Spring '85 Commencement planned for Saturday

Degrees will be conferred on 4,158 candidates for graduation when Cal Poly holds its 1985 Spring Commencement at 10 am on Saturday, June 15, in Mustang Stadium.

Included in that total are 206 candidates for master's degrees, 3,890 candidates for bachelor's degree, and 37 candidates will receive degrees with double majors.

President Baker will confer the degrees and Charles Luckman, the well known architect, businessman, and public servant, will deliver the commencement address.

Other commencement day activities will include an initiation ceremony for new members of the Phi Kappa Phi national honorary society and a commissioning ceremony for students who have completed the university's ROTC program.

About 2,600 of the degree candidates and some 13,000 of their families and friends are expected to attend the commencement ceremony.

In addition to the Cal Poly candidates who will be honored during the commencement ceremony, the Bachelor of Science Degree in nursing will be conferred on 12 candidates who are completing their studies through The Consortium of The California State University, a statewide program for adults unable to attend regular classes.

Fee Waiver deadline approaches for Fall Quarter

Information and applications are available in the Personnel Office for eligible full time or part-time permanent state employees to participate in the Fee Waiver Program. Those who take Cal Poly courses under an approved program of career development, or who have had courses approved as job related, may be eligible for waiver of certain fees. Deadline for return of completed, approved Fee Waiver forms for the Fall Quarter is July 31.

Shockley named director of alumni relations

Steven B. Shockley, director of alumni affairs at East Tennessee State University for the past 4½ years, has been named to a similar position at Cal Poly.

The appointment as director of alumni relations was made by Dr. James L. Strom, vice president for university relations. Shockley took up his new duties on Monday (June 10).

He succeeds Steven G. Riddell, who left the university in September 1983. Barney R. Timone served as interim director for the past 20 months.

The Cal Poly Alumni Association has 23 organized alumni chapters in California — 13 along geographic lines, and 10 based on discipline or special interest. In addition, there are out-of-state chapters in Dallas, Seattle, Richland, Wash., and Washington, D.C.

A California native who moved to the South as an infant, Shockley grew up in Montgomery, Ala. He is a graduate of the University of Alabama with a degree in marketing.

In 1976 he became assistant director of alumni affairs for chapter development at his alma mater. He was responsible for the supervision of more than 100 alumni chapters. During his four-plus years at Alabama he sustained local chapter scholarship programs, and developed an alumni chapter handbook as well as an alumni leadership directory. In addition, he was responsible for pre-game rallies and the arrangements for official activities involved with the university’s athletic programs.

The 36-year-old Shockley moved to East Tennessee State in late 1980 to serve as executive secretary to that school’s National Alumni Association board of directors in addition to directing the total alumni program. He was able to double alumni chapter participation during his stay there as well as develop several new programs.

Cal Poly Report schedule

The next Cal Poly Report will be June 27. Typewritten, double-spaced copy is due in Adm. 206 by June 20. Publication will be on an alternate week schedule throughout the summer, with copy due a week before the publication date. Additional summer issues will be out on July 11, July 25, Aug. 8, and Aug. 22. The first issue of the Fall Quarter will be Monday, Sept. 16.
Community speaker series set for June and July

Five evenings of thought-provoking programs will be presented this month and next on campus. The discussions, co-sponsored by The Library Associates and the Extended Education Department, are grouped under the title, "Visions of Community."

Set for five successive Wednesday evening programs, June 19 through July 17, the programs will be held in Kennedy Library 202. A reception will be held at 7 pm, and the talks will start at 7:30 pm.

The series will kick off on June 19 with architecture professor Kenneth Schwartz talking about "Architectural Planning."


On July 3, Dr. Stan Dundon, philosophy professor, will consider "World Hunger and Agricultural Promise."

Dr. Will and Anna Alexander will discuss "Community Service at Home and Abroad" on July 10. Will Alexander is a member of the political science faculty. Anna Alexander was president of the local League of Women Voters and American Field Service organizations.

The final talk will be provided by Dr. David Walch, director of instructional resources. He will explore "A World on Information, Here and Now!" on July 17.

Gamers’ convention planned for June 21-23

More than 400 war gamers and fantasy role-players are expected to convene in San Luis Obispo for a convention hosted by Cal Poly’s Simulation and Adventure Gamers Assn.

Tournaments and official games will begin at 10 am on Friday, June 21, and run continuously to 6 pm on Sunday, June 23, in Yosemite Residence Hall.

In addition to the tournaments, there will be seminars, exhibits by game manufacturers and retailers, game demonstrations, a costume contest, a miniatures painting contest, and free gaming.

SAGA is a chartered organization of ASI.

Center for Future Studies to meet Friday, June 14

The second meeting of a group interested in forming a Center for Future Studies at Cal Poly will meet on Friday, June 14, at 2 pm in Fisher Science 292. All interested in such an organization are welcome to attend. Discussion will center on possible roles and organization for a Center for Future Studies. For more information, please contact Michael Orth, ext. 2143 (English).

Professor to speak in Australia, New Zealand

A Cal Poly professor who is an expert on water play for infants and preschool children has been invited to Australia and New Zealand this summer for a series of lectures, seminars and workshops.

Dr. Carolyn Shank, a member of the Physical Education and Recreation Administration faculty, said that the invitations followed presentations she made at a national conference last fall. Her hosts will be VICSWIM, The Victorian Council for the Teaching of Swimming and Water Safety in Melbourne (Australia), and The New Zealand Water Safety Council of Wellington, New Zealand.

Her research was published in a 1983 book, "A Child’s Way to Water Play." It’s a 112-page exploration on how to safely orient very young children to water without spoiling the fun, and it covers every imaginable water contact — from the bathtub to the ocean.

At the international aquatic convention in Australia, Shank will be a keynote speaker on water orientation for infants and preschool children and will participate in the development of a national policy for persons involved in preschool aquatics. In addition, the Australians want to design a teacher training course for swimming instructors in preschool aquatic programs.

The New Zealand Water Safety Council has asked the Cal Poly coordinator of recreation administration to spend two weeks traveling throughout the country giving lectures and seminars on water orientation and program development to parents, swim instructors and program coordinators. Her work is an outgrowth of her doctoral dissertation at the University of Utah.

‘Mild Exercise’ course will begin June 18

A course of mild exercise and aerobics designed for senior citizens and others who want a program less strenuous than regular exercise classes will be offered by OARS each Tuesday and Thursday from June 18 through Aug. 29.

The 45-minute classes will begin at 11 am at the City Recreation Center at the corner of Santa Rosa and Mill Sts. in San Luis Obispo. The mild aerobics and spot exercises will be possible for people with wheelchairs, walkers, and canes.

The course fee is $5 per month. Participants may register at the class meetings or by calling the Recreational Sports Office at ext. 1366.

This is one of several programs offered by OARS (Ongoing Access to Recreation and Sports), a program of the ASI that serves individuals with physical disabilities. OARS is part of the Recreational Sports program.
Graduation and quarter break food service hours

Thursday, June 13
Normal schedule, except Vista Grande Cafeteria will close after lunch.

Friday, June 14
Normal schedule, except Vista Grande Cafeteria will close at 5 pm.

Vista Grande Restaurant ........ 10 am · 7 pm
Burger Bar ......................... 8 am · 4 pm
Snack Bar ......................... 8 am · 10 am
Campus Store ...................... 9 am · 5 pm
Cellar ............................ 8 am · 5 pm

Saturday, June 15
Vista Grande Restaurant ........ 10 am · 7 pm
Burger Bar ......................... 8 am · 4 pm
Snack Bar ......................... 8 am · 10 am
Campus Store ...................... 9 am · 5 pm

Sunday, June 16
Vista Grande Restaurant ........ 9 am · 7 pm
Campus Store ...................... 9 am · 5 pm

Monday, June 17 and Tuesday, June 18
Vista Grande Restaurant ........ 11 am · 7 pm
Campus Store ...................... 9 am · 5 pm
Snack Bar ......................... 7 am · 3:30 pm

Wednesday, June 19
Regular summer hours of operation

Fourth Pacific Coast Resource Modeling Conference planned

The fourth Pacific Coast Resource Modeling Conference will be held on campus June 20-22. The meeting will have 30 speakers from the United States and Canada who will present mathematical models of problems in forestry, fisheries, pest and wildlife management and ground water usage. For more details or a list of the speakers, contact Myron Hood in the Mathematics Department, exts. 2352/2206.

Safety in the workplace

National Safety in the Workplace Week is June 16-22. Please help support the American Society of Safety Engineers (ASSE) and the Associated General Contractors of California (AGC) to increase public awareness of workplace safety. In 1984, 1.9 million workers were injured on the job and 11,300 workers were killed. Safety is an investment in the future. Please support your safety program during this special awareness week.

Faculty promotions announced

President Baker has announced the promotion of 50 academic employees effective in the 1985-86 academic year. The promotions include 38 to the academic rank of Professor, one to Principal Vocational Instructor, and nine to Associate Professor. In addition, two librarians were promoted.

President Baker extended his congratulations and appreciation to the following faculty members receiving promotions (listed in order of school and department by rank):

PROFESSOR:

SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE — Mary E. Pedersen (Food Science and Nutrition); Timothy G. O’Keefe (Natural Resources Management); and Timothy R. Plumb Jr. (Natural Resources Management).

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AND ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN — Thomas J. Ballew (Architectural Engineering); Michael R. Botwin (Architectural Engineering); James H. Withers (Architectural Engineering); Mustafa Denel (Architecture); Brian B. Kesner (Architecture); John H. Lange (Architecture); and Walter Tryon (Landscape Architecture).

SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATIVE ARTS AND HUMANITIES — Clarissa Hewitt (Art); Judy D. Saltzman (Philosophy); Reginald H. Gooden (Political Science); and David Henry (Speech Communications).

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING — Stephen L. M. Hockaday (Civil/Environmental Engineering); H. Mallaredy (Civil/Environmental Engineering); Fred S. Friedman (Engineering Technology); Karl D. Lilje (Engineering Technology); Unny Menon (Industrial Engineering); and Robert B. Leonesio (Metallurgical Engineering).

SCHOOL OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES AND EDUCATION — Donald K. Maas (Education); Larry W. Gay (Industrial Technology); Doris P. Acord (Physical Education/Recreation Administration); Marylinda Wheeler (Physical Education/Recreation Administration); Charles M. Slem (Psychology and Human Development); and Bette Tryon (Psychology and Human Development).

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS — Alan F. Cooper (Biological Sciences); Constance H. Gray (Biological Sciences); David J. Kell (Biological Sciences); A. Mark Kubinski (Biological Sciences); Michael A. Yoshimura (Biological Sciences); Dane Jones (Chemistry); Dennis R. Phillips (Chemistry); Bernard W. Banks (Mathematics); Estelle Basor (Mathematics); Robert S. Wolf (Mathematics); John E. Poling (Physics); and Thomas G. Schumann (Physics).

SCHOOL OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES AND EDUCATION — Michael D. Zohns (Ornamental Horticulture).

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR:

SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE — Robert C. Thompson (Agricultural Management); Roger Hunt (Animal/Veterinary Science); Edgar Beyer (Crop Science); Joseph Montecalvo Jr. (Food Science and Nutrition); Thomas E. Rice (Soil Science).

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS — Artemis Papakyriazis (Economics).

SCHOOL OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES AND EDUCATION — James L. Murphy (Industrial Technology); Kathleen Ryan (Psychology and Human Development).

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS — Goro C. Kato (Mathematics).

LIBRARIAN:

Paul T. Adalian Jr. (University Library).

ASSOCIATE LIBRARIAN:

Marilyn Gonsiewski (University Library).
Position Vacancies

Vacant staff positions at Cal Poly State 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: mobile unit near the Fire Department (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.

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CLOSING DATE: 6-28-85

Clerical Assistant I-A, $6.38-$7.50/hour, on-call, intermittent, Enrollment Support Services.

Clerical Assistant I-B, $1253-$1480/month, Education.

Student Services Professional II (Residence Life), $1982-$2320/month; 10 month position available 8-19-85, Housing Office.

Who, What, Where, When


William Little, Foreign Languages, reviewed a number of books in the May 1985 issue of Hispania.

Abraham Shani, Management, was a co-leader of a symposium, “Strategic Thinking and Socio-Technical System Design: A High-Tech Merger,” at the 26th annual meeting of the Western Academy of Management in San Diego.

Tomlinson Fort Jr., Provost, has been appointed to the Chemical, Biochemical and Thermal Engineering Advisory Committee of the National Science Foundation. He will have special responsibility for review of the NSF Thermal Dynamics and Transport Phenomena Program.

Frank Fox, Animal Science, is the first recipient of the California Beef Improvement Assn.’s new Horizon award. He was instrumental in developing the university’s Bull Test and Sale.

James Murphy, Industrial Technology, wrote the lead article, “Selecting an A&E Firm,” in the May/June issue of Facilities Management Operations and Engineering, the American Institute of Plant Engineers journal.


Rene Rockman and Paul Adalian, Library, have written “Title-by-Title Review in Reference Collection Development” for the Winter 1984 issue of Reference Services Review.

Roger Swanson, Enrollment Support Services, was recently elected 1985-86 chairman of the Central Coast Higher Education Coordinating Council, an organization composed of representatives from the CSU, UC, community colleges, and independent schools.


Michael Blum, Graphic Communications, published an article, “Press Plate Scanners,” in the May/June issue of High Volume Printing.