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GSU ARCHIVES

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Everybody talks about the weather,
but nobody does anything about it.

-C. D. Warner

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FOR ALL TO SEE...GSU's Music Department and programs are on exhibit in the Conrad Hilton main exhibit hall in Chicago during the annual convention of the Illinois Music Educators Association, now through Sunday, January 28. Rudy Strukoff (CCS) is coordinating the GSU display which will portray some of the activities, programs, artists, faculty and performers of the GSU Music Department. The exhibit is open and free to the public 9 a.m. - 1:30 p.m., and 3-6- p.m., Friday and Saturday.

CANCELLED... A new motion picture assignment for "Kunta-Kinte," Levar Burton, has caused him to cancel his free lecture at GSU February 6. Also cancelled is the reshewing of "Roots" as part of the GSU film series of Student Affairs and Activities, which was to begin Feb. 6.

WHY DON'T YOU...bring a friend and enjoy a movie at GSU? It's your chance to see current releases at a convenient location and at minimal prices. This week's offering, "Turning Point," is the much talked-about story of two friends who began their careers as ballerinas together, with one going on to become a star, the other to have a family. The photography and dance scenes alone make the movie worth seeing. There are three showings Wednesday, January 31, at 3, 5 and 7 p.m. in Engbretson Hall.

JOINT EDUCATION...A grant from the Illinois Board of Higher Education is financing the creation of a series of "streamlined" four-year degree programs involving GSU and certain local community colleges. Kankakee Community, Joliet Junior, Prairie State, and Moraine Valley Community Colleges are being approached now, with Thornton Community College and the City Colleges of Chicago to be considered later under the \$9,000 grant. Freshmen at the cooperating colleges may immediately take courses that will apply toward a bachelor of arts degree at GSU.

BEST WISHES TO...Diana Bates, the remarkable young HLD student who received serious injuries in a car accident while in high school and overcame numerous obstacles to continue her education. Diana is in physical therapy and traction after a recent fall. Cards and good wishes can be forwarded to her at St. James Hospital, Room 605.

FLASH...Some area telephone directories are still available for those who don't want to pay the new information charges. Anyone needing the telephone books should notify the BPO office by memo-not the switchboard-and a list for delivery will be formulated. Your requests must be received within the next two weeks before the extra books are returned to the supplier.

LONDON TOUR... "London Playbill" in England, August 10-26, will be offered by GSU. February 15 is the registration deadline, with or without GSU academic credit, with Seminars International, Inc., 36 S. Wabash Ave., Suite 1100, Chicago. Enrollment for credit at GSU is May 2-3. Cost for the tour will be \$789, with a minimum of 25 participants. Experienced program direction and leadership will be provided by Prof. David Reeve, University professor of Theater, CCS, X2119.

SEARCH FOR VOICES... After performing before a standing room-only audience, the GSU Community Chorale is seeking a lyric soprano and a baritone as soloists, as well as tenors and basses when it resumes regular Monday night rehearsals in February. Interested residents of the southwest suburbs and University students and staff are asked to telephone Dr. Rudolf Strukoff, Chorale director, CCS, X2454, or 312/534-6625.

Open auditions for Menotti's opera, "The Medium," in English will be at GSU January 25-26 and 30-31. The auditions at 7:30 p.m. in the Music Recital Hall of the CCS will seek: 2 sopranos, 1 contralto (or mezzo), 1 mezzo, 1 baritone and 1 male mute.

PUBLISHED... MICHAEL LEWIS' (HLD) article "Community Organization" appears in the Winter, 1978 issue of C/O Journal of Alternative Human Services. HUGH RANK (CCS) has learned that his "Patterns of Propaganda" is included in the ERIC system, as reported in Resources in Education (January, 1979).

ALUMNAE ON DISPLAY... The annual alumnae exhibit can be viewed in GSU's Infinity Gallery through February 1, 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Monday-Friday and on Thursday evenings.

ENERGY WORKSHOP... The State Board of Education, Illinois Institute of Natural Resources and the U.S. Department of Energy will co-sponsor an energy education workshop Saturday, January 27, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., at GSU. It is designed primarily for teachers and school officials who will receive free curriculum materials.

USDA STUDENT INTERN... Doloris Smith, a GSU student, was recently named an U.S. Department of Agriculture intern. Selected after a search through U.S. colleges, Doloris will be exposed to the workings of the \$10 billion food program administered by the USDA.

GSUings... MELVYN MUCHNIK (CCS) being heard over WBEZ-Radio (FM-915) on taped broadcasts from Israel where he is on sabbatical studying alternate systems and uses of media... ARMANDO TRIANA (BPS) completing all the requirements for the Ph.D. in Organization Behavior from Northwestern University. His dissertation is entitled "Difference in the Supervision Behavior Associated with Higher Productive and Satisfaction Across Cultures: A Study of Spanish and English Speaking Factory Workers in Chicago"... WARRICK CARTER (CCS) serving as clinician at the fourth annual Illinois Wesleyan University jazz festival last week... CONSTANCE SHORTER (HLD) being placed on the Democratic-aligned Better Government Party slate for the upcoming city commissioner race in Chicago Heights... RUDY STRUKOFF (CCS) attending the National Association of Teachers of Singing convention in Houston, Texas, December 27-30... MARGARET MORTON (BPS) presenting opening (September) and closing (January) lectures at Chicago Bureau of Business Education In-Service Course for Typewriting Instructors... MICHAEL LEWIS (HLD) speaking on "Community Organization" at Peabody University, Nashville, Tenn., January 29, and at the California State Psychological Association, Monterey, Calif., February 16... ERNA SALM (CCS) performing for and speaking to the members of the South Suburban chapter of the Illinois State Music Teachers Association at Melody Mart in Homewood last week... A paper written by ARMANDO TRIANA (BPS) and GIDEON FALK (BPS) being accepted for presentation by the Midwest Business Administration Association (Management Division) meeting in Chicago on April 5. The paper is entitled "An Empirical Comparison of Two Teaching Methods of Principles of Management: In-Class vs. Self-Instructional Module". The research was supported by a GSU mini-grant... ANNIE LAWRENCE (EAS) discussing "The Nurse in Practice" at the continuing education program for registered nurses sponsored by the Evangelical School of Nursing in Oak Lawn, January 24... Congratulations to Roy Cogdell (HLD) and his wife, Joyce, on the birth of their granddaughter born December 21.



FAZE FOCUS ON . . . M. CATHERINE TAYLOR

How does a GSUer earn two degrees in History and Social Science, start a career as an underwriter with a brokerage firm, spend three years as a secretary, another as an admissions counselor and end up as an Administrator at GSU? It's a long story, but Cathy Taylor is now where she seems to have been destined all along - as GSU's Assistant Director for Admissions. Overseeing the Admissions process means being responsible for processing the applications of potential GSU students and then notifying them of their status. It also means disseminating information near and far about GSU and the numerous programs we offer. Even in a brief conversation with Cathy you quickly learn that higher education is top priority with her. She has as part of her everyday vocabulary, terms like "alternatives," "options," "opportunities," "curriculum," "experiential education" and "STUDENTS".

Cathy is concerned that qualified students not only be admitted, but that they also take advantage of the educational opportunities being offered by GSU. "I've always thought that the best thing we do is offer viable educational alternatives," she said, and explained that GSU's doors are open to serve those students who can self-direct, allowing them to choose an educational environment that can be self-paced and less structured. As one who has been with GSU for seven years, the last three in her present position, Cathy has seen GSU's development firsthand both as a student and a staff member. Comparing GSU to other institutions, she said others may offer one or two components of the non-traditional curriculum, but GSU offers a total program. "I'm excited about where we are right now," she said without hesitating. "GSU has experienced a great deal of change and growth." She feels that after the first few years, it is healthy for a young institution to reassess "where we've been, where we are and where we feel we want to go". Cathy views this as part of the growth process. As University goals and objectives are redefined, it will be easier to define individual roles, goals and objectives and how they all interrelate. Cathy said that she sees the major problem of the Admissions Office not as student-centered, but as an articulation problem between that Office and "the rest of the University world". "No unit can exist or function by itself" she said, "it takes cooperation from all areas of the University and redefining would help in that area."

With a 10-year old daughter, Shannon, she also thinks about today's youths and their future education. She believes that the new directions in education will effect future generations and will impact the "numbers game" because institutions are beginning to take an indepth look at the non-traditional student market.

Cathy, who received her M.A. degree from GSU in 1973, continues to enroll in courses here, describing her student status as a hobby and something she just enjoys doing. Now taking business and administration classes, it's obvious she enjoys learning for the sake of obtaining additional knowledge. She also likes music and reading and is an avid racquetball player. In the future, she sees herself remaining in the area of higher education, possibly in administration or in the academic affairs arena. You get the feeling that Cathy Taylor will continue to grow and progress right along with GSU.

EVENTS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Illinois Office of Education (EH)
8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Insurance Testing (A1102)
9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Basketball Coaching Clinic (Gym, F1104)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. YMCA Open House

MONDAY, JANUARY 29

8:00 p.m. Cross Country Skiing Clinic (EH)

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30

7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Hawthorne Experiment Presentation (EH)

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31

12 Noon Theology for Lunch "South Africa & U.S.
Global Corporations" (E1105)
1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. State Board of Elections (A1102)
3, 5 & 7 p.m. Movie "Turning Point"(EH)
6:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. Tickets - .50 GSU Students, \$1 General Admission
GSU Alumni Association Phonathon

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1

APPLICATIONS FOR APRIL GRADUATION DUE IN COLLEGES

8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Administration Council
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. EAS Academic Affairs Council

OUR DEADLINE ... Wednesday Noon. Send news to Joan Lewis,
Editor, Faze I, c/o University Relations,
Assistant Editor, Brenda Wright

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AFFIRMATIVE ACTION OFFICE

Job Opportunities

UNIT & POSITION	RESPONSIBILITIES	QUALIFICATIONS	START DATE	CONTACT & DEADLINE
<u>EAS</u> - University Professor of Nursing	Instruct nursing students in a competency-based curriculum leading to a BSN or MSN	MSN w/clinical specialty in Community Health, Maternal Child Health, or med/surgical nursing Pref. teaching experience	3/1/79	Ted Andrews, EX 2438 February 1, 1979
<u>BPS</u> - University Professor of Business	Teach business law, and other related business courses.	J.D. and M.B.A. required	9/1/79	Dean Milam, EX 2241 February 1, 1979
<u>LRC</u> - Director (Internal GSU Search Only)	Planning, procurement, and implementation of all learning resources; prepare budget recommendations, etc.	Masters in Library Science 3 yrs. increasing managerial responsibilities in libraries.	3/1/79	Richard Vorwerk, EX 2319 February 5, 1979
DIRECTOR of Assessment of Experiential Learning and Coordinator of Board of Governors Degree Program	Evaluation of prior nonacademic learning experience within University. Supervision of operations of University Without Walls Program at GSU.	Doctorate, 1 yr. exp. w/ non-traditional education.	3/1/79	Richard Vorwerk, EX 2319 February 5, 1979
<u>CIVIL SERVICE POSITIONS</u>				
<u>B&PO</u> - Sec. III Steno				
State University System of Florida - Position Vacancy Listing University of California, Santa Barbara, - Academic Position Vacancy Listing Affirmative Action Register The Academic Journal	AVAILABLE IN AFFIRMATIVE ACTION OFFICE AVAILABLE IN AFFIRMATIVE ACTION OFFICE AVAILABLE IN LRC AVAILABLE IN LRC	The Affirmative Action Office has received (1) a list of January vacancies for teaching positions and (2) a list of other professional technical positions from the Illinois State Board of Education. Both may be reviewed in the Placement Office.		

UNIT & POSITION	RESPONSIBILITIES	QUALIFICATIONS	START DATE	CONTACT & DEADLINE
Assistant Prof. of Elem. Ed.	Teach undergraduate and graduate courses in bilingual read. and language arts.	Earned doctorate, elem. teaching experience.	8/79	Dr. Sarah Hudelson College of Education Arizona State University by February 15, 1979
Assistant Prof. of Elem. Ed.	Teach early childhood educ.	Earned doctorate, pre-school or primary grade teaching required.		
Assistant/Associate Prof.	Teach courses in mass communication theory; broadcast hist, writing & regulations.	Ph.D. w/major in mass communication (for Asst) Ph.D. w/major in mass communication, teaching, & exp. in commercial or public broadcasting desired (for Assoc.)	8/20/79	(Resume, Ltr. of Ref. & Trans) David McCants, Chairman Dept. of Communication Indiana Univ.-Purdue Univ. at Fort Wayne 2101 Coliseum Blvd. East Fort Wayne, Indiana 46805
Director of Training and Staff Development	Develop training & development program to fill career development needs of nonacademic personnel & administrative employees.	B.A., 4 yrs. exp. in human resources development or management/employee training.	immediate vacancy	Ms. Mary Kay Walsh Office of Vice Chancellor for Administration U. of I. at Chicago Circle Box 4348 Chicago, IL 60680
Director of University of Wisconsin Systemwide Center for the Study of Minorities and the Disadvantaged	Plan & coordinate all Center research & activity. Provide advice to System Administration on policies affecting minority/disadvantaged programs.	3-5 yrs. Admin. & Educ. exp. in H. Ed. w/competence in research. Knowledge of programs dealing w/minority/disadvantaged students. Ph.D. pref. & qualif. for faculty appt. desirable.		Y. Austin Chang, Assoc. Dean The Graduate School Univ. of Wisc.-Milwaukee Milwaukee, WI 53201 DEADLINE - Feb. 28, 1979
Financial Aids Director	Administer all aspects of student financial aid.	Bachelor's degree & 2 yrs. exp. Knowledge of federal and state aid programs.	immediate vacancy	Loretto Heights College Personnel Department 3001 South Federal Blvd. Denver, Colorado 80236