Search begins for vice provost for planning

Recruitment has begun for vice provost for institutional planning, the position in which Linda Dalton is serving on an interim basis.

The vice provost for institutional planning will be responsible for coordinating universitywide strategic planning, engaging all divisions of the university in planning issues and efforts, and providing analysis for all elements of the strategic plan and related projects, including the Cal Poly Plan.

Provost Paul Zingg hopes to have the position filled by the end of winter quarter.

Finalists for the position of vice provost for information technology will likely be invited to campus by the end of fall quarter. David Walch is serving as interim vice provost for information technology and is chair of the consultative committee for that recruitment.

Glenn Irvin’s title has been changed to vice provost and associate vice president for academic affairs to reflect his universitywide assignments, including those associated with the Performing Arts Center, and his responsibilities in academic affairs.

The three vice provosts will report to Zingg.

Funds available for faculty development

The deadline to submit applications for Affirmative Action Faculty Development Grants is Friday, Nov. 8.

The program is designed to help probationary or tenured faculty members and librarians qualify for retention, tenure and promotion.

The program provides funding to Cal Poly underrepresented faculty members to travel to professional conferences and for research mini-grants. Departments are also given funds to hire temporary replacement faculty members.

Program guidelines and applications are available in the Affirmative Action Office, Adm. 401. For more information, call the office at ext. 2062.

Emeritus Ken Schwartz receives planning award

Ken Schwartz, retired College of Architecture and Environmental Design associate director and founder and chair of the City and Regional Planning Department, received a statewide award from the American Planning Association.

The award recognizes Schwartz’ more than 40 years of dedication to the Cal Poly architecture college and the city of San Luis Obispo.

Called a visionary for San Luis Obispo, he is known for his work in rejuvenating the San Luis Obispo downtown area, particularly Mission Plaza.

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Garing, 75

Helen Garing, a retired Crop Science Department clerical assistant, died recently. She worked at Cal Poly from 1966 until 1983.

Irvine, 70

Robert Irvine, a retired electrician in Facility Services, recently died. He came to Cal Poly in 1974 and retired in 1991.

Butts, 72


Strickmeier joins Cal Poly Plan committee

Mathematics professor Bernard Strickmeier has joined the Cal Poly Plan Steering Committee as Labor Council representative.

The Academic Senate, Staff Council, ASI, and university administration have three committee representatives each. The panel is chaired by President Baker.

In its meeting last week, the committee discussed setting an agenda for the coming months that will include refining the process used to solicit funding proposals from the campus community.

In addition, the committee will help the university determine ways to measure increases in productivity and educational quality brought about by Cal Poly Plan initiatives.

Dairy center helps make fat substitute

The Dairy Products Technology Center has helped an industry partner produce an ingredient that can be used to make fat-free baked goods, desserts, sauces, salad dressings, and other foods.

San Francisco-based yogurtesse inc. funded the research that contributed to the development of the new dairy-based fat substitute.

The product, named yogurtesse, has one-tenth the calories of ordinary fat, contains no fat or cholesterol, and functions well in place of fat.

Yogurtesse and Mid-America Dairymen Inc. are marketing the product to large food companies. Foods containing the ingredient could be on supermarket shelves within the year.
Screenwriter, producer to read tonight

Writer, film producer, and writing-process expert Kenneth Atchity will give a reading at 7 tonight (Oct. 25) in Philips recital hall in the Performing Arts Center.


A regular contributor to the Los Angeles Times Book Review, Atchity founded and co-edited the publications Dreamworks and Contemporary Quarterly.

The WriterSpeak event is sponsored by Cal Poly Arts, the English Department and the College of Liberal Arts.

For more information, call English professor Kevin Clark at ext. 2506.

Pianist Steven Mayer to give recital

Award-winning pianist Steven Mayer will give a mini-recital from 3:10 to 4 pm Thursday, Oct. 31, in Room 218 in the Davidson Music Center.

Winner of the 1992 Grand Prix du Disque Liszt and the 1985 Carnegie Hall International American Music Competition, Mayer has performed with orchestras throughout the world, including the New York Chamber Symphony.

He has played in such concert halls as Carnegie Hall, Avery Fisher Hall, The Kennedy Center, London’s Purcell Room, and Vienna’s Brahmsaal.

Mayer, also known for bringing classic American jazz to a worldwide audience, champions the music of Art Tatum, “Fats” Waller, Jelly Roll Morton, and Charles Ives.

The recital is sponsored by the College of Liberal Arts and Music Department. For more information, call the Music Department at ext. 2406.

CSU Fullerton provides materials in Braille

A new transcription service offered by CSU Fullerton gives faculty members a quick and easy way to provide course material in Braille to blind students.

Students, faculty members and staff members can mail, fax, or e-mail course syllabi, class handouts, overheads, and examinations to the Braille Transcription Center. Because of limited resources, textbooks and readings cannot be transcribed.

The service is being offered at no cost to the 11 CSU Southern California campuses, including Cal Poly.

For more information write the Braille Transcription Center EC-379, Cal State Fullerton, P. O. Box 34080, Fullerton, CA 92634-9480, or call (714) 449-7686, fax (714) 449-7687, or e-mail BTC@fullerton.edu.

Marketing students win 1st in GM contest

A group of business students has won first place and $1,000 for their department in the General Motors Marketing Internship program’s national Scholastic Achievement Award competition for excellence in research.

The 15 students won in the Most Effective Research Category for a study analyzing the local competition faced by their “client,” Kimball Motors of San Luis Obispo.

More than 100 schools in eight states competed for awards in the internship program.

The students are all business administration majors and most graduated in 1996. They are Alexis Bookman, Shannon Collins, Eric Dasso, Deanna Gornik, Sorotana (Pete) Khiev, Son Kim, Keri Knight, Tina Kwan, Molly Leonard, Maureen O’Sullivan, James Robles, Kim Tran, Sau-Lai (Sally) Yiu, Ashley Turbeville, Leora Wong.

All the students, except Bookman, have a concentration in marketing. The student interns were advised by marketing professors Terri Swartz and Norm Borin.

The team researched six San Luis Obispo car dealerships, generating information on franchises, target markets, promotional activities, and advertising strategies, and recommended ways Kimball Motors might improve its business.

Clarification

The political satire group Capitol Steps will perform Tuesday, Oct. 29. Ticket prices are $10 to $18. For more information, call ext. 2787.

CPR Schedule

The Cal Poly Report will be published every Friday through fall Quarter. Copy is due by 1 pm a week before the publications date.

Please double-space all articles and send them to Jo Ann Lloyd, Communications Office, Heron Hall. Late-minute items can be faxed to ext. 6533 or e-mailed to polynews@oboe.aix.calpoly.edu.
Relations with students topic of Nov. 4 seminar

A panel of faculty members and students will hold a seminar, "The Proposed Policy on Amorous Relationships," at 12:10 pm Monday, Nov. 4, in the Staff Dining Room.

The group will consider the Status of Women Committee's Policy on Amorous Relationships Between Students and Faculty or Instructional Staff Who Evaluate or Supervise Them.

The policy states, in part: "It is the policy of Cal Poly that faculty members or other instructional staff shall not initiate, pursue, or be involved in any amorous or sexual relationships (hereinafter referred to as amorous relationships) with any student whom they are in a position to evaluate or supervise by virtue of their teaching, research, or administrative responsibilities."

Panelists will include Terri Swartz, professor of marketing and chair of the universitywide Status of Women Committee; Leslie Bowker, professor of biological sciences; and Anna Leone, a business student and member of the National Organization for Women.

Mina Vaughn, speech communication professor, will moderate.

The discussion is part of the Women's Studies Lunch-Time Seminar Series. For more information, call ext. 1525 or stop by Room 25H in Faculty Offices North.

RideShare Week winners announced

Several Cal Poly employees won prizes during California's RideShare Week, Oct. 7-11. Approximately 600 pledges were returned in San Luis Obispo, 275 from Cal Poly.

The winners of Cal Poly's prize drawing were Trisha Neal from Research Services; Susan Prographics, who won two VIP tickets to the Great American Melocates from Beachcycles rentals in San Luis Obispo; Howard Weisenthal, Architecture, who received a $25 Campus Express gift certificate; Stuart Goldenberg, Mathematics, and Fred Stults, Psychology and Human Development, who won gift certificates from Apple Farm.

Other employees who won Cal Poly prizes are Stephen Hughes, College of Business; Deborah LeCompte Souza, Student Affairs; Yolanda Tiscareno, Ethnic Studies; Martin Shibata, Career Services; Ben Vahey, Academic Records; Robert Flores, Agricultural Education; Lisa Rockwell, Foundation Business Office; Irel Ureiztieta, Global Affairs; and Geoff Hyer, Transportation.

Pat Tacker, University Advance- ment, won a two-night stay at Whaler's Inn in Shell Beach in the San Luis Obispo prize contest. Other winners are J.B. Anderson, Aeronautical Engineering; Sharon Glasgow, State Accounting; Bill Forgeng, Mechanical Engineering; Rockwell; Walt Tryon, Landscape Architecture; Michelle Specht, Admissions; Sean Vink, Dairy Science; and Irma Arellano, Extended Education.

Eating disorders talk to focus on recovery

A specialist on eating disorders will present "The Journey to Recovery: A Client and Therapist's Perspective" from 7 to 8 pm Wednesday, Nov. 6, in UU 216.

Heidi Lewin-Miller, a registered dietitian and marriage, family and child counselor intern, will address such issues as:

- Recovering from an eating disorder.
- Typical bumps along the way.
- Recovery's effect on all aspects of life.
- The process of recovery vs. a "quick fix."


The talk is one in a series focusing on eating disorders. The series is sponsored by the Cal Poly Women's Programs and Services office and E.A.T.S.L.O.

For more information, call Women's Programs and Services at ext. 2600.

Appointment

Lt. Col. Richard Kane has been appointed professor and head of military science. He will serve for three years.

Dateline

Admission charged — $
**Position vacancies**

Vacancy information and applications for the following positions are available from the appropriate Human Resources office. Vacancy information can also be accessed from the Cal Poly home page on the World Wide Web (address: http://www.calpoly.edu; click on "General Information" and "Current Events").

**STATE** (Adm. 110, ext. 2236 or job line at ext. 1533). Official application forms must be received by 4 pm of the closing date or be postmarked by the closing date. (No faxes)

CLOSING DATE: Nov. 22 or until filled

**#7M047: Technical Services Manager** (Admin II), Technical Services, Communications Services, $45,000-$55,000 annually, commensurate with the background and experience of the individual selected. Interested applicants must complete a Cal Poly Management Application and include a current resume, and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of at least three professional references. Specific inquiries regarding the position should be directed to Norman Johnson, director of communications services, at ext. 7691 or via e-mail to njohnson@calpoly.edu.

CLOSING DATE: Nov. 8

**#77053: Clerical Assistant III,** English Department (Unit 7). Only on-campus candidates may apply, $2,020 - $2,392/month.

**#77054: Library Assistant II, Library Circulation** (Unit 7)*, $2,352-$2,816/month.

*Note: Qualified on-campus applicants currently in Bargaining Units 2, 5, 7, and 9 will be given first consideration.

**FACULTY** (Adm. 312, ext. 2844)

Candidates interested in positions on the faculty are invited to contact the appropriate dean or department head or chair. Ranks and salaries for faculty positions are commensurate with qualifications and experience (and time base where applicable) unless otherwise stated.

CLOSING DATE: Dec. 9

**#73016: Assistant Professor, Cell Biology**, Biological Sciences Department, ext. 2788. Tenure-track position starting September 1997. Primary teaching responsibilities in cell biology, genetics, introductory biology, or other courses as appropriate to background and training, including graduate courses. The successful candidate will be expected to pursue an active and productive professional development program. Other duties include student advising and directing students in undergraduate and graduate (M.S. level) research. The applicant must have a Ph.D. at the time of hiring. A strong background in the cell biology of eukaryotes, and a strong commitment to teaching are essential. For application or additional information, refer to Recruitment Code 73016 and write to Susan Roper, director, UCTE.

CLOSING DATE: Dec. 31

**#73017: Assistant Professor, Marine Biology**, Biological Sciences Department, ext. 2788. Tenure-track position starting September 1997. Primary teaching responsibilities in marine biology, introductory biology, or other courses as appropriate to background and training, including graduate courses. The successful candidate will be expected to pursue an active and productive professional development program. Other duties include student advising and directing students in undergraduate and graduate (M.S. level) research. The applicant must have a Ph.D. at the time of hiring and a strong background in marine ecology, invertebrate systematics, invertebrate physiology, phy­color, or quantitative marine ecology. Applicants must have a strong commitment to teaching and should have good quantitative and computer skills. For application or additional information, refer to Recruitment Code 73017 and send letter of interest and resume to V. L. Holland, chair, Biological Sciences Department.

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**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26**

Men's and Women's Swimming: Green 'n Gold tournament. Mott Gym pool, 10 am.

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27**

**Dance Lessons:** The Ballroom Dance Club will give tango lessons. Odd Fellows Hall, San Luis Obispo, 5 pm. ($)

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 28**

Meeting: Slide show and info on ASI's upcoming 19-day trip to Nepal. UU 112, 6 pm.

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30**

Training: "Critical Communication Skills," facilitated by Ray Zeuschner (Speech Communication), as part of the Enhancing Customer Service program. UU 220, 9 am and 1:30 pm.

Women's Soccer: Oregon State, Mustang Stadium, 7 pm. ($)

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31**

Music: Steven Mayer will give a piano mini-recital. Davidson Music Center 218, 3:10 pm.

Dance: The Ballroom Dance Club will hold a Halloween Masquerade Ball. Odd Fellows Hall, San Luis Obispo, 8 pm. ($)

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1**

Homecoming: Laugh Olympics, Dexter Lawn, 2 pm. Homecoming activities continue through Sunday, Nov. 3. Call ext. 2586 for details.

Workshop: "The Virtual University," with speaker Sally Johnstone (Western Interstate Commission on Higher Education) and faculty panel. Philips recital hall, Cohen Center, 5 pm.

Homecoming: Honored Alumni Re­union Reception. Cohen Center, 6 pm. ($)

Homecoming: Student Rally with Cal Poly Band and Mustang football team, cheerleaders, and student club competitors. Sequoia Lawn, Grand Ave., 7 pm.

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2**

Homecoming: Parade, downtown San Luis Obispo, 10 am.

Homecoming: Alumni Tailgate BBQ and Wine Tasting, Poly Grove, 11:30 am, ($)

Homecoming: Football vs. UC Davis, Mustang Stadium, 1:30 pm. ($)

Men's Soccer: UCLA, Mustang Stadium, 7 pm. ($)

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3**

Homecoming: Alumni Reunion Breakfast, Smith Alumni and Conference Center, 9 am.

Dance Lessons: The Ballroom Dance Club will teach the tango. Odd Fellows Hall, San Luis Obispo, 5 pm. ($)