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# MONITOR

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## Giordano, Keeley named distinguished professors

Peggy Giordano, sociology, was conferred the title of Distinguished Research Professor and Stuart Keeley, psychology, was named a Distinguished Teaching Professor by the University's Board of Trustees Friday. The recognitions are among the highest honors awarded to faculty by the University.

The title of Distinguished Research Professor recognizes those professors who have earned outstanding national and international recognition through research and publication in their chosen fields.

Giordano's research has examined the influence of social networks on adolescent development, the impact of ethnicity and gender on relationship processes, female crime delinquency, the dynamics of peer influence, crime across the course of life, and dating during adolescence.

Her work has been published widely in professional periodicals and she is considered an international leader in the study of criminology and deviant behavior, particularly female juvenile delinquency.

Since coming to BGSU in 1974, Giordano has received more than \$3 million in federal research grants. She is principal investigator, with colleagues Wendy Manning and Monica A. Longmore, both sociology, in a study of dating relationships and adolescent fertility funded by a \$1.3 million grant from the National Institute of Child Health and Development through the National Institutes of Health.

A 1970 Phi Beta Kappa graduate of the University of Missouri, Giordano did her graduate work at the University of Minnesota, where in 1974 she earned a doctorate in sociology.

Her previous honors have included receiving the Paul Olscamp Research Award and being named to Sigma Xi National Scientific Honor Society.

Keeley has been a member of the psychology department faculty since 1967. A graduate of Coe College, he received his professional training at the University of Illinois, where he earned his doctorate in 1968.

His long-standing commitment to undergraduate education revolves around helping students develop critical thinking skills. In addition to teaching an introductory course in critical thinking through the Honors Program, he also teaches the skill in his abnormal-psychology course.

Keeley works with students outside the classroom as well. He has taken student groups to conferences,

conducts book group discussions through the Honors Program, and has been a mentor to graduate students, supervising more than 16 dissertations.



Peggy Giordano



Stuart Keeley

An active researcher on the subject of critical thinking for more than two decades, he has given numerous

invited presentations at the International Conference on Critical Thinking and Education Reform. He also was among nine scholars interviewed for the 1993 book

*Conversations with Critical Thinkers*, published by the Whitman Institute.

Keeley and M. Neil Browne, a Distinguished Teaching Professor of economics at Bowling Green, have conducted faculty development workshops on critical thinking at universities in the west and midwest.

His publications are many, including the books co-authored with Browne, *Striving for Excellence in College* and *Asking the Right Questions*, now in its third edition. Keeley also is the author of *Asking the Right Questions in Abnormal Psychology*.

## Board grants tenure and promotion to faculty

Eight faculty members were approved for promotion to full professor by the BGSU Board of Trustees Friday.

Four were promoted to associate professor, while another 25 received both tenure and promotion to associate professor. Two additional faculty members received tenure.

The trustees also granted emeritus status to Chan Hahn, Distinguished University Professor and Distinguished Teaching Professor, management, and C. J. Cranny, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences and a faculty member in psychology, both of whom will retire July 1; Donald Nelson, German, Russian and East Asian languages, who retired Dec. 31, 1999, and Ray Laakaniemi, journalism, who retired May 1.

Promoted to professor were

Ellen Berry, English; John Graham, biological sciences; Joyce Eastlund Gromko, music education; John Laird, physics and astronomy; Neocles Leontis, chemistry; Subramanian Ramakrishnan, computer science; Steven Seubert, mathematics and statistics, and Robert Vincent, geology.

Those promoted to associate professor were Karen Kakas, art; Lynn Darby, human movement, sport and leisure studies; Jay Stewart, intervention services, and Stephen Quilty, technology systems.

Receiving both tenure and promotion to associate professor were Kristine Blair, Virginia Martin and Simon Morgan-Russell, all English; James Foust, journalism; Annette Mahoney, psychology; Wendy Manning, sociology; Mark Marcin, art;

Paul Morris and Lakshmi Pulakat, both biological sciences; Curtis Peet, political science; Sheila Roberts, geology; Steven Rogelberg, psychology; Vicki Shields, telecommunications and women's studies; Daniel Brahier, Lessie Cochran, Jodi Haney, Julia McArthur and Blanche O'Bannon, all intervention services; Stephen Horowitz, family and consumer sciences; Adrian Turner, HMSLS; Charles Keil, environmental health; Velvet Brown and Nancy Lutes, both performance studies; Cynthia Miglietti, applied sciences, and Tatiana Panas, natural and social sciences.

Both Douglas Forsyth, history, and Kelly Broughton, libraries and learning resources, were granted tenure.

## Moving day



John Folkins sets up his office in McFall Center on May 1, his first day as Bowling Green's new provost. Also last week, he attended Faculty Senate and Board of Trustee meetings and spoke at the Graduate College commencement exercises May 5.

## Kaptur honored

Bowling Green State University presented an honorary doctor of public service degree to U.S. Rep. Marcy Kaptur during spring commencement exercises.

Kaptur, who is in her ninth term of serving Ohio's Ninth Congressional District, spoke at graduation exercises for the College of Arts and Sciences.

One of only 67 women in the 535-member 106th Congress, she is the senior Democratic woman in the U.S. House of Representatives and the senior Democratic woman on the House Appropriations Committee.

# campus calendar.....

Monday, May 15

Classified Staff Council, 9 a.m.-noon, Pallister Conference Room, Jerome Library.

## Continuing Events

May 10, 12, 13

Caryl Crane Children's Theatre auditions for the musical review "Yankee Doodle," 6-9 p.m. Wednesday and Friday, 9-11 a.m. Saturday, McBride Auditorium, BGSU Firelands. Roles are available for ages 10 through adult. Performance dates are July 2 and 3. For more information, contact director Ronald Ruble at (419) 433-5560.

## in brief

### Callers sought to extend welcome

In the spirit of supporting the BGSU core values of cooperation, creative imaginings, and pride in a job well done, the Office of Admissions, in conjunction with the Legions, invites faculty and staff to participate in an inaugural effort to build immediate connections with newly admitted Fall 2000 freshmen.

Admissions is seeking 300 faculty and staff (administrative and classified) willing to call 10 new freshmen each between May 22 - June 2. The goals of these calls are to:

- Welcome students to the BGSU family
- Express our appreciation that they have chosen BGSU

All those willing to participate are asked to e-mail [admissions@bgnet.bgsu.edu](mailto:admissions@bgnet.bgsu.edu) by May 18 with their name, department and campus phone. The office will then provide further information.

For more information prior to committing to participate, e-mail the above address, or call the Office of Admissions at 2-BGSU.

### Summer dining service offered

With the end of the semester, hours of service in University dining halls will be changing, according to Dining Services. This summer, Founders Keepers will be assuming some of the functions previously handled by the Student Union.

The hours of operation vary by day and are subject to change; for more specific information, contact Donna Johnson at 2-2892.

Through May 18, the Founders Keepers food court and Keepers snack bar will generally open at 7 a.m. weekdays and remain open through lunch. Beginning May 22 and continuing through most of June and July, weekday service in the food court will be available until 6:30 p.m. and snack bar service, until 1 p.m. In August, service will be provided from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Aug. 14-20, and from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Aug. 21-25.

At Kreisler, the Sundial food court will be open limited hours on weekdays from June 19 through Aug. 27. Not every meal will be available every day and patrons are advised to check first. Regular Kreisler service hours will resume Aug. 28.

## BGsupernet

Construction has begun on BGsupernet, the campus technology infrastructure project.

Trenching is taking place along South College Drive and across Mercer Road, just south of Ridge Street.

The crew working south on South College Drive is crossing Wooster Street west of the entrance to parking Lot A and staying west of the Popular Culture Center before angling back to South College on its way to the Tucker Center for Telecommunications (WBGU-TV).

At least one lane will be open on Wooster Street and Mercer Road at all times, but motorists should avoid the construction areas if possible. Work is also planned for various sections of Ridge Street during the next few

### The digging has begun

weeks, and periodic street closings are possible.

The Tucker Center, Hayes Hall and the Technology Building are the first buildings where interior work is being done by Romanoff Electric Corp., the construction contractor for the project.

The construction schedule is subject to change depending upon weather conditions and other unforeseen developments. Members of the campus community should be alert for construction equipment and are asked to advise prospective campus visitors about the project. Information for off-campus visitors will

be available at the Visitors' Center.

For regular construction updates, call the newly established project hotline at 2-0500. A recorded message will outline work locations and related information. Callers with a question may press "0" to speak to a dispatcher, who, if unable to answer the question, will refer it to project personnel for a prompt response.

Construction information will also be available on the project Web site ([www.bgsu.edu/bgsupernet](http://www.bgsu.edu/bgsupernet)), as will class relocations necessitated by the work.

For additional copies of the four-page project publication that appeared in *Monitor* and *The BG News* in March, contact Scott Borgelt at 2-9456 or [bgsupernet@bgnet.bgsu.edu](mailto:bgsupernet@bgnet.bgsu.edu).

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## job postings.....

### FACULTY

**Management.** Visiting assistant professor. Call Peter Pinto, 2-2947. Deadline: May 18.

**Economics.** Instructor (two positions). Call John Hoag, 2-8231. Deadline: May 19.

**Educational Administration and Supervision.** Instructor. Call Judy Alston, 2-7377. Deadline: May 19.

**Leadership and Policy Studies.** Instructor. Call Margaret Booth, 2-9950. Deadline: May 26.

**Family and Consumer Sciences.** Instructor (two positions). Call Tom Chibucos, 2-7823. Deadline: May 26.

**Finance.** Instructor. Call Sung Bae, 2-8714. Deadline: May 26.

**Continuing Education.** Associate/full professor (tenure or tenure track). Call Roger Thibault, 2-8208. Deadline: May 30.

**Ethnic Studies.** Visiting assistant professor. Call the department, 2-2796. Deadline: Dec. 15.

Contact Human Resources at 372-8421 for information regarding the following:

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Deadline for employees to apply is 1 p.m. Friday, May 12.

**Secretary I (C-63-Va)**—Master of Organization Development Program. Pay grade 6.

**Food Service Worker (C-62-Sa)**—Dining Services. Nine-month, part time. Pay grade 1.

**Radio Dispatcher (C-64-Sa)**—Public Safety-Communications. \$10.87 per hour. Twelve-month, part time (collective bargaining position).

### ADMINISTRATIVE

**Director of Athletic Communications (S-040)**—Athletic Department. Administrative grade level 15. Deadline: May 11.

**Director of Annual Giving (M-043)**—Office of Development. Administrative grade level 16. Deadline: May 12.

**Associate Director of Residence Life for Greek Affairs (S-115)**—Office of Residence Life. Administrative grade level 15. Review of applications will begin May 15 and continue until the position is filled.

**Academic Adviser (M-044)**—Academic Enhancement. Administrative grade level 14. Deadline: May 19.

**Assistant Director, Bowling Green Employment Advantage Program (S-045)**—Career Services. Administrative grade level 15. Deadline: May 19.

**Learning Disability Specialist (S-046)**—Disability Services for Students. Administrative grade level 12. Deadline: May 19.

**Systems Programmer (M-002)**—Information Technology Services (Position re-opened). Administrative grade level 15. Deadline: May 19.

**Marketing Coordinator (S-048)**—Athletic Department. Administrative grade level 13. Deadline: June 2.

**Assistant Athletic Trainer (S-047)**—Athletic Department. Ten-month, full time. Deadline: June 2.

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Next week:  
Family Campaign  
update.

