This Week at GSU

14 GSU Colloquium: The Student "Early Warning System," noon to 1 p.m. and 3 to 4 p.m., Engbretson Hall.

15 Art Student Reception, 6:30 p.m., D1702.


15 CAS Distinguished Lecture Series: Ed Paschke, 7:30 p.m., Sherman Music Recital Hall.

16 Endowed Scholarship Dinner, 6:30 p.m., Hall of Honors.

All events held at University Park campus unless otherwise noted.

CAS lecture series will feature Chicago painter

The College of Arts and Sciences will begin its 1990/91 "Distinguished Scholar-Statesman-Scientist-Artist Lecture Series" with a discussion of art by world-renowned painter Ed Paschke of Chicago.

The lecture will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 15 in the Sherman Music Recital Hall.

Dr. Joyce Morishita has organized the program. "Ed Paschke is a preeminent American artist," she said.

On Oct. 13, the Art Institute of Chicago opened a retrospective show of Paschke's works from 1968 through 1988. He has had other exhibits nationally and in Paris.

Paschke uses the individual as his (Continued on page 4)

CE class features ‘meetings of the minds’

Noah Webster showed up for class the other day.

So did John Dewey, Catharine Beecher and Jean Piaget. They were special guests in Dr. Sally Glenn's "Introduction to Teaching" class in which students examine schools and teachers from historical, philosophical and social perspectives. The College of Education professor calls these sessions "meetings of the minds."

"I asked the students to take on the identities of one of the philosophers or leaders of education," Dr. Glenn explained. Each personality gave a short autobiography and a presentation of his/her educational perspective.

Noah Webster is known to us through his Webster's Dictionary. Jean Piaget was a Swiss psychologist who was the first to make a systematic study of the way children understand. John Dewey was a philosopher, educator, a pioneer in functional psychology and a representative of the progressive movement in American education. Teacher Catharine Beecher organized the American Woman's Educational Association in 1852 to establish teachers' colleges for women.

Dr. Glenn started the guest lecture series, appearing as the Greek philosopher Pythagoras. He traveled from town to town imparting his knowledge and contributed to the development of mathematics and Western rational philosophy.

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Videoconference to focus on marital relationships

"Taking Time for Love," a Governors State University national videoconference on marital relationships, will go out to more than two dozen sites across the country Thursday.

The program is being produced by GSU and will originate from the Instructional Communications Center.

The daylong program was fostered by Dr. Jon Carlson, professor of psychology and counseling. The discussion will be centered, in part, around his book

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Cafeteria Menu  
(Week of November 12 to 16)

Monday - Turkey vegetable soup. 
Entrees: baked chicken breast cordon bleu platter; fresh beef fajitas. Hot sandwich: grilled ham and cheese.

Tuesday - Beef rice soup. 
Entrees: baked stuffed pork chop platter; beef chop suey over rice. Hot sandwich: bacon cheeseburger.

Wednesday - French onion soup. 
Entrees: veal cutlet provencal platter; chicken tetrazzini. Hot sandwich: grilled reuben sandwich.

Thursday - Cream of chicken soup. 
Entrees: smoked sausage with vegetable saute; beef lasagna with parmesan toast. Hot sandwich: Monte Cristo.

Friday - Cream of vegetable soup. 
Entrees: fried shrimp platter; tuna noodle casserole. Hot sandwich: grilled patty melt.

(Menu subject to change)

Comings and Goings

Orawiec appointed as new director of DPS

Philip Orawiec has been named director of the Department of Public Safety.

A former member of the Cook County Sheriff's Department and a security officer for Carson Pirie Scott & Co., Orawiec joined the GSU public safety staff in October 1971 as assistant to Ray Benn, the first director.

Orawiec and Benn, a former Illinois State Police officer, knew each other from their student days at the University of Illinois-Chicago.

"I'll never forget my first day out there," Orawiec recalled. "I couldn't find the place. I came down Stuenkel Road and saw the mailbox and a farm." One phone call later and Benn directed him to the university's first offices in the Park Forest Plaza where he took the civil service exam.

Eventually Orawiec and Benn were put under the direction of Physical Plant Operations. Their first office was the kitchen of the Hantack House, which today houses the GSU Child Care Program.

In keeping with GSU's open and humane policies of the 1970s, Orawiec said, he and Benn were to make law enforcement humane. "We had plans, but a lot of them we threw out the window because we may be innovative and humane, but in dealing with the rest of law enforcement, credibility became a problem," he remembers.

Over time, the unit became a department. The days of wearing suits and not carrying weapons were replaced with traditional police uniforms and being armed. Today, aside from their protection and assistance roles, the officers are trained as police medics.

"Naturally, the '70s passed and people became more sensitive to crime, and I think people were glad to see the traditional (police) stance on campus," the director said.

Orawiec said when he first accepted his GSU position, "I envisioned moving on, but I love this area. I love the people at GSU. It's been fun coming to work. It's a challenge and there is always something to do," he added.

Orawiec and his wife, Sharon, live in Tinley Park with their children, Daniel and Maureen.

We welcome Dr. Gregory Moehring, a newly appointed chemistry professor in the College of Arts and Sciences. He comes to GSU from the University of Southwestern Louisiana in Lafayette, La., where he was an assistant professor.

Dr. Moehring has a bachelor's degree from Western Washington University and a doctorate from Purdue University. He did post-doctoral work at the University of British Columbia in Vancouver, Canada.

GSU Provost David Curtis has announced the appointment of Dr. Jay Lubinsky as acting dean of the College of Health Professions. Dr. Lubinsky has been serving as chairperson of the Division of Communication Disorders.

Dr. Lubinsky, a
Help needed with Civil Service Day program

The Civil Service Senate needs you—to help with the annual Civil Service Day program Nov. 30. This year the senate is looking for employees to model fashions they've made or fashions that were special purchases this year. Persons interested should contact Dixie Butz on extension 2449.

Thanks to participants of non-homecoming event

Congratulations to GSU's non-homecoming court. Honorees who also wore crowns the night of the dance were Deirdre Burton of the Division of Psychology and Counseling, Bev Wilson of the Financial Aid Office who stood in for student Susan Gaffney, resident Denise Theobald, Tony Labriola of ICC who stood in for student Brent Jones and Dean Giannetti and Jeff Gilow of Academic Computing Services.

Special thanks go to the GSU Alumni Association, Circle K Club, Burger King, Complete Music disk jockey service, the Office of Student Life and the Student Program Action Council whose funding and support made the dance possible.

Nominations open for 1991 honorary doctorates

Nominations for the June 1991 commencement honorary doctorate recipients are being accepted through Dec. 1.

There are two criteria for awarding the degrees. 1) Degrees are awarded "in recognition of persons who have achieved a record of major distinction at the state or national level." 2) In exceptional cases, candidates may be considered who have made an especially outstanding and significant contribution to the BOG, its diversities or higher education in Illinois.

Suggestions can be sent to Dr. Virginio Piucci in Administration and Planning.

Program scheduled to address student retention

Diedrus Brown of the Student Development staff will speak on the "student early warning system" at the Nov. 14 colloquium. The program is designed to assist in student retention. Brown will give her talk twice, at noon and 3 p.m. in the Hall of Honors, in an effort to meet with as many faculty and staff as possible.

Bible study group will hold weekly discussions

The Campus Ministries Bible Study Group meets at 2:30 p.m. Tuesdays in the Campus Ministries Office in the Student Life area. Rev. Paul Sikkema, senior pastor of Emmanuel Church in Sauk Village, is serving as GSU's volunteer chaplain. He will lead the discussions. For more information, he can be reached on extension 2260.

Share in fun at 9th annual Holiday Dinner Dec. 1

Don't forget to place your reservation for GSU's 9th annual Holiday Dinner Dec. 1 at Crete Valley. For $16, you'll enjoy either a chicken or prime rib dinner, music and dancing. Share in the laughs of the annual "Leo Awards," and spend a fun evening with co-workers.

If you haven't placed your reservation yet, do so with Barbara Flowers in the Provost's Office. She can be reached on extension 2343.

Congratulations!

To Paul Schwellenbach of the Mail Room staff and his wife, Christie, on the birth of their daughter, Jenny Rose, on Oct. 5. Gwen Siebert in Student Development is the proud grandmother.

Videoconference will discuss 'love'

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Taking Time for Love.

Two special guests, Letty Cottin Pogrebin and Dr. Augustus Napier, are coming to campus for the program.

Cottin Pogrebin, a founding editor of Ms. magazine and author of the book Growing Up Free, advocates a conscious effort by both husband and wife to recognize the changes in society that affect a marriage. The GSU community is invited to welcome her at a reception at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Hall of Honors.

Dr. Napier, a marriage therapist and director of "The Family Workshop," a treatment and training institute in Atlanta, said men must work to become comfortable with their changing roles in marriage and the family.

He will lead a discussion after the videoconference on "Men's Work and Women's Work: Changing Our Scripts" at 7:30 p.m. Thursday. There is a $10 fee.

For this videoconference, the ICC staff filmed four Chicago actors who recreated scenes of marital problems. Their presentations will be used as "triggers" for discussion led by the three experts and members of a studio audience of married couples, according to Tony Labriola of the ICC staff.

"Taking Time for Love" is being directed by Cheryl Lambert. Dr. Mel Muchnik is executive producer, and Sally Petrilli is the instructional development coordinator for the project.

Staff members are welcome to attend a local presentation of the program starting at 9 a.m. in the Hall of Honors. There will be a 1 p.m. luncheon break, and the program will resume until 3 p.m.

The program is free, although there is a $7.50 charge for lunch. Persons planning to attend are asked to make a reservation with the Office of Conferences and Workshops staff on extension 2436.
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native of New York, joined the GSU staff in 1974. He has bachelor’s and master’s degrees from Brooklyn College and a doctorate from Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland.  
Dr. Lubinsky has served as president of the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology and president of the Association of South Metropolitan Chicago Audiologists.  

Dr. William Yacullo has been named acting chairperson of the Division of Communication Disorders. A specialist in audiology and hearing science, he has been a member of the GSU faculty since 1984. He was awarded tenure in 1988.  
Dr. Yacullo has a bachelor’s degree from Elmhurst College, a master’s degree from Northwestern University and a doctorate from the University of Iowa. Before joining the GSU staff, Dr. Yacullo was an assistant professor at Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke’s Medical Center in Chicago.  

Dr. Cheryl Mejta has been appointed division chairperson for the Division of Health and Human Services. She has been on faculty since 1984. Her areas of expertise are alcohol and drug abuse sciences.  
Dr. Mejta has bachelor’s and master’s degrees from Bradley University and a doctorate from the Illinois Institute of Technology. Before coming to GSU, she was director of Interventions/Crossroads, a multi-modality substance abuse treatment facility in Chicago.  

Polly Bernd has been named Continuing Education Center manager for the Office of Special Programs and Continuing Education. She moved into the new position Nov. 1. She previously worked as continuing education coordinator for SPCE.  

Correction  
F.Y.I. apologizes to Dr. Daniel Bernd for a misrepresentation of his position on the use of computers in the story on “Good Morning America” in the Oct. 29 issue. Dr. Bernd said he is in favor of computers as teaching tools, but he does not agree technology should be used for true/false testing by phone, especially at a senior institution.  

GSUings...  
...Ginni Burghardt, director of alumni relations, attending two Council for the Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) conferences in New Orleans in October. The title of one of the conferences was “Raising More Money by Mail.” The second was a conference on annual giving... Dr. Larry Levinson, professor of political science, serving as guest speaker on the Persian Gulf crisis at the October meeting of the Chicago Heights Rotary Club... Dr. Sally Glenn, professor of education, attending the Midwestern Educational Research Conference in Chicago Oct. 16-18... Dr. Joseph Correa, director of the Office of Extended Learning, being elected to the curriculum committee of the International University Consortium at its meeting at the University of Maryland.  

Paschke lectures  
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focus. In the mid 1970s, he says he put masks on his subjects to obscure faces. His latest works include a series of paintings of famous people, including Elvis Presley and John Kennedy, but Paschke has distorted the faces so that they are impossible to identify.  
Besides his reputation as a painter, Paschke is chairman of the Department of Art Theory and Practice at Northwestern University.