Jim Strom accepts Vice Chancellor Post at Appalachian State

Dr. James L. Strom, vice president for university relations since 1984, has been named vice chancellor for development and public affairs at Appalachian State University in Boone, N.C.

Cal Poly President Warren J. Baker called Strom’s leadership skills “outstanding. He has built a strong university relations team, which has set fund-raising records in each of the last five years.”

A native of South Carolina, Strom was a development official at Clemson University before coming to Cal Poly. He will take up his new duties at Appalachian State in September.

CSU faculty support grants for 1989/90

The CSU budget for academic year 1989/90 contains support for research, scholarship, and creative activity funded through the State Faculty Support Grant program. This year over 40 awards for mini-grants and summer fellowships were made through the program. Cal Poly is expected to receive $150,000 next year, although the program may be vulnerable to budget cuts.

Faculty interested in applying to the State Faculty Support Grant program should contact the Graduate Studies and Research Office (ext. 1508) for a copy of the draft guidelines. These guidelines are subject to review by the Academic Senate. This review is expected to be completed before the proposal deadline of Oct. 2.

Proposals will be reviewed during Fall Quarter by the Academic Senate Research Committee, and grants will be announced by the end of Fall Quarter. Awarding of grants will be contingent upon final allocation of funding in the budget.

Academic Senate Executive Committee

The Academic Senate Executive Committee members for the 1989-90 year are: Chairman, James Murphy; Vice Chairman, Sam Lutrin; Secretary, vacant; Statewide Senators, Reg Gooden, Timothy Kersten, and Joseph Weatherby; Past Chair, Charles Andrews; VPAA, Malcolm Wilson.

Caucus Chairs: Agriculture, James Vilkitis; Architecture, James Borland; Business, William Bynto; Engineering, Safwat Moustafa; Liberal Studies, James Simmons; Professional Studies and Education, Laura Freeberg; Science and Mathematics, Paul Murphy; Professional Consultative Services, Linda Dobb.

Foundation offices scheduled to move

The new Foundation Administration Building on North Perimeter Road is nearing completion, and June 21 to 23 has been scheduled as moving days. The Foundation’s Administrative, Personnel, and Sponsored Programs offices (currently located in the trailers on Truckee Road) will be moving into the new headquarters. In addition, the Business Services and Data Processing departments now located in the University Union will move into the new complex.

Essentially, the Foundation will be closed for business during this period. The campus community is being asked to plan accordingly and conduct business prior to noon on Wednesday, June 21. All Foundation offices are expected to be operational by Monday, June 26.

If you have any questions, contact Don Shemenske, ext. 1353.

Chicano graduates plan commencement

Thirty students will be honored at the ninth annual Chicano Commencement at 5 pm on Saturday, June 17, in Chumash Auditorium.

A reception will precede the ceremony at 4 in UU 220.

It is a bilingual celebration that allows a largely Spanish-speaking population to feel closer to the meaning of college graduation.

Speaker for the event will be Tony Garcia, regional coordinator of MESA, a scholarship support organization for under-represented mathematics, engineering, and science students. Everardo Martinez, a counselor for Student Academic Services, will act as master of ceremonies.

1989 Fall Quarter Fee Waiver Program

Information and applications are available in the Personnel Office for eligible full- or part-time employees to participate in the Employee Fee Waiver Program. Part-time employees, to be eligible, must have attained permanency in a full-time position and then reduced their timebase. Those who take Cal Poly courses under an approved program of career development, or who have courses approved as job related, may be eligible for waiver of certain fees.
CATA Conference set for June 26-29

About 550 vocational agriculture teachers from throughout the state are expected to attend the 70th annual conference of the California Agricultural Teachers Association from Monday, June 26, through Thursday, June 29.

The event is sponsored by the Agricultural Education Programs of the State Department of Education and the Division of Occupational Education of the California Community Colleges, CATA, and Cal Poly. Its purpose is to help teachers improve their professional and technical preparation.

Grady Robinson, a public speaker and humorist, will be the keynote speaker for the conference. He will open the proceedings at 8 am on Monday in the Theatre.

Other conference highlights will include workshop sessions, a farm and idea show, recreational activities, and the annual banquet, during which 10 teachers of excellence will be honored. The CATA conference will end at noon on Thursday and will be followed by the annual Skills Week program for vocational agriculture teachers.

New instructional materials on display

New instructional materials being considered for adoption in September by the California State Board of Education are available for public inspection until Sept. 7.

Materials in the display include seven programs in Bilingual Language Arts, 13 programs in the Visual Arts, and five programs in Music.

They are available for evaluation in the Instructional Materials Display Center, Room 216, of the Kennedy Library.

The deadline for submitting written public input regarding the educational and legal compliance content of these materials to the Office of Curriculum Framework and Textbook Development is July 5.

The Office of Curriculum Framework and Textbook Development will then forward comments to members of the Curriculum Commission for their consideration.

Input received after July 5 and before the State Board of Education meets on Sept. 7 will be forwarded to the state board for consideration.

Public comment forms are available at the library's Instructional Materials Display Center.

For information regarding library hours, call the Instructional Materials Display Center, ext. 2274.

Safety awards given to employees, student

The head baseball coach, along with several other employees, have been recognized for outstanding efforts toward making the campus a safer place.

Steve McFarland, who just completed his sixth season as head of the intercollegiate baseball program, and Sean Harper, a junior outfielder, received commendations for their life-saving action after another player was struck in the throat by a ball.

The incident occurred while the team was involved in an intrasquad game and the catcher was hit by a pitched ball that skipped off the ground.

Harper, who had been the batter, noticed the catcher was unable to breathe. He administered the Heimlich maneuver, and then McFarland tilted the catcher's head back and pulled his tongue away from his air passage.

Also receiving commendations for the promotion of safety were Dr. William Kellogg of the agricultural education faculty and Don Van Acker, associate director of public safety.

In addition, the staff of the Health Center received a special award recognizing its significant and continuing contributions to the good health and safety of the entire campus community.

Kellogg was recognized for his special efforts in providing safety education for students preparing for careers as agriculture teachers. He is also the author of a column on safety that is regularly published in the journal of the California Agricultural Teachers Association.

Van Acker was cited for his leadership of the environmental health and safety program over the last 13 years.

The University Safety Awards Program is sponsored by the Public Safety Advisory Committee and administered by its Environmental Health and Safety Subcommittee.

Host families needed for exchange students

Host families are needed to provide two week home-stays for Japanese college students visiting Cal Poly this summer. These students will arrive in San Luis Obispo on July 24.

The students are participating in a six-week exchange program with Iwaki College (Iwaki, Japan). Fifteen Cal Poly students now in Iwaki are ending a quarter of foreign study under the supervision of Psychology and Human Development Department Professor Dr. David Englund.

Interested faculty and staff are invited to share their home and family in this cross-cultural experience. The Japanese students will live as members of the host family as a way to better understand American family life styles.

For more information, call the Psychology and Human Development Department, ext. 2033, or Margie Noble-Englund at 528-0521.
Academic Calendar 1990-92

Summer Quarter '90

June 21
Beginning of university year
Beginning of Summer Quarter
Summer Quarter classes begin
July 4
Academic holiday — Independence Day
July 5
Last day to drop classes
July 6
Last day to add classes and late register
August 9
End of seventh week
August 29 - September 1
Final examination period
September 2 - September 9
Academic holiday

Fall Quarter 1990

September 10
Beginning of Fall Quarter (faculty only)
September 17
Fall Quarter classes begin
September 28
Last day to drop classes
October 1
Last day to add classes and late register
November 2
End of seventh week
November 12
Academic holiday — Veterans’ Day
November 21-25
Academic holiday — Thanksgiving
November 30
Last day of classes
December 3-7
Final examination period
December 8
Fall Commencement
End of Fall Quarter
December 9 - January 6
Academic holiday

Winter Quarter 1991

January 7
Beginning of Winter Quarter
Winter Quarter classes begin

Spring Quarter 1991

April 1
Beginning of Spring Quarter
Spring Quarter classes begin
April 12
Last day to drop classes
April 15
Last day to add classes and late register
May 17
End of seventh week
May 27
Academic holiday — Memorial Day
June 7
Last day of classes
June 10-14
Final examination period
June 15
Spring Commencement
End of Spring Quarter
End of university year (faculty only)
June 16-19
Academic holiday

Summer Quarter '91

June 20
Beginning of university year
Beginning of Summer Quarter
Summer Quarter classes begin
July 4
Academic holiday — Independence Day
July 5
End of second week of instruction
Last day to drop classes
July 8
Last day to add a class, late register and pay late registration fee
July 11
End of third week of instruction
Census date
August 8
End of seventh week
August 27
Last day of classes
August 28-31
Final examination period
August 31
End of Summer Quarter
September 1-15
Academic holiday

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Student book aims to help end hunger

More than 75 Cal Poly student letters mailed to President George Bush, urging action to end world hunger, have been excerpted in a book that students hope to mail to every member of Congress — if they can raise funds for postage. “Dear Mr. President” is how each letter began, and that salutation gave the book its title: “Dear Mr. President: An Appeal to End World Hunger.”

The letters were the result of a political science course in World Food Politics, taught this year by Dr. Richard J. Krejsa of biological sciences faculty.

The book was the senior project of a journalism student who took the course, Kathryn Campbell. The letters — some quoted at length, some for a sentence or two — take up 21 pages. Written by students from 33 different majors, conservatives and liberals, Democrats and Republicans, they make a case for putting action against hunger among the top national priorities.

Of the 650 copies of the book printed, most are reserved for mailing to the 535 U.S. senators and representatives. It is hoped donations will help pay the approximately $800 postage and some of the $1,100 printing costs.

To make a donation or obtain a copy of the book, contact Krejsa through the Biological Sciences Department, ext. 2788. The requested donation is $3.50.

Quarter break food service schedule

Thursday, June 15
Normal schedule, except Vista Grande Cafeteria will close after lunch.

Friday, June 16
Normal schedule, except VG Cafeteria and Snak Stop will be closed. Julian’s and Back Stage Pizza will close at 5 pm. Burger Bar will close at 7 pm.

Saturday, June 17
Stadium Concessions ........ 8:30-9:30 am
Campus Store ............. 9 am - 5 pm
Burger Bar ............... 8 am - 2 pm
Cellar ................... Always Open

Sunday, June 18
VG Restaurant ............ 10 am - 7 pm
Cellar ................... Always Open

Monday-Wednesday, June 19-21
Campus Store .. 6:45 am - 5:15 pm
Staff Dining ............. 7 am - 3:30 pm
VG Restaurant .......... 11 am - 7 pm
Cellar ................... Always Open

Students participate in Skip-a-Meal

More than 800 residence hall students raised over $1000 for the Peoples Kitchen, an organization that provides hot meals for low-income families. The students agreed to skip a meal and Foundation Food Service donated $1.20 of the money that would have gone towards their meals. The residence hall students participated in three Skip-a-Meals this year, raising a total of $2612 to help various nonprofit agencies in San Luis Obispo.

Cyrus E. Casady

Cyrus Casady, 79, who worked in Plant Operations from 1950-74, died in Santa Maria on June 3. Donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 102 N. McClelland, Santa Maria, CA 93454.

Photo ID services

Beginning Summer Quarter, Thursday, June 22, the hours of operation for Photo ID services will be noon until 4 pm. These hours will be in effect for the remainder of the academic year. The Photo ID Office is located in UU 217. For further information, call ext. 2614.
Summer courses for young adults offered

The Young Scholars Program is designed for students in grades 6-12 who would like to take courses taught by Cal Poly faculty. Carroll Busseisen is the director of the program.

Most courses last one week leaving time for other summer activities. The program allows students the opportunity to explore interesting subjects with experts in a variety of fields.

While most courses are for enrichment, there is one credit course for students who qualify. Some scholarships are available.

Space is available in the following courses: Mathematics and Chaos; Introduction to Law; Biology of Mammals (credit course, prerequisites required); Power Reading; Oceanography; Acting Workshop; Social Science Workshop: Japan and Its People; and Winning the College Admission Game.

For more details or a schedule, call Extended Education, ext. 2053.

Monsanto gift to aid student recruitment

A gift from Monsanto Agricultural Co. will be used to recruit students interested in careers in crop science.

Dr. George Gowgani, head of the Crop Science Department, said the $10,000 grant will be used to enhance efforts to enroll high school and community college graduates in its bachelor’s degree programs.

Monsanto has indicated an interest in attracting minority and under-represented students.

Cal Poly cattle judges win invitational

Students from Cal Poly won the team title and four of the first five spots in the individual placings at the Western Invitational Dairy Cattle Judging Contest held in Richland, Utah.

They dominated the field of four teams by placing first in both placings and reasons. The team led by Frank Nunes, a senior dairy science major, was first in both reasons and the high individual competition. Jim Philson, a junior dairy science major, was second in placings and third overall.

Dr. Les Ferreira of the dairy science faculty is advisor and coach of the dairy cattle judging team.

CPR schedule

This is the final issue of Cal Poly Report for Spring Quarter. The first issue of Summer Quarter will be June 29. Additional Summer issues will be published on July 13, July 27, Aug. 10, and Aug. 24. The first issue of Fall Quarter will be Monday, Sept. 11.

Typewritten, double-spaced copy may be submitted to Jo Ann Lloyd, editor, by 4 pm the Thursday prior to the next publication.

Who, What, Where, When

Mary LaPorte, Art and Design, received the 1989 SADIE “Best of Category” award for the graphic design, packaging and labeling of the Glen Ellen “Imagery Series” Wines, Sonoma Art Directors Club, Santa Rosa.


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Senior project wins research competition

For the second time in the contest’s three-year history, a Cal Poly student has won the engineering and computer science category in The California State University’s Student Research Competition.

Senior Mark Richards, a metallurgical and materials engineering major, won the $500 award with a presentation on the results of his senior project: a study of how processing conditions affect a particular superconducting material.

Richards’ award was the fourth first-place award Cal Poly students have won in the competition, which is open to both graduate and undergraduate students from the 19 CSU campuses. Richards was the third Cal Poly undergraduate to win with a senior project.

Ten of the approximately 120 entries in this year’s research competition were from Cal Poly. Seven of the Cal Poly students were undergraduates; three were master’s degree candidates.

The majority of competitors from other CSU campuses were graduate students.

Cal Poly’s entrants were chosen by a faculty screening committee. To be eligible for one of the competition’s nine categories, entrants must have been current CSU students or have graduated during the 1988 winter, spring or fall term.

The presentations were judged by experts from corporations, public agencies and foundations.

Faculty/Staff Payday is June 30
Dateline....
($) Admission Charged
SATURDAY, JUNE 17

Spring Commencement: Stadium, 10 am.
Dance: Viji Prakash will perform East Indian Bharata Natyam classical dance. Theatre, 7:30 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: 6-28-89

Micrographics Technician/Trainee, $1461-$1935/month, ESS/Student Data Systems.

CLOSING DATE: 6-28-89 (extended)

Clerical Assistant IV (Operations Area Supervisor), $1776-$2114/month, ESS/Records.

Foundation
Catering Sales Supervisor, $1477/month starting with increases to $1795/month based on merit. (A proposed 5 percent salary increase has been proposed effective July 1.) Food Service.

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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: 7-31-89

Assistant Professors (tenure track) or Lecturers, Home Economics Department. Availability dependent on position funding; duties include teaching interior design courses. For tenure track: Master's degree in interior design or architecture or Master of Fine Arts with interior design emphasis required; prior full-time university teaching experience and CADD proficiency also required. Affiliation in ASID, IDEC, IDS and/or IBD expected; professional practice experience desirable. For lecturers: Interior design-related master's degree required; prior university teaching experience preferred.

Who, What, When, Where

Laurence Houlgate, Philosophy, was a guest lecturer in a public symposium on the topic “Persons or Property: Who Owns the Child?” sponsored by the Oregon Council on the Humanities, Portland. Houlgate also presented papers on “Ethical Theory and the Family” at colloquia held at Portland State University and the University of Oregon. Houlgate was a presenter on the topic “The Idea of Family” at the meetings of the Sierra Family Institute of the California Council on Family Relations.


Ilene Rockman, Library, is one of 12 members appointed to the new Reference Advisory Committee of the Online Computer Library Center, an international network of over 9000 libraries. She will represent librarians in the Pacific states on issues of electronic transmission of information and automated reference services.

Craig Russell, Music, published an article, “Giovanni Battista Granata: Baroque Guitar Master in Bologna,” in the most recent issue of Soundboard, the journal of the Guitar Foundation of America.

Stan Dundon, Philosophy, had a paper, “Professional Ethics in the Classroom,” accepted for publication in the fall edition of Agriculture and Human Values, University of Florida, Gainesville.

A. Charles Crabb, School of Agriculture, presented a talk on the current status of agricultural pest bird control to the 42nd annual meeting of Southern California Weed and Vertebrate Pest Control Regulatory Officials, Santa Barbara.

A. Charles Crabb, School of Agriculture, presented talks on ground squirrel and bird control at vertebrate pest control workshops in Sacramento and Santa Rosa. Three workshops, in Ontario, Sacramento and Santa Rosa, were sponsored by the Vertebrate Pest Council of California in cooperation with various state and federal agencies.

Gloria Velasques Trevino, Foreign Languages and Literatures, had a short story, “Fugitive,” published in Quarry West, 26, Santa Cruz, Ca.

Gloria Velasques Trevino, Foreign Languages and Literatures, read from her fiction in a Chicano literature course at Santa Clara University, where students had been studying her short stories.
