTMENT:** Distance Learning and Summer Sessions

**COLLEGE OR VP AREA:** Vice President and Dean for Undergraduate Education

**NOMINATED FOR:** Governor's Award for Community Service and Volunteerism

**NOMINATED BY:** Tracey Allen

**VIRGINIA TECH HIRE DATE:** December 5, 1988



### **SUMMARY**

Tammie's initiative, dedication, enthusiasm, and work ethic, coupled with her kindred spirit, make her an excellent candidate for this award. She nurtures our organizational staff by providing steadfast support to push for success and in doing so to help others along the way.

Her nurture extends into the community as well, as she volunteers for several civic organizations. For example, since 2002 Tammie has led our organization's initiative in collecting items for the Women's Resource Center. Each year in the late fall, Tammie also works with her department to designate a specific organization or family to support. She then actively engages the staff in working to make a difference in that family or organization during the holiday season.

Tammie lives her life in a manner that upholds the tradition and value bestowed in us as Hokies. She lives her life to serve, and she is successful in doing so. Tammie is an exemplary employee and citizen of the Commonwealth.