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Academic Council

Curriculum conversion plans for the colleges of Musical Arts, Business Administration and Education were approved by Academic Council at its meeting March 3.

Richard Eakin, chair of the Task Force on Implementation of the Early Semester Calendar, presented the program conversions, commending the cooperation and effort by the colleges in their attempts to meet the conversion guidelines and timetables.

He noted the programs of the colleges of Musical Arts and Education, as presented, were in complete compliance with the guidelines, and he introduced three exceptions to those guidelines in the business conversion, two of which were approved prior to the endorsement of the total conversion.

Council approved eliminating Accounting 337 and Math 233 from the curriculum in the department of accounting and management information systems, pending endorsement by the appropriate college councils.

Also approved was a change in numbering for BA 303 (Business Communications) to BA 203. A proposed change to renumber Military Science 402 to 202 level was defeated.

In response to concerns from some council members that some points of non-compliance with conversion guidelines might not become apparent until later dates, Academic Council moved that significant discrepancies discovered between the conversion guidelines and the actual converted curriculum should be referred to the proper college councils for the standard curriculum modification process.

In other business, council moved to table the proposal for a semi-autonomous School of Home Economics until certain issues regarding the proposal can be clarified.

Council also approved a revision in the statement on dual degrees as now published in the Undergraduate Catalog. The revision removes the requirement of a 3.0 grade point average for students desiring to pursue two degree programs in different colleges.

Savings plan campaign begins

Bowling Green will participate in a U.S. Savings Bond campaign through the remainder of this month.

All faculty, contract and classified staff will receive with their regular March paychecks a brochure which explains the Payroll Savings Plan and a card which authorizes payroll deduction for savings bonds.

The card is to be returned to the payroll office by those interested in the bond program.

Bonds will pay nine percent interest when held to their full eight-year maturity, earn eight and one-half percent when held at least five years, and yield a six percent return after the first year.

Bonds are exempt from state and local income taxes, and reporting of interest for federal tax purposes may be deferred until the bonds are converted to cash, disposed of or reach final maturity.

Procedure set for athletic search

Interim President Ferrari has announced the membership of an advisory committee which will guide the search and screening process for a new athletic director to succeed James Lessig, who is leaving the University.

Dr. Marvin Kumer, psychology, faculty representative to the National Collegiate Athletic Association and the Mid-American Conference, will chair the Search and Screening Advisory Committee.

Other members are Myron Chenault, associate vice president of legal, staff and contract relations; James Parker, president of the BGSU Foundation board of directors and a 1957 graduate of the University; Dr. Eldon Snyder, sociology; Faith Jackson, speech communication; Jerry York, head coach, hockey; Carole Huston, associate director, athletics; and undergraduate student athletes Dour Carr (football) and Sara Ringle (volleyball). Mary Grant, secretary to the president, will be secretary for the committee.

The advisory committee is seeking nominees or applicants with an advanced degree, a philosophy of athletics that is consistent with the aims and character of the University as a quality residential institution, and demonstrated effectiveness in management or business-related activities and private fund-raising.

Successful experiences in coaching and athletic administration also are desirable.

The members of the committee will serve as the key advisers to Dr. Ferrari regarding the appointment of a new athletic director and will make arrangements for select faculty and student groups to meet final candidates for the position.

April 12 has been set as the deadline for applications or nominations. The new director is expected to be named later this spring.

Computer offered to departments

The University's IBM System 7 energy management computer is scheduled to be replaced, and the current equipment will then be available for transfer to any University department.

Offices or departments interested in the computer should contact Otis Block in the purchasing department (372-0411) before Thursday, March 18.

If the computer is not claimed for use on campus, it will be considered a trade-in when the new equipment is purchased.
Rec Center memberships on sale

Spring quarter memberships to the Student Recreation Center will go on sale today (March 15) for $31 for a regular member and $15 for the special limited access LiFT ticket.

Regular memberships are valid immediately; the LiFT ticket will not be valid until March 29, although LiFT members may purchase a $3 guest pass anytime during the quarter break.

All faculty, contract and classified staff (full- and part-time, permanent and temporary) are eligible to purchase Rec Center memberships, which are being sold in the center office. The spouse of a regular member may join for one-half price ($15.50), allowing all children of the household under the age of 18 to join free of charge. For further information, contact the Rec Center office (372-2711).

Spring quarter hours were published in last Monday's MONITOR.

The following Center hours will be observed during finals week and the winter quarter break:

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Meetings to help cut mail costs

The campus postal service will offer two workshops on cutting postal costs on Tuesday, March 23, in 105 Hanna Hall.

The recently approved "first class" pre-sort program will be discussed at both sessions, which will be held at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Postal officials from Bowling Green and Toledo will attend to answer questions concerning the pre-sort and other postal procedures.

Because the workshops have been designed to reduce overall University mailing costs, a representative from each office and department should attend one of the two sessions.

The pre-sort, first class savings takes effect on Monday, March 15.

Questions about the workshops or the pre-sort procedure should be directed to Jim Clemens in the University post office (372-2310).

Datebook

Exhibits

Graduate Student Art Show, through March 21, Fine Arts Gallery, School of Art. Gallery hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 2-5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

Sculpture by T.P. Curtis of St. Louis, through April 23, McFaul Center Gallery. Gallery hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and on weekends by appointment only. Appointments can be made by contacting Mary Wolfe, director of the gallery (372-2211).

Monday, March 15

Brown Out, sponsored by the University's Energy Task Force, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. All members of the campus community will be asked to voluntarily reduce electrical energy consumption between these hours. The event will be monitored via the System 7 computer with print-outs issued every 15 minutes.

Peter Rieckhoff of West Berlin will give a guest clarinet recital, 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center.

He also will give a clarinet master class at 10:30 a.m. in the recital hall. Admission to both is free.

Tuesday, March 16

International Coffee Hour, 1:30 p.m., 17 Williams Hall.

Bowling Green Peace Coalition, planning session for "Ground Zero Week" and other events, 7 p.m., Talt Room, Union.

Spring quarter registration for evening students, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Grand Ballroom, Union.

Wednesday, March 17

Think Tank, open to students and faculty interested in planning future Student Recreation Center programs, 3 p.m., Hooley Conference Room, Rec Center.

Spring quarter registration for evening students, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Grand Ballroom, Union.

Thursday, March 18

International Coffee Hour, 1:30 p.m., 17 Williams Hall.

Saturday, March 20

Commencement, 10 a.m., Memorial Hall.

Faculty/Staff Positions, 1982-83

The following staff positions have been approved:


Athletics: Director. Letters of application or nomination should be sent to Marvin Kumler, chair, Search and Screening Committee, Office of the President. Deadline: April 14, 1982.

Employment Opportunities

CLASSIFIED EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

NEW VACANCIES

Posting Expiration Date: Monday, March 22

3-22-1 Maintenance Repair Worker 2 Pay Range 5 Technical Support Services

3-22-2 Typist 2 Pay Range 4 Graduate College

3-22-3 Library Assistant Pay Range 4 University Library/ Governance Documents Permanent part-time

CONTINUED VACANCIES

Posting Expiration Date: Monday, March 15

3-15-1 Laboratory Technician 2 Pay Range 25 Biological Sciences Full-time grant-funded position (paid from external funds)