

Cal Poly Report

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Winter CAR deadline: Nov. 15

An article in the Nov. 3 issue of *Cal Poly Report* gave the wrong date for the Winter Quarter CAR form deadline. Please remind your students that the deadline is Nov. 15, not Nov. 23 as the *Report* said, to submit CAR forms and avoid a \$25 late fee.

West in Caribbean with task force

Howard West, the university's associate executive vice president, is in the Caribbean this week as a member of the International Private Enterprise Task Force. He was appointed to the 21-member body by President Ronald Reagan earlier this year.

He and other members of the Task Force are visiting Haiti and the Dominican Republic to meet with U.S. Embassy officials, Agency for International Development (AID) personnel, and host government ministries. Task Force members will have a chance to exchange views with trade representatives of Latin American countries, who will be meeting in the Dominican Republic.

The Task Force advises President Reagan and U.S. officials on ways in which private enterprise can become more involved in the development of the Third World countries.

'Crucible' to open theater season

Cal Poly's theater season will open at 8 pm Nov. 17 with Arthur Miller's play, "The Crucible." Additional performances will be Nov. 18 and 19, also at 8 pm in the Cal Poly Theatre.

All tickets are \$3.50 and are on sale at the University Union ticket office. For reservations call ext. 1421.

Miller based "The Crucible" on historical events in old Salem, Mass., during the days of hysteria about witchcraft. The play is an "idea" drama, one that moves audiences and prods them to think about the nature of the individual conscience and the public conscience. It is highly regarded in the theater world as one of the most dramatic and challenging of Miller's plays.

Committee named to pick new vice president

President Baker has established a Consultative Committee for the Selection of the Vice President, University Relations. Members of the committee are: Stan Bernstein (Director, Public Affairs), Jim Landreth (Director, Business Affairs), Malcolm Wilson (Vice Provost), Richard Equinoa (Director, Placement Center), Lezlie Labhard (Faculty, Home Economics), Ron Ratcliffe (Faculty, Music), Lark Carter (Dean, School of Agriculture and Natural Resources), and Ingrid Otteson (representing the Associated Students Inc.).

Malcolm Wilson has been named chairman of the consultative committee, with Mike Suess, interim director of personnel and employee relations, and Smiley Wilkins, affirmative action coordinator, providing staff support.

Cal Poly authors

•James Hutchinson (Graphic Communications) has written a book about the development and history of letterforms. Published by Van Nostrand Reinhold Company Inc., New York the 256-page text, "Letters," traces the development of alphabets from early picture signs, through their changing forms and use in writing computer-created appearance.

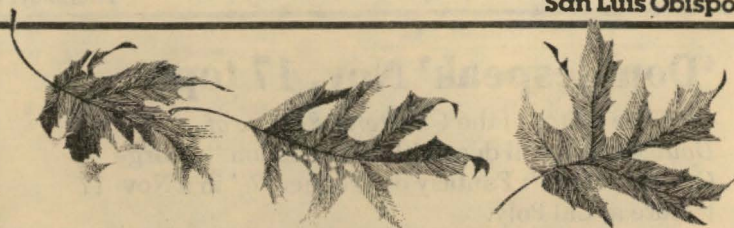
Hutchinson presents a secondary theme: the tremendous number of technical changes in the graphic arts that has led to a revolution in the appearance of letters and illustrative matter.

The new book explores pre-alphabetic writing; Phoenician, Greek, Etruscan and Latin letters; writing of the Roman and Carolingian periods; other letterforms in the Latin alphabet; printing-type designs from their advent in the 15th century to their most recent forms.

•Nancy Loe, head of the Special Collections and University Archives Department in the Robert E. Kennedy Library, has written a book about the history of Colorado Springs, Colo.

The 150-page book, "Life in the Altitudes: An Illustrated History of Colorado Springs," traces the growth and development of the central Colorado city, nestled at the foot of Pikes Peak. It is published by Windsor Publications Inc. of Woodland Hills, Calif.

Originally occupied by the Ute, Cheyenne and Arapaho Indians, Colorado Springs has become a year-round vacation spot and health resort.



'Doublespeak' Nov. 17 topic

The editor of the *Quarterly Review of Doublespeak* will deal with the question "George Orwell's '1984': Fantasy or Prophecy?" in a Nov. 17 lecture at Cal Poly.

William Lutz' presentation is the fourth in a series based on Orwell's novel. His free, public lecture, beginning at 11 am in University Union 220, will include some current examples of "double-speak" by public officials.

The program is part of the 13th annual Arts and Humanities Lecture Series. Under a new policy, admission will be limited to 85 people—the number of seats in the room.

Lutz, chairman of the English Department at Rutgers University's Camden, N.J., campus, sees doublespeak as a manipulation of reality, not as a trick of language.

Lutz earned an undergraduate degree in English from Dominican College in Racine, Wis., with minors in Greek and Latin, and earned graduate degrees from Marquette University and the University of Nevada, Reno. He has served as national director of a National Council of Teachers of English Workshop and been chairman of the Task Force on Basic Skills Testing and Remediation for the New Jersey Statewide Plan for Higher Education.

The Arts and Humanities Lecture Series is sponsored by the School of Communicative Arts and Humanities.

Math societies on campus

Cal Poly's Mathematics Department will host a joint meeting of the nation's two largest mathematical professional organizations Friday and Saturday. Expected to attend are 250 members of the American Mathematical Society and the Mathematical Association of America. They will hear presentations by nearly 100 speakers who are traveling from Canada, Europe and throughout the United States.

Special sessions during the two-day meeting will be on such topics as "Numerical Solutions of Partial Differential Equations," "Geometric Methods for Partial Differential Equations" and "Singular Perturbations."

Featured speaker during the weekend will be Judith Grabiner of California State University, Dominguez Hills, a distinguished scholar in the history of mathematics. She will discuss "The Newton-Leibniz Controversy" during a luncheon session scheduled for Saturday in the Staff Dining Room.

Additional information about the joint meeting of AMS and MAA can be obtained from Euel Kennedy (Mathematics), ext. 2245.

New ceiling set on Social Security

Social Security taxes will be deducted from the first \$37,800 that workers earn in 1984, up \$2,100 from this year's \$35,700 cutoff point, the U.S. government has announced.

The increase will place the maximum Social Security tax paid by employees at \$2,532.60 next year, up \$140.70 from this year's maximum, the Social Security Administration said.

Veteran's Day Weekend food service hours

THURSDAY, NOV. 10

Normal schedule, except Vista Grande Cafeteria will close after lunch.

FRIDAY, Nov. 11

University Dining Room

Breakfast	8:30 am - noon
Lunch	12:15 - 2 pm
Dinner	4 - 7 pm
Burger Bar	10 am - 1 am
Staff Dining Room	7 am - 4 pm
Cellar	7 am - midnight
Vista Grande Restaurant	11 am - 8 pm
Campus Store	6:30 am - 10 pm

SATURDAY, NOV. 12

University Dining Room

Breakfast	8:30 am - noon
Lunch	12:15 - 2 pm
Dinner	4 pm - 7 pm
Burger Bar	10 am - 1 am
Vista Grande Restaurant	11 am - 8 pm
Cellar	7 am - midnight
Campus Store	9 am - 4:45 pm

SUNDAY, NOV. 13

University Dining Room

Breakfast	8:30 am - noon
Lunch	12:15 - 2 pm
Dinner	4 pm - 7 pm
Burger Bar	noon - midnight
Vista Grande Restaurant	10 am - 8 pm
Cellar	7 am - midnight
Campus Store	9 am - 4:45 pm

Cal Poly Report schedule

The end of the year is drawing near. Because of November and December holidays, *Cal Poly Report* will be published only *three* more times this year: Nov. 17, Dec. 1 and Dec. 8. The first edition of 1984 will be Monday, Jan. 9, and we will return to our Thursday publication schedule with the Jan. 12 issue. *Please remember that we need copy one week prior to the publication date.*

Baker appointed chairman of CSU advisory bodies

Chancellor W. Ann Reynolds has appointed President Baker chairman of The California State University Industrial Education Advisory Committee. The advisory committee brings together individuals best able to advise the chancellor on policies, procedures and other matters relating to the development and maintenance of engineering, computer science and related programs in the CSU.

The 15-member body will look at such problems as recruiting and retaining high-quality faculty, meeting resource needs, improving relationships with the industrial community, and recruiting and retaining well-qualified students, particularly women and minority students.

In addition, Chancellor Reynolds has named President Baker to the CSU Information Resources Advisory Board. The group reviews and makes recommendations concerning computing and other information-related resources to serve the instructional and management needs of the 19 campuses and the CSU.

President Baker is in San Diego part of this week as a member of a team evaluating San Diego State University. He was named to the panel by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges, the accrediting commission for senior colleges and universities.

Position Vacancies

Candidates for positions on the faculty of the university are presently being sought, according to Michael H. Suess, interim director of personnel and employee relations. Those interested in learning more about the positions are invited to contact the appropriate dean or department head. 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. All interested persons are encouraged to apply.

[The salaries for the faculty positions listed below will be increased by approximately 5.8 percent, effective Jan. 1.]

CLOSING DATE: 1-31-84

Assistant/Associate Professor (full-time tenure track position), salary commensurate with qualifications and experience, Industrial Engineering. Position available September 1984. Applicants should be capable of teaching courses related to manufacturing engineering and quantitative/management-oriented courses in undergraduate and master's level industrial engineering. Doctorate preferred, master's degree required, with industrial experience highly desirable.

Vacant staff positions at Cal Poly University and the Cal Poly Foundation are announced in this column and are posted outside the respective offices. Contact those offices (State: Adm. 110, 805-546-2236—Foundation: University Dining Complex, 805-546-1121) for applications and additional position details. Both Cal Poly and the Foundation are subject to all laws governing affirmative action and equal employment opportunity. All interested persons are encouraged to apply.

[The salaries for the staff positions listed below will be increased by approximately 6 percent, effective Jan. 1.]

CLOSING DATE: 11-28-83

Clerical Assistant II-A, \$1031-1215/month, Telecommunications Services.

Data Entry Operator, \$6.02/hour; part-time, intermittent, Financial Operations.

Clerical Assistant III-A (Temporary), \$597.50-650/month, Counseling Services, Test Office.

Instructional Support Assistant II, 24 hours per week (0.6), \$754.20-893.40/month, Audiovisual.



Homecoming schedule change

Last week's *Cal Poly Report* included a list of Homecoming activities scheduled for this weekend. The Homecoming Fair originally was to be set up adjacent to Mustang Stadium; the location and hours have been changed to the University Union Plaza, from 1 pm to 7 pm Saturday. The Western Welcome Reunion Barbecue, to be held in Poly Grove, will be held on the lawn in front of the Main Gym, still from 4 to 7 pm Saturday.

Also, the seminars on fine wine appreciation, art galleries and canoeing techniques have been cancelled.

Cal Poly leads CSU in overseas study

When it comes to sending students overseas to study, Cal Poly ranks highest among the 19 campuses of The California State University system. Sixty-four Cal Poly students are enrolled in the CSU's 1983-84 International Programs. They're studying at universities in nine nations.

Those statistics are contained in a report issued last month by Cal Poly's International Programs Office.

Cal Poly has had the highest number of students participating in the International Programs for at least 10 years.

Who, What, When, Where

Michael T. Wollman, Electronic and Electrical Engineering, conducted a research experiment on shadow bands during the total solar eclipse in Sulawesi, Indonesia, on June 11. His group, which included nine students enrolled in a university extension astronomy course, was given "official expedition" status by the Indonesian Government. While in Southeast Asia, Wollman attended the First Asia Pacific Physics Conference at the National University of Singapore, June 12-18.

George J. Hasslein, School of Architecture and Environmental Design, was invited to participate in the Student Design Charrette at the 30th Annual California Chapter of the American Institute of Architects Convention in San Diego Oct. 21.

James Murphy, Industrial Technology, attended the annual Western Conference of the Region IV American Institute of Plant Engineers at the Anaheim Convention Center, Aug. 2-5. He participated in the conference and presented a technical paper titled "The Plant Engineer Selects an A & E."

Laurence Talbott and Lynn Mosher, Industrial Technology, attended the California Association of Industrial Technology (CAIT) meeting held in Fresno Oct. 14.

Dateline

(\$) - Admission Charged

(!) - Admission Free

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11

Veteran's Day: Academic holiday for faculty and students. Work day for 10- and 12-month employees. Compensating time will be accrued at holiday rate covered in applicable collective bargaining contracts. Accrued compensating time can be used on Dec. 30 when campus will be closed.

Exhibit: "300 Years of Germans in America," continuing through Nov. 30. 1st Floor Gallery of the Kennedy Library. Sponsored by the Foreign Languages Department. Public invited. (!)

Banquet: Honored Alumni Banquet, part of Homecoming 1983. Staff Dining Room, 6 pm. Sponsored by the Alumni Association. (\$)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12

Workshop: David Cain, clinical psychologist, will discuss "Parenting: A Problem-Solving Approach." Children's Center Pre-School, Plumas Hall, 10 am. Public invited. (!)

Fair: A Homecoming Fair featuring booths sponsored by student clubs. UU Plaza, 1-7 pm. Public invited.

Speakers: Richard Leslie, legal counsel for the California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists, and Raymond Humphries, CAMFT president. Business Administration & Education 204, 12:30 pm - 3 pm. Sponsored by the Counseling and Guidance Program of the Education Department and the Central Coast Chapter of CAMFT. Public invited. (!)

Open House: Alumni who used the services of the Cal Poly Children's Center from 1973 to 1983 are invited to gather. Plumas Hall near Poly Grove, 1 - 3 pm. Parents, staff and children invited. (!)

Exhibit: "Toys That Play With Art," which explores both the fun and the seriousness of children's toys, and "Transpirations," a mixed-media exhibit. University Union Galerie, reception from 3 - 5 pm. Public invited. (!)

Barbecue: Western Welcome Reunion Barbecue. Lawn in front of Main Gym, 4 - 7 pm. Part of Homecoming '83. Public invited. (\$)

Football: Portland State University. Mustang Stadium, 7 pm. Homecoming Game. Public invited. (\$)

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13

Breakfast: Senior Alumni Breakfast, featuring Don McMillan, "The Sage of Shandon." Staff Dining Room, 8:30 am. Public invited. (\$)

Dance: Poly Twirlers' Reunion Square Dance. Chumash Auditorium, 2 pm. Part of Homecoming '83. Public invited. (!)

Concert: Jazz-rock violinist Jean-Luc Ponty. Chumash Auditorium, 7 and 9:30 pm. Sponsored by the ASI Program Board. Public invited. (\$)

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14

Hawaii/Mexico/New Zealand: Sign up now for trips during Fall Quarter break, Dec. 10-17. Sponsored by the University Union Travel Center, ext. 1127. Faculty, staff, students and alumni invited. (\$)

Outdoor Workshops: Sessions offered in sailing, cross country skiing, canoeing, rock climbing, windsurfing and more. Sponsored by ASI Outings. Sign up in the Escape Route, UU 112. Faculty, staff and students invited. (\$)

Women's Volleyball: UC Santa Barbara. Main Gym, 7:30 pm. Public invited (\$). Students free.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Students must submit CAR forms for Winter Quarter to the University Cashier by 4 pm (\$25 late fee).

German Table: Sprechen Sie Deutsch? Meet with others who speak German. Sandwich Plant, noon. For more information, phone Fredericka Churchill, ext. 2992. Faculty, staff and students invited. (!)

Wrestling: Intr Squad Match. Main Gym, 7:30 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Speaker: Eric Moss, architect and professor at Southern California Institute of Architecture in Santa Monica, will discuss transcending good and evil notions in theory and architecture. A&ED Gallery (Room 105), 8 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Backtalk: Professional guidance for back care given by Dr. Karen J. Krah, local chiropractor. Health Center Conference Room, 7 - 9 pm. Sponsored by the Public Safety Department. Public invited. (!)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16

Seminar: Geotextile seminar and luncheon, featuring speakers John Walkinshaw and Robert Krull of the Federal Highway Administration. UU 220, 10 am - 3 pm. Sponsored by the Civil Engineering Department. Seminar will demonstrate geotechnical fabrics and their applications. Public invited; reservations required (call Herb Gerfen, Skyway Engineering, 928-1221). (\$)

Books at High Noon: Locksley Geoghagen (Student Academic Services) will review *Evolution from Space* by Sir Fred Hoyle and Chandra Wickramasinghe. Staff Dining Room, noon. Faculty, staff and students invited. (!)

French Table: Parlez-vous français? Venez nous joindre pour la conversation le mercredi à une heure. Oû? Staff Dining Room.

Films: "Pink Panther," 7 pm, and "Shot in the Dark," 9:30 pm. Chumash Auditorium. Public invited. (\$)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17

Concert: University Jazz Band. UU Plaza, 11 am. Public invited. (!)

Speaker: William Lutz, professor of English at Rutgers University, will discuss "George Orwell's 1984: Fantasy or Prophecy?" UU 220, 11 am. Part of the Arts and Humanities Lecture Series. Public invited. (!)

University Club: Mr. Sam Mednick on "Folk Dancing in the Balkans." Staff Dining Room, noon. Faculty and staff invited. (!)

Women's Basketball: Cal Poly Straw Hat Classic vs. University of Oregon, San Jose State, University of the Pacific, San Francisco State, UC Davis, UC Santa Barbara and UC Irvine. Main Gym; 1, 3, 6 and 8 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Social: For Phi Kappa Phi members and guests. Staff Dining Room, 3 pm. Hot and cold hors d'oeuvres and beverages. (!)

Race: Annual Turkey Trot. Main Gym, 4 pm. Winners in six categories will win Thanksgiving turkey. Public invited. Entry fee: a can of food.

Speaker: Fred Hutchinson, director of the Board for International Food and Agricultural Development, will discuss faculty opportunities in teaching and/or consulting overseas. President Baker, a BIFAD member, will also speak. Staff Dining Room, 5 pm. Faculty and staff invited. (!)

Films: "The Return of the Pink Panther." 7 pm, and "The Pink Panther Strikes Again," 9:30 pm. Chumash Auditorium. Public invited. (\$)

Play: Arthur Miller's "The Crucible," continuing through Saturday (Nov. 19). Cal Poly Theatre, 8 pm. Sponsored by the Speech Communication Department. Public invited. (\$)

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18

Women's Basketball: Straw Hat Classic. Main Gym, 1, 3, 6 and 8 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Film: "The Revenge of the Pink Panther." Chumash Auditorium, 7 and 9:30 pm. Public invited. (\$)

Play: "The Crucible." Cal Poly Theatre, 8 pm. Public invited. (\$)

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