State Sen. Hart to speak to grads

State Sen. Gary Hart of Santa Barbara will be the speaker at Spring Commencement ceremonies June 12.

Hart, who last week announced he is retiring from public service when his term expires at the end of 1994, will speak to graduates in Business, Engineering, Science and Mathematics, Education and the Statewide Nursing Program in the morning ceremony that begins at 10 am in Mustang Stadium.

The ceremony for the colleges of Agriculture, Architecture and Environmental Design, and Liberal Arts will begin at 4 pm.

A former teacher who earned a master’s in education from Harvard, Hart has been a legislative leader in education. He wrote the bill that authorizes creation of charter grade schools and high schools, the concept behind the possible “charter university” status that Cal Poly is now exploring.

Hart had been widely considered to be a leading contender for the post of state superintendent of schools.

El Corral’s Grad Center, where candidates pay their fee and order cap and gown, will open May 3. Candidates must pay the fee by May 21 to be guaranteed the maximum of 10 guest tickets.

May will be month to change insurance

The annual open-enrollment period for health and dental insurance, FlexCash, and the Tax Advantage Premium Plan (TAPP) will run from May 1 through May 28. Changes and new actions will be effective Aug. 1. Detailed information will be mailed to all employees during the first week of May.

Representatives from insurance carriers and other benefit program organizations will be in UU 226 from 9 am to 1:30 pm Wednesday, May 5, to provide information. Representatives from Human Resources will be there to answer questions and process open-enrollment forms.

For more information on open enrollment, call Helen Willis in Human Resources at ext. 6471.

Time-base reduction programs available

Once again, to mitigate lay-offs, support-staff employees in collective bargaining units 1, 2 and 4 to 9 are encouraged to participate in time-base reduction programs.

Plans include 10/12 and 11/12 programs and others. Voluntary leaves of absence without pay are also encouraged for permanent employees.

Participation must be requested in writing and have supervisor approval. For more information, call Human Resources at ext. 2236.

Dean finalists picked, open forums planned

Five finalists have been selected for the position of dean of liberal arts. Open forums have been scheduled for the candidates to meet with students, the faculty and staff.

All forums will be from 3:30 to 5 pm in the Staff Dining Room.

The candidates and forum dates are:

- Irel Urreiztieta, dean and professor of Spanish, College of Arts, Letters and Sciences, CSU Stanislaus. (Open forum was held April 26.)
- Robert L. Martin, assistant dean of humanities and adjunct associate professor of philosophy, UCLA. Open forum: today (April 29).
- Thomas P. Klanner, associate dean and professor of English, School of Humanities and Social Sciences, CSU Fullerton. Open forum: Tuesday, May 4.
- Paul J. Zingg, dean and professor of history, School of Liberal Arts, St. Mary’s College of California, Moraga. Open forum: Thursday, May 6.

For more information, call Faculty Affairs at ext. 2844.

CLT test site

Cal Poly has established a permanent test site for the Certified Landscape Technicians tests administered by the California Landscape Contractors Association.

The site could also be used to hold competitive events among junior college ornamental horticulture programs that use the CLT format. The local CLCA chapter will maintain the site.
Singer Tom Chapin to perform April 30

Tom Chapin will give a family concert to close Cal Poly Arts' 1992-93 Family Arts Series at 7 pm Friday, April 30, in the Theatre.

One of a small number of songwriters who have captured the imagination of children, Chapin will also perform three numbers with Margie Noble-Englund's Joy of Music Kids Choir of San Luis Obispo.

Chapin's career spans more than 30 years, from headlining at the '60s nightspot The Bitter End to performing as the lead in the '80s Broadway hit "Pump Boys and Dinettes."

A younger brother of the late Harry Chapin, Tom, 47, was one of six boys who grew up in a family where art and social responsibility went hand in hand. He reaches children with a combination of both.

Chapin's hits include "This Pretty Planet," an Earth Day anthem in grade schools.

Premium seating for the concert is $9 general, $7 for students and senior citizens. Other tickets are $7 and $5. For reservations, call the Anytime ArtsLine at ext. 1421.

Duo recital set May 2 in Theatre

Cal Poly pianist William T. Spiller and Milwaukee Symphony principal cellist Ronald Shawger will give a duo recital at 8 pm, Sunday, May 2, in the Theatre.

They will play Seven Variations on a Theme from "The Magic Flute" by Beethoven, Sonata No. 2 for Violoncello and Piano by Bohuslav Martinu, Suite Italiane by Igor Stravinsky, and Sonata in G minor by Sergei Rachmaninoff.

Shawger has been described as a "star player" by the Milwaukee Sentinel and an "assured technician" by The New York Times. He and Spiller first collaborated in 1979 while attending the University of Washington.

Spiller, in his second year as a Cal Poly music professor, has performed throughout the United States and Canada. A graduate of USC, he has won prizes at the Joanna Hodges, Pacific, and Rotary Club Regional International piano competitions.

Tickets for the recital, sponsored by the Music Department, are $10 and $6 for the general public and $8 and $4 for students and senior citizens. They are available at the Theatre Ticket Office between 10 am and 4 pm Monday through Friday. For reservations, call the Anytime ArtsLine at ext. 1421.

Piano-violin concert set for May 7

Pianist Susan Azaret Davies and violinist Jeanne Clouse will give a benefit recital at 8 pm Friday, May 7, in Room 218 of the Davidson Music Building.

The program will include Sonatina in D major, Op. 137, No. 1 by Schubert; Sonata in D Minor, Op. 108 by Brahms; and Sonata No. 4 ("Children's Day at the Camp Meeting") by Ives; "Canzone" by Barber; and Preludes by Gershwin.

Davies teaches part time in the Music Department and performs frequently on the Central Coast as pianist, piano accompanist and mezzo soprano.

Clouse, a 1985 Cal Poly engineering graduate, studied violin with Jascha Heifetz. While a student here, she was involved in numerous concerts on campus and in the community. Now a member of the Pacific Symphony Orchestra and Opera Pacific, she frequently plays with movie and recording studio orchestras in Los Angeles.

Admission is free, but contributions to the Cal Poly Music Scholarship Fund will be greatly appreciated. Seating is limited; latecomers might be turned away. For more information, call the Music Department between 8 am and 4:30 pm weekdays at ext. 2406.

Photos of dancers featured in exhibit

Photographs of dancers by two San Luis Obispo artists will be on display in the UU Galerie from May 9 to June 9.

"Pas de Deux" is the exhibit's title, from the French ballet term meaning dance for two.

Artists Carol Astaire and Jacqueline Woods will be hosted at a reception from 3 to 5 pm Sunday, May 16, also in the Galerie.

The Galerie is open Tuesday and Wednesday from 10 am to 5 pm, Thursday 10 am to 8 pm, Friday 10 am to 4 pm, and Saturday and Sunday noon to 4 pm.

Stanford poet to read at Cal Poly May 5

In celebration of El Cinco de Mayo, writer Jose Antonio Burciaga will read from his work at 7 pm Wednesday, May 5, in the Sandwich Plant.

The presentation is one of a series of campus literary events sponsored by the WriterSpeak program under the banner "Write of Spring."

Burciaga is known for his lyrical poetry and entrancing reading style. A Resident Fellow at Stanford, he is a Chicano activist, writer, muralist, and humorist. He is also a founding member of the comedy group Culture Clash.

For more information call Mary Kay Harrington of the Writing Skills Program at ext. 2066.

CPR schedule

Cal Poly Report is published by the Communications and Special Events Department.

Typewritten, double-spaced copy must be submitted to Jo Ann Lloyd, Heron Hall, by NOON on the Thursday a week before you'd like it to appear.

Articles submitted will be edited for clarity, brevity and journalistic style.
'Distance learning' faculty needed

Agriculture is looking for faculty members in all disciplines who are interested in using the university's "distance learning" system to teach students at the Swanton Pacific Ranch near Santa Cruz during summer and fall.

The ranch, managed by Cal Poly, offers agriculture students hands-on experience through internships. While there, students can also take other Cal Poly courses offered through distance learning.

Classes are taught in Communications Services' video classroom on campus and beamed up the coast on a two-way video connection to a classroom on the ranch.

Interested faculty members should contact Brenda Smith, instructional coordinator at Swanton Pacific, at (408) 427-1718.

Facility and staff honored at banquet

At the recent annual Engineering Awards Banquet several faculty and staff members received recognition.

• Stephen Ball, Philosophy, and Dane Jones, Chemistry, were given the Outstanding Achievement in Teaching award, recognizing faculty members from the colleges of Liberal Arts and Science and Mathematics for contributions to the overall education of engineering students.

• Diane Dixon, College of Engineering, and Laurie Quiram, Mechanical Engineering, received the Outstanding Engineering Staff award.

Children's Center accepting applications

The Cal Poly ASI Children's Center is accepting applications for its 1993-94 kindergarten program.

The center's program is based on the State Department of Education's task force report "Here They Come, Ready Or Not."

Children are allowed time to explore their own interests, ideas and abilities. Class size is limited to 24 children to maintain a low teacher-child ratio that promotes an enthusiasm for learning.

For an application or more information call the Children's Center at ext. 1267.

Landscape team wins national title

The Ornamental Horticulture Landscape Team took first place for the seventh consecutive year at the Associated Landscape Contractors of America Field Days.

No other school has won the event more than four times.

Held at the State University of New York at Cobleskill, the competition attracted more than 350 students from 28 colleges. Contests were held in 20 areas, including plant identification, irrigation and landscape design, and business management. Skills were tested in categories such as wood construction, patio construction, and small engine repair.

Korean-Americans topic of May 3 talk

Cal Poly Pomona professor Edward Park will give a talk, "Building Bridges: The Political Response of the Korean-Americans to the Los Angeles Rebellion," at 10 am Monday, May 3, in Room 135 of the Foundation Administration Building.

Park, who teaches ethnic and women's studies, will discuss how the social consciousness and politics of the Korean-American community have changed since last year's Los Angeles riots.

For more information, call Ethnic Studies at ext. 1707.

Who, What, Where, When


Barbara L. Rowland Mori, Social Sciences, presented a paper, "Traditional Arts (Chado, Japanese Tea Ceremony) as Leisure Activities and their Impact on the Lives of Women," at the annual meeting of the Association for Asian Studies in Los Angeles. She was also elected the first secretary-treasurer of the Association for Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast.


Harold Kerbo, Social Sciences, was a panelist in a debate on "Poverty in America," held at Roanoke College, Salem, Va.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 29
Open House: College of Architecture and Environmental Design. Through May 2. For details, call ext. 1311.
Open House: College of Science and Math. Also April 30. For details, call ext. 2226.
FRIDAY, APRIL 30
Reading: Winners of Cal Poly’s Student Creative Writing Contest. Sandwich Plant, 7 pm.
Music: Singer Tom Chapin will perform as part of the Family Arts Series. Theatre, 7 pm. ($)
Baseball: Cal State Dominguez Hills, 7:30 pm. ($)
SATURDAY, MAY 1
Baseball: Cal State Domincuez Hills (2 games), SLO Stadium, 1 pm. ($)
Open House: College of Liberal Arts. For details, call ext. 2706.
SUNDAY, MAY 2
Music: Pianist William Spiller (Music) and cellist Ronald Shawger (Milwaukee Symphony). Theatre, 8 pm. ($)
MONDAY, MAY 3
Speaker: Edward Park (Cal Poly Pomona) will discuss “Building Bridges: The Political Response of the Korean-Americans to the Los Angeles Rebellion.” Foundation Adm. Bldg. 135, 10 am.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 5
Books at High Noon: Amy Avina (English graduate student) will review “The Kitchen God’s Wife” by Amy Tan. Staff Dining Room, 12:15 pm.
WriterSpeak: Stanford poet Jose Antonio Burciaga will read. Sandwich Plant, 7 pm.
FRIDAY, MAY 7
Baseball: Cal State San Bernardino, SLO Stadium, 7:30 pm. ($)
Music: Pianist Susan Azaret Davies (Music) and violnist Jeanne Clouse will perform. Davidson Music Building 218, 8 pm.
SATURDAY, MAY 8
Art$alute: Cal Poly Arts’ annual dinner and fund-raising auction. Chumash, 6 pm. ($)

Position Vacancies

Vacant staff positions at Cal Poly and the Cal Poly Foundation are announced in this column and are posted outside the respective offices. Contact those offices (State: Adm. 110, ext. 2236 — Foundation Administration Building, ext. 1121) for applications and additional position details. Both Cal Poly and the Foundation are subject to all laws governing affirmative action and equal employment opportunity. Cal Poly hires only individuals lawfully authorized to work in the United States. All eligible and interested persons are encouraged to apply. Applications must be received by 5 pm or postmarked by the closing date.

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CLOSING DATE EXTENDED: May 5
Director of Residential Life & Education, Contact Student Affairs Office, Adm. 209, (805) 756-1521, for Cal Poly Management application form.
Student Services Professional I/II, $2619-$3148/month. Coordinator of Student Development. Five positions available.

The university is seeking candidates for positions on the faculty. Those interested in learning more about the positions are invited to contact the appropriate dean or department head. Salaries for faculty are commensurate with qualifications and experience (and time base where applicable), unless otherwise stated. This university is subject to all laws governing affirmative action and equal employment opportunity including but not limited to Executive Order 11246 and Title IX of the Education Amendments Act and the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Cal Poly hires only individuals lawfully authorized to work in the United States. All eligible and interested persons are encouraged to apply. CLOSING DATE: May 14
Lecturers (part-time), Home Economics. Establishing a pool for Preservice teachers for Fall, Winter and Spring quarters 1993/94 in the areas of consumer education and management, foods, interior design, teacher education, textiles and clothing/merchandising and undergraduate research supervision. Minimum requirement is a master’s degree in home economics or related discipline.

Lecturers (part-time), Mechanical Engineering. Possible temporary positions available as determined by need during 1993/94 academic year, beginning Fall Quarter 1993. Teaching assignments in basic mechanical engineering courses. Bachelor’s degree in engineering and teaching or recent U.S. industrial experience required. Department especially interested in candidates with HVAC and R design experience. Master’s degree and/or professional registration is preferred.

Two Assistant Football Coaches, Intercollegiate Athletics. Part-time (.32), lecturer classification, 12-month appointments, annual salary $8908. One position will be coaching the defensive line (4 man front). The other position will be coaching running backs. Other duties for both positions will include recruitment, film breakdown and cut-up, and other related duties as assigned by the head coach. Final offers subject to state funding. Undergraduate degree required. Commitment to academics and knowledge of NCAA rules necessary. Preference to applicants with college coaching experience and California recruitment experience. Starting date: Aug. 1.

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Several members of the Philosophy Department participated in the annual meeting of the Pacific Division of the American Philosophical Association held in San Francisco. Joseph Lynch, Diane Michelfelder, and Paul Miklowitz served as chairs of sessions. William Wilcox presented a commentary paper, “Moral Obligation and Moral Alienation.” Michelfelder was elected vice-president of the CSU Council of Philosophy Department Chairs.