Boynton named dean of College of Business

William Boynton, former department head and professor of accounting, has been selected dean of the College of Business.

Boynton began his new duties Thursday, Dec. 1. He succeeds Allen Haile, who is now serving as director of community and government relations for the University Advancement division.

In making the selection, President Baker cited Boynton's visionary and pragmatic approach.

"Professor Boynton not only has the ability to manage the resources needed to achieve current goals, but also the vision to identify new goals mandated by society's changing needs and values," Baker said. "He also has the capacity to instill excitement and commitment in those who will bring about that change."

Vice President for Academic Affairs Robert Koob said, "I am confident the college faces a bright future. If this excellent faculty can unite in a common purpose, the college will continue to grow in stature among the business schools of California and the United States."

Boynton, who is also a certified public accountant, came to Cal Poly in 1985 as head of the Accounting Department. He has taught full time in the department since 1988.

He was previously the associate dean for faculty affairs at the McIntire School of Commerce at the University of Virginia, where he also served as director of graduate studies, coordinator for the accounting area, and professor of accounting.

At Cal Poly, he has been an academic senator and has served on a number of Academic Senate and College of Business committees.

He has written a number of books, and his articles have appeared in such publications as the Journal of Accounting Education, Ohio CPA Journal, Virginia Accountant and Accounting Review.

Boynton received the California Society of Certified Public Accountants Faculty Excellence Award in 1992 and Cal Poly's Meritorious Performance and Professional Promise Award in 1989.

He earned a bachelor's degree in accounting from Northeastern University in 1967. He earned a master's degree in 1968 and a doctorate in 1976 from Michigan State University.

Roy Anderson, 81

Roy Anderson, who worked at Cal Poly over a 37-year period, died at his home Nov. 18.

Born in 1913 in Tacoma, Wash., Anderson began teaching at Cal Poly in 1949. In 1957, he was appointed assistant to the dean of the Arts and Sciences division. The dean at that time was the campus's future president, Robert Kennedy.

During that time, Anderson developed a proposal that eventually resulted in the formation of the Business Administration Department and later the School of Business. He served as both department head and dean.

Anderson retired in 1978 and continued to teach part time until 1986.

A graduate of Pacific Lutheran University in 1941, he served in the U.S. Army from 1942 to 1946. He earned his doctorate from Stanford in 1963.

Library to close for the holidays

The Kennedy Library will close for the holidays at 5 pm Thursday, Dec. 22, and will reopen Tuesday, Jan. 3.

Faculty members who need library materials during the holidays should make arrangements with the dean's office, ext. 2345, by Dec. 22.

State employment director to speak at Commencement

Thomas P. Nagle, director of the California Employment Development Department, will be the featured speaker at Fall Commencement on Saturday, Dec. 10.

Nagle will speak on "Education and Economic Security in the Next Century" at both the 9:30 a.m. and 2 pm ceremonies in the Recreation Center. The colleges of Agriculture, Architecture and Environmental Design, and Liberal Arts will participate in the morning ceremony — Business, Engineering, and Science and Mathematics in the afternoon.

Almost 1,000 students are candidates for graduation at the two ceremonies.

Student Affairs sets Holiday Wassail

The campus community is invited to the annual Student Affairs traditional holiday wassail at an open house from 2 to 4 pm, Thursday, Dec. 8, in Adm. 209.
Pearl Harbor vet to speak at club lunch

Everett Spry, who was at Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941, will be the guest speaker at the Cal Poly Retired Faculty and Staff Club luncheon at noon Wednesday, Dec. 7.

The event will be at the San Luis Obispo Elks Lodge on Elks Lane. For reservations, which are required, call 544-8466 or 543-7901.

Photo ID office to be open during break

The Photo I.D. office will be open for faculty and staff members from 8:15 to 9 am during the first two weeks of winter quarter break, Dec. 12-16 and Dec. 19-22. Appointments can be made using OfficeVision, or by calling Student Life and Activities at ext. 2476.

To schedule an appointment via OfficeVision, choose “process calendars” at the main menu. At the top action line, type and completely replace your name with “photoid.” If necessary, use the space bar to remove extra letters of your name. Then use the tab key to get to the second action line and type in the date you would like to check. Press the F1 key. The “photoid” calendar should come up and you can type your name into an available slot. Follow the instructions on your screen to view another day of the calendar or to exit.

The Photo I.D. office is in Room 208-A in the University Union.

Co-dependency at work topic of workshop

The many faces of co-dependency — behavior that subconsciously supports self-defeating behavior in others — will be discussed in a workshop Thursday, Dec. 15, from 1:30 to 3 pm in Room 140 in the Health Center.

Sponsored by the Employee Assistance Program, “Co-Dependency in the Workplace – Tis the Season?”

will explore the ways people foster co-dependent behavior and reinforce co-dependent belief systems that perpetuate personal and work-related problems.

Specific approaches to creating a healthier balance between our own needs, the needs of others, and the needs of the larger organization will be examined. Participants will learn:

- How systems foster dependent behavior and create chaos.
- Where self-responsibility ends and co-dependency begins.
- How to lower stress levels by setting clear and appropriate boundaries.
- Healthy strategies for responding to co-dependent work environments.

Seating will be limited to 15 participants, so early registration is encouraged. To register, call the Employee Assistance Program office at ext. 0327.

Engineering students recognized by society

The American Society of Civil Engineers has named Cal Poly’s student chapter the best in the nation.

Recognized for outstanding service and community outreach contributions, the student group received the Robert Ridgway Student Chapter Award.

Agbo and Wollman win $45,000 grant

A $45,000 National Science Foundation grant is helping to improve electro-optics education at Cal Poly.

Samuel Agbo and Michael Wollman, both professors in the Electronic and Electrical Engineering Department, won the award and have equipped a laboratory with new optical spectrum analyzers.

The grant helped them set up three new experiments that give students practical experience in working with optical sources, lasers, and fiber-optic networks.

Cal Poly Christmas trees on sale through Dec. 18

Once again, student-grown Christmas trees are on sale at the student enterprise tree farm on Stenner Creek Road, just off Highway 1.

Monterey pines, on sale now, cost $15 to $40 each, depending on size and quality. Red and white firs go on sale Saturday, Dec. 3, at a cost of $4 per foot.

The tree farm is open from 3 to 5 pm on weekdays and 10 am to 5 pm weekends.

The annual Christmas tree sale is sponsored by the Natural Resources Management Department and the Cal Poly Logging Sports Team. For more information, call the department at ext. 2702.

Dairy research proposals sought

The California Dairy Research Foundation is accepting proposals for basic and applied projects that support the increased utilization of milk and milk components.

The foundation has funded past collaborative efforts between faculty members in Cal Poly’s Dairy Products Technology Center and the colleges of Engineering, Agriculture, and Science and Mathematics.

Proposals must be approved by the Dairy Products Technology Center before they are sent to the foundation. The deadline to submit proposals is 5 pm Wednesday, Jan. 11.

The California Dairy Research Foundation is the primary sponsor of the California Dairy Foods Research Center, which is a joint program between Cal Poly, UC Davis and the California Dairy Research Foundation.

For more information, contact Phil Tong, director of the Dairy Products Technology Center, at ext. 6102 or dl702@oasis, or call the Grants Development office at ext. 2982.
December payday to be Friday the 30th

The December payday for faculty and staff members will be Friday, Dec. 30. Although this is an official campus holiday, the Cashier’s office (Adm. 131-E) will be open from 3 to 4:30 pm for employees who need to pick up their paychecks.

Checks will be dated Jan. 1, 1995, and cannot be released early because of state restrictions.

Checks will be released directly to individual employees, not those normally authorized to pick up department checks. However, checks not picked up on the 30th can be picked up by department representatives on Tuesday, Jan. 3. To avoid the long lines that typically occur on the first day of classes, employees can pick up the checks from staff members in Adm. 129.

For more information about the December payday, call Payroll Services at ext. 2605.

Cal Poly Women’s Club to hold party Dec. 10

The Cal Poly Women’s Club will hold their “Storybook Holiday Party” at 6 pm Saturday, Dec. 10, at Vista Grande restaurant. For reservations or more information, call Imelda Gentile at 549-9249.

Two math professors win $50,000 NSF grant

Mathematics professors Michael Colvin and Kent Morrison won a $50,000 National Science Foundation grant to equip a computer demonstration laboratory for undergraduate math and math education majors.

Funds for the project were matched by Cal Poly’s Academic Affairs office, the College of Science and Mathematics, and the Mathematics Department.

The new computers and software are intended to spark an enthusiasm for math that won’t end with Cal Poly students. Colvin and Morrison are hoping for a chain reaction that starts with Cal Poly-trained teachers, who will pass their excitement on to youngsters studying math in elementary and secondary schools.

Only 25 percent of the grant proposals received in the 1993 NSF competition were funded.

Food science program receives $395,000 gift

Believing Cal Poly’s food science program is among the best in the nation and wanting to help keep it that way, Nestle has donated equipment and supplies worth at least $395,000 to the Food Science and Nutrition Department.

Joe Montecalvo, head of the department, said the donation will be used to augment existing laboratory-intensive courses and help develop a course in food chemistry.

The donation from Westreco Inc., a division of Nestle, will also be used in classes such as food analysis and experimental nutrition.

The gift includes equipment for measuring enzyme activity and the pH and organic acid levels in food, units to determine fatty acids, lipid extraction systems, and vitamin analyzers.

Donald T. Sakai, section leader in the Chemistry Division of Westreco Inc., said, “We believe your academic program in food science is among the best in the United States, and we wish to fully support you with our donation.”

Cellular One gives $50,000 to Journalism

Noting the success of Cal Poly’s Journalism Department and the budget challenges it faces, a local communications company has donated $50,000 to aid the program and establish a scholarship for students in the major.

Journalism Department Head Nishan Havandjian said some of the gift from Cellular One of San Luis Obispo will be used to enhance facilities at the student-run television station, CPTV.

The donation will also be used to fund two $500 scholarships annually for journalism students. The first scholarship is expected to be awarded in spring 1995.

Who, What, Where, When

Patrick McKim, Social Sciences, has been elected treasurer of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society, an international, interdisciplinary association.

Douglas Williams, Agricultural Engineering, presented a paper, “Anaerobic Treatment of Flushed Dairy Manure for Pollution Control and Energy Recovery,” at the XII World Congress of the International Commission of Agricultural Engineering, in Milan, Italy. The paper was co-authored by Timothy Bolander, grad student in International Ag Development.

Pat Doughty, a senior in Agricultural Engineering, chaired a technical session, “Energy Technology and Development,” at the same conference.

J. Kelly Moreno, Psychology and Human Development, presented three papers at the 1994 meeting of the American Psychological Association, in Los Angeles: “Teaching and Training in Group Psychology and Group Psychotherapy,” “Teaching Group Psychotherapy Via Live Observation,” and “New Directions in Research on Sexual Abuse in Eating Disorders.” He co-presented two papers at the meeting: with Michael Selby, Psychology and Human Development, “Convergent and Discriminant Validity on the MCMI-2,” and with Sherre Neal, Psychology and Human Development grad student, “Psychopathology Between Sexually Abused and Non-sexually Abused Eating Disordered Women.”

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10


MONDAY, DECEMBER 12

Women's Basketball: CSU San Bernardino, Mott Gym, 7:30 pm.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14

Men's Basketball: Boise State University, Mott Gym, 7:30 pm. ($)

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14

Meeting: Women's Council of the State University planning meeting. UU 219, noon.

Temporary Assignment to the Office of the Chancellor

Planner in Residence

Academic Strategic Planning and Policy Analysis

The chancellor's Office of Academic Affairs is seeking persons who have a keen interest in strategic planning and analysis and have demonstrated a capacity for creative thinking about higher education.

Qualifications for this position include an earned doctorate and successful experience as a faculty member or administrator in a field related to planning and policy analysis. Outstanding analytic skills are essential, as is the ability to write clearly and use information and data technology. The successful candidate must possess the capacity to think strategically, imaginatively, and creatively, and must be able to link academic vision with the realities of California higher education. Experience with one or more high-priority issues such as reform with K-12 education, international education, general education, and application of educational technology is desirable. Preference will be given to faculty members and administrators who are currently employed on CSU campuses.

One or two appointments are expected to be made for the second half of 1994-95. These appointments will be for at least six months and can be extended upon mutual agreement. Appropriate arrangements will be made with successful applicants.

Persons who want to be considered for these positions should submit a letter of interest, a resume, and the names and telephone numbers of three references as soon as possible, because resume review began mid-November. Send the materials to Dr. Lorie Roth, Academic Affairs, The California State University, Office of the Chancellor, 400 Golden Shore, Long Beach, CA 90802-4275. An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Position vacancies

More information and applications for the following staff positions are available from the appropriate human resources office. Official application forms must be received by 4 pm of the closing date or be postmarked by the closing date. Faxed applications and resumes will not be accepted in lieu of official application.

STATE (Adm. II,-ext. 2236 or job line at ext. 1533)

CLOSING DATE: Jan. 31

Director (Adm. II), $33,132-$70,668 annually dependent on qualifications and experience. Disabled Student Services. CLOSING DATE: Dec. 31 or until filled

Assistant to the vice president for student affairs (adms. II), $33,132-$70,668 annually dependent on qualifications and experience. CLOSING DATE: Dec. 16

Clerical Assistant III, $9,498-$23,071/month, full time, temporary through 6-30-95. College of Engineering (Unit 7). On-campus recruitment only.

CPR holiday schedule

The last fall quarter issue of Cal Poly Report will be published Friday, Dec. 9. No issues will be published during quarter break.

News items to be included in the Dec. 9 publication should be received by Jo Ann Lloyd, Heron Hall, by 1 pm Friday, Dec. 2. Letters for the Campus Forum section must be received by 1 pm Monday, Dec. 5.

Please send typewritten, double-spaced paper copies if time allows. Last-minute submittals can be faxed to ext. 6533 or e-mailed to dst39@oasis. Also, please include a telephone number on all correspondence in case we need to call you.

The first winter quarter issue will appear Friday, Jan. 6. Articles for that issue need to be received by 1 pm Thursday, Dec. 29. Because of the holidays, Campus Forum letters must also be received by 1 pm Thursday, Dec. 29.

Articles submitted will be edited for clarity, brevity and journalistic style. Questions? Call ext. 1511.