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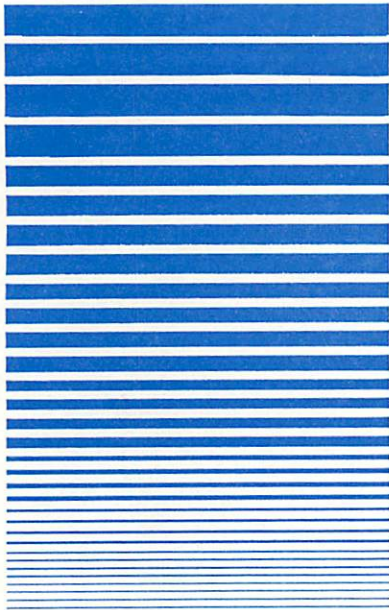
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UNIVERSITY PARK -- The Union Institute awarded Dr. Leo Goodman-Malamuth II, president of Governors State University, its President's Award for Exemplary Service.

Dr. Goodman-Malamuth has served on the Union's board of trustees since 1976, and was its chairman from 1986 through 1990.

Also during the Union's fall commencement ceremonies, Dr. Goodman-Malamuth received an honorary doctorate.

In presenting Dr. Goodman-Malamuth with the service award, The Union Institute's president, Dr. Robert T. Conley, called the GSU president "an educator, guide and friend of The Union Institute. It has been Dr. Goodman-Malamuth's generous character to volunteer expertise and common sense at just the right time; he shares of himself and has empowered the university community with his leadership example."

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The Union Institute was founded in 1964 in Cincinnati as The Union for Experimenting Colleges and Universities and was designed and developed as the first "university without walls" higher education institution in the United States. Although the university has gone through a transformation, it is still recognized as an institution that offers individualized programs.

Its bachelor's degree programs are available at Cincinnati, Los Angeles, Sacramento, San Diego and Miami. Its doctorate programs are not given as site-based instruction, but the administrative office is in Cincinnati.

President Conley said Dr. Goodman-Malamuth "has provided guidance, support and commitment. He has been a leader in the transition from the original consortial structure (of the Union) through the depths of financial struggle, to the heights of accreditation, growth, expansion and the acquisition of our permanent home."

Dr. Goodman-Malamuth, who will retire in July after 16 years as president of Governors State University, has agreed to continue serving on The Union Institute's board of trustees.

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