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BGSU, Media 100 form partnership to create digital media institute

CNN uses the technology to edit videotape and get the news on the air—fast. MTV uses it to create the oft-imitated quick-cut audio and video effects the network pioneered. The FOX network used it to create the graphics and other video “tricks” aired during last January’s Super Bowl broadcast.

Now, Bowling Green will use this new technology to become the premier learning institution in the world for the study of digital media. It will also result in the creation of the National Institute for the Study of Digital Media, the first center of its kind in the country.

It all became official last week with the announcement of a \$1.2 million partnership agreement between the University and Media 100, the makers of Media 100 XS digital editing systems. The announcement was made at a joint news conference held at the National Association of Broadcasters convention in Las Vegas.

“Our goal is to make Bowling Green an international leader in the field of digital media. This agreement is a very large and very important step toward reaching that goal,” said Larry Hatch,

chair of the visual communication and technology education program. He added that eventually every academic discipline at the University could benefit.

Jeff Turner, executive vice president for Media 100, said his company is “thrilled about the partnership with Bowling Green. The focus on integrating digital media throughout the University is truly exciting. BGSU has a great vision, tremendous enthusiasm and a proven track record. We are certain that it will be a winning combination.”

“As Bowling Green prepares for the 21st century, probably no single aspect of education emerges as important as technology,” President Sidney Ribeau said.

“This partnership gives us a strong foundation to build upon. It helps us to attract top students to the campus and sets the stage for forming additional business and industry partnerships. This agreement will not only help make us a leader in digital media research and education, it will improve all aspects of learning here at Bowling Green,” Ribeau said.

Under the terms of the partnership,

the University will receive 38 of the high-end, state-of-the-art workstations which are being set up in computer labs throughout the campus. All should be ready for use by students this fall.

Hatch said students studying computer art, telecommunications and visual communication technology will immediately begin using the machines.

In addition, several of the Media 100s will be housed in the Center for Teaching, Learning and Technology for use by faculty members. Others will be located at WBGU-TV.

Mark Marcin, an assistant professor in the School of Art and the co-author of the partnership proposal to Media 100, stated “We are committed that all University students will have access to the Media 100s.

“If a creative writing student, for example, wants to make a digital media presentation of his or her poetry, we want to make it as easy as possible for that student to be trained to use the equipment and then have easy access to a computer lab.”

One of the most important results of

the agreement is the National Institute for the Study of Digital Media. Hatch said.

The goal of the institute is three-fold: develop workshops and seminars for business and industry create and maintain a World Wide Web site for a Media 100 educational consortium, and develop interdisciplinary degree programs.

The first corporate seminars and workshops are expected to be offered this summer, said Janet Womack, director of Computer Training Centers in Continuing Education, International and Summer Programs. More than 30 programs will be held by the end of the first year of operation, she said.

Subjects for the workshops are expected to include computer animation, World Wide Web design and development, multimedia production and digital video compositing.

Marcin and Hatch said the partnership will help attract the very best students who want to study multi-media and it will also encourage additional multi-media companies to form alliances with Bowling Green.

Graduation programs take shape

Speakers have been selected for the four separate graduation ceremonies, each being planned by the colleges involved, to be held May 9-10 in Anderson Arena at Memorial Hall. Firelands College will hold graduation on its own campus May 9.

Nearly 2,000 students will be receiving degrees in May, including some 328 graduate students. President Sidney Ribeau and Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs Charles Middleton will take part in all of the four on-campus ceremonies.

The Graduate College will hold its exercises at 7 p.m. Friday, May 9. The speaker will be Douglas Neckers, Distinguished Research Professor of Photochemical Sciences and executive director of the University’s Photochemical Sciences Center. Also giving remarks will be Graduate Student Senate President Janet Morrison. Samuel Kotz, a professor of statistics at the University of Maryland, will be receiving an honorary doctor of science degree during the ceremonies.

The same evening more than 50 students will receive degrees at Firelands College, where the commencement speaker will be George R. Mayer, district president of Key Bank, longtime supporter of the college and former

member of the Firelands advisory board.

More than 1,600 undergraduates will receive degrees at one of three ceremonies on the main campus Saturday, May 10. Students in the Colleges of Business Administration, Health and Human Services, and Technology will graduate at 9 a.m. and those in Musical Arts and Education and Allied Professions will receive degrees at 1 p.m. The College of Arts and Sciences, which has the most graduating students, will conduct its ceremonies at 5 p.m.

Three graduating students will give remarks at the 9 a.m. ceremonies. They are Malissa Snyder of the College of Business Administration, Evonne Jenkins of the College of Health and Human Services, and Jeffrey Rose of the College of Technology.

Speaking at the 1 p.m. exercises will be composer Samuel Adler, a Visiting Distinguished Professor of music composition and history.

Stuart Givens, a professor of history and University Historian, will give remarks at the 5 p.m. graduation.

Traditionally spring graduation on the main campus has been a single outdoor ceremony at Doyt L. Perry Field. In recent years, graduating students and their guests sometimes have been greeted

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Faculty recruiters

Bill Scovell, chemistry, one of several faculty who took part in last week’s “Bring a Scholar to Campus Day,” shows a lab experiment to Christine Duzyj, a senior from Warren, Mich., who plans to study chemistry and is being heavily recruited by several universities. The recruitment of students involves not only the Office of Admissions but particularly the academic areas, said Gary Swegan, associate director of admissions.

Last week faculty in several departments hosted more than 65 specially invited prospective students. All the students have expressed a specific academic interest and the admissions office matched the students with the academic departments.



Try your luck

Erica Pogalies (left) buys a raffle ticket from Nancy Lee, 25-year staff member in Jerome Library's Music Library, in support of the April 18 gala marking the library's 30th anniversary. Prizes include \$1,000 cash, art, and gift certificates. Tickets may be purchased at the library's circulation desk. The proceeds will go toward new chairs and tables for study areas.

ASC discusses merit pay document

Administrative Staff Council met April 3 and discussed several topics including progress on the proposed merit pay system document, news of its scholarship fund and the change in workers compensation guidelines.

Council member Joe Luthman, who along with chair Joan Morgan and chair-elect Duane Whitmire, serves on the subcommittee of the ASC Personnel Welfare Committee charged with devising a performance-based merit pay system, said Provost Charles Middleton has reviewed the committee's document and made several suggestions. The committee's goal is to have the document ready to present to the Board of Trustees at its April 25 meeting.

A recently added provision to the proposal calls for employees who have completed from three to five consecutive years of meritorious service to be granted a continuing contract of three to five years with provisions for annual salary increases.

Also, upon completion of the set number of years of meritorious service, employees should be advanced to the next quartile of their salary range in the

Administrative Salary Compensation Plan. After seven years of meritorious service, any employee whose salary is below the midpoint of the assigned grade will have his or her salary increased to at least the midpoint.

Council heard from Larry Weiss, director of alumni affairs and associate vice president for University advancement, that the Alumni Foundation has agreed to match dollar for dollar the amount ASC raises up to \$5,000 for its scholarship fund.

Donna Wittwer, benefits manager, also attended the meeting to give further details for dealing with medical management of workers compensation cases.

Wittwer said it is "more than likely" that employees' physicians are already certified by the Bureau of Workers Compensation, as most are, and so many times no change of doctors will be necessary when treating work-related injury or illness.

Wittwer reminded council that in the event an injury or illness occurs, employees or their supervisor must document the occurrence and immediately submit the information to GatesMcDonald.

briefs

Lamb Peace Lecture set

Environmentalist and author Bill McKibben, whose books and articles focus on global environmental problems, will be this year's speaker for the annual Edward Lamb Peace Lecture at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 16, in 1007 Business Administration Annex.

His address is titled "Between Hope and Fear: Environmental Security in a Fragile World."

McKibben's work has appeared in a wide variety of publications, including *Rolling Stone*, *The New York Times* and *Esquire*. His books include *The Age of Missing Information*, which examines the media and environmental deterioration, and *Hope, Human and Wild*, an account of people "who live more lightly on the environment."

The Edward Lamb Peace Lecture was created in 1986 to honor northwest Ohio attorney Edward Lamb, a lifelong advocate of social justice, civil rights and world peace. Each year the series brings an internationally recognized analyst of major domestic or international problems to BGSU.

Following the lecture, which is free and open to the public, there will be a reception at Grounds For Thought, 174 S. Main St.

Shrude receives award

Marilyn Shrude, music composition and history, is one of four composers who will receive an Academy Award in Music from the American Academy of Arts and Letters for lifetime achievement May 21 in NYC.

More than 800 distinguished guests in the fields of music, art and literature are expected to attend the academy's annual awards program in New York City.

Shrude's academy award includes a \$7,500 cash prize and an additional \$7,500 to record one of her works.

In 1984, Shrude became the first woman to win a Kennedy Center Friedheim Award. Her compositions have been performed at Carnegie Recital Hall, the Kennedy Center, the Citizens Hall in Korea and the Moscow Conservatory.

Shrude also directs the nationally known New Music & Art Festival held on campus each fall.

In addition to Shrude, BGSU alumna Jennifer Higdon is being recognized. Higdon, a 1986 graduate who now teaches at the Curtis Institute of Music, will receive the \$12,500 Charles Ives Fellowship. The fellowship is given by the academy to recognize a "composer of extraordinary gifts."

Compositions by Higdon have been performed by the Cincinnati Symphony and the Louisville Orchestra, among others, and her music has been performed at The White House.

Spirit Day planned

Students, staff and faculty are invited to attend the monthly Spirit Day festivities from 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Friday, April 25, on the grassy area between the Little Red Schoolhouse and Commons.

The final Spirit Day event in the academic year is being sponsored by Undergraduate Student Government, Graduate Student Senate and the Office of the President.

A low-priced picnic lunch will be served and live music will be provided by student bands.

Taft to visit BGSU

Secretary of State Bob Taft, a leading candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination, will be on campus April 22.

Taft's visit was arranged by Phil Mason, director of government affairs and is part of a series of state officials and legislators who have appeared on campus this year.

Taft will be talking issues with student representatives from 1:15-2 p.m., followed by a session with faculty, staff and administrators. Both meetings will be in the McFall Center General Assembly Room.

Community invited to meet BGSU candidates

Candidates for assistant provost for human resources, senior vice provost for academic affairs and vice provost for undergraduate affairs and dean of undergraduate studies are in the process of visiting campus and interviewing for the two positions.

General forums for the community to meet them have been scheduled and are open to everyone.

Candidates for the Senior Vice Provost position and the times of their forums are: Lee Fontanella, head of humanities and arts at Worcester Polytechnic Institute in Massachusetts, 2:45-3:45 p.m., Monday, April 21; Jane Applegate, special assistant to the provost in academic affairs and research at the University of West Virginia, 3-4 p.m., Thursday, April 24, and Bernard Oliver, dean of the College of Education at Washington State University, 2:45-3:45 p.m., Monday, April 28. All general forum sessions are in the Pallister Conference Room of Jerome Library.

William Balzer, chair of psychology, was interviewed April 7. He is currently on leave from the University serving as an American Council on Education fellow at Wayne State University, studying higher education leadership.

The vice provost for undergraduate affairs and dean of undergraduate studies candidates and their forums are:

Mark Gromko, associate dean of the College of Arts & Sciences for academic affairs and a professor of biology at Bowling Green, 4:10-5:10 p.m., Tuesday, April 15, 116 Business Administration Building, and Steven Richardson, founding director of the Center for Teaching Excellence and a professor of geology at Iowa State University, 2:45-3:45 p.m., Monday, May 5, Pallister Conference Room, Jerome Library.

A third candidate, Stephen Bowen, associate dean of the College of Sciences and Arts and professor of biology at Michigan Technological

Jerry Brown to speak

Political and environmental activist Edmund G. "Jerry" Brown Jr., a former governor of California who made an unsuccessful bid for the Democratic Party's presidential nomination in 1992, will be the University's Earth Day speaker.

Brown will discuss "Improving the Environment and Establishing a Sustainable Community" at 8 p.m. Thursday (April 17) in Kobacker Hall of the Moore Musical Arts Center. The lecture will be free and open to the public.

In 1995, Brown founded the "We the People Legal Foundation," a grassroots association devoted to political reform and social justice.

The Bowling Green lecture is being sponsored by the University's Environmental Action Group.

Breakfast at BG returns

The spring "Breakfast at BG" series begins April 25 when Edward Schultz, chairman of the Dana Commercial Credit Organization, visits campus. Schultz, a BGSU alumnus, will explain how quality customer service drives the Dana organization in his presentation, "Drive to Excellence."

Schultz is also chairman of the Dana Corporation's Board of Regents, which oversees Dana's business, technical and industrial universities.

Last year President Clinton presented Dana Commercial Credit Corporation the prestigious Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award for Service, which has often been described as the "standard of business excellence."

The breakfast buffet starts at 7 a.m. in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom of the University Union. The program begins at 7:45 a.m. and will conclude by 8:45 a.m.

Reservations for the April 25th breakfast should be made by April 18. Call 2-2708.

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University Vision Statement:

Bowling Green State University aspires to be the premier learning community in Ohio and one of the best in the nation. Through the interdependence of teaching, learning, scholarship and service we will create an academic environment grounded in intellectual discovery and guided by rational discourse and civility.

Staff to be honored for commitment to University

The University this month will honor its classified and administrative staff for service and commitment to their jobs.

Of the 225 employees being recognized, 16 will receive their 30-year awards, the largest number ever in that category. In addition, 17 staff members are marking their 25th anniversaries. Also celebrating are 32 employees at 20 years; 46 at 15 years, 83 at 10 years and 31 at five years.

Those observing 15-, 20-, 25- and 30-year anniversaries will be honored at the annual Staff Recognition Dinner Wednesday (April 16) in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom of the University Union. A reception begins at 6 p.m., followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m.

Staff celebrating their five- and 10-year anniversaries will be recognized by their area vice presidents during special ceremonies at varying times this month.

30 YEARS

Margaret E. Bobb, health, physical education and recreation; Thelma M. Burrow, physical plant; Terry D. Chapman, physical plant; Arthur R. Dewitt, inventory management (retired); Kathy I. Eninger, physical plant (retired); J. W. Frey, computer services; Ronald J. Gargas, WBGU-TV; Marilyn K. Geiger, education and allied professions; Sandra R. Gilbert, dining services; Sherrill L. Gray, library and learning resources; Janet M. Hughes, library and learning resources; Judy A. Johns, WBGU-TV; Barbara Y. Keller, student life; Carol A. Lashuay, continuing education; Geneva I. Long, instructional media services, and Christine Sexton, WBGU-TV.

25 YEARS

Mary A. Bobb, health, physical education and recreation; Ralph E. Bratt, public safety; Joanne M. Bruning, student activities; JoAnne Dailey, arts and sciences; Roland Y. Engler, architect's office; Farrell L. Johns, physical plant; Nancy T. Joseph, purchasing; Carl A. Lipp, financial accounting; Lola M. Mercer, social work; Crispina Molina, physical plant; Providence Oddo, purchasing; Mary A. Roach, biological sciences; Donald J. Romaker, physical plant; Steven W. Schwab, physical plant; Robert D. Shontz, computer services; Steven R. Yates, physical plant, and Paul D. Yon, archival collections.

20 YEARS

Bernice Aguilar, popular culture; Jacqueline D. Bruce, physical plant; Patricia S. Carpenter, sociology; Jill A. Carr, student life; Joyce E. Chambertain, financial aid; Wayne S. Colvin, student housing and residential programs; Joan L. Conrad, American culture studies; Diane J. Crowe, computer science; Judith A. Davidson, ethnic studies; Marie E. Derkis, geography; Judy E. Donald, continuing education; Laura F. Emch, financial aid; Ana M. Garibay, bursar's office; Jean A. Geist, popular culture library; Karen M. Gerkens, educational administration and supervision; Mary E. Hilkens, computer services; Jerrie M. Hutton, financial aid; Jacqueline A. Instone, music; Carol A. Kreienkamp, cooperative education; Jodi L. Laubis, recreational sports; Nancy L. Malone, student housing and residential programs; Letha J. McCartney, printing services; Gardner A. McLean, public relations; Doris M. Rahe, space assignments; Mary L. Reynolds, library and learning resources; Nancy A. Shnyder, registration and records; Sylvia J. Smith, business administration; H. Annette Stencil, operations office; Tina L. Tampurages, University union; Paul L. Vollmar, physical plant; Ila A. White, business administration, and Richard S. Zera, computer services;

15 YEARS

Jeffery L. Bechstein, physical plant; Kathryn A. Bechstein, higher education and student affairs; Sharon K. Biggins, physical plant; Ronald E. Bolander, University union; Robert W. Bortel, student publications; Shirley A. Brokamp, dining services; Debra L. Bruns, intercollegiate athletics; Diana R. Bruns, Popular Press; Gary M. Buchanan, physical plant; Tina M. Bunce, music; Doris J. Cham-

berlain, student housing and residential programs, Beverly Cope, University bookstore; Ellen J. Dalton, music; Lorraine R. DeVenney, biological sciences; Constance Dipuccio, University bookstore; Susan L. Domer, dining services; Patricia A. Evans, Graduate College; Eva E. Flores, dining services; Janet L. Frankorther, bursar's office; Robert J. Fyfe, computer services; David N. Hoehner, business office; Terry L. Horner, computer services; Virginia L. Hutchinson, registration and records; David L. Huther, physical plant; Judy Jennings, technology systems; John F. Kempf, physical plant; Patricia A. Kitchen, public safety; Gregory M. Kuhn, intercollegiate athletics; Sandra S. Lewallen, physical plant; Tamera S. Ludwig, computer services; David B. Matthews, physical plant; M. Ellen Naderer, Firelands College; Susan K. Nagy, registration and records; W. D. Parratt, environmental health and safety; Barbara D. Peck, sponsored programs and research; Diane K. Reynolds-Miller, management; Diane M. Schwab, computer services; Barbara J. Sharp, psychology; Tamara G. Sharp, Social Philosophy and Policy Center; Arlene L. Silvius, president's office; Daniel R. Sturges, physical plant; Cheryl L. Tyson, business office; Patricia L. Wise, education and allied professions; Kevin A. Work, instructional media services; Sandra K. Yandell, Firelands College, and Ronald E. Zwiertein, intercollegiate athletics.

10 YEARS

Connie L. Adams, student housing and residential programs; Robert C. Agan, physical plant; Carolyn J. Agler, student health services; Dominga Almaguey, physical plant; Patricia A. Ankeny, chemistry; Robert M. Ankeny, public safety; Michael D. Bear, computer services; Jac A. Beaverson, physical plant; Sheryl S. Beeker, student health services; Bonna J. Benscoter, student housing and residential programs; Vicki L. Blasius, human resources; Lawrence E. Bostwick, telecommunication services; Peg A. Bucksy, financial aid; Kathie R. Carson, dining services; Jacqueline M. Clark, intercollegiate athletics; Jean A. Coffield, admissions; Joanne Connerton-Williamson, telecommunication services; Kim M. Davis, physical plant; McDonna Doolittle, University union; Janine A. Dress, computer services; Gaylyn J. Finn, treasurer's office; Wilma D. Finn, telecommunication services; Mary E. Foster, dining services; Alita A. Frater, chemistry; Barbara Garay, science library; Kimberly A. George, library and learning resources; Linda A. Glaviano, educational foundations and inquiry; Betty E. Goodman, student health services; Mayira J. Gottschalk, physical plant; Patricia O. Green, photochemical sciences; Kay E. Gudehus, admissions; Julie Gutierrez, dining services; Donna J. Haas, registration and records; Kathy A. Haas, physical plant; Donna Hackworth, physical plant; Kathleen S. Helm, psychology; Mary J. Hitt, health and human services; Sue A. Houtz, computer services; Timothy S. James, public safety; Marie A. Janes, Firelands College; Amy L. Kose, student health services; Cynthia J. Koskie, treasurer's office; Teresa E. Kuhlman, counseling center; Cheryl A. Kurfess, bursar's office; LuAnn Lanning, alumni and development; James J. Larranaga, intercollegiate athletics; Linda Leimgruber, business office; Thaddeus C. Long, recreational sports; Bruce M. Lowry, dining services; Janet L. Lundy, academic enhancement; Gloria Martinez, intercollegiate athletics; Karen Matheny, program advisement and teacher certification office; Susan J. McCoy, computer services; Dawn M. Melnek, computer services; Sue Mercer, physical plant; Jodi L. Meyers, parking and traffic; Penny L. Nemitz, Firelands College; Teresa Otley, University bookstore; Pamela L. Potter, continuing education; Sharon K. Ramey, physical plant; Patricia D. Richey, northwest Ohio educational technology foundation; Barry A. Roberts, physical plant; Patricia D. Rutter, telecommunication services; Charles W. Sams, Firelands College; Bonita G. Sanders, college access programs; Lori K. Schultz, visual communication and

technology education; Douglas R. Scott, physical plant; Constance M. Shaw, physical plant; Amy L. Sheldrick, student health services; Susan L. Sidor, German, Russian and East Asian languages; Michelle L. Simmons, financial aid; Frederick J. Smith, parking and traffic; David A. Stanford, alumni and development; Linda L. Tracy, public safety; Phillip M. Walter, public safety; Judith A. Weaver, dining services; Lisa K. Weekley, risk management; E. Lee Williams, chemistry (retired); Susan M. Witschi, off-campus student center; Julie A. Woessner, dining services, and Mary E. Zachary, library and learning resources.

5 YEARS

Dianne L. Abbott, academic enhancement; Jerome Ameling, computer services; Nancy J. Andrade, health and human services; Jacqueline S. Bateson, University union; Barbara A. Brown, University union; Arline C. Bucksy, University union; Russell L. Burton admissions; Robert J. Carlisle, Firelands College; Kathy D. DeBouvier, alumni and development; Harold Dolan, Social Philosophy and Policy Center; Lori Fells, Philosophy Documentation Center; Donna D. Frost, University union; Sharlynn Gamo, University union; Kay L. Gazarek, special education; Vicki B. Hillis, Firelands College; Deborah S. Hine, arts and sciences; Luann Hogrefe, student health services; Christine M. Kieffer, bursar's office; Deborah E. Knigga, Firelands College; Mary J. Lemmerbrock, mathematics and statistics; Ellen McGrew, intercollegiate athletics; Alyson K. Meeker, Firelands College; Karen K. Munsterman, Firelands College; Amy O'Donnell, student life; David C. Stewart, parking and traffic; Linda M. Tank, dining services; M. R. Walker, career services; Keith E. Watson, inventory management; Karen A. Wiechman, Popular Press; Tawn L. Williams-Nell, bursar's office, and Mary B. Zerby, communication disorders

Faculty Senate debates document

Faculty Senate spent the bulk of its April 1 meeting reviewing and refining a Prototype Document for Annual Review, for Merit, Contract Renewal, Promotion and Tenure of Faculty.

The senate voted on several wording changes at the meeting and asked for clarification on some issues.

New wording was adopted for a section pertaining to allocation of efforts of faculty. The section now says that doctoral-granting departments should give equal weight to teaching and research, both of which should exceed the emphasis on service (for example, 40 percent teaching, 40 percent research and 20 percent service). Non-doctoral-granting departments, on the other hand, may choose a different ratio, such as 50, 30 and 20 percent respectively.

The word "concur" was added to this section regarding the input of the deans and provost to a department's tenure and promotion policies. Setting these policies is the prerogative of departments. Provost Charles Middleton noted that "concur" expresses the concept of collaboration and would encourage discussions between deans and departments.

Another provision of the document that was discussed pertained to whether administrative duties performed by faculty should be counted toward merit, tenure and promotion evaluations as

service. It was decided to leave it to departments to set their own policies on administrative work and how it should be counted.

Voting on the document was deferred until the on-call senate meeting April 15.

Faculty Senate chair Hal Lunde announced that the senate executive committee had voted to remove the resolution on the 8.9 percent recommended faculty salary increase for the 1997-98 academic year in order to allow the Faculty Welfare Committee to develop its salary recommendation in keeping with the goal of reaching the 50th percentile nationally or third best among state-assisted institutions in Ohio.

Elections were held for faculty senate officers and standing committee members. Veronica Gold, senate secretary, was voted vice chair/chair elect. Judy Adams was elected the next secretary. Their terms begin immediately after spring commencement.

Graduation

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by cold, windy and rainy weather. Rather than risk having students, faculty, parents and friends sit through poor weather again, the ceremonies are being moved indoors.

"We'd like for as many family members as possible to share in the occasion and we want them to be as comfortable as possible," John Moore, interim vice president for University advancement, said when the changes were first announced in January.

A logistics committee chaired by Michael Maggiotto, political science, has been working since early in the semester to handle details for the separate exercises on the main campus.

One result of the college-level planning is that faculty representation for the individual ceremonies will be high. Lists provided for the single commencement program that will serve all four exercises indicate that more faculty than ever will be taking part in exercises.



Diane Euler, School of HPER, was honored on Anniversary Spirit Day as a nominee for the 1996 Outstanding Classified Staff Service Award. Photo by Doyle Phillips

Calendar

Monday, April 14

Presentation. "This Little Light," Billie Jean Young tells the story of civil-rights activist Fannie Lou Hamer, 7:30 p.m., Grand Ballroom, University Union. Sponsored by the Human Relations Commission. Free.

International Film Series, Traffic Jam (1991), directed by Mitsuo Kurotsuchi (in Japanese with English subtitles), 8:15 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Tuesday, April 15

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

Presidential Lecture Series, Stanley N. Katz, president of the American Council of Learned Societies, will deliver the third address of the 1996-97 Presidential Lecture Series on "Liberal Education in the 21st Century," 2 p.m., 101 Olscamp Hall.

Faculty Senate On-call meeting, 2:30 p.m., Assembly room McFall Center.

Graduate Student Forum, hosted by Stanley Katz and President Ribeau, 4 p.m., Chart Room, McFall Center. Open to all students.

Film Perspectives on Colonialism, Bye, Bye Brazil (1980), directed by Carlos Diegues (in Portuguese with English subtitles), 7:30 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Mardi Cinéma, Belisaire, the Cajun (film in English) 7:30 p.m., La Maison Française. Free.

Early Music Ensemble, 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall. Free.

Wednesday, April 16

Presentation, "Connecting Academic and Student Affairs to Improve Student Success and Retention," by Dr. Mary L. Hummel, director of the 21st Century Program, University of Michigan, 1:30 p.m., Ohio Suite, University Union. Sponsored by The First Year Experience Program.

Bach Violin Cycle Lecture and Recital, Moses Pogossian, 7-8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall. Free.

Theatre Production, Les Belles Soeurs, a presentation by Michel Tremblay, 8 p.m., Joe E. Brown Theatre. For ticket information, call 2-2719.

Thursday, April 17

Recital, Jazz Guitar Ensemble, 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall. Free.

Television Program, "President Ribeau & Company," 8 p.m., WBGU-TV.

Theatre Production, Les Belles Soeurs, see April 16, 8 p.m.

Classic Film Series, Darby O'Gill and the Little People (1959), directed by Robert Stevenson, 9 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Friday, April 18

Annual Fayetta M. Paulsen Lecture Series, "Developing Independent Learners: The Academic Affairs and Student Affairs Alliance," presented by Dr. Charles Middleton, Provost/Vice President for Academic Affairs, 2:30 p.m. in the assembly room of McFall Center. Sponsored by the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs.

Provost's Lecture Series, Michael Awkward, of the University of Michigan, director of Afro-American and African Studies, and visiting professor at the University of Pennsylvania, will present "Identity and Cultural Criticism: The Role of the Black Public

Intellectual," 7:30 p.m., Alumni Room, University Union. Lecture is free and will be followed by a reception. Sponsored by the Institute for the Study of Culture and Society.

Science Fiction Film Series, Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back (1980), directed by Irvin Kershner, 7:30 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Concert, Symphonic Band, with guest conductor Harry Begian, director emeritus of bands at the University of Illinois, 8 p.m., Kobacker Hall. Free.

Theatre Production, Les Belles Soeurs, see April 16, 8 p.m.

Saturday, April 19

Concert, University Men's Chorus, directed by Richard Mathey, 3 and 8 p.m., Kobacker Hall. For ticket information call 2-8171 or 800-589-2224, weekdays noon-6 p.m.

Disney and Other Family Movie Series, Annie: A Royal Adventure (1995), directed by Ian Toynton, 7:30 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Theatre Production, Les Belles Soeurs, see April 16, 8 p.m.

Sunday, April 20

Theatre Production, Les Belles Soeurs, see April 16, 2 p.m.

Recital, Bryan Chamber Series, Paul Makara, Jerome Rose and Herbert Spencer perform Brahms Piano Trio Op. 40, 3 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall. Free.

Monday, April 21

Poetry Reading, by Beverly Matheme, prize-winning Acadian poet from Louisiana, now of Northern Michigan University, 7:30 p.m., Ohio Suite, University Union, followed by a reception at the French House. Sponsored by Canadian studies, women's studies and the Department of Romance Languages.

International Film Series, Red Firecracker, Green Firecracker (1994), directed by He Ping (in Chinese with English subtitles), 8:15 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Tuesday, April 22

Student Composers Forum, noon, Bryan Recital Hall. Sponsored by the MidAmerican Center for Contemporary Music. Free.

Lecture, "Desire, Preference, Choice: Toward a Theory of Reason and Value," by Loren Lomasky, philosophy, and scholar in residence with the Institute for the Study of Culture and Society, 2:30 p.m., classroom 2, College Park Office Building. Free.

Mardi Cinéma, Trois Couleurs: Blanc (in French with English subtitles) 7:30 p.m., La Maison Française. Free.

Recital, Trombone Ensemble, 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall. Free.

Wednesday, April 23

Dinner-dance, "Evening on the Bayou," Cajun cuisine, live music and dancing, 7 p.m., La Maison Française, \$7 (bursarable), or \$5 for French Club members. Reservations due by April 21. Call 2-2671.

Theatre Production, Little Shop of Horrors, based on the film by Roger Corman, 8 p.m., Eva Marie Saint Theatre. For ticket information, call 2-2719.

Thursday, April 24

Take Our Daughters to Work Day, all



Brahms Trio

Paul Makara (left), Jerome Rose (center) and Herbert Spencer perform Johannes Brahms' "Trio for Piano, Violina and Horn, Op. 40" as part of the Bryan Chamber Series at 3 p.m. on April 20.

over campus The University supports participation in this annual event celebrating girls' worth.

Musical performance, The Four-Note Opera, a spoof of grand opera using just four notes, presented by Bowling Green Opera Theater, noon, Bryan Recital Hall. Free.

Lecture, "Metal Vessels," by Tom Muir, ICS fellow, room 1101 Fine Arts Center.

Television Program, "President Ribeau & Company," 8 p.m., WBGU-TV.

Concert, World Percussion Night, performances by Percussion Ensemble, Afro-Caribbean Drum Ensemble and Kusuma Sari Gamelan Ensemble, 8 p.m., Kobacker Hall. Free.

Theatre Production, Little Shop of Horrors, see April 23, 8 p.m.

Classic Film Series, The Thin Man (1934), 9 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Friday, April 25

Board of Trustees Meeting, 10 a.m., Firelands College.

Science Fiction Film Series, Star Wars: Return of the Jedi (1983), directed by Richard Marquard, 7:30 p.m., Gish Film Theater. Free.

Concert, Concert Band and University Band, directed by Thomas P. Rohrer, 8 p.m., Kobacker Hall. Free.

Theatre Production, Little Shop of Horrors, see April 23, 8 p.m.

Saturday, April 26

Disney and Other Family Movie Series, Hold That Ghost (1941), 7:30 p.m., Gish Film

Theater. Free.

Theatre Production, Little Shop of Horrors, see April 23, 8 p.m.

Sunday, April 27

Theatre Production, Little Shop of Horrors, see April 23, 2 p.m.

Concert, Bowling Green Philharmonia, directed by Emily Freeman Brown, 3 p.m., Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center. Free.

Continuing Events

Art Exhibit, "Metal Vessels," by Tom Muir, ICS fellow, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Green Room, Moore Musical Arts Center.

Planetarium Presentations, "I Paint the Sky," April 15-27; Tuesday and Friday and 7:30 p.m. Sunday. "Don't Duck—Look Up!" designed for children from preschool through first grade, April 26, 27, and May 4, shows begin at 2 p.m. \$1 donation suggested for all shows.

Auditions, The Music Man, 6-10 p.m., April 27-29, Kobacker Hall. Presented by the Bowling Green Summer Musical Theater in July and September. Call 2-2181.

At Firelands

Theatre Production, Tender Times, by Ronald M. Ruble, artistic director of the Caryl Crane Children's Theatre (CCCT) and presented by the CCCT, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 17 and Saturday, April 19; 2:30 p.m. Sunday, April 20, McBride Auditorium.

Employment

FACULTY

Instructor - journalism, one-year terminal position. Call 2-2076. Deadline: April 23.
Assistant professor - romance languages. One-year terminal position. Call 2-2667. Deadline: May 1.
Assistant professor - aerotechnology. Tenure-track position. Call 2-2439. Deadline: May 1.
Assistant professor (preferred, all ranks considered) - international business. Tenure track position. Call 2-2747. Deadline: May 1.
Assistant/associate professor - finance. One-year terminal position. Call 2-8714. Deadline: May 5.
All ranks considered - business education. One-year faculty position. Call 2-2904. Deadline: May 5.
Assistant professor - computer science. Tenure-track position. Call 2-8697. Deadline: Sept. 15.

Please contact Human Resources (2-8421) for information on the following listings:

CLASSIFIED

Posting date for employees to apply: noon, April 18.
Clerk 2 (4-18-1) - library budget office/dean's office. Pay grade 3. 12 month, part-time position.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Athletic academic coordinator (V-016) - intercollegiate athletics. Deadline: April 16.
Assistant director (M-017) - institutional research. Deadline: April 21.
Senior systems programmer (V-018) - computer services. Deadline: April 22.
Network administrator (M-023) - College of Business Administration. Deadline: April 25.
Assistant director of recreational sports/aquatics director (V-012) - recreational sports.

obituaries

RUTH LEADY

Ruth Leady, 70, died March 28 in Bowling Green. A former account clerk, Leady joined the University in 1962 and retired in 1986.

JEANETTE CRAIN DANIELSON SAMPATACOS

Jeanette Crain Danielson Sampatacos, 71, died January 2 at her home on Catawba Island. An associate professor emeritus of English and humanities at Firelands College, Sampatacos joined the University in 1967 and retired in 1990.