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ESL Week highlights programs for visitors to U.S.

As the population of the United States continues to include more people from around the globe, the need for teachers of English has increased dramatically.

The University is particularly affected by the influx of international students whose educational needs may be quite different from their American counterparts.

To highlight the situation, Gov. George Voinovich has declared Feb. 27 - March 3 as "English as a Second Language (ESL) and Bilingual Education Week."

There will be several events taking place on campus to mark the occasion, according to Dr. Virginia Martin, coordinator of the University's ESL testing and placement program.

On March 1, a panel of five visiting scholars will conduct a forum to describe the educational settings in their countries. "We're extremely interested in having anyone who works with international students, particularly those who teach them, come to listen to these visiting faculty talk about what educational assumptions and expectations exist for these students. They're very different from what we have here," said Dr. Shirley Ostler, coordinator of the master's program in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL).

She said it is incorrect to assume international students are familiar with the American style of doing things, such as classroom manners, the



Lisa McCallum, an intern in the TESL program, shows her students pictures of an American wedding. McCallum said she tries to offer insight into American culture during her English conversation class, which meets for two hours a week at the United Christian Fellowship Church near campus. Virginia Martin, coordinator of ESL testing and placement is sitting in on the class (third from left).

proper way to write papers and using library resources. If students and teachers can operate under the same set of principles, the education process will flow much more smoothly, Ostler said.

The discussion will be held from noon to 1:45 p.m. in the Jerome Library Conference Room.

A free showing of the film "America, America" will be held March 1 at 7:30 p.m. in the Gish Theater.

Also that week, students in the ESL program will have a table in the University Union foyer from 10 to 3 p.m. Monday through Thursday to provide information on careers in ESL and TESOL, including opportunities for teaching ESL abroad. They will also have information on the University's ESL and master's degree in TESOL programs.

Display cases containing materials about ESL and TESOL will be set up in

the library and the union, and in the Wood County District Library.

Gov. Voinovich listed a series of goals in designating the week. They included heightening public awareness of what ESL is and of the expertise needed to teach it. Another goal is to provide a forum for ESL and bilingual students to gain recognition as important resources and contributors to society and to the state of Ohio.

Reading Center director travels to Colombia to assist program headed by a former student

Dr. Michael P. French, director of the Reading Center, is going to great lengths to help a former student. Last Friday he went as far as Medellin, Colombia, where Jeffrey M. Jurkovic serves as director of elementary education at Colegio Cristobal Colon (The Columbus School).

Jurkovic invited his former professor to spend a week at his school, providing inservice programs and demonstration teaching for the Cristobal staff.

"I think that professors of education have a responsibility to provide assistance and support to our alumni whenever possible," French said. "We try to keep in touch with our alumni, and faculty in the College of Education and Allied Professions are often called upon to do inservice programs by our graduates as

they move into positions of responsibility in the schools."

Although most of those inservice programs have been much closer to Bowling Green, this will be French's second trip to South America. Three years ago he was one of three University faculty members who presented a week-long inservice program at a Bowling Green partner-school in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

"In the U.S., it is fairly easy to call a nearby university or arrange for a master teacher in the field to put on an afternoon workshop," French said. "They do not have those kinds of resources in Colombia, so they welcome the expertise of American educators and, when they can get the funding to bring someone in, they

make the most of the experience."

During the first four days of his stay, French will be visiting and teaching in Cristobal classrooms under the watchful gaze of a video camera.

"I will be demonstrating the concept of inclusive co-teaching, as well as teaching reading in a holistic manner," French said. "At the end of each day, we will 'debrief' the videotapes. The teachers will have a chance to look at them and ask questions about various teaching techniques."

Jurkovic has after-school activities planned for French, as well. He will be advising members of a faculty committee charged with the selection of new textbooks.

In addition, French will present an all-

day inservice program on such topics as whole language teaching methods, assessment, and working with children at risk. A second workshop will focus on the use of computers as teaching tools.

French uses computers extensively at the BGSU Reading Center, where elementary students are encouraged to write "books" about their experiences.

"Our goal is to increase students' interest in reading and everyone likes to read about themselves," French said.



Michael French

Panel to discuss life with HIV/AIDS

People living with HIV/AIDS will give their view of how the virus has affected their relationships, careers and dreams in a panel program to be held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday (Feb. 21) in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom.

The program, titled "Fighting for Their Lives: Persons Living With HIV/AIDS," is open to faculty, staff and students.

A resource table will also be set up during the program to provide updated information on HIV testing, AIDS and services offered on campus and in the community.

"Fighting for Their Lives" is sponsored by the College of Health and Human Services, David's House of Compassion, Student Health Service and the Student WELLness Center. It is one of several events scheduled on campus for February in recognition of "Romance and Responsibility Month." For additional information call the WELLness Center at 2-8302.

Classified staff needed for council

Self-nominations for open seats on Classified Staff Council are being accepted until March 20.

Seven new three-year terms and two unexpired one-year terms are available for representatives from the following areas: planning and budgeting (three-year term), auxiliary support services — food (three-year term), auxiliary support services — food (one-year, unexpired term), operations — physical plant (three-year term), operations — physical plant (one-year unexpired term), academic affairs (three-year term), student affairs (three-year term), auxiliary support services — non-food (three-year term), operations/management support services (three-year term).

Any classified staff person who wishes to run for one of these positions must send his/her name, job title, department, years at the University and campus phone number to: CSC Elections, P.O. Box 91, Bowling Green State University.

Ballots for voting on the nominees will be mailed out to all classified staff April 13 to be returned by April 25.

For further information contact Jim Lein at 2-7984.

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Coffee talk

Coffee and cookies were served on Valentine's Day at the Jerome Library Conference Room during a program presented by The Friends. In addition to the refreshments, coffee sippers were treated to a lecture by Kelly Wicks, owner of Grounds for Thought coffeehouse. Among other things, Wicks talked about the national trend in coffee consumption which has resulted in the establishment of an estimated 5,000 coffee shops in the U.S. compared to only 250 when Grounds for Thought opened in 1989.

Environmental researcher to give views of U.S., Canadian pollution

A researcher in the field of Canadian-American environmental relations will speak at 7:30 p.m., Feb. 27, in 095 Overman Hall.

Dr. Alan Schwartz, professor of biology and director of environmental studies at St. Lawrence University in Canton, New York, will speak on "Managing Cross-Border Pollution: Integrating Environmental Science and International Policy." A question-and-answer period will follow.

The lecture is free and open to the public.

Schwartz has received grants from

the Canadian embassy to study the controversial Skagit River High Ross Dam. He investigated the positions of British Columbia and the city of Seattle which held opposing views on the construction of the dam.

He has also published many articles on the International Joint Commission, a Canada/U.S. agency, which evaluates water quality in resources shared by the two nations and has researched pollution of the Great Lakes and Canadian/U.S. environmental disputes.

Schwartz spent a sabbatical at Bowling Green in 1990, using library

resources in the Great Lakes Research Institute for investigation of international policy issues.

During his campus visit, Schwartz will be speaking to a class and will be available to meet with faculty and students.

His visit is sponsored by the Center for Environmental Programs and the Canadian studies program with support of a development grant from the Canadian government.

For further information call Dr. Berry Cobb at 2-8207.

Sullivan named interim dean of College of Business Administration

Dr. James Sullivan, professor of statistics, was named interim dean of the College of Business Administration Feb. 13. Dr. Eloise Clark, vice president for academic affairs, has announced.

Sullivan succeeds former dean Dr. Fred Williams who left the University for a similar position at the School of Business at Berry College in Rome, Ga. Plans are to conduct a national search for a permanent dean some time early in the 1995-96 academic year, Clark said.

Sullivan is also associate dean of undergraduate studies for the College of Business Administration and chair of the Department of Applied Statistics and Operations Research. He has served on several committees within the college,

including chair of the search and screening committee for the dean of the college in 1989, the College Promotions Committee, the Curriculum Implementation Committee and the Executive Committee.

He has been the adviser for all statistics majors since 1986, for master's candidates in applied statistics since 1989 and has served on dissertation committees for 10 doctoral candidates.

He is chair of the University's General Education Review Committee and is a member of the Statistical Consulting Center Advisory Committee.

Outside the University, Sullivan is chair of the Northwest Ohio Chapter of the American Statistical Association, a member of both the American Statistical

Association and the Decision Sciences Institute.

He has published many refereed journal articles, research reports and proceedings of professional conferences.

Sullivan received an undergraduate degree in mathematics from Miami University, and a M.S. in mathematics and a Ph.D. in statistics from The Ohio State University. He has been at Bowling Green since 1971.



James Sullivan

FACULTY/STAFF GRANTS

Cynthia Crow, philosophy, received \$4,240 from the NAFSA Association of International Educators, U.S. Informational Agency, to provide financial support for Hungarian graduate students enrolled in the study of economics at BGSU.

John Hoag and Paul Haas, economics, received \$1,700 from Calvin K. Kazanjian Economics Foundation for partial support for a conference on teaching economics where the focus will be on how economics concepts can be effectively integrated with the process of critical thinking.

Michael A. J. Rodgers, photochemical sciences, received \$38,669 from Case Western Reserve University subcontracted under a grant from NIH for the study of the design, synthesis, and characterization of new compounds having the phthalocyanine core which are to be employed as photodynamic agents in cell level and in vivo experiments. Part of the characterization effort necessitates obtaining basic information as to how efficiently do the new compounds transduce photon energy into chemically reactive species that will initiate photodynamic damage.

FACULTY/STAFF PUBLICATIONS

William M. Scovell, chemistry, has published four books in 1994. They were all published by Saunders College Publishing, Philadelphia, Pa., and include: the study guide to accompany *Introduction to General, Organic and Biochemistry*, ed. 4; the study guide to accompany *Introduction to General and Organic Chemistry*, ed. 2; student companion and problems book to accompany *Biochemistry*, ed. 2; and *The Test Bank* to accompany *Biochemistry*, ed. 1.

William E. Lake, music, published "Hermeneutic Musical Structures in 'Das irdische Leben' by Gustav Mahler" in *In Theory Only*, Nov. 1994.

Donald D. Gehring, higher education and student affairs, co-authored with Kenneth J. Osfield and Judy Wald "Legal, Ethical, and Policy Implications of the Americans with Disabilities Act" in *A Student Affairs Guide to the ADA & Disability Issues*, Monograph 17, published by the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators.

Eric D. Jones, special education, co-authored with Douglas Carmine and Robert C. Dixon "Mathematics: Educational Tools for

Diverse Learners" in *School Psychology Review*, 1994, vol. 23, issue 3; he also co-authored with James R. Patton "Definitional Perspective" in *Mental Retardation*, 4th edition; and co-authored with W. Thomas Southern "Opportunities for Rural Gifted Students" in *Journal of Secondary Gifted Education*, summer 1994, vol. 5, issue 4.

Eldon E. Snyder, sociology, recently published "Teaching Qualitative Research: The Meanings Associated with Farm Buildings" in *Teaching Sociology*, 1995, vol. 23 (January: 39-43).

Alison Scott, popular culture library, published "Organizing the Brain Attic: Indexing the Commonplace Books of Sherlock Holmes," in the *Baker Street Journal* titled, new series, vol. 4, no. 4, Dec. 1994.

David Schmidt, philosophy, authored *Rational Choice and Moral Agency* published by the Princeton University Press, 1995.

H. Lee Riggins, music, edited Vol. 32 of *College Music Symposium*, journal of the College Music Society

FACULTY/STAFF RECOGNITIONS

Geoffrey Humphrys, cooperative education, and D. Fred Connor, public relations, collaborated to produce a 10-minute video that received a third-place award in the category of marketing strategy in a national competition sponsored by the Midwest Cooperative Education Association.

Jim Foust, journalism, was selected through a competitive application process open to all to attend C-SPAN's Winter 1995 Seminar for Professors.

Emily Freeman Brown, music, was guest conductor of the Sioux City, Iowa, Symphony, Feb. 4. Brown also conducted the District II Orchestra Festival of Fremont Ross High School Jan. 21.

Suzanne Thierry, music, has been

selected as a preliminary judge for the Newby Published Music Competition of the National Flute Association.

Ivan Hammond, music, performed "Crystals for Tuba and Tape," by Burton Beerman, music, on the Toledo Symphony Music Today Series, Feb. 16.

Alan Smith, music, is the new conductor of the Bowling Green Symphony Orchestra, Bowling Green's community orchestra.

Marilyn Shrude, music, was a guest composer at Michigan State University on Dec. 4, where her "Concerto for Saxophone and Wind Ensemble" was performed by Joseph Liloff, saxophone, and the MSU Wind Symphony under the direction of John Whitwell.

FACULTY/STAFF PRESENTATIONS

Mark Munson, music, presented a session titled "Keeping the Boys in the Junior High Choral Program" at the North Central Music Educators National Conference Convention in Indianapolis on Jan. 12. Munson repeated the presentation for the Ohio Music Education Association professional conference in Columbus on Feb. 3. Munson also conducted the University Women's Chorus in an appearance at the state-wide conference for Ohio music educators.

David Hamish, music, gave a presentation titled, "Music, Dance and the State in Lombok, Indonesia: To 'Make Golden' the Traditional Performing Arts" at the combined International Council for Traditional Music and Australian Musicological Society Conference in Canberra,

Australia, on Jan. 9. He was also a special guest drummer at a Balinese gamelan concert given by the Gunung Mas group held at the Auburn Arts Council in Auburn, Calif., on Dec. 30. In addition, a book review and two recording reviews have been published, all in *Asian Music XXV* (1-2), 1993-94.

Joyce Eastlund Gromko, music, presented a paper titled, "Origins of Symbolic Intelligence" at the national Symposium for Research in General Music held at the University of Arizona, Tucson, Feb. 16-18.

James Stuart, philosophy, presented "Teaching Values and Social Stability" at the American Education Studies Association annual meeting, Nov. 10 in Chapel Hill, N. C.

Eminent political scientist, criminologist will speak on crime in the United States

Eminent political scientist and criminologist James Q. Wilson will present a lecture on "Crime In America" at 1 p.m., March 1, in 117 Olscamp Hall.

Wilson is the James Collins Professor of Management at the University of California, Los Angeles and was the Shattuck Professor of Government at Harvard University for 26 years.

He is the author or co-author of 13 books, including *The Moral Sense*, *American Government*, *Bureaucracy*, *Thinking About Crime*, *Varieties of Police Behavior*, *Political Organizations*, *Crime and Human Nature* (with Richard J. Herrnstein).

Many of his writings on morality and human nature have been collected in *On Character: Essays by James Q. Wilson*.

In 1991 the American Political Science Association presented him with the James Madison Award for a career of distinguished scholarship.

Wilson has served on a number of national commissions concerned with public policy. He is the chairman of the

board of academic advisors of the American Enterprise Institute, a trustee of the RAND Corporation and director of the California Association of Scholars.

He has been elected a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences and a fellow of the American Philosophical Society.

Educated at the University of Redlands and the University of Chicago, he has received honorary degrees from six universities — most recently Harvard University.

The lecture is sponsored by Bowling Green's Social Philosophy and Policy Center.



James Wilson

Administrative Staff Council nominees sought

Ballots will be sent to all administrative staff members soliciting nominations for membership on Administrative Staff Council. ASC represents administrative staff members by promoting their general welfare, seeking professional development opportunities, maintaining communication among staff members and reviewing, initiating and making recommendations on institutional policies. Council members

serve three-year terms.

Representatives will be elected to fill 10 vacant seats in the following areas: academic affairs (8), Firelands (1), operations (1), planning and budgeting (2), president's area (1), student affairs (4), and university relations (2).

Nomination ballots should be returned to Barb Keeley, ASC Secretary, 102 Health Center, by

Richard D. Mathey, music, conducted the Indiana All-State Male Choir in Indianapolis, Indiana, in January. Mathey also conducted the Ohio All-State Chorus at the Ohio Music Education Association's professional conference in Columbus Feb. 2-4.

Mark S. Kelly, music, director of bands emeritus, conducted the Ohio All-State Band at the Ohio Music Education Association's professional conference in Columbus Feb 2-4.

Todd Davidson, music, was a featured performer on the "Trumpets and Pipes" concert at Collingwood Presbyterian Church in Toledo on January 30. The program is part of the church's Faith in the Performing Arts Series.

Kenley Inglefield, music, was the featured euphonium/trombone soloist in Guilman's

"Marceau Symphonique" with the BGSU Symphonic Band on Jan. 20. The performance was part of the 37th annual New Band Music Reading Clinic.

Todd Davidson, music, performed with the Black Swamp Brass for the National Association of College Wind and Percussion Instructors at Saint Xavier University in Chicago on Jan. 13 and at the Indian Music Educators Association and North Central Music Educators National Conference Convention in Indianapolis on Jan. 14.

Jane Schimpf, food operations, participated in a panel presentation "Brand Building In-House for Outstanding Results," at the Penton Food Service Branding Institute, Jan. 15 in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Karen Gould, graduate college, presented "Gazing at Culture: TV and Motherhood in the Fiction of Elise Turcotte" at the American Council for Quebec Studies in November, in Washington, D.C.

Robert G. Berns, business education, delivered a paper entitled "An Analysis of the Long-Range Marketing Plans of Secondary Marketing Educators in Ohio" at the American Vocational Association Conference in Dallas on Dec. 10. He won the "1994 Best Research Presentation" award for the delivery of this paper.

John S. Scott, ethnic studies, presented a keynote address "Tapping Students' Creativity: An Educational Challenge" at Club 300 in

Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 21, for the Fourth Annual Conference of Toledo Alliance of Black School Educators.

Mary Ellen Benedict, economics, presented a paper entitled "The Union Effect on the Earnings Distribution on Higher Education" at the Allied Social Science Association Convention in Washington, D.C., Jan. 5-7.

R. Errol Lam and Mary Wrighten, libraries and learning resources, and Anne Saviers, international programs, presented "Intercultural and International Communication in the 1990s" on Nov. 4 at the Academic Library Association of Ohio (ALAO) annual conference in Columbus.

DATEBOOK

Monday, Feb. 20

Presidential Search Committee Meeting. 9 a.m., Chart Room, McFall Center.

Board of Trustees Meeting. 10 a.m., Assembly Room, McFall Center.

Lecture, "What Follows Six is More Than Seven — Understanding African Art," Dr. Rowland Abiodun, chair, black studies department, Amherst College, 2:30 p.m., 1007 Business Administration Building. Free.

Opening, art exhibition featuring the works of Leo Gadzepko and Kay Campbell, 4 p.m., Green Room, Moore Musical Arts Center. Free.

Piano Master Class. Presented by Jerome Rose, artist-in-residence, 4 p.m., Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center. Free.

International Film Series, "Despair" (1977) German movie directed by Rainer W. Fassbinder, 8 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Subtitles. Free.

Tuesday, Feb. 21

Classified Staff Council Meeting, 9 a.m.-noon, Taft Room, Union.

Band Performance, BGSU's University Band directed by Thomas Rohrer and graduate assistant Gretchen Weaver, 12:30 p.m., Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center. Free.

Symposium, "Africa and the Arts," 4 p.m., Faculty Lounge, University Union. Free.

Panel, "Fighting for Their Lives: Persons Living With HIV/AIDS," 7:30 p.m., Lenhart Grand Ballroom.

BGSU Planetarium Show, "To Shine Almost Forever: The Incredible Lives of Stars," 8 p.m., BGSU Planetarium, 112 Physical Sciences Bldg. A \$1 donation is suggested.

Wednesday, Feb. 22

ASC Winter Gala Breakfast, "Coping Without Blowing A Fuse!" 8:45-9:30 a.m., Jerome Library Conference Room, first floor. Attendees are encouraged to pre-register at 2-2243. Free.

La Mesa Obligua: Monthly Lecture Series, "Of 2 Cultures—A Hispano Artist" presented by Adrian Trió Diaz, art, noon, Campus Room, Third Floor Union.

Women's Studies Presentation, "Conceptual Framework for Studying Lesbians in Sport" by Dr. Vikki Krane, health, physical education & recreation, 4-5 p.m., Faculty Lounge, Union.

Women's Basketball vs. Ball State, 7:30 p.m., Anderson Arena.

Faculty Artist Series Performance, Clarinetist Edward Marks will perform, 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center. Free.

Thursday, Feb. 23

Faculty Scholar Series, Gene Trantham, Gregory DeNardo and Vincent Kantorski will present, 12:30 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center.

BGSU Economics Colloquium Series, "Marginal Tax Rates and Income Inequality: A Quantitative-Theoretic Analysis" presented by Charles T. Carlstrom of the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, 3:30 p.m., 4000 Business Administration.

Lecture, Dr. Ward Churchill, associate professor of American Indian Studies, University of Colorado, will speak on historical and current issues pertaining to Native Americans, 7:30 p.m., Lenhart Grand Ballroom, University Union.

Movie, "Sarafina," sponsored by the African Peoples Association and UAO, 8 p.m., 112 Life Sciences Building. Free.

Lenhart Classic Film Series, "Glen or Glenda?" (1953), 7:30 p.m., "Bride of the Monster" (1955), 8:45 p.m., "Plan Nine From Outer Space" (1959), 10 p.m., all directed by Edward D. Wood Jr., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Friday, Feb. 24

Post-Soviet Experience Forum and Luncheon, "Perspectives on Cultural Production in a Postmodern Moment" by Dr. Ellen Berry, women's studies, 12 p.m. lunch;

presentation begins at 12:30 p.m., Towers Inn, McDonald West. Lunch \$5. Debit cards may be used.

Cultural Roundtable Discussion, "Fact or Fiction: Addressing African Stereotypes and Relationships with Other Ethnic Groups," 3 p.m., Ohio Suite, University Union.

Guest Artist Performance, Yair Kless, Tel-Aviv University's Academy of Music in Israel, will present a violin master class, 4:30 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center. Free.

Hockey vs. Ohio State, 7 p.m., ice arena.

Gymnastics vs. Western Michigan, 7 p.m., Eppler Center.

Hollywood Comedies of the 1930s Film Series, "Three Smart Girls," 7:30 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Band Concert, Concert and Symphonic Bands will perform, 8 p.m., Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center. Free.

BGSU Planetarium Show, "To Shine Almost Forever: The Incredible Lives of Stars," 8 p.m., BGSU Planetarium, 112 Physical Sciences Bldg. A \$1 donation is suggested.

Saturday, Feb. 25

Men's Tennis vs. Xavier, 9 a.m., YMCA, Findlay.

Third Annual Gospel Festival, begins 3 p.m., Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center. Admission is free for BGSU students and \$3 for all others.

Men's Basketball vs. Akron, 4 p.m., Anderson Arena.

Cultural Extravaganza, An Evening of Storytelling, Poetry Reading, Music, Fashion, Food and Fellowship, 6 p.m., St. Thomas More

Guest Violinist Performance, Yair Kless, Tel-Aviv University's Rubin Academy of Music in Israel, will perform, 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center. Free.

Hollywood Comedies of the 1940s Film Series, "The Road to Morocco," 7:30 p.m., and "I Married a Witch," 8:30 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Sunday, Feb. 26

Men's Tennis vs. Northern Illinois, 9 a.m., YMCA, Findlay.

Dinner dance, Reflections in the Snow ball and buffet for area senior citizens featuring music by the Joe Raymond Trio, 2 p.m., Lenhart Grand Ballroom, University Union. Tickets are \$9. Call David Stanford at 2-2451 for more information.

Choral Performance, BGSU Collegiate Chorale, directed by Richard Mathey, 4 p.m., Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center.

BGSU Planetarium Show, "To Shine Almost Forever: The Incredible Lives of Stars," 7:30 p.m., BGSU Planetarium, 112 Physical Sciences Bldg. A \$1 donation is suggested.

Monday, Feb. 27

Presentation by Dr. Miran Hladnik, University of Ljubljana, on "Literary Criticism in European and American Settings," 3:30 p.m., 101 Shatzel Hall.

Guest Speaker, "Managing Cross-Border Pollution: Integrating Environmental Science and International Policy" presented by Dr. Alan Schwartz, professor of biology and director of environmental studies at St. Lawrence University in Canton, New York, 7:30 p.m., 095 Overman Hall. Free.

International Film Series, "Tangos: The Exile of Gardel" (1975) Argentine-French, directed by Fernando Solanas, 8 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

At Firelands

Presentation of "The Underground Railroad in Erie County," noon, Feb. 20, McBride Auditorium and at 7 p.m., Feb. 20, Second Baptist Church, Sandusky.

Items submitted for Datebook must be sent in writing, c/o Monitor, 516 Administration Bldg., or faxed to 2-2617 no later than 5 p.m. Tuesday the week preceding intended publication.

FOR SALE

The Counseling Center has for sale an AVATAR board which allows direct hook-up to CICS after Computer Services installs a line. Originally sold for \$600, will accept best offer. Call 2-2081.

CLASSIFIED EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Posting expiration date for employees to apply: Noon, Feb. 24

2-24-1, clerical specialist (3 positions)
2-24-2, pay grade 5
and 2-24-3 Financial Aid and Student Employment part-time

2-24-4 secretary 1
pay grade 6
Telecommunications

2-24-5 secretary 2
pay grade 7
Career Planning/
Placement Services

FACULTY/STAFF POSITIONS

Intercollegiate Athletics: Assistant men's soccer coach. Contact Personnel Services (2-2227). Deadline: March 17.

Residential Services: Residence hall director 1; residence hall director 2; complex coordinator (anticipated vacancies), (ten-month, live-in positions). Contact Rich Hughes (2-2456). Deadline: March 6 or until filled.

Staff offered a free breakfast

Staff are invited to take a break this Wednesday morning with a free continental breakfast and a special presentation on stress.

The Administrative Staff Council Winter Gala Breakfast will be held from 8:45-9:30 a.m. Feb. 22 in the Jerome Library Conference Room.

Following breakfast catered by the University Union, John Moore, executive director of Personnel Services, will present "Are Your Circuits Overloaded? Coping Without Blowing a Fuse."

To reserve a seat, contact Dave Crooks at 2-2243.

ASC March meeting moves back a week

The March meeting of Administrative Staff Council will be March 9, a week later than originally scheduled.

The meeting will begin at 1:30 p.m. in the Campus Room of the Community Suite.

University trustee David Bryan is scheduled as guest speaker.

Library surveys journal subscriptions

Libraries and Learning Resources will be seeking the assistance of all faculty members in a review of their needs for scholarly journals beginning later this month.

Faced with ever-increasing costs for journal subscriptions and requests by faculty for new journal subscriptions, the library is taking a new approach to obtaining information about faculty needs for journals for curricular and research purposes.

"Our goal is to provide the journals that faculty need while providing funds with which to purchase more books for the collection," said Dr. Dennis East, interim dean. He said he believes that this is a "realistic goal" and that the review process "will ensure that research and curricular needs continue to be met within any budgetary constraints."

A somewhat different aspect of this review is that the library will ask faculty not only to identify journals they need, but to indicate whether they believe the journals should be owned and available on campus or whether articles can be made available through a library subsidized document delivery service. The library is seeking to obtain some answers to the issue of ownership versus access in meeting faculty needs.

Before the end of the month, the library will send a letter explaining the budgetary situation and the review process to be used along with a form for faculty members to complete and return to Linda Brown, collection development librarian, on or before March 31.

The information will be placed in a database by the library and used by the subject specialist librarians to consult further with individual faculty members and/or departments. East noted that the library is going to fully consult with the faculty throughout this process before making any final decisions and paying the subscription vendor next September.

Adult learner services viewed in session

Lois Sonnenberg, adult learner services and evening credit program, will conduct a brown bag lunch titled, "Educational Opportunities at Your Doorstep," from noon-1 p.m., Feb. 21, in the Personnel Training/Conference Center, College Park Office Building. To register, call Yolanda Patton at 2-8421.