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Faculty Recognition Award winners (from left to right) Ronald Shields, chair of the theatre department; Lee Meserve, biological sciences; M. Neil Browne, economics; Nancy Boudreau, director of the Statistical Consulting Center, and Peter Shields, chair of the telecommunication department. Winners were chosen by the Faculty Senate Ad Hoc Committee, in conjunction with the Provost's Office.

Faculty achievements are rewarded by peers

Five of the University's outstanding faculty members were honored March 26 for their contributions to the community. At the Faculty Recognition luncheon, attended by more than 100 faculty members, each honoree was presented a plaque and a check for $1,000.

• The Lifetime Achievement Award went to M. Neil Browne, Distinguished Teaching Professor of economics, for his 33 years of excellence in teaching, scholarship and service to the campus community. Browne, who has won numerous teaching awards at BGSU as well as nationally, has published in the areas of economics, critical thinking, environmental issues and business ethics.

• Another long-time faculty member received the award for community involvement. Lee Meserve, Distinguished Teaching Professor of biological sciences, was recognized for his 26 years of unflagging efforts in teaching, mentoring, research and service. Meserve, the recipient of the 1992 Master Teacher Award and the 1998 College of Arts and Sciences Faculty Excellence Award, has taught 11 different courses in the department and has served as undergraduate pre-health professional advisor since 1983. He has served not only the College of Arts and Sciences but also the College of Health and Human Services.

• Ronald Shields, chair of the theatre department, was recognized in the chairmanship-director leadership category. At BGSU, effective leaders must consider and balance the needs of campus-wide department, faculty and student constituencies, and Shields has achieved an impressive success in all these areas. He is particularly strong in innovation in graduate curriculum, skilled managing of departmental resources, effective chairing of an interdisciplinary program and faculty mentoring.

• Peter Shields, chair of the telecommunications department, received the Faculty Mentor Award, for his mentoring of both students and other faculty members. A favorite adviser for students, he also helps recruit them to his department. As a mentor for junior faculty he provides encouragement, wise advice and hands-on assistance. He also models the ability to balance research and teaching, actively publishing in the academic community.

• Nancy Boudreau, director of the Statistical Consulting Center, was selected as winner of the Unit Recognition Award. Boudreau has directed the center since 1986, providing service to faculty and graduate students, while making major contributions to her clients' research and at the same time teaching those clients how statistics can be used to answer their research questions. She has a very broad knowledge of statistics and computer operations, which she applies to assist researchers in all disciplines with statistical applications to their research.

Outstanding classified staff members are recognized

Classified staff met March 27 for their annual awards ceremony and Classified Staff Council scholarship presentations. Cindy Koontz, business officer, was honored with the Outstanding Service Award. She received $1,000, a plaque and a reserved parking space for a year. Koontz was lauded for being a hard-working and caring employee with a contagious positive attitude, who reaches out to mentor and motivate others.

The Team Award was presented to the Harshman custodial staff, whose members include Jane Adamczak, Carol Bowser, Debra Browne, Wayne Freshour, Angela Heyman, Susan Orwig, Debra Potter, Virginia Roberts, Mary Sanchez, Sheri Souder and Dave Tracy. The team received a plaque and will share a $1,000 cash prize.

Nominators wrote that many of the team members are on a first-name basis with the hall's residents and staff members, and truly care about student concerns within the halls. Supervisor Carol Bowser was credited for her quiet leadership and inner strength, which have helped produce a solid, dependable, efficient, and well-liked custodial staff.

The council also presented 11 $250 scholarship awards, with three going to staff members Dorothy Grassley, Graduate College; Kerby Nelson, residence life; and Laura Pokorny, political science. Eight staff members' dependents received scholarships as well.

BGSU honors 15-year employees

Classified and administrative staff members who have been with the University at least 15 years will be honored Wednesday (April 4) at a dinner in Olscamp Hall. Following is a list of those with 15 years of service. Employees with 10 and five years at BGSU will be listed in Monitor online.

15 years

• Anthony Howard and Scott Kisabeth, both WBGU-TV
• Barbara Hoffman, Cheryl Lambert and Judith Miller, all Student Health Services
• Barbara Limes, Off-Campus Student Center
• Loretta Bradley, Candida Gutierrez, Donna Johnson, Margaret Kimball, Florence Klopfenstein, Barucce Nash, Jean Paridon, Karen Pownowski and Debbie Young, all dining services; Brenda Good, human resources; Carl Tuttle, Science Library; Cathy Wagner, Division of Intervention Services; Cheryl Heinlen, auxiliary services; Joann Gilliam and Cheryl Takata, both Office of Marketing and Communications; Errol Baker, Rodney Carson, Nancy Coy, David Caudwell, Mary Hoeder, John Head, Cindy Jeffers, Eric Johnson, Constance Kalata, Thomas Neilson and Donna Wilch, all facilities services; Connie Cadwallader, Karen Dauerman and Darlene Sander, all business office; Connie Hunt, Career Services; Dave Crooks and Gale Swanka, University Union, Terrie Cook and Deborah Rice, both College Access Programs; Diane Euler and Linda

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Monday, April 2
Eugene Lukacs Lecture, "How Wrong Can I Be (And What Does It Really Mean?)" presented by Bradley Effron, professor of statistics, Stanford University, 7-9 p.m., 210 Math/Sciences Building. Sponsored by the Department of Mathematics and Statistics.

Tuesday, April 3
Center for Teaching, Learning and Technology Workshop, "Web Graphics and Web Page Layout," 9-11 a.m. To register, contact Jane Thompson at jehomp@bgnet.bgsu.edu or 2-6898.

Wednesday, April 4
Sexual Harassment Prevention Workshop, 9:30-11 a.m., Pallister Conference Room, Jerome Library; for more information call Jan at 2-8472.

Friday, April 6

Saturday, April 7
Handbell Concert, "Bells!" 3:30 p.m., BGSU Planetarium.

Sunday, April 8
Faculty Artist Series, with Paul Mackay, sax, and Walter Baker, piano, 3 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center.

Monday, April 9
Board of Trustees, 2:15 p.m., McFall Assembly Room.

Continuing Events
April 4-25
Photography Exhibit, "The Triumphant Spirit," portraits and stories of Holocaust survivors, by BGSU alumna Nick Del Calzo. McFall Gallery: Gallery hours are Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. and Saturday, 12-1 p.m.

April 5-8, 20-22
BGSU Theater Production, "The Tempest" by William Shakespeare, presented with Balinese puppets and masks, 8 p.m. April 5 and April 20-21, 2 p.m. April 6 and April 18, 22; Eva Marie Saint. All seats are $5. Call 2-2719 for tickets.

April 9 and 10
Economics Colloquium, on the role of feminism in the U.S. economy, with author Nancy Folbre. Seminar: "Economics and Family Values," 9:30-11 a.m., 4000 Business Administration Building (April 9); keynote address, "Down with the Queen," 7 p.m, 95 Overman Hall (April 9); brunch with Folbre, 10-11:15 a.m., 107 Hanna Hall (April 10). Sponsored by Phi Beta Kappa and the Women's Studies Program.

To register, contact Jane Thompson at 2-6898 or jehomp@bgnet.bgsu.edu.

Jazz Lab Band I, 8 p.m., Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center.

FACULTY
English instructor. Call Tom Wymer, 2-7543. Deadline: April 15.
Contact Human Resources at 373-8421 for information regarding the following: CLASSIFIED (Employees wishing to apply for these positions may request a "Request for Transfer" form.) Deadline for employees to apply is 1 p.m., Friday, April 6.
Library Associate (C-33-Vh) — Information Services. Library, pay grade 8.

ADMINISTRATIVE
Assistant Director (S-034) — Career Services. Administrative grade level 15. Review of applications will continue until the position is filled.

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Employees (Continued )

Hamman, both Human Movement, Sport and Leisure Studies; Earl Lisi, Patricia Federman, and Joseph Neydudt, all Fieldhands; Erik Graubart, Language Laboratory; Frederick Honnleifer, Archival Collections; Gordon Sokoll, Ice Arena; Jacqueline Nathan, School of Art; James Brodherton, recreational sports; Kathleen Beattie, International Programs; Laura Gazarek, financial aid; Laura Weggner, registration and records; Linda Snyder, Canadian Studies; Mabelle Brumbaugh, Ruth Kruea, Cynthia Loomis and King and Stephanie Rader, all Office of Residence Life. Tuna Lawrence, Graduate College; Tina Amos, Lynn Nelson, Tim Konczy, Susan Shammoo, Sheri Konczy, Susan Shammoo, Sheri Sockman, and Richard Sockman, all Information Technology Services; Brenda Lane, Continuing Education, International and Summer Programs. Assistant director for Recreational Sports/Aquatic Programs (S-133) — Recreational Sports. Administrative grade 14. Deadline: April 9.
Head Women's Basketball Coach (M-095) — Intercollegiate Athletics. Administrative grade Deadline: April 16.
Communications Director (M-003) — Office of Marketing and Communications. Administrative grade 10. Deadline April 20 (deadline extended).
Residence Hall Director 2 (S-099) — Office of Residence Life. Administrative grade 13. Review of applications will continue until the position is filled.

Welcome BG Callers Needed
Volunteer to make 15 calls each between April 9-20 to welcome newly admitted freshmen. For a list of names and complete instructions, email admissions@bgnet.bgsu.edu with your name, department and campus phone.

in memory
Barbara Kalman, 60, died March 12 in Bowling Green.

A psychologist in the BGSU Counseling Center for nearly 21 years, she had served as the center's director for the past two years. The Counseling Center staff plans to establish a scholarship in her name.