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## Honors Program sharpens its focus on critical thinking

The University Honors Program is building upon its solid foundation with the launch of three new initiatives designed to strengthen the critical thinking skills of both students and teachers.

Director Paul Moore, biology, has announced the creation of two core courses in critical thinking that all freshmen in the program will take beginning next fall. These replace the program's existing critical thinking course, currently offered fall semester and taken by about 30-50 students each year, he said.

"In the fall, we will have an introduction to critical thinking: what does it mean, how to develop it and practice its skills. We have a number of faculty across campus who are enmeshed in critical thinking, but within their disciplines. This class is unique in that it will focus solely on critical thinking itself.

"Then in the spring we'll offer a survey-style class that will examine critical thinking across the disciplines: what it means to someone in physical therapy, or music, or philosophy or science, for example.

"In order to do this," he said, "we'll need a cadre of teachers." So he is also creating a faculty-in-residence program that will bring two faculty members each semester to the Honors Program to begin to train them in how to apply critical thinking across the disciplines.

These faculty will work with students and Moore to develop the pedagogy needed to teach critical thinking. In addition, they will engage in a dialogue to arrive at a definition of critical thinking for the Honors Program.

"This will give students a chance to interact with faculty in a 'non-teaching' situation, without the pressure of grades," Moore said.

The faculty in residence will have offices in the Honors Program and will be released from their regular departmental teaching assignments for the semester, Moore said. They will then be able to incorporate critical thinking into their own disciplines when they return to their areas. Faculty who are interested are invited to call him at 2-8503.

The initiative fits well with the Academic Plan, Moore said. The Honors Program has about 1,000 students, including 230 freshmen. Moore hopes the initiative will help to infuse critical thinking across campus through its training of both students and faculty in all disciplines.

The students have already embraced the idea, Moore said. "One of the unique traits of Honors students is that they're willing to jump in and try things," he said. For instance, when he asked for volunteers to form an advisory panel on the critical thinking initiative, there were more takers than he could accommodate.

Developing critical thinking abilities is also a "great boost for undergraduate research," Moore said. "When they have these skills, they hit the ground running on research projects."

He would also like to have more students complete a senior Honors Project, and will begin in the critical thinking classes to encourage them to develop ideas for what their project might be. "It's a natural marriage between critical thinking and undergraduate research," he said.

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The third part of the plan is the new Director's Forum, which will begin this fall. Designed to boost critical thinking skills through the civil discussion of controversial topics, the forums will feature three or four faculty members delivering short presentations on a topic, followed by audience participation. Attendance will be required for all Honors freshmen, but the forums are open to everyone, Moore said. He plans to hold one forum each semester.

The first topic to be debated is University budget decisions. Participants will discuss how and why they are made. "The purpose is not advocacy but discovery," Moore said. "The discussions will be a way to get information and engage in dialogue in a very non-judgmental way. We want to promote a free discourse on ideas."

Moore, who was named Honors director last May, said the fact that his predecessor, Allan Emery, who returned to the English faculty, had built such a strong and smooth-running program allows him to focus on the bigger picture, such as defining new directions for the program.

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**Milt Hakel recognized for his promotion of psychological sciences**

Increasingly, society looks to the field of psychology for help in solving age-old collective problems. But in the not-so-distant past, psychology's potential was sometimes overlooked or undervalued. A leading faculty member at the University, Ohio Eminent Scholar in psychology Milt Hakel, has been named a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science for his efforts to encourage investment in research to address international concerns.

He is being honored for "distinguished scholarly and organizational contributions to the field of psychological science and for innovative leadership in advancing the field's reach and impact on society." Hakel will receive his honor at the association's annual meeting in February in Seattle.

"The psychologists who are Fellows are some of the foremost leaders in their areas of psychology," said Dale Klopfer, chair of the BGSU psychology department.

The American Association for the Advancement of Science was founded in 1848 to represent all disciplines of science to support scientific exchange and discussion of scientific and societal issues. It publishes one of the world's most prestigious scientific journals, *Science*, and is the world's largest general federation of scientists.

Hakel, who joined the University in 1991, is a specialist in industrial/organizational psychology. A creator of the Human Capital Initiative, he headed an international committee of psychologists committed to working together to answer pressing questions involving health care, education, drug addiction, crime, the elderly, and other seemingly intractable issues.

"The problems aren't going to go away," Hakel said, so society needs to capitalize on its scientific resources to deal with them.

He approached the issue in a typically organized way. As one of the founders of the American Psychological Society, which is concerned with the application of basic scientific research in psychology, he participated in "summit" meetings to set agendas for what researchers should be working on for the greatest good.

Like all other research, psychological research must produce results that are replicable and withstand public scrutiny, he said. "I think sometimes ours is the 'hardest' science," Hakel said, "because our subjects are so problematic so much of the time."

But his efforts and those of his colleagues have paid off in terms of increased funding by the National Science Foundation and the U.S. Department of Education, for example, of research into worldwide problems that have a psychological basis.

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Hakel has always taken an inclusive view of problem solving. For instance, in 2001 he chaired the United States National Committee for the International Union for Psychological Science, whose aim was to promote and coordinate relationships between U.S. psychologists and those in other countries for mutual benefit.

Klopfer said that in the department and at the University, Hakel "has been enormously helpful with anything that needs to be done, including serving as interim head of the Institute for Psychological Research and Application (in 1997-98). He's done a lot of work with student assessment, and he chaired the committee that developed the Academic Plan. He's been involved in a lot of high-level projects."

A key issue for Hakel is investigating how people learn, and helping them enhance their learning skills. His current project at BGSU is the development of electronic portfolios for students, which can be used to store examples of their work over their years in college. "This would provide a very useful tool to enhance the learning experience on our campus," he said.

"The real advantage of going in this direction is that the stranglehold of the semester or the curriculum is weakened," he said. Rather than thinking in terms of "checking off" items once they are completed, students would see learning as a continuum and could better assess their progress in writing, investigation, leadership and participation—all the identified learning outcomes of the University.

"This would help answer the 'What's in it for me?' question for students," he said.

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### **BGSU research conference set on 'Inquiry: The Foundation of Learning'**

Research by University faculty and students will be showcased Thursday and Friday (Nov. 6 and 7) at BGSU's second annual research conference.

"Inquiry: The Foundation of Learning" is the theme of the conference, which will include more than 130 displays as well as seven research-related sessions. All sessions will be held in the Bowen-Thompson Student Union.

Delivering the keynote address will be Brenda Russell, executive associate vice chancellor for research at the University of Illinois-Chicago. She will discuss "The Value of Research" immediately following an 11:30 a.m. luncheon Thursday in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom-202B Community Room.

Displays will be installed in Rooms 208, 222 and 228 for viewing from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday. They represent the work of roughly 200 BGSU faculty and students, including some undergraduate students.

The opening session, set for 10-11:20 a.m. Thursday in the Union Theater, will address the future of research at BGSU. A panel of Olscamp Research Award winners at the University will explore the topic following a welcome by Heinz Bulmahn, vice provost for research and dean of the Graduate College.

Moderating the discussion will be Fred Miller, philosophy faculty member and executive director of the University's Social Philosophy and Policy Center. Panelists will include Burton Beerman, music composition faculty and director of the MidAmerican Center for Contemporary Music at BGSU; Peggy Giordano, Distinguished Research Professor of sociology; Kenneth Kiple, Distinguished University Professor of history; Rex Lowe, biological sciences, and Michael A.J. Rodgers, Ohio Eminent Scholar in photochemical sciences and a professor of chemistry.

This year's recipients of the Olscamp Research and Outstanding Young Scholar awards will be announced at the luncheon, which will continue until 1:45 p.m.

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Beginning at 2 p.m., the Union Theater will host "Entrepreneurship: What Faculty Need to Know" with Dorothy Air, associate senior vice president for entrepreneurial affairs at the University of Cincinnati.

Promoting undergraduate research will be the subject of Thursday's final session, from 3:30-5 p.m. in Room 314. John Farver, director of BGSU's new Office of Undergraduate Research, will lead the discussion. Joining him will be Giordano; Neocles Leontis, chemistry; Robert Huber, biological sciences; Leigh Ann Wheeler, history, and Katerina Ray, director of the School of Art.

Friday will feature two sets of concurrent sessions, with panels of BGSU faculty and administrators talking about incentives, publication editorial boards, collaborations and how to write a good funding proposal.

BGSU deans, chairs and directors will share their perspectives on incentives from 10-11:30 a.m. in Room 207. Bruce Edwards, associate dean for distance education and international programs, will serve as moderator. Participants will be Bulmahn; Gary Lee, chair of the sociology department; Donald Nieman, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences; Linda Petrosino, dean of the College of Health and Human Services, and Richard Wilson, director of the Division of Intervention Services in the College of Education and Human Development.

At the same time in Room 201A, a panel of professors will cover "Publication Editorial Boards: What Do They Look For?" The moderator will be Gregory Garske of intervention services, joined by Lynda Dee Dixon of interpersonal communication, Daniel Fasko of educational foundations and inquiry, Lee Meserve of biological sciences and Jack Santino of popular culture.

Discussing collaborations from 1-2:30 p.m. in Room 207 will be moderator Deanne Snavely, a professor of chemistry and associate dean of the Graduate College; George Bullerjahn, biological sciences and photochemical sciences; Christopher Dunn, criminal justice faculty and associate dean of the College of Health and Human Services; Patricia Kubow, educational foundations and inquiry; Scott Martin, history and American culture studies; Elaine Lillios, music composition, and Bonnie Mitchell, digital arts.

Also from 1-2:30 p.m., in Room 201A, a faculty panel will explore "How to Write a Good Proposal." Beth Honadle, political science faculty and director of the Center for Policy Analysis and Public Service, will be the moderator. Also on the panel will be Molly Laffin, family and consumer sciences; Ronald Scherer, communication disorders; Jennifer Van Hook, sociology, and Robert Vincent, geology.

Wrapping up the conference will be a reception for presenters, guests and the BGSU community, from 2:30-4 p.m. in Room 228.

Sponsoring the conference are the Graduate College and the Office of Sponsored Programs and Research. For more information, call the SPAR office at 2-2481 or visit the Web site: [www.bgsu.edu/offices/spar](http://www.bgsu.edu/offices/spar).

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### 'The Value of Research' to be explored at BGSU conference

What is the importance of research projects undertaken by faculty members at Bowling Green and other colleges and universities?

Brenda Russell, a University of Illinois-Chicago faculty member and administrator with an extensive research background, will answer that question Thursday (Nov. 6) in her keynote address at the second annual BGSU Research Conference, titled "Inquiry: The Foundation of Learning."

Russell will discuss "The Value of Research" during an 11:30 a.m. luncheon in 202B Bowen-Thompson Student Union. Due to limited seating, anyone interested in attending her speech should contact the Office of Sponsored Programs and Research at 2-2481 or

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by email at [spar@bgnnet.bgsu.edu](mailto:spar@bgnnet.bgsu.edu).

Russell is executive associate vice chancellor for research, as well as a professor of physiology and biophysics, bioengineering and medicine, at Illinois-Chicago. She has been at the university since 1988 and has been its Research Integrity Officer since 1996.

In 1971, she received her Ph.D. in physiology from the University of London, where she studied under the direction of professor—and Nobel Laureate—Sir Andrew Huxley.

As a postdoctoral student, Russell established an international collaboration with Dr. Stanley Salmons of the University of Liverpool in a bioengineering project. They were the first to chronically implant nerve stimulators that he had designed to examine fiber type transformation in skeletal muscle.

She has also been an investigator in the colleges of medicine at Duke, UCLA and Rush University in Chicago, and has more than 25 years of experience across a broad spectrum of muscle research, from molecular structure to subcellular elements, cells, tissues and intact animals.

Russell's work has long been funded by the National Institutes of Health and other agencies, and she has served on Study Sections for NIH, the National Science Foundation and the American Heart Association, among others.

The author of more than 100 publications in peer-reviewed journals, Russell is also former editor of *The American Journal of Physiology-Cell Physiology* and *Cell & Tissue Research*, and an editorial board member of many journals.

**Canada-Ohio Business Dinner at BGSU to address "disappearing border"**

Canadian economist Tim O'Neill will discuss "The Disappearing Border: North American Economic Integration and the Role of Canadian Banks" at the 12th annual Canada-Ohio Business Dinner on Wednesday (Nov. 5) in 101B Olscamp Hall.

The dinner meeting will begin at 4:45 p.m., and O'Neill, executive vice president and chief economist of the Bank of Montreal, will deliver the keynote address at 7 p.m. There is no charge, but space is limited. Sponsors are the University's Canadian Studies Center, Alcan Aluminum Corp., the Canadian Consulate General in Detroit and the state of Ohio.

The Canadian Consulate is also sponsoring a Plastics Trade Mission to Ohio that will precede the dinner. The event is designed to cultivate cross-border relationships and will include displays by leading Canadian companies in 101A Olscamp Hall.

O'Neill, a native of Nova Scotia, was appointed to his current position at the Bank in Montreal in 1994. He joined the bank in 1993 after five years as president of the Atlantic Provinces Economic Council. Before that, he taught for 12 years in the economics department at St. Mary's University in Halifax, Nova Scotia.

A consultant to the Canadian federal government and provincial governments, O'Neill is also immediate past president of the Washington, D.C.-based National Association for Business Economics. He was the first Canadian economist to be elected to the association's board of governors.

The holder of a doctoral degree from Duke University, O'Neill is a director of the ABC CANADA Literacy Foundation and a member of the National Statistics Council. In his work, O'Neill has focused on the structure and performance of the North American economy. He has covered issues ranging from macroeconomic forecasts and assessment of key sectors of the economy to the employment effects of technological change and economic impact of low literacy skills.

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### 'Oh, my aching back!' BGSU to host sports medicine workshop

Members of the American College of Sports Medicine's Midwest Regional Chapter will hold their 32nd annual meeting on Nov. 7 and 8 at BGSU. Area sports medicine experts will gather at the Bowen-Thompson Student Union to discuss scientific advances and new techniques and directions in the fields of sports medicine and exercise science.

Priscilla Clarkson of the University of Massachusetts will deliver the keynote speech on "Muscle Soreness: From Microtears to Microarrays" to more than 200 anticipated attendees.†

Other highlights of the two-day event will include lectures and oral and poster communications given by professional and student members.

Major sponsors include the School of Human Movement, Sport and Leisure Studies; College of Education and Human Development; Bowen-Thompson Student Union; Student Recreation Center; Gatorade Sports Science Institute; Pepsi; Pfizer, and the Wood County Hospital.

ACSM's Midwest Regional Chapter was formed in 1972 and currently has 850 members involved in various specialties of sports medicine and exercise science.

Physicians, physical therapists and other allied health professionals may obtain 14 hours of ACSM-sanctioned continuing education credit for attending the Bowling Green meeting, or two hours of continuing medical education credit for attendance at the Pfizer-sponsored "Weekend Warrior Workshop: Low Back Injuries and Treatment."

Anyone needing additional information on the meeting should contact Lynn Darby, meeting coordinator, at [ldarby@bgnet.bgsu.edu](mailto:ldarby@bgnet.bgsu.edu) or at 2-6905. Other information regarding the Midwest Chapter and meeting can be found at [www.mwacsm.org](http://www.mwacsm.org).

The American College of Sports Medicine is the premier sports medicine organization in the world. Its mission is to promote and integrate scientific research, education and practical applications of sports medicine and exercise science to maintain and enhance physical performance, fitness, health and quality of life. ACSM has nearly 18,000 members in almost 60 countries, involved in more than 50 different professions in the areas of

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#### University to dedicate Circle of Friends

On Saturday (Nov. 8) the University will dedicate the Circle of Friends memorial created in honor of six BGSU students who died in an auto accident over spring break in 2002.

At the time of the accident, the students all lived in Founders Hall.

The six friends, Jacqueline E. Ahlers, Andrea A. Bakker, Ryan Leigh Foss, Jessica R. Hedlund, Sara Jean McCarthy and Michelle Saunders, will be remembered during the 1 p.m. ceremony, which will be held near the Circle of Friends memorial, between Founders Hall and West Hall on the Bowling Green campus. In the event of rain, the dedication ceremonies will be held in the Founders Courtyard.

The campus community is invited to the dedication.

Ahlers, of Vandalia, was a sophomore majoring in middle childhood studies, specializing in mathematics and science; Bakker, of Strongsville, was a sophomore majoring in apparel merchandising and product development with a marketing minor; Hedlund, of Perrysburg, was a sophomore majoring in nursing; McCarthy, of Brook Park, was a sophomore majoring in integrated language arts; Foss, was a sophomore integrated mathematics

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major, and Saunders, was a freshman pre-nursing major. Both Foss and Saunders were from Huron.

For more information about the ceremony, contact Deborah Novak, Founders Hall director, at 2-2510.

### Government, Non-Profit, Volunteer Fair on Nov. 5

The BGSU Career Center is hosting a Government, Non-Profit and Volunteer Fair, from 5:30-8 p.m. on Nov. 5. The job fair will take place in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom in the Bowen-Thompson Student Union.

Students from every academic major should plan to attend this job fair to identify opportunities for full-time careers, internships, and volunteer experiences.

Job seekers can expect to meet a number of employers at the local, state, and federal government levels, recruiting in areas such as law enforcement, the military, legislative services, social security administration and homeland security. A broad range of not-for-profit, social service agencies will also be recruiting at the job fair, in areas including youth programs, health and family services, and rehabilitation. BGSU's Office of Campus Involvement will also be participating in the fair, to discuss community service and leadership opportunities available to students.

For more information about the job fair, call the BGSU Career Center at 2-2356.

### Retirees invited to holiday tea

The BGSU Office of Development is hosting a holiday reception for retirees from 3:30-5 p.m. on Dec. 17 at the Mileti Alumni Center. Recent retirees will be honored at 4:15 p.m.

Retirees interested in attending should RSVP by Dec. 10 by calling 2-2424 or by email at [develop@bgnnet.bgsu.edu](mailto:develop@bgnnet.bgsu.edu).

### Third annual writing festival slated Nov. 8

Winter Wheat: The Mid-American Review Festival of Writing, now in its third year, returns to campus Saturday (Nov. 8). The all-day event will take place in the Bowen-Thompson Student Union.

The festival features readings, writing workshops, poetry and fiction idea sessions, and publishing advice. Among the sessions is a reading by award-winning poet Larissa Szportuk, English and creative writing, who recently read her work at the National Book Festival in Washington, D.C..

Other sessions, which are interactive, cover such topics as avoiding writer's block, using art as the impetus for poems, writing historical fiction, writing better sex scenes, and writing about antiques. An open mic at the end of the day is designed to allow participants to share their new work.

Sessions are designed for beginners and experienced writers alike, and are taught by students and faculty of BGSU's Creative Writing Program, as well as editors of Mid-American Review, a literary journal of national reputation published at the University.

Registration may be completed on the day of the event at the registration table in the third-floor lounge of the Union. The event is free to BGSU students, faculty, and staff.

For more information, call the Mid-American Review office at 2-2725, email [karenka@bgnnet.bgsu.edu](mailto:karenka@bgnnet.bgsu.edu), or visit the Web site at [www.bgsu.edu/midamericanreview](http://www.bgsu.edu/midamericanreview).

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**Faculty Senate**, 2:30 p.m., McFall Assembly Room.**Jazz Guitar Ensemble and Vocal Jazz Ensemble**, directed by Chris Buzzelli, 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center.**Football vs. Miami**, 7:30 p.m., ESPN2. **Movie**, "Legally Blonde 2: Red, White and Blonde," 9:30 p.m., Union Theater. Sponsored by Bowen-Thompson Student Union Programs.

Wednesday, Nov. 5

**Brown Bag Lunch**, "Legal Issues for Lesbian and Gay Parents," by Robert Salem, University of Toledo Law School, noon-1 p.m., Women's Center, 107 Hanna Hall.**ICS Presentation**, "Hip-hop Border Crossings: From the Bronx Hood to the Global Hood," by Halifu Osumare, School of Human Movement, Sport and Leisure Studies, 4-5:30 p.m., 206 Union. Co-sponsored by HMSLS and the Department of Popular Culture.**Canada-Ohio Business Dinner**, featuring Tim O'Neill, executive vice president and chief economist, Bank of Montreal, 4:45 p.m., 101B Olscamp Hall. The title of his talk is "The Disappearing Border: North American Economic Integration and the Role of Canadian Banks." Reservations required. Call the Canadian Studies Center at 2-2457 for further information.**Camerata Campo di Bocce** (chamber orchestra), directed by Emily Freeman Brown, 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center.

Thursday, Nov. 6

**Arts & Sciences Forum**, with David Schoem, cancelled, rescheduled to March 18.**Partnership Presentation**, "Color Me Healthy," by Holly Hoagland-Fojtik, Kidney Foundation, and Rebecca Probocik, School of Family and Consumer Sciences, noon-1 p.m., 318 Union. Sponsored by PCA and CITE.**Presentation**, "Street Level Prostitution in Ohio: Perspectives and Realities," by Celia Williamson, social work faculty member, University of Toledo, 1:30 p.m., Women's Center, 107 Hanna Hall.**Administrative Staff Council**, 1:30-3 p.m., 316 Union.**International Film Series**, "Das Boot," a

1981 German film directed by Wolfgang Petersen, 7:30 p.m., Gish Film Theater, Hanna Hall.

**Percussion Ensemble**, 8 p.m., Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center.

Friday, Nov. 7

**Presentation**, "Judaism: Foundations, Feminism and Faith," by Jean Goldfarb, a local community leader, 1:30 p.m., East Lounge, BGSU Firelands.**Mathematics and Statistics Colloquium**, "Mathematics and Technology," with Diem Nguyen, mathematics and statistics, 4-5 p.m., 459 Mathematical Sciences Building. Call 2-7473 for more information.**Hockey vs. Niagara**, 7:05 p.m., Ice Arena. **Movie**, "Legally Blonde 2: Red, White and Blonde," 11 p.m., Union Theater. Sponsored by Bowen-Thompson Student Union Programs.

Saturday, Nov. 8

**Winter Wheat Mid-American Review Festival of Writing**, 9 a.m.-8:30 p.m., Union.**Circle of Friends Memorial Dedication**, 1 p.m., between Founders and West halls. Rain location is Founders Courtyard.

Sunday, Nov. 9

**Movie**, "Legally Blonde 2: Red, White and Blonde," 9:30 p.m., Union Theater. Sponsored by Bowen-Thompson Student Union Programs.

Monday, Nov. 10

**Economics Colloquium Series**, "Transferring Ownership of America: The Coase Theorem and Native/White Land Transfers," with David Surdam, Loyola University of Chicago, 1-2:30 p.m., 4000 Business Administration Building.**Film**, "Secret Ballot," by Babak Payami, starring BGSU graduate student Nassim Abdi, 4-6 p.m., Gish Film Theater, Hanna Hall. Sponsored by the Women's Center and the Department of Ethnic Studies.

## Continuing Events

Nov. 6-7

**BGSU Research Conference**, Union. Sponsored by the Graduate College and The Office of Sponsored Programs and Research.

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**Musical**, "The Melody Lingers On: The

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Songs of Irving Berlin," 8 p.m. on Nov. 6, 7 and 8, and 2:30 p.m. on Nov. 9, McBride Auditorium, BGSU Firelands. Call 419-433-5560 or 800-322-4787 for more information.

Nov. 7-8

BGSU Opera Theater Production, "The Secret Marriage," a late 18th-century comic opera by Domenico Cimarosa, 8 p.m., Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center. Tickets are \$6 for senior citizens and students and \$8 for other adults. Call 2-8171 or 800-589-2224 for tickets.

Through Nov. 9

NMAF Art Exhibit, "Radical Line: Innovation in Chinese Contemporary Painting," Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Fine Arts

Center. Gallery hours are 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and 1-4 p.m. Sundays.

Through Nov. 12

Art Exhibit, sculptures by Richard Eisen, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. daily, Little Gallery, BGSU Firelands.

Through Nov. 25

Planetarium Presentation, "Centuries! Ohio's Story from Earth to Space," showings at 8 p.m. Tuesdays and Fridays, 7:30 p.m. Sundays and 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 22. \$1 donation suggested.

Key: CITE-Center for Innovative and Transformative Education; ICS-Institute for the Study of Culture and Society; PCA-Partnerships for Community Action.

**JOB POSTINGS**

**FACULTY**

There were no job postings this week.

Please contact the Office of Human Resources at 419-372-8421 for information regarding classified and administrative positions. Position vacancy announcements may be viewed by visiting the HR Web site at [www.bgsu.edu/offices/ohr](http://www.bgsu.edu/offices/ohr).

Employees wishing to apply for these positions must sign a "Request for Transfer" form and attach an updated resume or data sheet. This information must be turned in to Human Resources by the job deadline.

**CLASSIFIED**

Account Clerk 1 (C-50-Vd)—Business Office/Risk Management. Pay grade 4.  
Personnel Officer 1 (C-52-Rd)—Career Center. Pay grade 8.

The following positions are advertised on and off campus:

Maintenance Repair Worker 1 (C-49-Kd)—BGSU Firelands. Pay grade 6. Deadline: 5 p.m. Friday, Nov. 7.

Radio Dispatcher (C-51-Vd)—Public Safety (collective bargaining unit position). Pay is \$12.28 per hour. Twelve-month, part-time.

**ADMINISTRATIVE**

Director of Gift Planning (V-046)—Office of Development, University Advancement. Administrative grade 18. All applicants will receive full and fair consideration until the position is filled.

Major Gift Officer (V-068)—Office of Development, University Advancement. Administrative grade 15. Review of applications will continue until the position is filled.

WBGU Major Gift Officer (R-071)—Tucker Center for Telecommunications. Administrative grade 15. Review of applications will begin Nov. 7 and continue until the position is filled.

**OBITUARIES**

There were no obituaries posted this week