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Linda Petrosino to lead Health and Human Services

The College of Health and Human Services has a new dean. Linda Petrosino, associate dean of the college and chair of the Department of Communication Disorders, has been chosen for the leadership role. John Folkins, provost and vice president for academic affairs, announced May 6.



Linda Petrosino

In making the announcement, Folkins said, "Dr. Petrosino is recognized nationally as a professional who speaks with authority, has clarity of thought and is well respected."

Petrosino's appointment becomes effective Aug. 1. She will take the place of Clyde Willis, who is retiring after 17 years as dean.

The college has about 1,400 students and approximately 45 faculty members who oversee 11 undergraduate, four master's and one doctoral degree program, as well as a certificate program in gerontology.

Petrosino has extensive experience in teaching, research

and administration. Currently the president of the Ohio Speech-Language Hearing Association, she has also served as its vice president and director of educational and scientific affairs. At the national level, she has served two consecutive terms on the executive

board of the Council of Graduate Programs in Communication Sciences and Disorders, of which she has been a member for over a decade.

She also serves on the board of the Council of Academic Accreditation for the American Speech-Language Hearing Association.

Named an "exemplar" of

Women in Science, Engineering and Mathematics by the state of Ohio in 1989, Petrosino in 2001 was presented the highest award given by the Ohio Speech-Language Hearing Association.

Petrosino, who has served as associate dean of the college since July 2001, has chaired the communication disorders department at BGSU since 1989. She joined the faculty in 1986 and was named a full professor in 1996. She also holds an appointment as an adjunct professor in the Department of Otolaryngology in the School of Medicine at the Medical College of Ohio.

She has participated in the design of academic, clinical and laboratory facilities for the communication disorders department. Under her leadership, new faculty have been recruited and the number of doctoral appli-

cants has tripled.

Before coming to Bowling Green, Petrosino was director of clinical services and training and an assistant professor in the Division of Speech and Hearing at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, from 1984-86.

Petrosino earned her doctorate in speech-language pathology in 1983 from Ohio University. She received master's and bachelor's degrees in speech pathology and audiology from Ithaca College, in 1978 and 1977, respectively.

A prolific scholar, Petrosino has made more than 150 presentations at professional meetings, published two book chapters and co-authored more than 100 refereed journal articles on oral vibrotactile sensation and perception, and speech production areas.

BGSU receives top collection of adventure fiction

Soldiers fighting in the French Foreign Legion, mutiny on the high seas, hair-raising escapes—such is the stuff of many a young man's most riveting experiences with literature, often read by flashlight late at night under the covers.

The University is fortunate to now have in its Popular Culture Library an extraordinary collection of some of the finest adventure fiction ever written, including close to 800 hardcover editions of some of the classics of the genre and approximately 600 pulp magazines from the early 20th century.

Adventure fiction is male romantic adventure, in which the virtuous hero tries, and sometimes fails, to attain the prize, said Colleen Warner, head librarian of the Popular Culture Library.

The collection was given to the University April 11 by Gary C. Hoppenstand, a BGSU alumnus and associate chair of the Department of American Thought and Language at Michigan State University in East Lansing. Hoppenstand and his wife, Becky, visited BGSU to present the books and magazines to the library.

The Gary C. Hoppenstand Adventure Fiction Collection ranges from first-edition classics of the late Victorian and



Gary Hoppenstand shows some of the adventure fiction books and pulp magazines he has donated to the University.

Edwardian ages to contemporary works, including books by Clive Barker, some science fiction and fantasy and even Harry Potter.

It includes *Dr. Nikola*, by Guy Boothby (the precursor of Dr. Fu Manchu); *Captain Blood*, by Rafael Sabatini, and *The Prisoner of Zenda*, by Anthony Hope, Hoppenstand's favorite.

Hoppenstand noted that *The Prisoner of Zenda* marked the transition in the Victorian world of popular literature from the chivalric to the swashbuckling male hero. It also contains the origins of the modern political thriller, he said, and has been translated into film many times.

"The collection is in pristine

condition," Warner said. "There is no question this is the finest collection of the genre existing."

"The covers of the pulp magazines are extremely colorful and action-packed, with World War I flying aces and swashbuckling sea captains in bright blues, reds, yellows and black. In the Depression era of the 1930s, magazines sold according to their graphics," she said.

Hoppenstand received his master's degree in popular culture studies from BGSU in 1982 and his doctorate in American culture studies in 1985. He has studied and written extensively about the adventure fiction

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Parking lots to be improved

Parking and Traffic and the Office of Design and Construction are collaborating on a parking lot improvement project to be completed this summer.

The parking lots scheduled for improvements are N, 14, A, G, PX, P and 9. The improvements scheduled for lots N and 14 will require closing these two lots for approximately one month, beginning as early as May 20. Alternative parking lots include Lots 1 and 16, located off Willard Street.

The improvements scheduled in the other areas are not as extensive. Work in these lots will commence after completion of lots N and 14.

Cooperation and understanding is appreciated in the completion of these projects, said Stacie Enriquez, manager of Parking and Traffic.

in brief

Call is out for Ferrari Award nominations

Students, faculty and staff may nominate full-time administrative staff for the Michael J. Ferrari Award. The award, now in its 20th year, recognizes outstanding achievement by a University administrative staff member through innovation and initiative, performance, or relationship with the University community.

The award honors Ferrari, a former provost who served as interim president of the University from 1981-82.

The deadline for nominations and accompanying paperwork is 5 p.m. Friday, June 7. All materials should be sent to Kay Gudehus, 110 McFall Center, or at kaygude@bgnet.bgsu.edu.

Further information and nomination forms can be found at www.bgsu.edu/organizations/asc/awards.htm.

Along with the esteem of the University community, the winner receives a cash award, a reserved parking space for one year and a plaque that will hang in Jerome Library.

Fall move-in crews are needed

Faculty and staff volunteers are needed for residence hall move-in crews on Saturday, Aug. 24.

Coordinated by the offices of Campus Involvement and Residence Life, the move-in will take place from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. that day. In addition to faculty and staff volunteers, student organizations will assist as they did last year.

To volunteer, email Pete Lafferty at pwlaffe@bgnet.bgsu.edu with your name, email, phone, campus address and T-shirt size.

Also indicate the shift you prefer: 8-10 a.m., 10 a.m. to noon, noon-2 p.m. or 2-4 p.m. You may sign up for more than one shift.

The deadline to sign up is Friday, June 14.

Help welcome incoming freshmen

Faculty and staff have the opportunity to welcome incoming freshmen to BGSU through the Welcome Call BG program, Gary Swegan, director of admissions, has announced.

Volunteers are needed to make about 15 calls to new freshmen who have paid housing deposits.

To participate, email the Office of Admissions at admissions@bgnet.bgsu.edu with your name, department and campus phone number. The office will then respond with further information.

To find out more about the program before signing up, email the same address with questions or call 2-BGSU (2-2478).

Pay your bursar accounts online

Students and their families, faculty and staff now have the convenience of paying BGSU bursar accounts and bills online using a credit card, checking or other bank account. Any University charges—tuition, housing, meal plans, general fees, dining charges, etc.—can be paid electronically.

The service can be accessed from the BGSU Web site at www.bgsu.edu by clicking on Online Payments. Access is also available through the BGSU Web portal at <http://my.bgsu.edu>.

Users then enter a BGSU ID number (POO) or Social Security number and follow the prompts. The final step in the transaction produces a printed receipt. An email acknowledgement of the transaction's status will be sent to the payer if the payer provides his BGSU or other pertinent email address. Because it generally takes two business days to process a transaction, the payment will not be reflected on an account in the BGSU system for two business days.

Statements of account will continue to be mailed monthly to the student's on-campus address, or another billing address designated by the student or to the permanent address on file. Faculty and staff receive statements at their department or at home.

"We are pleased to be able to offer the electronic payment option to parents and students, as well as faculty and staff. It is not only convenient, but also a time saver," Bursar Nancy Colman said.

To provide this secure payment service, BGSU has contracted with USA Education Inc., commonly known as Sallie Mae, and its Net.Pay Services, which are used by more than 80 colleges and universities nationwide.

Adventure fiction (continued from front)

genre, including annotated versions of some of his favorites for the Signet and Penguin classics series, as well as many pieces of literary criticism.

Warner said the collection is an invaluable addition to the library that will be used and enjoyed by scholars and students.

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campus calendar.....

Wednesday, May 15
Classified Staff Council,
9 a.m.-noon, Pallister Conference
Room, Jerome Library.

Saturday, May 18
Salute to Virginia Marks,
Distinguished Teaching Professor
and chair of the Department of
Music Performance Studies, 6 p.m.,
Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical
Arts Center.

Sunday, May 19
Frances Burnett Memorial

Concert, featuring performers
and guest speakers in a tribute to
Burnett, professor emerita of music
performance studies, who passed
away in February: 1 p.m., Bryan
Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts
Center.

Continuing Events

May 13-17
State Fire School, around campus.
For more information, contact
Continuing Education at 2-8181.

job postings.....

FACULTY

Mathematics and Statistics.
Instructor (four positions). Call
the department, 2-7453 or 2-
2636. Deadline: May 31.

EDTL/EIS. Assistant Profes-
sor/ Instructor. Call Leigh
Chiarellott, 2-7314. Deadline:
June 3.

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

CLASSIFIED

(Employees wishing to apply
for these positions may request a
"Request for Transfer" form.)

The following positions are
advertised on and off campus:

Laboratory Technician 2 (C-
40-Vc)—Psychology. Pay grade
5. Deadline: 1 p.m., May 17.

Radio Dispatcher 2 (C-41-
Sc)—University Police Depart-
ment. \$11.25 per hour (collective
bargaining unit position).
Twelve-month, part time. Dead-
line: 1 p.m., May 24.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Health Promotions Coordi-
nator (S-014)—Wellness Con-
nection, Student Health Ser-
vices. Administrative grade 15.
Review of applications will
continue until the position is
filled.

Program Coordinator (S-01/
069)—Bowen-Thompson Stu-
dent Union (re-advertised).
Administrative grade 14. Review
of applications will continue
until the position is filled.

Residence Hall Director (S-
010)—Office of Residence Life.
Administrative grade 13. Review
of applications will continue
until the position is filled.

Audio-Visual Manager (V-
037)—Bowen-Thompson Stu-

dent Union. Administrative
grade 13. Review of applications
will continue until the position
is filled.

Educational Technology
Specialist (V-039)—NWOETF.
Administrative grade 15. Dead-
line: May 17.

Associate Director (V-027)—
Large Format Digital Imaging
Division of NISDM. College of
Technology. Deadline: May 20.
Assistant Dean of Students
(S-046)—Office of Student Life.
Administrative grade 16. Dead-
line: May 24.

Assistant Bookstore Director
(M-045)—University Bookstore.
Administrative grade 16. Dead-
line: May 24.

Assistant Men's Ice Hockey
Coach (S-043)—Intercollegiate
Athletics. Deadline: May 24.

Director (S-036)—Bowen-
Thompson Student Union.
Administrative grade 19. Review
of applications will begin May
24 and continue until the posi-
tion is filled.

General Merchandising
Manager (M-044)—University
Bookstore. Administrative grade
14. Deadline: May 24.

Associate Director (V-038)—
Career Services. Administrative
grade 16. Deadline: May 28.

Chef (S-042)—University
Dining Services. Administrative
grade 13. Deadline: May 31.

Director of Undergraduate
Studies in Business (02-052)—
College of Business Administra-
tion. Administrative grade 17.
Deadline: May 31.

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