

# CAL POLY

## REPORT

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### Symposium on AIDS set for April 4-5

On April 4 and 5, the Cal Poly Health Center and Mortar Board will be sponsoring an AIDS Symposium, "AIDS—Everyone's Concern."

On Tuesday, April 4, at 7 pm, Dr. Richard Keeling, will speak in the Staff Dining Room. Dr. Keeling is the president of the American College Health Association, the director of Student Health at the University of Virginia, and one of the most dynamic and knowledgeable speakers on the topic of AIDS.

Faculty are asked to announce this event to classes and encourage students to attend. On April 5 information booths will be in the University Union from 10 am until 2 pm.

### Outstanding Staff Employees Award

Nominations for 1988-89 Outstanding Staff Employees are due April 14. A nomination form is included in this issue of *Cal Poly Report*. Send completed form to: Vicki Stover, Chair of Outstanding Staff Employees Award Selection Committee, Admin. Building, Room 122.

### Macintosh lab open house and orientation

An orientation and open house will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, April 5 and 6, at 11 am to introduce faculty to Academic Computing Services' new Macintosh Demonstration Laboratory.

The lab contains 16 Mac IIs with

color monitors and 5 Megabytes RAM, 15 Mac SEs, and an instructor's workstation attached to a 37-inch color monitor. The lab also has ImageWriter II and LQ printers, an Apple Laser Writer, and an HP Plotter. Software includes the most popular word-processing and spreadsheet packages, some computer languages, HyperCard, and VersaCAD.

The Mac lab can be reserved for class demonstrations for up to six 1 1/2-hour sessions per class per quarter. For more information call Marsha Epstein at ext. 2516.

### Senior faculty for San Marcos campus

Applications are being sought from senior, tenured faculty for tenured appointments to begin July 1 at the new CSU campus at San Marcos. The northern San Diego County school will be the first new CSU campus since 1965. The founding faculty members will be sought in social and behavioral sciences, biological sciences, physical sciences, fine arts, humanities, mathematics, physics, and education. The application deadline is April 14.

### Jens Pohl honored

Dr. Jens Pohl, professor of architecture, was the Cal Poly nominee for 1989 CSU Outstanding Professor. Faculty members from Cal State Fullerton and Cal State Northridge won the top awards. Pohl will receive a \$500 award.

### CSU OKs resolution on Gann, Prop. 98

A resolution calling for The California State University to join forces with other groups to modify Prop. 4 (the Gann Limit) and Prop. 98 has been approved by the board of trustees.

A coalition is being formed to support Project 90, a proposal developed by the California Taxpayers Association with input from higher education, labor and business associations and governmental entities. The major aspect of the proposal is to fully recognize state economic growth as a more dominate factor for increasing the State Appropriation Limit.

The Gann Limit restricts state spending to a base year (1978-79) plus annual adjustments for population growth and inflation. Prop. 98 determines the allocation of state funds to public schools and the community colleges. It establishes a minimum level (now 40%) of all state funds available for appropriation within the Gann Limit. It also requires that K-14 get 100% of all tax revenues in excess of the Gann Limit up to 4%.

Based on estimates from the Commission on Finance, by 1998-99 the Gann Limit will have reduced expenditures for K-14 by almost \$1.8 billion and reduced the expenditure for other state agencies, including the CSU, by about 2.9 billion. Also, according to the commission's figures, if Prop. 98 remains in its present form, by the end of the decade, K-14 education will have gained \$7 billion in revenue, and all other entities will have lost \$3.4 billion.

### Report schedule

This is the final issue of *Cal Poly Report* for Winter Quarter. Copy deadline for the April 6 issue is March 30.



### Spring break food service hours

#### Thursday, March 23

Normal schedule, except Vista Grande will close after lunch.

#### Friday, March 24

Normal schedule, except Vista Grande Cafeteria and Snak Stop will be closed and Julian's, Campus Store, and Backstage Pizza will close at 5 pm. Burger Bar will close at 7 pm.

#### Saturday, March 25

VG Restaurant ..... 11 am - 8 pm  
Campus Store ..... 9 am - 5 pm

#### Monday-Friday, March 27-31

VG Restaurant ..... 11 am - 8 pm  
Staff Dining Room .. 7 am - 3:30 pm  
Campus Store ... 7:30 am - 5:30 pm  
Vending Cellar ..... 8 am - 4 pm

#### Saturday, April 1

VG Restaurant ..... 11 am - 8 pm  
Burger Bar ..... 11:30 - 5 pm  
Campus Store ..... 9 am - 5 pm

#### Sunday, April 2

VG Restaurant ..... 9 am - 8 pm  
Burger Bar ..... Noon - 10 pm  
Campus Store ..... 9 am - 10 pm

### Tour of poet Jeffers' home set for April 8

A tour of Tor House, the Carmel home of poet Robinson Jeffers, is planned by The Library Associates for Saturday, April 8.

In addition to a docent-guided tour of the residence, participants will hear from Jeffers scholar Robert Brophy, a Cal State Long Beach professor, deliver a presentation at Tor House.

Jeffers wrote most of his poetry at Tor House, which he named for the craggy knoll, or "tor," upon which it was built. He lived nearly 50 years in his Carmel home. He found inspiration in its stern beauty.

The cost of the trip will be \$20 per person. In addition to the round-trip bus ride and tour fee, a lunch at Mission Ranch Restaurant in Carmel is included.

The van will leave from the Cal Poly parking lot on Grand Ave. opposite Vista Grande restaurant at 7:30 am and return to campus

at 5:45 pm. Those wishing to travel in their own cars may join the Cal Poly group at Tor House at 10 am. The cost for those traveling on their own is \$15 per person.

Participants are urged to wear casual clothes and comfortable shoes if they wish to walk along the beach that fronts Tor House.

Checks should be made payable to Library Associates, and sent to the Special Collections Department of the Library. Seats are limited and must be reserved by March 31.

For information call ext. 2305.

### 'The Fox' scheduled April 7 in Theatre

"The Fox," an expertly crafted dramatization of D.H. Lawrence's novella produced by the Los Angeles-based Back Alley Theatre, will be presented at 8 pm in the Theatre on Friday, April 7.

The play is set in rural England between world wars and tells the story of two women whose bond is shattered when a young soldier comes to live with them. The soldier is at first very much an innocent. But as he gets more comfortable, his aggressive, dominating nature begins to assert itself.

After its Los Angeles run in 1981, "The Fox" moved to Broadway for a 12-week limited run.

Two of the original leads, Michael Horton and Gretchen Corbett, will reprise their roles of Jill and Henry, the intruder, at Cal Poly. Horton is most familiar to television audiences as Grady, Jessica's nephew in the "Murder, She Wrote" series.

Corbett is remembered as the lawyer-love interest for James Garner in the successful TV series, "The Rockford Files."

Tickets for the performance are \$14 and \$10 for the public and \$10 and \$6 for students and seniors. They are available at the Theatre Ticket Office between 10 am and 4 pm, on weekdays. Reservations can be made by calling ext. 1421.

### April 8 violin concert by Maria Bachmann

Violinist Maria Bachmann, first-place prize winner in the 1986 Concert Arts Guild International New York Competition, will close the Cal Poly Arts Debut Series at 8 pm on Saturday, April 8, in the Theatre.

Bachmann enjoys a versatile career as a recitalist, soloist with orchestras, and chamber musician. The winner of numerous competitions, she was chosen by New York Newsday as an Outstanding Artist of the Year, and as a Young Artist to Watch by Musical America in 1988.

Her recital appearances have included the Academy of Music in Philadelphia and her New York debut at Town Hall in February 1987.

Bachmann's accompanist, Jon Klibonoff, is emerging as one of America's outstanding young artists. As a versatile recitalist, orchestra soloist, and chamber musician, he has performed extensively throughout the U.S. Also a member of the Bowdoin Trio, Klibonoff won the 1984 Concert Artists Guild International Competition.

Reserved-seat tickets for the concert are \$5 for the public and \$4 for students and senior citizens. They can be purchased at the Theatre Ticket Office or reserved by calling ext. 1421 between 10 am and 4 pm on weekdays.

### Women's Club will hold April 12 meeting

The Cal Poly Women's Club will hold a meeting and election of officers on Wednesday, April 12, at the PG&E Promontory, 406 Higuera St. The program will begin at 7:30 pm and will include a presentation by Dorothy Warren on "The Art of Dollmaking." Members may bring guests. For additional information, call Elsa Telew, 544-0240.



## Trustees approve 10 percent fee hike

The California State University board of trustees has agreed to the 10 percent hike in the state university fee called for in Gov. George Deukmejian's 1989-90 budget. Beginning this fall, California students will pay \$750 per academic year to attend one of the 19 state university campuses. Students currently pay \$684 annually.

In October the trustees approved a 3.6 percent fee increase that would have raised the fee to \$708 per year, about \$42 a year less than the increase in the governor's budget. Had they not approved the 10 percent increase in the state university fee, the trustees would have had to make at least \$13 million in cuts to offset the loss in revenue. The board will decide in May whether to raise the application fee from \$45 to \$55 and increase the nonresident tuition fee from \$4,680 to \$5,670. Both of these fee increases were also called for in the governor's budget.

## Women's conference to be held in April

The sixth annual conference and training institute, "Responding to Diversity: Strategies for Success in the CSU," will be sponsored by the Women's Council of the State University (WCSU). It will be held on April 13-15 at Sonoma State University. The conference will focus on the issue of diversity in its broadest application, including gender, ethnicity, age, sexual preference, disability, and ways the CSU is preparing students to deal with these issues in the wider world. Discussions will be held on issues affecting faculty, students, staff, administrators, and women's centers. On Saturday, April 15, there will be a day-long staff training institute with sessions on "Models of Success," "Personal Career Development Strategies,"

and "Dealing with Diversity: Strategies for Overcoming Institutional and Personal Barriers." For more information, contact Cal Poly WCSU governing board members, Willi Coleman, ext. 2476 or Mary Whiteford, ext. 5475.

## Utility gives \$135,000 for research project

The Pacific Gas and Electric Co. has granted \$135,000 to a professor to study the causes and effects of power-line disturbances on sensitive equipment such as computers and hospital instruments.

The grant to Dr. Samir K. Datta of the Electronic and Electrical Engineering Department is intended as first-year funding for a project expected to continue for three to five years.

The project's final objectives are to set up, within the department, a Technology Center for Power Quality Studies and develop a Power Quality Laboratory. Such a center would be used by PG&E and its customers to help solve power-quality problems.

## Shell donates \$1,000 to petroleum program

Shell Western E&P Inc. of Bakersfield, major partner in the proposed San Miguel offshore oil project, has given \$1,000 to Cal Poly's petroleum engineering program.

The donation is to be used to develop the program's laboratory facilities. It was presented to Dr. Amrollah Mehdizadeh, coordinator of the petroleum engineering program, by Bill Devereux, Shell Western public relations manager.

## Who, What When, Where

**Michael W. Stebbins**, *School of Business*, published "Downsizing With 'Mafia' Model, Consultants," in the special Winter 1989 issue of *Business Forum* devoted to the topic of managerial consultation.

**Peggy Lant**, *English*, had her paper, "The Rape of the Text: Charlotte Gilman's violation of *Herland*" accepted for publication by *Tulsa Studies in Women and Literature*.

**Anthony Knable**, *Biological Sciences*, has been selected as a recipient of the Leadership Citation of Blackburn College. This award, authorized by the board of trustees, recognizes alumni who have distinguished themselves in their careers or have made significant contributions to the life of the institution.

**Harry Sharp Jr.**, *School of Liberal Arts*, was senior director for a seminar at the Western Speech Communication Association's annual convention in Spokane. He has compiled the seminar's proceedings in a volume titled "Teaching Rhetorical Criticism to Undergraduates."

**Lynne Gamble**, *Library*, had a paper, "University Service: New Implications for Academic Librarians," published in the *Journal of Academic Librarianship*.

**Jo Ann Wheatley**, *Crop Science*, was local arrangements coordinator for the Association of Applied Insect Ecologists 13th annual conference in San Luis Obispo. Wheatley also presented a paper on the plant protection enterprise project at Cal Poly, with assistance from **Jan Holcomb**, *Crop Science*. Wheatley has also served on the board of directors for the association, completing her second term this year.

**Brent G. Hallock** and **Thomas J. Rice**, *Soil Science*, received the Chapter Distinguished Service Award from the California Chapter of the Soil and Water Conservation Society in Sacramento.

**Jill Hayden**, *Counseling Services*, was elected to the Career Information Review Service Committee of the National Career Development Assoc.

**Jim Aiken**, *Counseling Services*, has been awarded the certification of Diplomate by the American Board of Professional Disability Consultants.

**John Stead**, *Industrial Technology*, presented a paper, "Industrial Packaging," at the 60th annual California Industrial and Technology Association Conference in Oakland.



### Dateline. . . .

(**\$**) - Admission Charged

**FRIDAY, MARCH 24**

**Baseball:** Cal State Northridge, SLO Stadium, 8 pm. (**\$**)

**SATURDAY, MARCH 25**

**Baseball:** Cal State Northridge, SLO Stadium, 1 pm. (**\$**)

**TUESDAY, MARCH 28**

**Softball:** U.S. Air Force Academy, Softball Field, 1 pm.

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29**

**Men's Tennis:** Cal State Hayward, Tennis Courts, 2 pm.

**SUNDAY, APRIL 2**

**Men's Tennis:** Cal Lutheran, Tennis Courts, 2 pm.

**MONDAY, APRIL 3**

**Exhibit:** "Departure," a juried exhibition of Art and Design students' work. Continues through April 30. Dexter Art Gallery.

**Films:** "I, Vitelloni" and "Fellini: A Director's Notebook." Chumash, 7:30 pm. (**\$**)

**TUESDAY, APRIL 4**

**Speaker:** Richard Keeling, University of Virginia, will discuss "AIDS: Everyone's Concern." Staff Dining Room, 7 pm.

**Play:** "Sherlock Holmes & the Red-Headed League," Theatre, 7 pm. (**\$**)

**THURSDAY, APRIL 6**

**University Club:** Stan Rosenfield (Fiscal Operations) will discuss "The Boston Marathon." Staff Dining Room, noon.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 7**

**Softball:** Cal State Northridge, Softball Field, 1:30 pm.

**Play:** "The Fox," Theatre, 8 pm. (**\$**)

**SATURDAY, APRIL 8**

**Exhibit:** Annual Poly Royal Universitywide Juried Student Art Exhibit. Continues through April 30. UU Galerie.

**Concert:** University Singers Home Concert, Mt. Carmel Lutheran Church, 8 pm. (**\$**)

**Concert:** Maria Bachmann (violinist) will perform in the Theatre. 8 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, 805-756-2236) — Foundation: mobile unit near the Fire Department (805-756-1121) 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.

#### State

**CLOSING DATE: 4-5-88**

**Assistant Systems Analyst, End User Support, \$2495-\$3006/month; 6-month temporary position, Administrative Systems.**

**CLOSING DATE: 4-19-89**

**Nurse Practitioner, \$2472-\$2976/month; 10-month position with September & December off; renewable annually, Student Health Services.**

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Candidates for positions on the faculty of the university are presently being sought, according to Jan Pieper, director of personnel and employee relations. Those interested in learning more about the positions are invited to contact the appropriate dean or department head. Salaries for faculty 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: 4-30-89**

**Lecturers(part-time),** Civil and Environmental Engineering. Part-time positions teaching courses in civil & environmental engineering for Summer, Fall, Winter and/or Spring Quarters 1989-90. B.S. or M.S. with teaching and industrial experience in civil & environmental engineering.

**CLOSING DATE: 5-15-89**

**Lecturers (part-time),** Natural

Resources. Possible temporary part-time positions during Fall, Winter, Spring, and Summer Quarters of the 1989-90 academic year. Teaching assignments may include forest resources, parks & recreation, resource law enforcement and environmental law. B.S. degree in forestry, recreation, environmental studies, natural resources management, or J.D. with environmental law experience.

**CLOSING DATE: 7-1-89 or until filled**

**Management Position: Scientist/Director, Dairy Products Technology Center (Administrator III), Dairy Science.** Directing operation of Dairy Products Technology Center; budgets, reports, personnel relations, project proposal preparation; conduct applied research approximately one-half time. Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. Ph.D. degree required with plant experience and successful record of dairy product research. Position available August 1, 1989. Contact Dr. E. E. Starkey, Dairy Science Department.

### Dr. James Hauser

Dr. James Hauser, 39, a member of the Physics Department faculty since 1980, died in San Luis Obispo last week. A Minnesota native, he earned an undergraduate degree in mathematics from the University of Minnesota, and two advanced degrees from UC Berkeley. He was author of a number of computer programs.

### Fred Mamerow

Fred Mamerow, 60, a member of the City and Regional Planning and Architecture Department faculties from 1980-86, died in San Simeon March 10. A native of Newark, N.J., he earned degrees from UC Berkeley, and the University of Pennsylvania. Donations may be made to the Cal Poly Foundation designated for the Instructional Resource Center of the School of Architecture and Environmental Design.



# NOMINATION FOR OUTSTANDING

## STAFF EMPLOYEE AWARD

### ELIGIBILITY

Nominees must be permanent, full-time employees of the University, or regular full-time employees of the Foundation or Associated Students Inc. who are in at least their third year of employment at Cal Poly and who have achieved permanent or regular status by Sept. 1, 1989. Former recipients of the award are ineligible to receive it again. Below is a list of the recipients who are still active employees and the year that they received the award:

Al Amaral 1985  
Luther Bertrando 1978  
Lee Brown 1987  
Joan Cirone 1981  
Walter Clark 1984  
Larry Grimes 1983  
Farlin Halsey 1981  
Norman Johnson 1983  
Frank Kassak 1982  
Gary Ketchum 1987  
Lynette Klooster 1988  
Dale Lackore 1980  
Kathy Lamoree 1985  
Jim Landreth 1986

Frank Lebens 1978  
Harold Miller 1979  
Geraldine Montgomery 1986  
French Morgan 1987  
James Neal 1982  
Jim Neelands 1984  
Stella Nuncio 1977  
Judy Pinkerton 1988  
Nancy Raetz 1988  
Pauline Shaffer 1978  
Gail Simmons 1984  
Vicki Stover 1986  
Richard Tartaglia 1979  
Gerry Wagner 1975

### NOMINATION CRITERIA

In order to be considered for the Outstanding Staff Employee Award, an employee should be truly dedicated and loyal; exhibit expertise in job performance; demonstrate a willingness to assist others enthusiastically; take initiative in making his/her department more efficient and productive; maintain an excellent relationship with co-workers, faculty members, and students; and make contributions to both the University and the community.

### NOMINATION PROCEDURES

Any staff employee, faculty member, department or division head may nominate an eligible employee for the Outstanding Staff Employee Award. Nominations are made by completing the form on the reverse side of this page. The completed nomination form must be submitted to:

Vicki Stover  
Chair of the Outstanding Staff  
Employee Award Selection Committee  
Administration Building Room #122

Deadline For Nominations: April 14, 1989



## 1988-89 OUTSTANDING STAFF EMPLOYEE

NOMINEE'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

DEPARTMENT IN WHICH NOMINEE WORKS: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF NOMINEE'S SUPERVISOR: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide specific examples of the nominee's efforts in behalf of his/her department, division or school, and the University as related to each of the following factors:

### FACTORS:

Dedication and Loyalty to the Job:

Job Performance Expertise:

Willingness to Assist Others Enthusiastically:

Initiative in Making Department More Efficient and Productive:

Relationship with Co-workers, Faculty Members and Students:

University Oriented:

Community Oriented:

NOMINATOR'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

NOMINATOR'S DEPARTMENT OR DIVISION \_\_\_\_\_