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Italian American Elected Officials To Discuss Problems, Opportunities

Approximately 25 elected officials from nearly every level of government in the state will participate in an all-day Conference of Illinois Italian American Elected Officials on Saturday, April 28. The session will be at Villa Scalabrini Paterno Auditorium, 480 N. Wolf Rd., Northlake.

The keynote speaker at 9:15 am will be Frank Stella, president of the National Italian American Foundation, Washington, D.C. The luncheon speaker at 12:30 will be Anthony Celebrezze, attorney general of Ohio.

"This conference provides a unique opportunity for self-assessment and introspection for an ethnic group faced with geographic dispersal, intermarriage and economic mobility," according to Dominic Candeloro of the Office of Conferences and Workshops.

The event, said to be the first of its kind within the Italian American community in Illinois, is being planned by GSU's Institute for Public Policy and Administration and Office of Conferences and Workshops. It is cosponsored by the Joint Civic Committee of Italian Americans and the National Italian American Foundation, which awarded a grant to help fund the conference.

Virginio Piucci, vice president for administration and planning of GSU, and Dominick Bufalino, chairman of the Board of Governors of State Colleges and Universities, will welcome the assemblage at 9 am.

At 10 am, concurrent panel discussions will be focused on "Roots of Italian American Participation in Illinois Politics" and

"Defining Italian American Issues." They will be moderated by, respectively, Rose Ann Rabiola, Chicago City Colleges, and Florence Scala, former community activist.

Session 3 at 11:30 will be on "Maximizing Italian American Political Effectiveness, Overcoming Stereotypes and Geographic Separateness." Louis Masotti, Center for Urban Studies at Northwestern University, will moderate.

Session 4, "Training the Next Generation," will begin at 2 pm, moderated by Jerome Zurla, president of Joint Civic Committee of Italian Americans.

The final session at 3:15 will have Anthony Fornelli, chairman, Festa Italiana, moderating a panel on "Building Inter-ethnic Coalitions."

Cost of the conference is \$10 including lunch and materials. For reservations, call 534-5000, Ext. 2320 or 2436.

GSU President Commends Lincoln Award Winner



Dr. Leo Goodman-Malamuth II, president of GSU, congratulates Michael Blackburn, Chicago Heights, on being awarded the Lincoln Academy's Student Laureate

medal. Blackburn is president of the Student Senate and has been active in academic, political and social affairs at the university for the past two years.

Coming of Age: School of Health Professions Becomes a College

What's in a name?

At GSU, it's ten years of hard work, thousands of hours of classroom and clinical instruction, hundreds of successful students now contributing to the burgeoning health industry, and growing national recognition. All are factors in changing the name of School of Health Professions (SHP) to the College of Health Professions (CHP).

David Curtis, provost and vice president for academic affairs, states that the change to collegial status simply is recognition of the expansion of the former school. "Enrollment increased 20% during the past year to 605 students in both undergraduate and graduate programs," he said. "For some time, SHP has been similar in function, scope of activities, and most other aspects compared with our other three colleges."

The new college has 34 faculty members teaching in four divisions with seven academic majors, according to Dr. John Lowe III, director. Three of those majors—health administration, medical technology and nursing—have received professional accreditation. The communica-

tion disorders major has program approval from the Illinois State Board of Education. "We currently are seeking accreditation of the bachelor of social work degree," he further notes.

Other majors are in alcoholism sciences and health professions education.

The School of Health Professions was established in 1974 as part of the then existing College of Environmental and Applied Sciences. When CEAS became the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS), in the collegial reorganization of 1979, the School of Health Professions became an independent unit reporting to the vice president for academic affairs along with the three colleges. For some time, SHP had been functioning as a college in all but name.

At the same time, the name of the division of health services administration was simplified to division of health administration. It was changed, says Lowe, to be more consistent with other academic programs in the field and to avoid student confusion concerning other programs.



John Lowe

Spring/Summer Trimester Registration

Persons intending to attend GSU for the spring/summer trimester should come to the campus on April 24-25 to pay fees and pick up schedules, according to Sarah Crawford, registrar.

Students who preregistered during the advance registration period just concluded may return either of the two days to pick up schedules and pay fees. However, they are encouraged to do so on the first day.

Persons who have not yet registered for the spring/summer trimester may do so only on April 25. They will be classified as students-at-large, but they cannot earn any GSU degree in that status. To enter a degree program, such students must make formal application to be admitted to a degree program. Students-at-large may be advised by counselors in the Office of Admissions as to what courses to take and such courses may or may not be applied toward a degree at some later time.

Hours for both days are 11:30 am-8 pm in the University Gymnasium. Spring/summer trimester classes begin on Monday, April 30.

GSU Chorale, Orchestra To Present Haydn Work

The University-Community Chorale and Chamber Orchestra of GSU under the direction of Rudolf Strukoff, CAS, will present Franz Josef Haydn's "Mass in Time of War" (Paukenmesse) in a free public concert on Sunday, April 29, at 4 pm. The performance will be in Music Recital Hall.

Forty singers from throughout the southern suburbs have been rehearsing since September. They include students, employees, and friends of the university,

many of whom have been singing with the group since it began in the late '70s. They will be joined by an orchestra of twenty-seven instrumentalists, most of whom also come from the southern suburbs.

Soloists will be Madelon Starke, soprano; Donna Strukoff, alto; Michael Schumacher, tenor; and Kurt Schutt, bass. The concert is free to the public.

Children's Chorus Performs

The Children's Chorus of Governors State University, directed by Mary Ellen Pinzino, will present a concert at 4 pm, Sunday, May 6, in the GSU Theatre. The program will include the premiere of a new musical review for children, "Kid Bubbles," by Pinzino. There will be a freewill offering.

Photography Exhibit

"Milwaukee Waterfront," an exhibit of photographs by James Brozek, will be shown in GSU's Infinity Photography Gallery of Governors State University from May 4-28. There will be an artist's reception in the gallery at 5:30 pm opening day. The gallery is open weekdays in the afternoon. It is free to the public.

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Send to Betty Kott, Editor, UR.

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GSU: The Place To Finish What You Started

For hundreds of adults in the north and northwest suburbs over the past two or three years, the emergence of GSU at the Dempster Development Center in Mt. Prospect has been the answer to their higher education frustrations and aspirations.

One of the slogans of the university is "The Place to Finish What You Started." It's more than a slogan—it's a fact. GSU is called an upper division university; that is, it is for junior, senior and master's level students only. There are no freshman or sophomore courses or students. Anyone enrolling must already have had the equivalent of the first two years at an accredited community college or four year institution of higher education somewhere else.

Thus, all GSU students are, in fact, taking up where they may have left off because of completion of a two-year program, family circumstances, financial problems, or any number of other reasons. Or perhaps they left off at the bachelor's degree and now seek a master's or a degree in another field. In any case, Governors State was founded in 1969 to answer those and other educational needs of the adult population, not only in its own southern suburb area, but also throughout the Chicago area wherever there is a need for high quality, low cost higher education.

The university has been serving the north/northwest suburbs with extension offerings for several years. But it wasn't until its offices were established at the Dempster Development Center at 420 W. Dempster, Mt. Prospect, in 1982 that it really became accepted as a permanent part of the area's educational climate.

Community College Artists Exhibit in GSU Gallery

An exhibit of works by artists from seven Chicago area community colleges will hang in the GSU Art Gallery through April 27. Hours of the free exhibit are 10:30 am to 3:30 pm Monday through Thursday.

Community colleges represented in this invitational exhibit are College of DuPage, Joliet Junior College, Kankakee Community College, Moraine Valley Community College, Thornton Community College and Triton Community College.

Under the direction of Marge LaBrot, education coordinator for the GSU Office of Special Programs and Continuing Education, the center has been offering a wide variety of courses, workshops and seminars 12 months a year. While the primary emphasis is on graduate level courses for teachers and other educators, both undergraduate and graduate classes are offered in the arts and sciences, business and public administration, psychology and counseling and the health professions.

Classes are held throughout the day at GSU/Dempster and other convenient locations in the area. However, most are offered in the evenings and on weekends for the convenience of adult students who work or have family responsibilities during the daytime. To ensure the maintenance of high academic standards, instructors are either fulltime professors from the University Park campus or fully-qualified, experienced adjunct faculty from the area.

Furthermore, at a time when costs are escalating for education, as well as everything else, tuition and fees at GSU are the lowest in Illinois. In fact, they are among the lowest in the nation. Currently tuition at Dempster Center is \$46.24 per hour for undergraduate credit and \$50.75 per hour for graduate credit. These rates are subject to adjustment this fall, but they still will be less than elsewhere.

Students seeking a degree can take a large portion of the required work at the Dempster Center. Under current state regulations, they must complete a specific amount of coursework on the GSU campus to earn the desired degree. Because GSU

is, indeed, a commuter university, easily accessible by the interstate highway system, it is not uncommon to find students from northern suburbs in each graduating class.

At GSU/Dempster Development Center, the university also offers the Board of Governors (BOG) Bachelor of Arts Degree program, an individualized and flexible path to the baccalaureate degree for adults who have some prior college experience. A major characteristic of the program is the recognition that many adults have acquired a large amount of learning through their personal and professional experiences outside the traditional classroom.

The BOG program permits students to use transfer credits from other accredited institutions of higher learning, independent study through correspondence, telecourses or extension courses, as well as regular GSU credits. The student also may prepare a portfolio of other life experiences and apply for academic credit. On the basis of total credit hours accumulated this way, a program is designed to help the student earn the balance of credits for a non-specific BA degree. This degree is accredited and is accepted in the market place and by other institutions.

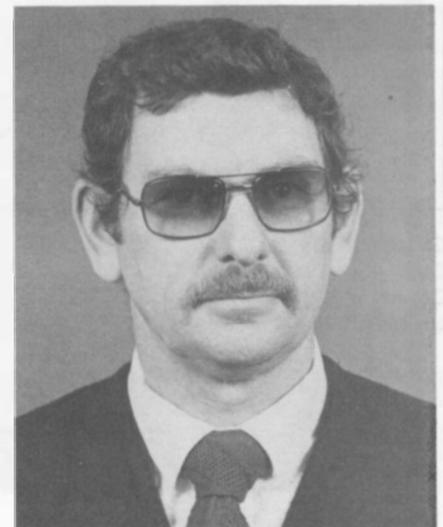
To learn more about how you can finish what you started, visit the GSU/Dempster Development Center or call Marge LaBrot at 439-7550.

Olympics Consultant To Discuss Complexities of Games at GSU

Dr. Benjamin Lowe, university professor of education and a recognized international authority on the Olympic Games, will discuss "The Complexity of Olympism" at the monthly GSU Faculty Forum at 10:30 am on Monday, April 30 in Engbretson Hall.

Lowe has been an unpaid consultant to the national olympic committees of the U.S., the Soviet Union, Great Britain, the Peoples Republic of China, Taiwan, Canada and Korea.

He will examine the complexities of olympism as they affect, or are affected by, international politics, boycott strategies, urban development and the marketing of olympics through the licensing of corporate sponsors. The lecture is free to the public.



Benjamin Lowe

GSUings...

Hugh Rank (CAS), being featured speaker at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point workshop, "Rites of Writing" April 10 and 11.

Mel Muchnik (CAS), speaking at the Flossmoor Public Library Lecture series on new television technology.

George Michel (CE), attending a workshop on computer awareness for administrators, April 3, 1984.

Z. A. Malik (BPA), present a paper, "Supplier Selection Algorithms for Multiple Source Buying Decisions: A Microcomputer Application" at the Pan Pacific Conference in Hawaii March 26-28. The paper was coauthored by Malik and **Charles Olson (BPA)**.

Mwalimu David R. Burgest (CHP), being invited to write a paper for the National Black Alcoholism Council "News and Views" Newsletter. The title, "The Black Worker and the Black Client."

Elizabeth Brutvan (CHP), speaking to the scientific assembly of the Chicago Society for Medical Technology, April 12 on "The Role of Education is the Professionalization of Allied Health Occupations."

Dave Matteson (CE) and **Mary Jo Jahm (HLD graduate, MA 1981)**, presenting a workshop, "What do you do when the husband is gay? A Therapeutic Model for Conjoint Therapy," for the Chicago Psychological Association Spring Conference.

Joan Radtke (CHP), speaking on "Research in Medical Technology: Development and Evaluation of a Method" at the scientific assembly of the Chicago Society for Medical Technology April 12.

Clementine Coleman (CHP), being invited to present a paper on Recruitment and Retention of Minority Students in Allied Health Programs at the Indiana Society for Medical Technology Spring Meeting in Merrillville, Indiana on April 13.

Sonja Monroe-Clay (CE), acting as a facilitator at a workshop for CEDA members in March at the Americana Congress Hotel. The 2-day meeting focused on future directors for CEDA centers.

Cliff Eagleton (CE), presenting a paper, "Teacher Leadership Repertoires for Student Growth" to the Exploring Excellence in Education Conference of the Association of Teacher Educators on April 16, 1984.

Thank You Note

To all those at GSU who made my hospital stay and subsequent convalescence easier to bear. Your messages and cards were very much appreciated.

Betty Kott, UR

GSU Remodeling Project Approved

The Board of Governors of State Colleges and Universities has approved an extensive remodeling project for GSU. The project, when completed, will increase available classroom space and develop facilities for university-sponsored credit and noncredit conferences and workshops.

The area now occupied by the Media Dome has been chosen for the project. That structure will be demolished to clear space for a conference/dining area and new Honors Dining Room. Second floor facilities to be added will include rooms with movable floor-to-ceiling soundproof walls. This space will be used for classrooms or conference rooms. The area can also be utilized as one large lecture hall which will seat 200 when the walls are moved back.

Work will begin May 1. Projected completion date for the remodeled area is September, 1985.

Get Well Wishes...And Sympathies

To **Don Hansen (SP&CE)**, who is a patient in intensive care in Silver Cross Hospital, Joliet, recovering from pneumonia. Don's mother died on Friday, April 6 after an extended illness. Send cards, no flowers, please, to Don c/o Silver Cross Hospital, Room 2146, 1200 Maple Road, Joliet, Illinois 60432.

Former GSUers to Wed

Elizabeth Rank and **Richard Hughes**, both former GSU employees in the CAS Computer room, have announced plans for their wedding on August 4 in Boulder, Colorado where he will soon receive his law degree and she a degree in anthropology. Elizabeth has accepted a three-year \$40,000 MSF grant to do graduate work in anthropology.

Heartfelt Thanks From Pat Burkhardt...

I want to thank you all for your concern, love and prayers while I was in the hospital and recuperating at home. In case any of you don't realize it, those cards and letters are SO important at a time when one's morale is so low. Thanks again. (Hope to be back in harness again around May 1st!)



"Cosmology? You want Swami Katra, two mountains over. I only discuss existentialism and business management."

Job Opportunities

ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY

Position: Vice President for Business and Finance

Responsibilities: Budget office, related areas

Qualifications: Graduate degree or equivalent; experience in business and financial administration in higher education or related institutions.

Deadline: May 15, 1984. Send resume and three letters of recommendation to Dr. Lynelle Hale, Chairperson, Vice President for Business and Finance Search, Hovey Hall 301, Illinois State University, Normal, IL 61761

CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

Position: Assistant Professor, communication and media

Qualifications: Master's degree, doctoral work in related area, college level teaching experience

Salary: \$18,000-\$25,000 depending on experience and qualifications

Deadline: June 1, 1984. Send application letter, resume and names, addresses and telephone numbers of three current references to: Dr. Paul Wenger, Chairman, Communications Dept., Central Connecticut State University, 1615 Stanley Street, New Britain, CT 06050

EVENTS

Tuesday, May 1

Graduate Painting Exhibit: Rena Rago, UT* (through May 31)

Friday, May 4

Photography Exhibit: Works of James Brozek, Milwaukee Waterfront series, (through May 28) IG*
 Special Programs: "Gebser Conference: Interpretation of Cultures," room D3301 (also May 5, 9 am-5 pm & May 6, 9 am-12 pm)
 Film: "The Last Pullman Car" sponsored by Student Activities PAC, room F1200

12-5 pm

7 pm

Saturday, May 5

9 am-9 pm

Special Programs: "Eastern Perspectives in Psychotherapy," (also Sunday, May 6)

9:30 am-3:20 pm

Special Programs: "Social Impact of Communication Technology," room E1801 (meets Saturdays through 6/16)

Monday, May 7

6-10 pm

Special Programs: "Motorcycle Safety, Parking Lot D (first of 12 sessions)

Tuesday, May 8

6:30-8:30 pm

Special Programs: "Training for a Marathon," (first of six sessions)

Thursday, May 10

7:30 pm

Concert: GSU Jazz Ensemble, MRH*

7:30-9:30 pm

Special Programs: "Wedding Customs and Traditions in the Italian-American Community," Nick Zaranti's Historic Photo Museum, 821 Chicago Road

Friday, May 11

9 am-5 pm

100% Refund Deadline (Blocks 1 & 2)

Special Programs: "Alcoholism: Experimental Approaches to Treatment," F Lounge (also Saturday, May 12)

Saturday, May 12

40% Refund Period (total withdrawal only) through May 25

Sunday, May 13

4 pm

Concert: GSU Children's Chorus, MRH/UT*

- * (EH) Engbretson Hall
- (HG) Hall of Governors
- (HDR) Honors Dining Room
- (IG) Infinity Gallery
- (MD) Media Dome
- (MRH) Music Recital Hall
- (UAG) University Art Gallery
- (UT) University Theatre

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