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Olscamp answers questions at ASC meeting Oct. 1

In an address to Administrative Staff Council, President Olscamp covered a wide variety of topics from the budget situation to health care to the snow emergency policy.

Olscamp spoke to the council at its Oct. 1 meeting. He said he still has no word from the state about any further cuts to higher education. However, if another round of cuts does occur, Olscamp said he expects primary education won't be exempt this time. "K through 12 (kindergarten through 12th grade) could probably handle a significant percentage of the cuts and that would make a big difference for us," he said.

The University is better prepared at this time if more cuts do occur, the president said. "We shouldn't have to make personnel reductions this time around," he said.

Due to the higher education budget crisis, Olscamp said he thinks some kind of tax increase is going to be necessary to support education into the next biennium. But even once the crisis is over, universities will not be in the same position they were in the 1980s when funds were more readily available. "But I hope we get to a point where we aren't slashing programs or personnel," he said.

On the topic of salaries, Olscamp said he never envisioned the University going for such a long time without an increase. If no further cuts occur, the Board of Trustees have approved an increase using a \$4 million reserve fund.

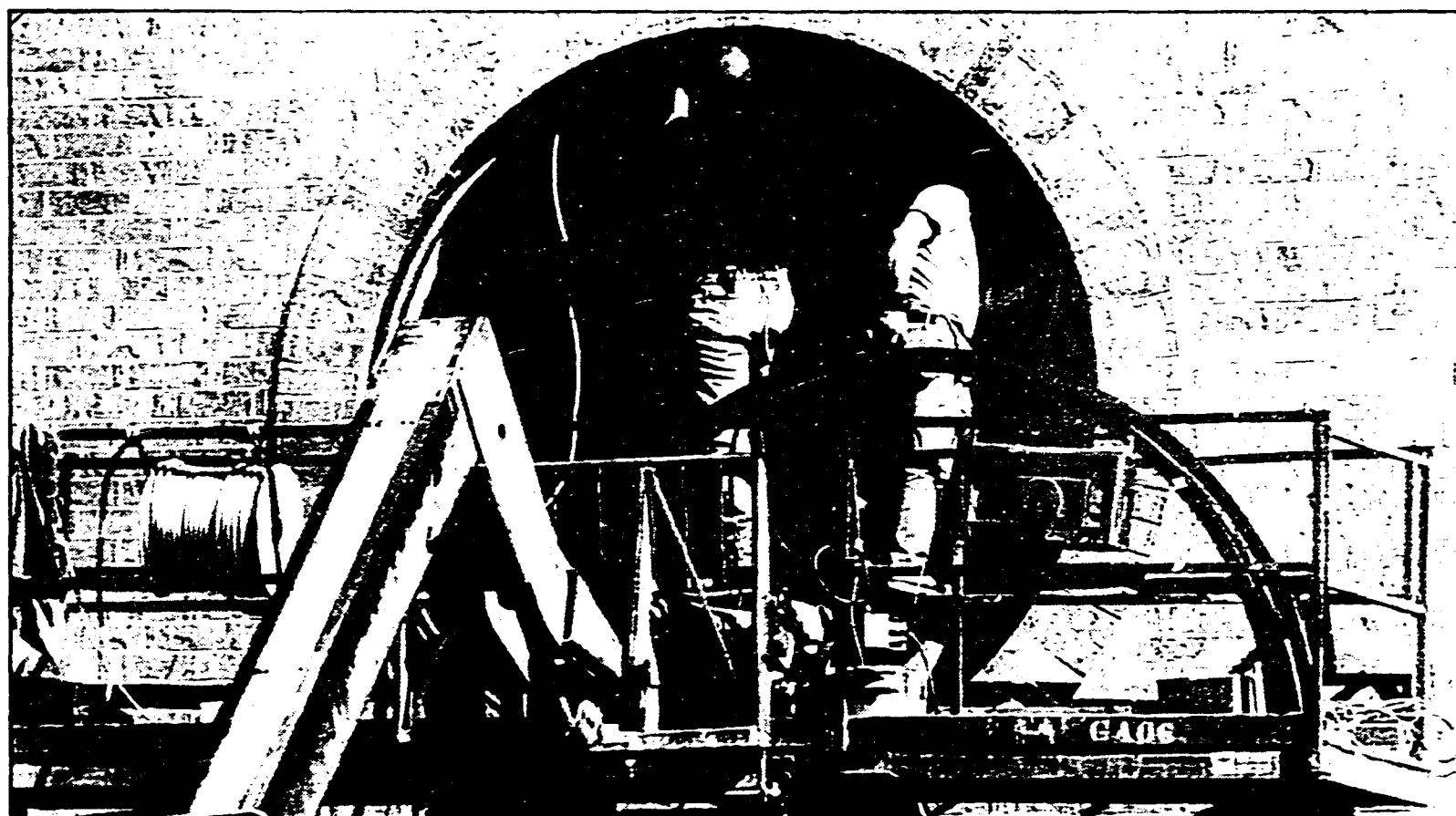
In answer to some council members' questions about the possible salary increases, Olscamp said the University will grant them when there is knowledge that there will be no more budget cuts during the period of January to June 30, 1993. "If we can be pretty well assured that the threat of reductions is over, we could make a decision about increases in late January," he said.

There has been no determination of the size of any possible salary increase, but Olscamp said if there are no cuts, the \$4 million fund would provide approximately a six percent increase.

Even if the faculty choose to go to a collective bargaining system, it will not affect a salary increase for administrative or classified staff, he said.

On other topics, Olscamp said he has asked the three constituent groups to submit recommendations on the Health Care Task Force report which he plans to send to the Insurance Committee to review. "Until we can give a general salary increase, I feel I can't implement

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Workmen prepare one of the windows for glass installation at the University's new intramural fieldhouse, located just north of the Student Recreation Center. The \$8.7 million complex, which went under construction in September 1991, is expected to be completed and in use by early January. The building will be used for intramural sports, physical education classes and intercollegiate athletics. It's 130,000 square feet will contain administrative offices, showers and locker rooms, with one of the wings featuring a track and the other covered with turf for field sports.

Change results in more consistency, functionality

Project-90's Student Information System to go online

Project-90 will reach another milestone when its next phase, the Student Information System, goes online Oct. 19.

The system covers all student demographic information, undergraduate admissions, graduate admissions, on-campus housing and financial aid. The two remaining parts of SIS will go online in the future, registration in the summer of 1993 and the bursar's office in mid-October 1993.

"SIS is larger than CUFS (College and University Financial System) and HRS (Human Resource System) combined," said Dr. Ron Lancaster, director of Project-90. "We felt more comfortable with a phase-in approach. We're trying to implement the various parts of SIS at the most appropriate time."

Project-90, which started in 1990, has entailed a massive, multi-year effort to upgrade key central administrative computing systems at the University. Integrated systems have been installed that work together and allow offices to interface with one another and share information.

CUFS went online July 1, 1991, and HRS began Dec. 8, 1991.

By changing to SIS, Lancaster said offices will be able to better share student

demographic information, such as names, addresses, gender, birthdays and other basic information. The former way of entering that data ended Oct. 2 but offices will still be able to see the updated information appear on the old system for a year. "New information will be copied back on the old system for a while to make the transition period a little easier," Lancaster said.

With undergraduate and graduate admissions, any student being admitted next semester will be put on the new system. Also, when a change is made on the new system, it will be added immediately instead of later that day in a batch run.

On-campus housing will continue to process applications for next semester on the old system, Lancaster said, but the new system will take over for students applying to live on-campus next summer. "We wanted to start their new system when all the residence halls were empty to make it easier, so that won't be until next summer," he said. "This office will have a particularly big challenge because they will be using the old and new system essentially at the same time."

Each department or office affected by SIS has been responsible for arranging

its own staff training. Lancaster said the two available training rooms in the Administration Building and the Health Center have been heavily booked as staffs prepare to go online.

Although the system changeover may seem a little complicated at first, Lancaster said the result will be more consistency and functionality. "There is a lot more we can do with the new system, but that means the system also calls for more data," he said.

Once SIS has been fully implemented, the final phase to go online will be the Development Management System (DMS) that will affect alumni and development. Project-90 will set up the system but computer services and the alumni and development offices will actually coordinate the implementation. The Project-90 office will close on June 30, 1994, which is before the installation of DMS is complete.

Lancaster said he has been pleased with the way the project has progressed and that the benefits of the new systems have outweighed the disadvantages.

"Our vendor says we have been a model campus in how this project has

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Senate decides to hold an on-call meeting to discuss recommendations

Faculty Senate continued to struggle at its Oct. 6 meeting with making recommendations to the Health Care Task Force.

President Olscamp had asked the campus' constituency groups to make recommendations to the task force's report by Oct. 1. At last month's senate meeting, members tabled recommendations that had been prepared by the Faculty Welfare Committee because they thought they were vague and prompted too many unanswered questions. Olscamp granted the body an extension to Nov. 1 to submit its report.

At the Oct. 6 meeting, the issue was taken off the table with a revised set of recommendations, but again many members had questions and felt there was not enough time for adequate discussion. An on-call meeting has been set to discuss the topic at 2:30 p.m. Oct. 20 in the Assembly Room of McFall Center.

Many senators were concerned that the recommendations only addressed portions of the task force's report, and therefore questioned if that meant Faculty Senate endorsed the rest of the report.

Dr. Harold Lunde, chair of the FWC, said the recommendations were not meant to be an endorsement, but simply "comments and suggestions concerning the report."

He added that the committee's main objective in its recommendations is that it wants to see the University controlling medical costs while maintaining medical benefits for the employees.

Once Olscamp receives the constituency groups' recommendations, he will forward them for review by the Insurance Committee.

In other business, the senate approved a resolution to form a committee that will create guidelines for evaluating the president of the University.

In February 1991 the senate passed a motion calling for an Academic Charter

amendment authorizing the body to conduct a periodic evaluation of the president. The motion was forwarded to the Board of Trustees.

Dr. Lester Barber, executive assistant to the president, read the board's response to the motion, dated April 17, 1992. It stated, "Under Ohio law the governance of Bowling Green State University is vested in its Board of Trustees. Pursuant to this charge, the board's bylaws indicate that the trustees have the sole responsibility for evaluating the president of the University. In fulfilling this responsibility the board considers information of many different types. Over the years it has reiterated on a number of occasions its willingness to consider input from different sources, naturally including all University constituent groups. Such input is useful, particularly when it results from orderly, consistently managed data analysis and is not crisis oriented.

"However, the board is convinced that it would be inappropriate to place any specific procedures for evaluating the president in the Academic Charter, believing that such procedures would limit input from the constituent groups and the authority and freedom of action of the Board of Trustees."

Also during the meeting an eight-part proposal making various changes to grading practices was approved. The changes go into effect June 1993.

As senate representative to the Ohio Board of Regents Advisory Board, Lunde gave a report on the three major recommendation areas being presented by the governor-appointed Managing for the Future Task Force. Lunde said there are many good parts to the report, but there are also some parts that will have grave consequences for Ohio's universities.

A public hearing on the task force report will be held at 4:30 p.m. Nov. 5 at the University of Toledo in the Driscoll Center Auditorium.

University has 13 new faces in dean, director or chair positions this year

Thirteen dean, director or chair positions at the University have new faces this year.

In the College of Arts and Sciences, Ralph Townsend is serving as interim dean; Joseph Frizado is chair of the geology department; Laurence Jankowski is interim chair in journalism; Roger Anderson is the acting chair in political science; Christopher Geist is interim chair in popular culture; and Ellen Berry is the director of the women's studies program.

In the College of Business Administration, LTC Joseph Chase is chair of aerospace studies. In the College of Health and Human Services, Judy Kiser is acting chair of social work. In libraries and learning resources, Mary Beth Zachary has been named head of access services, while C. Martin Rosen is head of bibliographic services and Elizabeth Wood is head of information services.

At Firelands College, Jan Adams has been named chair of applied science and John Pommersheim is chair of natural and social sciences.

Deans, directors and chairs returning to their posts this year include the following:

In the College of Arts and Sciences —

Thomas Hilty, director of the School of Art; Reginald Noble, chair of biological sciences; Douglas Neckers, chair of chemistry; Ann-Marie Lancaster, chair of computer science; Richard Gebhardt, chair of English; Berry Cobb, director of environmental programs; Robert Perry, chair of ethnic studies; Alvar Carlson, chair of geography; Klaus Schmidt, chair of German, Russian and East Asian Languages; Gary Hess, chair of history; John Makay, chair of interpersonal communication; Bruce Klopfenstein, chair of telecommunications; Andrew Glass, chair of mathematics and statistics; Thomas Attig, chair of philosophy; Robert Boughton, chair of physics and astronomy; Charles J. Cranny, chair of psychology; Henry Garrity, chair of romance languages; Meredith Pugh, chair of sociology; and Allen Kepke, chair of theatre.

The College of Business Administration — Fred Williams, dean; Park Leathers, chair of accounting and management information systems; Wei Shih, chair of applied statistics and operations research; David Hyslop, chair of business education; J. David Reed,

chair of economics; Paul Mueller, chair of finance; Donald Boren, chair of legal studies; James McFillen, chair of management; James West, chair of marketing; and LTC Ronald Hover, chair of military science.

The College of Education and Allied Professions — Ronald Russell, dean; Elsa McMullen, chair of applied human ecology; Patricia Reed, chair of educational administration and supervision; Robert Oana, chair of educational curriculum and instruction; Trevor Phillips, chair of educational foundations and inquiry; Mary Ann Robertson, director of the School of Health, Physical Education and Recreation; Carney Strange, chair of higher education and student affairs; and Richard Wilson, chair of special education.

The College of Health and Human Services — Clyde Willis, dean; Linda Petrosino, chair of communication disorders; Robert Harr, chair of medical technology; Joyce Shoemaker, dean of the School of Nursing (MCOT); and Barbara Keeley, coordinator of the School of Nursing (BGSU).

The College of Musical Arts — Robert Thayer, dean; Vincent Corrigan, chair of

composition and history; Victor Ellsworth, chair of music education; and Richard Cioffari, chair of performance studies.

The College of Technology — Thomas Erekson, dean; Sudershan Jetley, chair of technology systems; and Ernest Ezell, chair of visual communications and technology education.

In libraries and learning resources — Rush Miller, dean; Paul Yon, director of the Center for Archival Collections; and Kevin Work, director of instructional media services.

The Graduate College — Louis Katzner, associate vice president for research and dean.

Continuing Education, International and Summer Programs — Suzanne Crawford, dean.

Firelands College — Robert DeBard, dean; O. Dale Schnetzer, chair of humanities.

Exhibit at Firelands

A one-person exhibit of enamels and watercolors is currently on display in the Firelands Gallery at Firelands College. The works of artist Rose Marie P. Strippoli, Vermillion, will be in the gallery through Dec. 1.



"Centered Margins: Contemporary Art of the Americas Toward a Post-Colonial Culture" is the title of the exhibit on display in the new Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery in the Fine Arts Center. The exhibit illustrates the American experience as seen by artists such as Micaela Amato whose neon, plate glass, film and steel piece above is titled "Hearing Light, Seeing Sound." The display is on view through Nov. 1.

Academic areas urged to be conservative as they prepare plans for the future

At the September meeting of Undergraduate Council, Dr. Eloise Clark, vice president for academic affairs and chair of the council, urged academic units to be "very conservative" in planning for the future.

Clark made the statement as she gave a report on the state budget situation. No one knows yet if there will be further cuts, but if there are, there have been some indications that higher education might not be cut as severely as before, she said.

In the meantime, units should plan carefully, but Clark said this does not mean that momentum should be lost in seeking ways to improve building on the strong base that now exists.

In her report, Clark also indicated she is concerned about the State's Managing for the Future Task Force. While it makes some good recommendations such as those relating to improvement of student services and attention to faculty development and efficiency, it also has some potential threats to universities' autonomy.

Clark said the report calls for the Ohio Board of Regents to exert greater control and for the regents to help coordinate review of and approve each university's role and mission statement. There also is a recommendation that Ohio State University and the University of Cincinnati be selected as Ohio's comprehensive research universities.

Mainframe moves to Hayes Hall rescheduled

Due to Hayes Hall construction delays, some of the University mainframe computer moves are being rescheduled. The VAX 8650 (Andy) and the VAX 6610 (Opie), which were targeted to move on the weekend of Oct. 17-18, have been rescheduled to move the weekend of Nov. 20-21. The moves of the IBM 9121 (Radar) and 4341 (Trapper) remain on

target for the weekend of Oct. 31-Nov. 1. Every effort will be made to minimize computer downtime during these periods.

All of the computer services offices in the Student Health Center, Math Science Building, Administration Building, College Park Office Building and Shatzel Hall will be relocated to Hayes Hall.

Ellis will speak at 'Breakfast in BG' on Oct. 23

Crystal Ellis, superintendent of the Toledo Public Schools, will discuss "The Status of Public Education Today" at the Oct. 23 "Breakfast in BG" to be held at the Mileti Alumni Center.

Ellis began his teaching career in

1969 and held a number of teaching and administrative positions in the Toledo schools before being named superintendent in January 1991.

He holds both bachelor's and master's degrees from Bowling Green and was chosen "Alumnus of the Year" by the College of Education and Allied Professions in 1988. A basketball standout, he was inducted into BGSU's Athletic Hall of Fame in 1971.

The Oct. 23 event will begin at 7:30 a.m. and conclude by 8:45 a.m. The cost is \$4.50 per person.

Reservations can be made by contacting Marcia Latta, development, at 372-2424. Seating is limited.

Let's talk numbers

Baseball writer Bill James, Harvard University professor Hal Stern and several other leading statisticians will speak at the annual Ohio Statistics Conference to be held Saturday (Oct. 17) on campus.

About 100 college and university students from around the state are expected to attend the daylong event at the Towers Inn Room in McDonald Quadrangle.

Preregistration for the conference is \$8 if completed before Oct. 12 and \$12 after that date. The fee includes lunch.

To register, send a check to: Dr. James Sullivan, College of Business Administration. Checks should be made payable to Bowling Green State University.

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any part of the report that would cost the University money," he said. "If there are parts that don't cost the University money, we will see if the Board of Trustees will approve them by February to be implemented in March."

In response to a question about the Supplemental Retirement Program for administrative staff, Olscamp admitted that University administrators are considering suspending it. He cited that the program is not widely used among administrative staff and that it is not as easy to adapt their skills to just any area. "What they end up doing is menial tasks at a high rate. I don't think it's effective for those reasons while the faculty SRP is."

Elimination of the program is not expected before next fall, and the president said he would be willing to talk to council members if they wanted to propose a more efficient program.

One council member said he had heard that there was a possibility dependent fee waivers were going to be revoked on a statewide basis. Olscamp responded that this issue arises periodically in the Ohio House of Representatives and last year a legislator proposed a bill to eliminate the benefit. However, Speaker of the House Vern Riffe is opposed to the bill and it never made it to the floor. "I don't think you'll see it (elimination of the benefit) happen anytime soon," Olscamp said.

When asked about the status of planning for a campus day care center, the president said it is "in limbo." University officials have been unable to find any companies interested in building such a facility on campus and there is no University funding available, he said.

Olscamp also was asked if there were any plans to update the University's snow emergency policy. The question referred to an incident last year when classes were cancelled due to bad weather, but offices remained open. "No proposal has been presented to me, but I would be happy to consider one," Olscamp said. "I don't want to have a policy that threatens anyone's life unnecessarily."

During regular council business, members approved a resolution transferring more than \$2,000 from the Ferrari Award endowment project to the ASC Scholarship Fund. The award project monies had been raised to support the Ferrari Award, but the Board of Trustees are now providing funds for the award through an internal endowment fund.

Also approved at the meeting was a proposal for internal search processes for administrative staff vacancies. The proposal requests that the University provide employment preference to eligible employees for any administrative vacancies that are available during the budget crisis established as July 1, 1992 through June 30, 1993.

Eligible administrative staff members would be those whose contracts are not renewed or those whose work schedule is reduced in response to budget reductions. Administrative staff whose contracts are not renewed for other reasons such as poor performance or expiration of external funding are not eligible for the program.

The council also endorsed a WELLNET proposal for Campus Community Day and requested that a representative from ASC's Professional Development Committee serve on the WELLNET committee to aid in the development of events for the day.

FACULTY/STAFF RECOGNITIONS

June 8-July 17.

Beth A. Casey, arts and sciences, has been made a Fellow of the Society for Values in Higher Education.

Josh Kaplan, health services, was elected to a two-year term on the executive board of the Ohio College Health Association at the annual meeting in March.

Don Boren, legal studies, was elected secretary to the Tri-State Regional Business Law Association.

Kendall Stiles, political science, has been accepted as an international affairs fellow by the Council on Foreign Relations based in New York.

Judith Bentley, music, has been named the first winner of the Pro Musica Faculty/Staff Award for Service to Students.

John J. Makay, interpersonal communication, received special recognition from the Eastern Communication Association for his service as executive secretary from 1989 to 1991.

Denise Trauth, telecommunications and graduate college, has been elected chair of the communication law and policy interest group of the International Communication Association.

Susan W. Young, cooperative education, will serve on the Ohio Cooperative Education Association (OCEA) executive board and chair the OCEA Awards Committee for 1992-93.

Charles H. McCaghy, sociology, conducted a seminar on public opinion toward prostitution for the Criminal Justice Commission of Queensland, in Brisbane, Australia.

Drs. Ernest Ezell, Dick Horton and Ernest Savage, technology, members of the Alpha Gamma Chapter of Epsilon Pi Tau, received the William E. Warner recognition for the outstanding chapter in the North Central Region.

Delores L. Reynolds, economics, was elected president of the Wood county Chapter of Professional Secretaries International for the year 1992-93.

William Schurk, libraries, chaired a paper session titled, "Music: Lyrics of War, Labels of Experimentation, and Lots of Lost Progressive Rock Bands" at the Twenty-Second Annual Convention of the Popular Culture Association and the Fourteenth Annual Convention of the American Culture Association (combined) in Louisville, Kentucky, on March 18-21.

Michael Leo McHugh, American culture studies, chaired a paper session titled, "Promo, Pomo, and Performance," at the Twenty-Second Annual Convention of the Popular Culture Association and the Fourteenth Annual Convention of the American Culture Association (combined) in Louisville, Kentucky, on March 18-21.

Bonnie Chambers, educational curriculum and instruction, has been appointed to the standing committee on affiliates of the National Council of Teachers of English.

Ron Lancaster, computer science, participated in two panel discussions at the First Annual Legend User's Group Conference, April 26-29 in Reston, VA. Topics covered were organizational impact of new technology and Legend integration.

Emily Freeman Brown, music, guest conducted the Sheboygan Symphony on May 16.

James Forse, history, was selected to participate in the NEH Humanities Institute on "The Theatre in History: The Social Function of Renaissance Dramatic Genres" at Folger Shakespeare Library, Washington, D.C. from

Benita Chambers, educational curriculum and instruction, was named in a proclamation from the Ohio State Legislature for her work in the Literary Educators and Advocates Forum program. Chambers also served as president of the Ohio Council of Teachers of Language Arts.

Dennis Hale, journalism, has been elected vice head of the 435-member law division of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. He will be program chair for the division for the 1993 AEJMC August convention in Kansas City.

Gary Silverman, health and human services, was elected general chair of the National Environmental Health Science and Protection Accreditation Council at the annual meeting, July 11-12.

Richard Gebhardt, education, was elected to the 1992-93 National Council of Teachers of English nominating committee.

Robert R. Spears, physics at Firelands College, consulted at the New Technologies for Teaching Physics workshop at the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs.

Audrey L. Rentz, higher education and student affairs, was the recipient of the Manuscript of the Year award presented by the Association of College and University Housing Officers-International for the article "The Residential Environment and Recidivism: Perceptions of First-Year Students," co-authored with Valerie Kern.

Michael P. French, educational curriculum and instruction, received the Outstanding Article Award for 1990-1991 from the Organization of Teacher Educators in Reading, for his article "Increasing Metacognitive Awareness Through Reflective Reading."

Richard Kennell, music, has been appointed to the learning theory committee of the National Conference on Piano Pedagogy.

Nominations taken for 'Who's Who'

Nominations by faculty and staff of students who hold the classification of senior are now being accepted for inclusion in the 1992-93 *Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges*.

The deadline for the application process is 5 p.m. Friday (Oct. 16) in the Student Activities and Orientation Office, 405 Student Services Building. Applications and nomination forms also are available in the Student Activities and Orientation office. A selection committee has been formed to review the nominations and will determine the final list to be submitted to the "Who's Who" national organization.

Criteria for selection are scholarship, citizenship, participation and leadership in academic and co-curricular activities and the promise of future contributions to business and society.

Submit fee waivers

All University staff members are reminded to complete and submit employee and dependent waivers for spring 1992 to the bursar's office.

DATEBOOK

Monday, Oct. 12

UCS Fall Seminar, "Microcomputer Concepts," 1:30-3:30 p.m., 120 College Park. Lecture. For reservations call 372-2102.

Hispanic Heritage Month, symposium panel, "Should Christopher Columbus Day be Celebrated?" 7 p.m., Community Suite, Union.

International Film Series, "Europa Europa," (Poland/France/Germany, 1991) 8 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

WBGU-TV Program, "Space Age," six-part series begins, looks at man's longing to make space the next frontier from social, economic, scientific and technological perspectives, 8 p.m.

WBGU-TV Program, "Surviving Columbus," looks at the arrival of European settlers in North America from the perspective of the Pueblo Indians, 9 p.m.

Tickets on Sale for the Oct. 25 performance of Brahms' "A German Requiem," Moore Musical Arts Center box office. For tickets call 372-8171.

Exhibit, "Masks of Fire," works by Adrian Tio Diaz, School of Art faculty member, Kennedy Green Room, Moore Musical Arts Center. Free. On display through Oct. 16.

Exhibit, "Centered Margins: Contemporary Art of the Americas Toward a Post-Colonial Culture," Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Fine Arts Center. Free. On display through Nov. 1.

Exhibit, Rose Marie P. Strippoli will be showing her first one-person show of enamels and watercolors, Firelands Gallery. On display through Dec. 1.

Tuesday, Oct. 13

UCS Fall Seminar, "Hands on with DOS 4.0 (IBM)," 9-11 a.m., 120 College Park. Hands on. To register call 372-2102.

Lecture by Samuel Kotz, writer and researcher, "Probability and Statistics: Uneasy Coexistence?" sponsored by the Northwest

OBITUARY

Marie A. Kern

Marie A. Kern, 86, a former assistant director of the Johnston Hospital, died Sept. 29 at the Community Nursing Home in Bowling Green.

Johnston Hospital was a former medical facility located on campus which is now Johnston Hall.

Memorials may be made to the Wood County Senior Center or the Deshler Presbyterian Church.

CLASSIFIED EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

New vacancies

Posting expiration date for employees to apply: Noon, Friday, Oct. 16.

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FACULTY/STAFF POSITIONS

The following faculty positions are available:

Firelands College: Dean. Contact Norma Stickler (372-2915). Deadline: Nov. 3. Also, assistant professor of mathematics, department of natural and social sciences; Also, assistant professor of biology, department of natural and social sciences. For both positions, contact the Office of the Dean, Firelands College (433-5560, ext 223). Deadlines: Feb. 1.

Information Services/Library: Coordinator of collection development. Contact Search Committee, Jerome Library, Office of the Dean (372-2856). Deadline: Review of applications will begin Dec. 30 and continue until position is filled.

Ohio Chapter of the American Statistical Association, 7:30 p.m., 459 Mathematical Sciences Building. For more information call 372-7461.

Poetry Reading, "Any One Man," poems by Roy Bentley, 7:30 p.m., Prout Chapel, sponsored by the creative writing program.

International Film Series, "Mediterraneo," (Italy, 1991) 8 p.m., Gish Film Theater.

Wednesday, Oct. 14

UCS Fall Seminar, "Spreadsheet (Mac)," 9:30-11:30 a.m., 248B Technology. Hands on. To register call 372-2102.

Midweek Prayer, ecumenical event, sponsored by United Campus Ministries, noon-12:30 p.m., Capital Room, Union. All welcome.

Lambda Lunch, gay/lesbian faculty, staff and graduate students meet for lunch and conversation. Call the Link for details, 352-1545.

Elsewhere Theatre Production, "The Comedy of Errors," 8 p.m., 411 South Hall. General admission tickets are \$2 each and are available only at the door. Seating is limited.

Hispanic Heritage Month, film, "Old Gringo," 8 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

WBGU-TV Program, "The Cuban Missile Crisis: At the Brink," looks back at the week America and the Soviet Union stood at the edge of nuclear war during President John F. Kennedy's administration, 9-10 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 15

UCS Fall Seminar, "Hard Disk Set Up (IBM)," 9-11 a.m., computer lab, Williams Hall. Hands on. To register call 372-2102.

Library Computer Demonstrations, "ABI/INFORM," 3-3:30 p.m., Conference Room, Jerome Library. For more information and reservations, call 372-2362.

Library Computer Demonstrations, "Philosophers' Index," 4-4:30 p.m., Conference Room, Jerome Library. For more information and reservations, call 372-2362.

Hispanic Heritage Month, "Game Night," 7 p.m., Amani Room, Lower Level Commons.

Elsewhere Theatre Production, "The Comedy of Errors," 8 p.m., 411 South Hall. General admission tickets are \$2 each and are available only at the door. Seating is limited.

Film, "The Absent-Minded Professor," 9 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Classified employee retires from the custodial staff

Pat Stephenson, a classified staff member, is retiring after a 21-year career at the University. She began working on campus in 1972 on the custodial staff at Conklin Hall.

Stephenson's mother worked for the University and her two daughters, Joanne Amos and Carol Hintz, currently work on campus.



Pat Stephenson

Friday, Oct. 16

Film, "JFK," 35 mm screening, 7 p.m. and 10:30 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Admission is \$1.50.

Hockey, vs. Toronto, 7 p.m., ice arena.
Volleyball, vs. Akron, 7 p.m., Anderson Arena.

Concert, Romanovsky & Phillips will perform, 8 p.m., Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center. Tickets are free for University students and \$5 for all others.

Elsewhere Theatre Production, "The Comedy of Errors," 8 p.m., 411 South Hall. General admission tickets are \$2 and are available only at the door. Seating is limited.

Saturday, Oct. 17

Women's Golf hosts Falcon Invitational, 9 a.m., Forrest Creason Golf Course.

Hispanic Heritage Month, Kids Mentor Program begins, noon, Student Services Building.

Elsewhere Theatre Production, "The Comedy of Errors," 2 p.m. and 8 p.m., 411 South Hall. General admission tickets are \$2 each and are available only at the door. Seating is limited.

Hispanic Heritage Month, "Cultural Day," 6:30 p.m., Amani Room, Lower Level Commons.

Volleyball, vs. Kent, 7 p.m., Anderson Arena.

Film, "JFK," 35 mm screening, 7 p.m. and 10:30 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Admission is \$1.50.

WBGU-TV Program, "Columbus and the Age of Discovery," seven-part series, 8 p.m.

Dance, Harvest Moon Dance, begins at 8 p.m., Lenhart Grand Ballroom, Union. Tickets are \$15 a couple. For more information or for tickets, call 372-8181.

Sunday, Oct. 18

Hispanic Heritage Month, Kids Mentor Program continues.

Women's Golf hosts Falcon Invitational, 9 a.m., Forrest Creason Golf Course.

Soccer, vs. Detroit Mercy, 2 p.m., Mickey Cochrane Field.

Concert, Fall Wind Ensemble and Fall Concert Band, 3 p.m., Kobacker Hall, Moore

FOR SALE

The School of Art has for sale the following equipment: two Beseler 23C enlargers for \$100 each; one Omega B-66 for \$75; one Omega D-2 enlarger for \$100; two Omega B-22 enlargers for \$75 each; one Omega D-2 chassis for \$50; one Omega B-600 color head enlarger for \$75; five Master Time-O-Lite timers for \$5 each; and two Beseler motor bases plus several color processing tubes (8 x 10 and 11 X 14) for \$10 each.

Most of the equipment is in good working condition. For more information, call Lynn Whitney, photo area, School of Art, at 372-2786.

Internal auditing has for sale to any University department a CICS-ready IBM PC model 3270 in excellent condition. The system has a color monitor, 640 K of RAM, a 32Meg hard drive, one 5.25-inch floppy drive, extended keyboard and an Epson NLQ 24 pin printer, model LQ-850. The system comes complete with Multimate Advantage word processor, Lotus 1-2-3, DOS and PC File Plus database. The price is \$750, but is open to offers. Contact internal auditing at 372-9940 or see the unit at 913 Administration Building.

Musical Arts Center. Free.

Screening, "Queens of Columbus: Performance & the Art of Illusion," a 30-minute documentary that focuses on female illusionists from central Ohio, 8 p.m. and 9 p.m., Gish Film Theater, Hanna Hall, \$2.

Concert, Brass Quintet will perform in the Bryan Chamber Series, 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center. Free.

Monday, Oct. 19

Hispanic Heritage Month, "The Importance of Skin Wellness," presented by Karen Madachik, Mary Kay Consultant, 8 p.m., Ohio Suite, Union.

International Film Series, "Ashik Kerib," (USSR, 1988) 8 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Five holidays still remain in 1992

Five holidays observed by the University remain in 1992. They are: Veteran's Day, Wednesday, Nov. 11 (but classes are in session); Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, Nov. 26; reassignment of President's Day (a floating holiday), Friday, Nov. 27; reassignment of Columbus Day (a floating holiday), Thursday, Dec. 24; and Christmas Day, Friday, Dec. 25.

Seminars scheduled

Computer services has scheduled several seminars in the upcoming weeks. Persons interested in participating should call 372-2102 to register.

The following seminars are being offered:

"Database Fundamentals" will be held from 9-11 a.m. Oct. 20 in 120 College Park Office Building. The session introduces students to relational database design. It includes concepts such as file components, field uses, data types, indexing, hard disk usage and relationships. Lecture.

"Intro to PC-File+ (IBM)" is set from 9-11 a.m. Oct. 27 in 120 College Park Office Building. It will introduce database operations including filing information, sorting records and printing reports. The seminar is intended for anyone doing simple record-keeping and mailing lists. A working knowledge of DOS is recommended. Hands on.

"Intro to Foxpro(IBM)" will be from 9-11 a.m. Oct. 29 in the Williams Lab. This seminar introduces students to database management with Foxpro. Additional topics include importing data and generating reports. Ability to program not required. Hands on.

"Microsoft Word I (Mac)" is scheduled from 9-11 a.m. Nov. 2 in 248B Technology Building. It will introduce Microsoft Word for the Mac with emphasis on creation and storing of files, editing commands, layouts, etc. This is part one of a two-part seminar on Microsoft Word and prior knowledge of Macintosh concepts is recommended. Hands on.

"Microsoft Word II (Mac)" is set from 9-11 a.m. Nov. 6 in 248B Technology Building. The seminar will cover additional features of Microsoft Word and a few advanced features of the word processing package. Hands on.