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Two commencement ceremonies planned

Two commencement ceremonies for Saturday, June 16, are scheduled to take place in Mustang Stadium. Each will last one hour and 35 minutes.

Candidates from the Schools of Architecture and Environmental Design, Business, Liberal Arts, and Professional Studies and Education will participate in the morning ceremony beginning at 9 am.

The second ceremony, for candidates from the Schools of Agriculture, Engineering, and Science and Mathematics, will start at 4 pm.

The revised format was recommended to accommodate more of the degree candidates' families and guests. Each candidate will receive 10 admission tickets instead of five.

CSU program for women/minorities

Faculty and staff members interested in a career in university administration or management may apply for the California State University Administrative Fellows Program.

Applications and confidential evaluation forms must be submitted to the Affirmative Action Office by 5 pm on April 6.

The purpose of the program is to provide an opportunity for upward mobility. It is especially intended to ensure that women and people from ethnic-minority backgrounds have equal opportunity for placement and advancement in administrative, managerial and executive positions in the CSU system.

Assignments are usually made to another CSU campus. However, assignments at the home campus are possible when relocation would

impose a personal hardship or when the fellowship experience would be enhanced by staying at the home campus. In such a case, the new duties must be clearly separate from the fellow's regular position responsibilities.

Fellows receive their regular salary, vacation and retirement benefits.

For more information and an application, call Smiley Wilkins or Nancy Szejkowski at ext. 2062.

Faculty association to host Benefits Fair

A Benefits Fair, sponsored by the Cal Poly Chapter of the California Faculty Association, is being held today (March 8) from 2:30 to 5:30 pm in Staff Dining Room B. Faculty, librarians, coaches, and other bargaining unit three members are invited to attend.

Steve Weiss of the Variable Annuity Life Insurance Company will discuss "Retirement Income Gap Calculation" at 3:30 and 4:50 pm. Representatives from the following benefit providers will be available to answer questions: California Casualty, Ed. Comm. Inc., and CSEA. Material will also be available from other benefit providers.

Refreshments will be served, and there will be a drawing for door prizes.

For more information, call Jim Conway, Speech Communication, ext. 2569; or leave a message at ext. 2553.

Report schedule

The March 22 issue is the final one for Winter Quarter. The first issue for Spring Quarter will be Thursday, April 5. The deadline for that issue is March 29.

Message from Philip S. Bailey Jr: planning committee

I am pleased to announce the establishment of a new university-wide Academic Planning Committee. The committee is composed of the Academic Deans' Council (seven school deans, dean of library services, vice president for student affairs), chairman of the Academic Senate, and seven faculty members, one from each school (nominated by Academic Senate school caucuses, appointed by President Baker).

The seven faculty members are James Vilkitis (Agriculture), Linda Dalton (Architecture and Environmental Design), Earl Keller (Business), Edward Garner (Engineering), Raymond Zeuschner (Liberal Arts), Lezlie Labhard (Professional Studies and Education), and Peter Jankay (Science and Mathematics). The committee is chaired by the vice president for academic affairs.

This is an especially important time to initiate a major planning effort. The university has just completed a catalog cycle, it is in the final stage of the 10-year accreditation exercise by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges, and we unintentionally achieved our master plan enrollment of 15,000 full-time equivalent students two years early, unfortunately without as much planning as desirable. Immediate short-range planning is necessary to maximize the effectiveness of our current situation and resources.

The 21st century lies just ahead and it is crucial that we begin planning now. The university is scheduled to grow to 17,400 full-time equivalent students just after the turn of the century. This growth will probably generate 150-200 new faculty positions and

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Counselor conference scheduled March 8-9

High school and community college counselors from throughout the state will meet today (March 8) and Friday, March 9, for the annual Cal Poly Counselor Conference.

This year's theme is "One Step Ahead." The program, in Chumash Auditorium, will run from 1 to 4:30 pm on Thursday, and 8 am to 3 pm on Friday.

Counselors will have an opportunity to meet with academic deans, faculty, staff, and students through a variety of workshops and tours.

The conference is sponsored by the Relations With Schools and Student Academic Services Offices. For additional information call ext. 2792.

Public forum on Japanese internment

A public forum on the events and issues of the Japanese internment during World War II will be held Tuesday, March 13, from 7 to 10 pm in UU 204.

"Unfinished Business," a film that portrays the re-opening of the Korematsu case that challenged the constitutionality of the internment order before the Supreme Court, will be shown. The reversal of the earlier decision in the case set the stage for recent legislation granting reparations to Japanese Americans who had been denied liberty and due process under the law.

The film will be followed by a panel of speakers: Dr. Dan Krieger of the History Department; Dr. Phillip Fetzer, Political Science; and Paul Kurakawa from the San Luis Obispo Japanese community. Discussion will include events of the internment and the issues of civil rights, due process, community responsibility and American prejudices toward Asians and

Asian Americans. Questions and discussion will follow.

For further information, contact Dr. Barbara Mori, forum organizer, ext. 2011, or Krieger, ext. 2641.

Storyteller Torrence will be at Cal Poly

Jackie Torrence, one of America's favorite storytellers, will bring her ancient art to Cal Poly as a Cal Poly Arts Special Event, on Thursday and Friday, March 15 and 16.

Combining gesture, facial expression, vocal sound effects, and above all, the poetry of her words, she evokes a kaleidoscope world inhabited by giants, wily rabbits, ghosts, and some "ordinary" folks who find themselves in very extraordinary circumstances.

During her two-day stay, Torrence will be involved in a variety of activities. On March 15, she will present a program for school children at 11 am. Then at 7:30 pm she will offer a storytelling workshop for anyone interested in telling a better story.

The following day, she will present her second performance for school children at 11 am, and at 7 pm she will be featured in an evening of storytelling.

All of her presentations will take place in the Theatre.

Torrence has four specialties: Appalachian Jack tales; ghost stories; Afro-American animal tales; and old time Southern stories.

Her odyssey to becoming a professional storyteller is all the more remarkable for having overcome the obstacle of a severe childhood speech impediment.

Tickets for the storytelling workshops are \$2, and tickets for the Friday evening concert are \$8 and \$6 for adults and \$6 and \$4 for children and senior citizens.

Reservations for these two events, and questions concerning the school performances, can be directed to the Theatre Ticket Office, ext. 1421, between 10 am and 4 pm on weekdays.

University Singers to perform March 16

The University Singers will spend Spring Quarter as a part of the Cal Poly London Study Program. As a final "send off," the choir will present a London Farewell Concert on Friday, March 16, at 8 pm in the sanctuary of Mt. Carmel Lutheran Church, 1701 Fredericks, San Luis Obispo.

In addition to taking a regular load of courses, the 49-member ensemble will perform concerts throughout Great Britain and are planning an eight-day tour of Wales.

Concerts are scheduled at Bristol Cathedral; the Concert Hall at Cardiff University; St. David's Cathedral; Joseph Parry Hall, University of Wales at Aberystwyth; Bangor Cathedral; and in Newtown.

In addition to the tour of Wales, the choir will sing at Canterbury Cathedral and give a final concert in Logan Hall at the University of London.

Tickets for the London Farewell Concert (\$5.50 adults, \$3.50 students and senior citizens) are on sale at the UU Ticket Office and the Theatre Ticket Office. They will also be available at the door.

The concert is sponsored by the School of Liberal Arts and the Music Department.



Retirement reception

The Biological Sciences Department will hold a retirement reception in honor of Drs. Richard Nelson and William Thurmond on Friday, March 9, from 3-5 pm in the Faculty/Staff Dining Room B. Faculty, staff, students and other friends are invited to attend.

Floral designers set banquet, industry day

Presentations by some of the floral industry's top designers are scheduled as part of the Founders Day Banquet and Floral Industry Day on Saturday and Sunday, March 17 and 18.

The banquet will feature an address by Katie Gleim-Clark, president of the American Institute of Floral Designers' North-South-West Region. It will be held on Saturday at 7 pm at the Embassy Suites Hotel.

The following morning, the Floral Industry Day program will include presentations on protea, graphic floral design, and flowers to wear.

The combined registration fee for both the Founders Day Banquet and the Floral Industry Day is \$90 for non-students, if paid by March 12. Separate registrations are available until that date at a cost of \$30 for the Founders Day Banquet and \$75 for the Floral Industry Day. After March 12, all fees increase by \$15.

Checks should be made payable to "SAIFD, Gordon Chapter" and mailed to SAIFD, Gordon Chapter, c/o Ornamental Horticulture, Cal Poly.

For additional information call the Plant and Floral Shop, ext. 1106, between 1 and 4 pm, Tuesday through Saturday.

Clarinetist Rosengren to play March 17

Hakan Rosengren, a Swedish clarinetist who won the Concert Artists Guild's international competition in 1987, will play in the Cal Poly Arts Debut Series at 8 pm on Saturday, March 17, in the Theatre.

One of Scandinavia's major artists, critics say Rosengren plays the clarinet with his body, soul, and a keen intelligence that carves performances at once breathtaking, provocative, and unforgettable.

Tickets for the Debut Series con-

cert are \$8 and \$6 for adults and \$6 and \$4 for students and senior citizens. Reservations can be made by calling the Theatre Ticket Office, ext. 1421, between 10 am and 4 pm on weekdays.

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facilities equivalent to a small campus. We have the opportunity to plan and develop new programs and departments and design specialized facilities. However, proposing and gaining approval for new programs can take at least five years, and from proposal to completion of a capital outlay project is approximately 10 years.

In addition to anticipated enrollment growth and the accompanying challenges, a large turnover in the faculty is expected in this general time period as a result of retirements. The state's changing demographics will become even more evident, and we will have the opportunity and responsibility to enrich the cultural diversity of the university.

Effective planning, individual commitment, initiative, and innovation will be needed to maintain the character of the university and offer programs that will meet the needs of the next century.

Foundation board to meet March 16

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Foundation board of directors will be Friday, March 16, at 9:30 am in the Foundation Administration Building, Conference Room 124. This is a public meeting. For further information about this meeting or to obtain a copy of the meeting agenda, contact Al Amaral (executive director, Cal Poly Foundation) at ext. 1131. A copy of the agenda packet is available for public review at the Kennedy Library Reserve Desk (Room 114) and at the Academic Senate Office in FOB 25H.

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(S) - Admission Charged

THURSDAY, MARCH 8

Speaker: Quintard Taylor (History) will discuss "The End of Silence: Black Voices in the 1960s" as part of the Arts and Humanities Lecture Series, UU 220, 11 am.

Speaker: Ninian Smart (UCSB) will discuss "The Political Meaning of Hinduism and Buddhism in South Asia," UU 220, noon.

University Club: Donald Van Acker (Public Safety) will discuss "Hazardous Waste Issues at Cal Poly." Staff Dining Room, noon.

Luncheon Speaker: Norma Dengler (SLO County planner) will discuss "The 1990 Census: Uses and Implications," Motel Inn, SLO, noon. For reservations, call Dr. Long, ext. 2984. (S)

Softball: Chapman College, Softball Field, 1:30 pm.

Speaker: Ninian Smart (UCSB) will discuss "The Various Ingredients of the Hindu Religious Tradition: Past, Present, and Future," Cuesta Canyon Lodge, SLO, 7:30 pm.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9

Baseball: Cal State Dominguez Hills, SLO Stadium, 7 pm. (S)

SATURDAY, MARCH 10

Baseball: Cal State Dominguez Hills, SLO Stadium, 1 pm. (S)

Speaker: Ronald Haver (L.A. County Museum of Art) will discuss "A Star is Born: The Making of the 1954 Movie and Its 1983 Restoration." Palm Theatre, SLO, 12:30 pm. Call ext. 2305 for details. (S)

MONDAY, MARCH 12

Exhibit: "A Salute to Fran Dukehart." Continues through April 10. UU Galerie.

Softball: Humboldt State, Softball Field, 3 pm.

Baseball: Cal Lutheran, SLO Stadium, 7 pm. (S)

Film: "Fanny & Alexander," Chumash, 7:30 pm. (S)

THURSDAY, MARCH 15

University Club: Ralph Jacobson (Chemistry) will discuss "Impressions of Togo and Ghana." Staff Dining Room, noon.

Softball: Cal Lutheran, Softball Field, 1:30 pm.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

Baseball: Ohio State University, SLO Stadium, 2 pm. (S)

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FRIDAY, MARCH 16 (cont.)

Women's Tennis: Cal State Bakersfield, Tennis Courts, 2 pm.

Storyteller: Jackie Torrence will present a workshop. Theatre, 7:30 pm. An evening of storytelling will continue on Saturday, March 17. Theatre, 7 pm. For reservations, call ext. 1421. (\$)

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

SATURDAY, MARCH 17

Baseball: Ohio State University, SLO Stadium, noon. (\$)

Women's Tennis: Cal State Northridge, Tennis Courts, noon.

Concert: Hakan Rosengren (clarinetist) will perform. Theatre, 8 pm.

SUNDAY, MARCH 18

Baseball: Montclair State, SLO Stadium, 2 pm. (\$)

Concert: SLO County Youth Symphony, Theatre, 3 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 Administration Building, 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.

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CLOSING DATE: March 21, 1990

Clerical Assistant II-A, \$1607-\$1897/month; temporary through 12/31/90, Extended Education.

Clerical Assistant II/III-B, Admissions Advisor, \$1607-\$2133/month; temporary leave replacement through 6/30/90 w/possible extension to 9/28/90, ESS/Admissions.

Clerical Assistant II/III-B, Admissions Advisor, \$1607-\$2133/month; position available 7/1/90, ESS/Admissions.

Student Personnel Technician/Financial Aid, \$2090-\$2496/month, Financial Aid.

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CLOSING DATE: March 9, 1990

Power Keyboard Operator (Temporary, March 19-August 10, 1990), \$868/month; half-time, 8:30 am-12:30 pm.

Account Clerk (Temporary, March 19-June 30, 1990), \$786/month; half-time, 8 am-noon.

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: April 5, 1990

Lecturers (part-time), Biological Sciences. Possible positions for 1990-91 AY beginning Summer 1990. M.S. in biological sciences/related discipline required.

CLOSING DATE: April 16, 1990

Lecturers (part-time), Journalism. Possible positions for Fall, Winter and/or Spring Qtrs. 1990-91 to teach advanced news editing, public affairs reporting, radio and television news, and magazine article writing. B.A. in journalism or related field required, master's preferred. Extensive professional media experience essential. Previous college teaching preferred.

CLOSING DATE: April 20, 1990

Lecturers (part-time), Art & Design. Possible vacancies in ceramics, glassblowing, woods, graphic design, metalsmithing, drawing, watercolor, art history, photography, and art education to offer courses for Summer, Fall 1990 and Winter, Spring 1991. Applicants should be qualified

in one or more of the discipline areas, possess a master's or MFA degree and must have university teaching experience.

Lecturers (part-time), Industrial Engineering. Summer, Fall, Winter and/or Spring Qtrs. 1990-91 as needed. Teaching courses such as industrial systems, engineering economy, project management, manufacturing processes and human factors. B.S. or M.S. and teaching and/or industrial experience required.

CLOSING DATE: May 10, 1990

Lecturer (full-time), Ornamental Horticulture. Position available for 1990-92 AYs. Duties include teaching landscape drafting and design, plant materials, park planning and management, diseases and pests of ornamentals. M.S. required; Ph.D. preferred with preference given to those with university teaching experience and related professional experiences.

CLOSING DATE: May 25, 1990

Assistant/Associate Professor (full-time), Food Science & Nutrition. AY starting Sept. 10, 1990. Qualifications: Ph.D. in food science. Preference may be given to applicants having recent industry and/or research experience in food ingredients and their functionality as well as in the area of biotechnology as related to food systems and ingredient interaction.

CLOSING DATE: June 1, 1990

Assistant Professor (full-time, tenure-track), Crop Science. Starting September 1990. Duties include teaching upper and lower division classes in vegetable science, both lectures and labs, supervising student-run field projects in vegetable crops, and serving as pathology resource person. Ph.D. in vegetable science or horticultural science and strong background in plant pathology required. Appropriate experience in vegetable production is essential.

CLOSING DATE: August 15, 1990

Lecturers (part-time), Biological Sciences. Possible 1990-91 AY, 1990. B.S. in biological sciences/related discipline and current enrollment in the department's graduate program required.