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Education Wins Continuing Accreditation

The NCATE (National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education) Unit Accreditation Board has approved UND's education unit with all 18 standards met at the basic (undergraduate) and advanced (graduate) levels. In UND's case, the education unit includes those programs in the College of Education and Human Development dedicated to teacher and administrator education and programs in other colleges which lead to teaching certificates, endorsements, or credentials. Faculty in the College of Arts and Sciences, Fine Arts and Communication, Business and Public Administration, and Engineering and Mines are involved in this work.

Confirmation of state approval of all UND education programs presented was received Oct. 17. The state team cited UND's education programs for strength in use of multiple sources of data in student admissions and monitoring of progress. The basic programs approved at UND prepare teachers in biology, biological and physical science, business education, chemistry, communication, early childhood education, earth science, elementary education, English, French, geography, German, industrial technology, marketing education, mathematics, middle school education, music, physical education, physics, physical science, social studies, Spanish, theatre arts, visual arts. Endorsement programs in athletic coaching, bilingual education, and kindergarten were also approved. Programs for educators approved at the advanced level prepare counselors for schools, principals, reading specialists, special educators, including speech language pathologists, and school superintendents as well as enabling teachers to engage in advanced study of teaching and learning. -- Mary Harris, Dean, College of Education and Human Development.

Join In The State Of Faculty Conference

The State of the Faculty Conference will be held Friday and Saturday, Nov. 22-23, in the Memorial Union. The conference is designed to provide an occasion for faculty from across North Dakota to gather in discussion about issues of common interest.

The keynote speakers will include Vito Perrone, director of Teacher Education Programs at Harvard University and a national leader in progressive education and alternative assessment. He is well known as the founder of the New School of Behavioral Studies at UND in the 1960s. Lloyd Omdahl, the former Lieutenant Governor for the State of North Dakota, will also be present for discussion. He will share challenging and interesting experiences from his background in the political arena and as a faculty member within the North Dakota University System.

The conference is free of charge, even the meals are free. Friday dinner, Saturday continental breakfast and lunch will be provided. Registration can be taken over the telephone by calling 7-2663 or use the toll-free number, 1-800-342-8230.

For more information please contact us. -- Dawn Botsford, program coordinator, and Kristie Hegg, program assistant, Division of Continuing Education.

Nominations Invited For Clifford Faculty Achievement Award

Nominations/applications are invited for the UND Foundation Thomas J. Clifford Faculty Achievement Award for Excellence in Research. The winner of this award will receive a plaque and a check for \$2,000 at the 1997 Founders Day Banquet on Feb. 27.

The following information should be provided:

1. A listing of publications of significant, original and high-quality research, scholarly, and creative contributions in nationally recognized professional journals that are refereed by peer reviewers and/or a listing of juried competitions and invited performances;
2. Overall scholarly activities, such as service as a reviewer of research proposals for federal agencies or other funding sources, service as a referee or editor for professional journals, and contributions to training students in research, scholarly, and creative endeavors;
3. Potential for significant contributions to enhancing the effectiveness

of the subject matter taught in the classroom.

Faculty, staff and students may make nominations, and faculty are invited to nominate themselves. Since the Committee will not engage in the gathering of documentation, each nomination or application must be accompanied by thorough evidence of the nominee's qualifications for the award. Five copies of each nomination and supporting documentation should be received at the Office of Research and Program Development no later than Monday, Jan. 13.

Since previous awardees are ineligible for nomination until five years have passed, Arthur Buckley (1996), Sharon and Richard Wilsnack (1995), Michael Anderegg (1994), Robert Nordlie (1993), and David Hein (1992) may not be nominated this year.

The awardee will be selected by the same committee that selects the Fellows of the University Award for Departmental Excellence in Research. This committee includes the director of the Office of Research and Program Development (Chair), the dean of the Graduate School, the chair of the Faculty Research Committee, one faculty member from the Graduate Committee, and one faculty member from the Faculty Research Committee.

If further information is desired, please call the Office of Research and Program Development at 7-4279. -- Carl Fox, Director of Research and Program Development.

EVENTS TO NOTE

Open House Will Feature Aurora Project

An open house at UND Thursday, Nov. 14, will feature a model of the proposed Aurora Events Center and the opportunity to visit informally with city officials. Scheduled from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Memorial Union River Valley Room, the event will include factsheets and other displays. Those in attendance will have an opportunity to interact with city officials and members of the Aurora project team, as well as have their questions answered. On Tuesday, Dec. 3, voters in Grand Forks will let City council members know if it is acceptable to spend more than \$49 million for the Aurora without raising the sales tax already dedicated to the project. This would ensure that both an arena and convention center would be built. -- Jan Orvik, Editor, for Christi Stonecipher, Project Coordinator, Aurora Events Center.

Geology Lecture Will Honor Alumna

The inaugural lecture of the Mary Jo Klosterman Lecture Series will be presented by Michael Abrams, Exxon, Houston, on Friday, Nov. 8. At noon he will present "Tribute to Mary Jo," a review of her life, with slides from some of her trips in the Leonard Hall Lecture Bowl.

At 3 p.m., he will consider "Hydrocarbon System of the Evlak-Agdzhabedi Depression, Azerbaijan," a report on Mary Jo's last research project for Exxon, in 109 Leonard Hall. A reception will follow in the Leonard Hall Lobby-Museum.

Mary Jo Klosterman graduated with a B.S. in Geology in 1978. She was one of 57 who were killed in a plane crash in North Carolina in 1994 while on a teaching mission for Exxon. The Lecture Series is being funded by an annual donation from another former student, with matching funds from Exxon.

All interested persons are welcome to attend. -- John Reid, Professor of Geology and Geological Engineering.

Colloquium To Discuss Classroom Environment

Topics in Counseling and Counseling Psychology Research and Practice Colloquium from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 8, in 316 Montgomery Hall, will be "Classroom Environment: A Validation of the College and University Classroom Environment Inventory," by Marque Randall. -- Linda Winter, Coordinator, Topics in Counseling and Counseling Psychology Research and Practice.

Seminar Will Discuss Protein Export

Ann Flower (Microbiology and Immunology) will present a seminar, "Protein Export in Escherichia coli" at noon Friday, Nov. 8, in 141 Starcher Hall. Everyone is welcome. -- Colin Hughes (Biology), Seminar Coordinator.

Student Affairs DETTC Committee Sets Meeting

The Student Affairs Committee of the Distance Education Through Telecommunications Council will meet Tuesday, Nov. 12, from 3 to 4 p.m. in the

Edna Twamley Room on the fourth floor of Twamley Hall. -- Mark Thompson
(Career Services), Chair, Student Affairs Committee of the Distance Education
Through Telecommunications Council.

Teaching With Writing Group Sets Meeting

The final fall semester meeting of the Teaching with Writing Discussion Group will be held Wednesday, Nov. 13. The topic for the meeting will be "Practical Pedagogy: Ideas for Effective Teaching with Writing." For more information or to sign up to attend, please call the WAC office at 7-3600 or respond by e-mail to hawthorn@badlands.nodak.edu. -- Joan Hawthorne, Writing Across The Curriculum Coordinator.

History To Present Brown Bag Session

The History Department and Phi Alpha Theta will present a brown-bag lunch session Wednesday, Nov. 13. Edmund Clingan (History) will present "Mad Cows and Englishmen: Five Years Since Maastricht," at noon in 217 Merrifield Hall. Bring your lunch. There will be a question and discussion period following the presentation, which is open to all. For more information please contact me at 7-3380. -- David Rowley, Associate Professor of History.

Request To Terminate B.S. In Airway Sciences Will Be Heard

The University Curriculum Committee will meet Thursday, Nov. 14, at 3 p.m. in 303 Twamley Hall to review the request from the Center for Aerospace Sciences to terminate the B.S. in Airway Sciences degree and associate majors in Aviation Maintenance Management and Electronic Systems. Anyone interested in the proposal is invited to attend. -- Mary Bergstrom (Admissions and Records), Secretary, University Curriculum Committee.

CDC Will Sponsor Medical Broadcast

"Recognition and Management of Drug-Resistant Streptococcus Pneumoniae (DRSP): Challenges Facing the Health Care System," will be broadcast Thursday, Nov. 14, from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. and 8 to 9 p.m., in the Reed T. Keller Auditorium, Room 1350, at the School of Medicine and Health Sciences. This program is provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the Dannemiller Memorial Educational Foundation. The program is a live, interactive CME/CE accredited satellite videoconference for health care professionals.

For additional information, please contact me at the Division of Biomedical Communications at 7-3206. -- Linda Yanish, Medstar Health Education Network, Biomedical Communications.

Counseling Will Hold Colloquium

The Department of Counseling Topics in Counseling and Counseling Psychology Research and Practice Colloquium will present "Lesbian Women's Strategies for Coming Out to Health Care Providers," by Sally Kennedy (Counseling), from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 15, in 316 Montgomery Hall. -- Linda Winter, Coordinator, Topics in Counseling and Counseling Psychology Research and Practice.

Math Colloquium Will Consider Algebraic Groups

Karen Britt (graduate student in Mathematics) will present her research on "The Twisted Product of Groups" at the Mathematics Department Colloquium Friday, Nov. 15, at 3:30 p.m. in 309 Witmer Hall. This talk will discuss generalizations of the direct and semi-direct products of algebraic groups. Refreshments will be served in the Mathematics Department Lounge (325 Witmer Hall) at 3 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend. -- Bruce Dearden, Associate Professor of Mathematics.

Nursing Mini-Series Schedule Listed

The following is the fall schedule of brown bag seminars to be held from noon to 1 p.m. in Room 201, College of Nursing Building. On Friday, Nov. 15, Carl Fox (Research and Program Development) will present "Grant Finding and Grant Writing." On Wednesday, Dec. 4, Loretta Heuer, Helene Kahlstorf and LaVonne Russell will present "An Educational and Cultural Program: Nursing and Health Care in Russia/USA." -- Ollie Larson, Associate Professor of Family and Community Nursing.

Reception Will Honor Jean Altepeter

The office of Budget and Grants Administration invites the University community to a reception in honor of Jean Altepeter Friday, Nov. 15, from 2 to 3:30 p.m. in the Edna Twamley Room (404 Twamley Hall). Jean has worked as a Grants and Contracts officer in Budget and Grants for seven years and has been with the University since 1982. She has accepted a new position as business manager at the Human Nutrition Research Center. Please join us in wishing Jean success in her new position. -- Alice Brekke, Director of Budget and Grants Administration.

Seminar Will Consider Myocardial Repair

A seminar, "A Cellular Approach to Myocardial Repair," will be held at noon Monday, Nov. 18, in the Frank Low Conference Room, B710 Medical Science Building. Mark Soonpaa, assistant scientist, Krannert Institute of Cardiology, University of Indiana in Indianapolis, will present the lecture, which is sponsored by the Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology. -- John Oberpriller (Anatomy and Cell Biology), Fall Seminar Series Coordinator.

Psychology Will Hold Colloquium

Andrea Zevenbergen (Psychology) will present "Narrative Development in Socioeconomically Disadvantaged Preschoolers," Monday, Nov. 18, at noon in Room 210, College of Nursing. Everyone is welcome. -- Joan Peterson, Psychology.

Reception To Honor New Campus Ministry Director

The campus community is invited to a reception to greet Frank Hutton, new director of United Campus Ministry, and to see the ministry's new facilities at 314 Cambridge St. The event will be held Tuesday, Nov. 19, from 4 to 5 p.m. in Room 201. -- Jim Antes, Professor of Psychology and Peace Studies.

Parenting Series To Include Community Meeting

The Division of Continuing Education will host a two-day parenting series Thursday and Friday, Nov. 21 and 22.

The first day involves a community meeting, "Raising Careful, Confident Kids in a Crazy World." Free and open to the public, the meeting will be held from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the Chester Fritz Auditorium. The meeting will address how to teach caution without fear, how to empower kids with healthy accurate information, and other topics to equip adults with the skills to raise kids safely today.

The Friday workshop, "A Circle of Safety Around Our Children," will be held at the Ramada Inn in Grand Forks from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The prevention skills workshop will include practical advice for professionals and will teach adults to help children avoid abduction, molestations, and other forms of victimization. Teachers, school guidance staff, principals, and physicians are encouraged to attend.

The presenter for both days will be Paula Statman, the award-winning author of "On the Safe Side: Teach Your Child to be Safe, Strong, and Street-Smart." She is the founder of KidWISE Institute, an institute dedicated to train a new generation of parents and concerned professionals to teach personal safety with comfort and skill.

The Thursday event is free and open to the public. The registration fee for Friday is \$65 and will include instruction during the Friday workshop, handout materials, CEUs and refreshments. To register by telephone, or for more information, call 7-2663.

-- Dawn Botsford, Program Coordinator, Division of Continuing Education.

IRB Set To Meet Dec. 6

The Institutional Review Board will meet at 4 p.m. Friday, Dec. 6, in 305 Twamley Hall, to consider all research proposals submitted to the Office of Research and Program Development before Tuesday, Nov. 26. Proposals received later will be considered only if a quorum has reviewed them and time permits.

Clinical medical projects must be reviewed by the Clinical Medical Subcom-

mittee before being brought to the full Board. Proposals for these projects are due in the Office of Research and Program Development Tuesday, Nov. 19.

Notes from the meeting will be available in ORPD approximately one week after the meeting.-- F. R. Ferraro (Psychology), Chair, Institutional Review Board.

OF ACADEMIC INTEREST

Update Files For Faculty Award Process

In preparation for the annual faculty award process, full-time faculty may wish to make sure that their personnel files are up to date. The file should contain a current resume, the most recent October supplement, a list of courses taught for the three most recent semesters, and, for graduate and professional faculty, the number of graduate student advisees. Faculty should be prepared to provide student evaluations for the past three years. -- Dan Rice, Director, Office of Instructional Development.

Guidelines Listed For Writing-Intensive Courses

Guidelines for Writing-Intensive (W) Courses to fulfill the third part of the General Education Communications Requirement follow.

Writing-Intensive (W) courses are courses in any discipline and at any level that make writing a central part of the learning process. Compared to other courses which include writing, writing-intensive courses will generally involve:

- * significantly more writing
- * more attention to writing on the part of the instructor
- * more opportunities for students to work on their writing in conjunction with their normal course work.

Amount of Writing

Students in W courses are expected to write on a regular basis, producing a minimum of 10 typed, double-spaced pages (about 3,000 words) per credit hour. This writing may include both drafts and revisions, informal and formal, graded and upgraded work. A significant portion (about five pages per credit) should be finished, polished prose.

Instructional Strategies

Writing-intensive courses include instruction or guidance in clear written expression, through activities that promote student learning and encourage critical thinking. Examples of such activities include informal in-class writing, response journals, graduated or sequenced assignments, individual conferencing, peer response sessions, discussion of sample papers, and opportunities to revise.

Syllabus Documentation

To ensure that students are aware of the special requirements of W courses, the syllabus and course documentation should specify:

- * why writing is central to the course
- * how much writing will be required
- * how this writing will be used in assessing the course grade

Recommendations and Procedures

1. Because writing-intensive courses are also response- or grading-intensive, the optimum size for such classes is 25 students or fewer.
2. Both instructors and students are encouraged to use the resources of the University Writing Program to support their work in writing-intensive courses.
3. Instructors proposing a course for W status should provide a copy of the syllabus along with a cover sheet that explains how the course falls within the guidelines listed above. Proposals should be sent to me. -- Mary Bergstrom (Admissions and Records), Secretary, General Education Requirements Committee, Box 8357.

Research Grants Available For Undergrads

ND EPSCoR (Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research) sponsors Research Experiences for Undergraduates (REU), which is modeled after the National Science Foundation REU. REU activities give undergraduates an opportunity to experience academic research firsthand and to learn about graduate school. The REU Program establishes undergraduates as full-fledged members of their respective research groups and grooms them for eventual careers in science, engineering and mathematics.

REU participants spend eight to 10 weeks conducting research during the summer months under the mentorship of North Dakota State University or the University of North Dakota faculty. Students can earn up to \$2,500. Funds are available for up to 10 awards on each research campus. Students can compete for these awards by completing application forms by Monday, Nov. 25. Forms are available from ND EPSCoR in 512 Medical Science North. -- David Givers, ND EPSCoR Director, North Dakota State University.

Learning Services Will Offer Reading Program

The University Learning Center will offer two sections of a reading enhancement course for the spring semester. The course, titled "Rapid Reading Program," will be S/U graded, for one credit. Section one meets Tuesdays, noon to 1 p.m., 201K Memorial Union, call no. 68292; and section two meets Thursdays from noon to 1 p.m., 201K Memorial Union, call no. 68306. For more information, contact the University Learning Center at 7-4406. The following is a brief course description:

"In this course, students will develop reading skills that will enable them to read more efficiently and effectively across the college curriculum. Students will practice these skills during class time through reading exercises and drills. Outside of the class, students will be required to enhance their vocabulary by using a college level computerized tutorial available in the University Learning Center." -- Andy Freeman, Learning Specialist, University Learning Center.

Spring Registration Begins Nov. 12

Registration for the 1997 Spring term begins Tuesday, Nov. 12. Students will register and drop/add using the touchtone telephone system from Nov. 12 through Jan. 14. Students who have proper signatures for registration actions not permitted by the ALFI Touchtone Telephone System may add these courses at the Office of Admissions and Records during normal office hours starting Wednesday, Nov. 13. Students may register on or after appointment times as printed on their registration forms. -- Veriena Garver, Admissions and Records.

Doctoral Exam Set For Four Candidates

The final examination for Hassaan Alkhatib, a candidate for the Ph.D. degree with a major in Physics, is set for 2 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 7, in 215 Witmer Hall. The dissertation title is "Environmental Radon Decay Products in Neurological Diseased and Non Diseased Brains, and Brains of Cigarette Smokers." Glenn Lykken (Physics) is the committee chair.

The final examination for Kyle Muus, a candidate for the Ph.D. degree with a major in Teaching and Learning, is set for 1 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 12, in 308 Education Building. The dissertation title is "Measurement and Prediction Issues Regarding Job Satisfaction Among Rural Physician Assistants." John Williams (Educational Foundations and Research) is the committee chair.

The final examination for Angela F. Koppang, a candidate for the Ph.D. degree with a major in Educational Administration, is set for 3 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 19, in 208 Education Building. The dissertation title is "Transformational and Transactional Leadership Behaviors of Administrators of Performing and Visual Arts Schools." John Backes (Educational Leadership) is the committee chair.

The final examination for Roger W. Sayre, a candidate for the Ph.D. degree with a major in Biology, is set for 11 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 20, in 103 Starcher Hall. The oral examination will be preceded by a seminar at 9 a.m. in 225 Starcher Hall. The dissertation title is "Ecology of Bighorn Sheep in Relation to Habitat and Oil Development in the Little Missouri Badlands." Robert Seabloom (Biology) is the committee chair.

Members of the Graduate Faculty are invited to attend. -- Harvey Knull, Dean, Graduate School.

Honors Thesis Packets Available At Bookstore

All departments should note that students who wish to complete Senior Honors theses must purchase thesis packets at the Bookstore. The thesis forms will no longer be available at the Honors House. These packets contain updated forms and guidelines for applying for and completing the thesis project. Since the forms contain important changes, the Honors program will only accept the NEW forms. Call me at 7-2219 if you have questions. -- Tami Carmichael, Honors Program.

BILLBOARD

Prairie, Badlands Will Be Down Monday

The Prairie and Badlands computer servers will be off line for maintenance part of Monday, Nov. 11. Prairie will be down from approximately 8 a.m. to noon, for a minor operating system upgrade and installation of an additional ethernet card.

Badlands will also be down from approximately 8 a.m. to noon. IBM will be on-site to upgrade each of Badlands' four PowerPC 601 processors to the newer PowerPC 604.

The down-time will affect people that log into the systems, as well as SLIP users (SLIP authentication will fail while the machine you use to authenticate is down). In addition, people that use POP mail clients (e.g. Eudora, Netscape Navigator) to access a mailbox on Prairie or Badlands will not be able to access their e-mail or send e-mail while the machines are down. -- Doris Bornhoeft, User Services Consultant, Computer Center.

Supervisors Invited To Student Employment Workshop

Student employment supervisors are invited to participate in a general information session for federal work study and institutional employment, sponsored by the Student Financial Aid Office and Job Service North Dakota. Two sessions are scheduled: Thursday, Nov. 21, 9 to 11 a.m., and 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Both sessions will be held in 16-18 Swanson Hall. The agenda will include such topics as hiring and supervision of students, minimum wage, availability of funding and completion of forms.

For more information, call Dorothy at 7-4411. -- Barry Bailen, Federal Work Study Coordinator.

Computer Center Offers Training

The following computer technology and software sessions will be offered over IVN. We've added a session on Thursday, Dec. 5, to discuss SLIP. All sessions will be held from 11 to 11:50 a.m. in 130 Gamble Hall. Please contact me at 7-3062 if you plan to attend.

Thursday, Nov. 14, Claris HomePage. Claris HomePage is a low cost HTML (HyperText Markup Language) editor for both the Windows and Mac platforms. Learn some of the features that make this software easy to use, yet powerful.

Thursday, Dec. 5, SLIP. We will conduct a demonstration of installing and operating SLIP, how it works, and what future changes to expect.

-- Marlys Hanson, Information Technology Support Specialist, Computer Center.

Nov. 11 Is Holiday

In accordance with State Board of Higher Education directives, Monday, Nov. 11, will be observed as Veterans Day by faculty and staff members of the University. Only those employees designated by their department heads will be required to work on this holiday. -- Marlene Strathe, Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost, and Fred MacGregor, Director of Personnel Services.

Chester Fritz Library:

The Chester Fritz Library hours of operation for Veterans Day weekend are: Saturday, Nov. 9, 1 to 5 p.m.; Sunday, Nov. 10, 1 p.m. to midnight; Monday, Nov. 11 (Veterans Day), 1 p.m. to midnight; Tuesday, Nov. 12, resume regular hours. -- Patricia Berntsen, Assistant Director, Chester Fritz Library.

Health Sciences Library:

Hours for the Library of the Health Sciences during the Veterans Day and Thanksgiving holidays are:

Veterans Day: Saturday, Nov. 9, 1 to 5 p.m.; Sunday, Nov. 10, 1 to 5 p.m.; Monday, Nov. 11, 8 a.m. to 11 p.m.

Thanksgiving: Wednesday, Nov. 27, 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Thursday, Nov. 28, closed; Friday, Nov. 29, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday, Nov. 30, 1 to 5 p.m.; Sunday, Dec. 1, 1 to 11 p.m.

-- Judy Rieke, Assistant Director, Library of the Health Sciences.

Law Library:

The Thormodsgard Law Library hours for the Veterans Day weekend are: Saturday, Nov. 9, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sunday, Nov. 10, 10 a.m. to 11 p.m.; Monday, Nov. 11, 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. -- Rhonda Schwartz, Assistant Director and Head of Public Services, Thormodsgard Law Library.

Computer Center:

The Computer Center will close for the Veterans Day holiday at midnight Sunday, Nov. 10, and will reopen at midnight Monday, Nov. 11. -- Nadine Kotowicz, Operations Manager, Computer Center.

Memorial Union:

The Memorial Union will be open Veterans Day with limited services available as listed below.

Friday, Nov. 8: Building Hours, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Lifetime Sports Center, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Info Center, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Service Center, 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Copy Stop, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Burger King, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Bookstore, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Administrative Office, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Craft Center/Sign and Design Studio, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Dining Center, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Barber Shop, 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; Centennial Dining Room, 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.; Espresso Bar, 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.; Corner Deli, 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.; University Learning Center, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Union Station, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Passport IDs, 8 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.; Computer Learning Lab, 8 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.

Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 9 and 10: Building Hours, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Lifetime Sports Center, Info Center and Service Center, noon to 5 p.m.; Burger King, noon to 5:30 p.m.; Computer Learning Lab, noon to 5:45 p.m.; all other areas are closed.

Monday, Nov. 11 (Veterans Day): Building Hours, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Lifetime Sports Center, Info Center and Service Center, noon to 5 p.m.; Copy Stop, 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.; Burger King, noon to 5:30 p.m.; Barber Shop, 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; Computer Learning Lab, noon to 5:45 p.m.; all other areas are closed.

Free Defensive Driving Course Offered
See Attachment

A free Defensive Driving Course for UND employees and a member of their family will be held at the Chester Fritz Auditorium, lower rehearsal room, Thursday, Nov. 21, from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. It is open to all UND employees who are authorized to drive state vehicles. This course may reduce your North Dakota insurance premiums and could possibly take away points from your driving record. Please call the Safety Office to register at 7-3341. -- Norma Haley, Safety Office.

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Studio One Lists Guests

Polk County Deputy James Tadman, his canine partner Neiko, and Dr. Richard Schultz, assistant professor in the School of Engineering and Mines, are the featured guests on UND's Studio One on Channel 3 on Friday, Nov. 8, at 7 a.m. live and repeated during the day.

Tadman will talk about the training that goes into an officer/canine relationship, show footage of the K9 apprehending a subject, and discuss the sniffing out of narcotics. Tadman will also touch on how to train a K9 for this kind of police work and the benefits of having a K9 unit, especially in heavily populated areas.

The second guest on the show will be Schultz, a 1990 UND graduate who went on to obtain his master's and doctoral degrees from Notre Dame and has now returned to UND. His area of expertise is in video enhancement, much resembling what was done in the film "Forrest Gump."

Other topics on the show will include features on women in rock-and-roll, athletes and HIV, and CO2 poisoning. Watch Studio One live on Friday mornings at 7 a.m. or at its rebroadcast times: noon and 1 p.m. Friday, Saturdays at 10 a.m. and noon, or Mondays through Wednesdays at 7 p.m. on UND Channel 3. Studio One also airs at the Grand Forks Air Force Base, in Fargo, Bismarck-Mandan, Minot,

Crookston, and Minneapolis. -- Vickie Klug, Studio One.

Free Musiktanz Demonstrations Offered

The Music Department is sponsoring two free demonstrations to introduce the Musiktanz Program to interested families. Musiktanz is a curriculum developed by Dr. Lorna Lutz Heyge, an internationally recognized author and early childhood music educator. She is the founder of Kindermusik and co-author of the early childhood curriculum, Kindermusik for the Young Child. Musiktanz is based on the English edition from her latest work, "A Cycle of Seasons." In the Musiktanz program the teacher acts as a role model to assist the parents/care givers in working musically with their children. The parents/care givers attend the children's lessons and participate with them in classes which are comprised of a variety of developmentally appropriate musical activities involving singing, moving, playing, creating, and listening.

The instructors for the free Music Department demonstrations will be Wendy Ensz and MaryJane Kurpius-Brock, who are presently teaching these pre-school music classes at UND. The demonstrations will be held at Scott's Music Store in the Columbia Mall on Saturday, Nov. 9, and Saturday, Dec. 7, for anyone who is interested in learning about the Musiktanz approach to pre-school music education. Any parents/caregivers who with their children would like to be participants in the demonstration should contact Wendy Ensz at 780-9686 or the Music Department at 7-2644 to sign up. The schedule will be as follows: Level II (ages 3 to 5 1/2 years) 3:45 to 4:15 p.m. and Level I (ages 18 months to 3 1/2 years) 4:30 to 5 p.m. Please arrive a few minutes before your session begins. Observers are welcome and do not need to call in advance.

The Music Department offers Musiktanz classes taught by Wendy Ensz and MaryJane Kurpius-Brock on Saturday mornings during the academic year. The cost per semester is \$60 for Level I and \$75 for Level II. For registration information please call the Music Office at 7-2644. -- Barbara Lewis, Associate Professor of Music.

Women's Center Lists Programs

Upcoming programs for the Women's Center, 305 Hamline St., follow. All programs begin at noon; feel free to bring your lunch. Please note that Monday and Thursday events are for women only.

On Monday, Nov. 11, there will be no program due to the Veterans Day holiday.

The Wednesday, Nov. 13, Feast and Focus program is "Negotiating Relationships: The Road to Romance." Intimate relationships require a lot of maintenance and upkeep once you're beyond the getting acquainted stage. Learning to trust someone physically and emotionally requires time, patience, caring, and mutual respect, but it's a process that's key to the growth and health of any relationship. Join us for this discussion on how to nurture and strengthen your relationship with that special someone.

The Thursday, Nov. 14, For Women Only program is "Sexual Communication." The majority of citizens in our country consider themselves unable or unwilling to talk frankly, openly, and honestly about sex with their partners. In an age where the media overwhelms us with a barrage of sexual innuendoes, titillation, and jokes we are left without the knowledge or permission to talk about sexual subjects in a healthy, assertive way. This discussion will focus on ways that we can ask for something we need, to explain something sexual to someone, or to refuse an undesired partner. -- Donna Oltmanns, Coordinator, Women's Center.

Theology Series Will Discuss Technology, Community

A Theology For Lunch program will be held Tuesdays at noon at Christus Rex Lutheran Center, 3112 University Ave. The theme will be "Technology: Does it Evoke or Revoke Community?" On Tuesday, Nov. 12, Thomas O'Neil (Computer Science), will tell us about his interest in preserving traditional music, dance, and the effects of high technology on our cultural heritage. Join us for hot homemade soup at the program, which is presented by Campus Ministry Association. -- Tim Megorden, Pastor, Christus Rex Lutheran Center.

International Centre Lists Events

The Thursday, Nov. 14, program at 7 p.m. at the International Centre, 2908 University Ave., will be "Celebrating American Indian Culture." Join us as American Indian students, staff, and faculty tell their stories. American Indian tacos will be provided. -- Sharon Rezac Andersen, Director, International Centre.

"Minnekanos" Will Tell Mexican American History

The Multicultural Awareness Committee, a standing committee of the Student Government, will sponsor an acclaimed Chicano touring production, "Minnekanos," at UND. The performance, which will be performed by the Mixed Blood Theatre of Minneapolis, spans four generations and the entire 20th century in its spirited illumination of Mexican American history. This program, brimming with energetic corridos (story-songs), a refreshing optimism, and more than a little humor, is a buoyant celebration of the accomplishments, character, and aspirations of Latinos in Minnesota and across the country.

All faculty, staff, students and community members are invited. The program will be held Wednesday, Nov. 20, at 6:30 p.m. at the Lecture Bowl, Memorial Union. There is no admission charge. Please call 7-4379 for more information. -- Ben Subedi (Coordinator of Student Organizations) for Multicultural Awareness Committee.

Craft Center Announces Gingerbread Workshops

The ever popular annual "Gingerbread" House workshops are scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 23, or Sunday, Dec. 8, from 2 to 4 p.m. at the University Craft Center. Cost is \$5 per kit, which builds one house using graham crackers, milk cartons, frosting, and candies. Adults are invited to bring a child to build these together. Please call the Craft Center at 7-3979 to register and indicate which day and how many kits you would like. -- Bonnie Solberg, Craft Center Coordinator.

Applications Accepted For Holiday Craft Show

Applications are now being accepted for exhibitors in the 18th Annual Holiday Craft Show and Sale, Friday, Dec. 6, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Memorial Union Ballroom. It is sponsored by the University Craft Center and the Memorial Union. Original hand-crafted work is eligible. Students are encouraged to participate. For an application form and further information, please call 7-3979. -- Bonnie Solberg, Craft Center Coordinator.

FYI

Plant Services Acknowledges Assistance From Beta Alpha Psi

We would like to thank the Beta Alpha Psi organization for cleaning the Homecoming parade route on Oct. 12. This volunteer effort was very much appreciated by our department and the campus community. -- Paul Clark, Associate Director of Plant Services.

Items For Sale Through Public Bids

The University is offering to the public for sale on a sealed, high-bid basis the following items: older computer equipment, gas and electric stoves, refrigerators and several other miscellaneous items. These may be seen at the Central Receiving warehouse on the southwest corner of the campus. Because of the Veterans Day holiday, bids will be taken Tuesday, Nov. 12, through Friday, Nov. 15, between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. ONLY. -- Lee Sundby, Central Receiving.

Denim Day Applications Available

Application forms for charities seeking Denim Day funding are now available at: Info Center, Memorial Union; Academic Affairs, 302 Twamley Hall; CAS, Scientific Computing Center, 250 Clifford Hall; and the Medical School, 1101, Medical Science Building; or by calling DaLonna Bjorge (Student Affairs), 7-2892. The deadline for applying is Friday, Dec. 6. Following the deadline, applications will be reviewed and charity selections will be made by the end of December for the following year's funds. Since the UND community represents a wide variety of beliefs and convictions, we cannot entertain requests from political, religious or pro-life/reproductive rights organizations. Help support your favorite charity by picking up an application now!--Terry Aubol (Academic Affairs), Charity Selection Committee.

"Green And White" Day Announced

President Baker has approved the following date as a "Green and White" day,

when employees may wear UND colors and jeans. The date for November is Friday, Nov. 15, with Hockey, St. Cloud State University; Women's Basketball, University of Winnipeg; and Men's Basketball, University of Regina. -- Jan Orvik, Editor, University Letter.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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(Please contact Mavis at the Office of University Relations, Box 7144, or call 777-4304, if you wish to make changes or have an event included.)

Wed., Nov. 6 -- COUNTRY SERIES, "Nitty Gritty Dirt Band/Ronna Reeves," a band that has been together for 28 years, they are not only one of the longest loved American bands, but among the best loved and most respected, Chester Fritz Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.

Wed., Nov. 6 -- LECTURE, Tim Wise, Affirmative Action, Lecture Bowl, Memorial Union, 8 p.m., sponsored by University Program Council.

Wed., Nov. 6 -- VOLLEYBALL, UND vs. Bemidji State University, Hyslop Sports Center, 7 p.m.

Thurs., Nov. 7 -- MEETING, University Senate, Room 7, Gamble Hall, 4:05 p.m.

Thurs., Nov. 7 -- MEETING, Underrepresented Student Recruitment Committee, 305 Twamley Hall, 9 to 10 a.m.

Thurs., Nov. 7 -- DOCTORAL EXAMINATION for Hassaan Alkhatib, a candidate for the Ph.D. degree with a major in Physics, 215 Witmer Hall, 2 p.m.; members of the Graduate Faculty are invited to attend.

Thurs., Nov. 7 -- ALL-CAMPUS INFORMATIONAL MEETING on the Women Studies Program at UND, River Valley Room, Memorial Union, noon to 1:30 p.m.; we are in the process of revising requirements for the minor, rethinking the introductory course, and thinking about a graduate minor; faculty are invited to share in this process; call Sandra Donaldson at 777-4115 for more information.

Thurs., Nov. 7 -- COMPUTER SCIENCE COLLOQUIUM, "Performance Evaluation of Resource Scheduling Strategies in Asynchronous Transfer Mode [ATM] Networks" presented by Elsa Valeroso, a new faculty member in the Department of Computer Science, 106 CAS II, 4 p.m.

Thurs., Nov. 7 -- EXPLORING WORLD ECONOMICS, an interactive forum involving UND Economics professors and international students, International Centre, 2908 University Ave., 7 p.m.

Thurs., Nov. 7 -- INSTRUCTIONAL DEVELOPMENT BROWN BAG SERIES "On Teaching," the topic will be "The Current State of Assessment of Student Learning," Jim Larson (Sociology), Arnie Johnson (Engineering), and Dean Schieve (Institutional Analysis) will report on findings from the Summer AAHE Assessment Forum, Memorial Room, Memorial Union, 12:05 p.m.; call the Office of Instructional Development at 777-3325 by noon Monday, Nov. 4, to reserve a complimentary box lunch.

Thurs., Nov. 7 -- WOMEN'S CENTER PROGRAM, "Sexual Rights and Fantasies," discussion will center around determining the sexual rights we want to have in our lives; we will learn to refuse things that we do not want sexually and to ask for the things that we do want, Women's Center, 305 Hamline St., noon to 1 p.m.; program restricted to women only.

Fri., Nov. 8 -- MULTI-STATE PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY EXAMINATION (MPRE), Ballroom, Memorial Union, 12:30 p.m.

Fri., Nov. 8 -- SEMINAR, "Protein Export in Escherichia coli," presented by Ann Flower (Microbiology and Immunology), 141 Starcher Hall, noon; everyone is welcome.

Fri., Nov. 8 -- COLLOQUIUM, "Classroom Environment: A Validation of the College and University Classroom Environment Inventory" by Marque Randall, 316 Montgomery Hall, 3 to 4:30 p.m.; presented by Topics in Counseling and Counseling Psychology Research and Practice.

Fri., Nov. 8 -- INAUGURAL LECTURE of the Mary Jo Klosterman Lecture Series by Dr. Michael Abrams, Exxon, Houston, "Tribute to Mary Jo," (discussion of her life with slides from some of her trips), Leonard Hall Lecture Bowl, noon; at 3 p.m. in Room 109, Leonard Hall, Dr. Abrahms will speak on "Hydrocarbon System of the Evlak-Agdzhabedi Depression, Azerbaijan," a report on

Klosterman's last research project for Exxon; Klosterman graduated with a B.S. in Geology in 1978 and was killed in a plane crash in North Carolina in 1994 while on a teaching mission for Exxon.

Fri., Nov. 8 -- MUSICAL THEATRE, "Jesus Christ Superstar," music by Andrew Lloyd Webber, lyrics by Tim Rice, starring from the Original Motion Picture is Ted Neeley as Jesus, Chester Fritz Auditorium, 7:30 p.m. (call 772-5151 for ticket information).

Fri., Nov. 8 -- VOLLEYBALL, UND vs. Augustana College, Hyslop Sports Center, 7 p.m.

Fri. and Sat., Nov. 8-9 -- HOCKEY, UND at University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

Sat., Nov. 9 -- PRAXIS SERIES (Specialty Areas), Room 114, Witmer Hall, 7:30 a.m.

Sat., Nov. 9 -- PRAXIS SERIES (PPST), Room 116, Witmer Hall, 7:30 a.m.

Sat., Nov. 9 -- FREE MUSIKTANZ DEMONSTRATION, Scott's Music Store, Columbia Mall, for anyone who is interested in learning about the Musiktanz approach to pre-school music education; instructors will be Wendy Ensz and MaryJane Kurpius-Brock, who are presently teaching these pre-school music classes at UND; call Wendy at 780-9686 or the Music Department at 777-2644 for more information.

Sat., Nov. 9 -- CROSS COUNTRY, MEN'S AND WOMEN'S, North Central Conference Championships, Central Regional Championships, Omaha, Neb.

Sat., Nov. 9 -- UND-NDSU FOOTBALL PRE-GAME PARTY, UND alumni to host pre-game party at 4 p.m. at the Fargo Holiday Inn; contact the Alumni Association at 777-2611 for reservations.

Sat., Nov. 9 -- FOOTBALL, UND at North Dakota State University, Fargo, N.D., 7 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 9 -- VOLLEYBALL, UND vs. South Dakota State University, Hyslop Sports Center, 3 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 9 -- WRESTLING, UND at South Dakota State University Open, Brookings, S.D.

Sun., Nov. 10 -- GARRISON KEILLOR, Chester Fritz Auditorium, time to be announced.

Mon., Nov. 11 -- HOLIDAY, VETERANS DAY.

Mon., Nov. 11 -- SERVERS DOWN, Prairie and Badlands computer servers will be off line for maintenance from approximately 8 a.m. to noon.

Tues., Nov. 12 -- DOCTORAL EXAMINATION for Kyle Muus, a candidate for the Ph.D. degree with a major in Teaching and Learning, 308 Education Building, 1 p.m.; members of the Graduate Faculty are invited to attend.

Tues., Nov. 12 -- MEETING, Student Affairs Committee of the Distance Education Through Telecommunications Council, Edna Twamley Room, fourth floor, Twamley Hall, 3 to 4 p.m.

Tues., Nov. 12 -- THEOLOGY FOR LUNCH, "Technology: Does it Evoke or Revoke Community?"; Thomas O'Neil (Computer Science) will tell about his interest in preserving traditional music, dance, and the effects of high technology on our cultural heritage, Christus Rex Lutheran Campus Center, 3112 University Ave., noon; join us for hot homemade soup at the program, which is presented by Campus Ministry Association.

Tues., Nov. 12 -- COFFEEHOUSE, Peter Mayer, Ballroom, Memorial Union, 8 p.m., sponsored by University Program Council.

Wed., Nov. 13 -- FACULTY SOFTWARE WORKSHOP, "PowerPoint I," Room 8, Sayre Hall, 9 a.m. to noon; call Lynn at 777-4150 to register.

Wed., Nov. 13 -- HISTORY DEPARTMENT/PHI ALPHA THETA BROWN BAG LUNCH SESSION, 217 Merrifield Hall, noon; Edmund Clingan (History) will present "Mad Cows and Englishmen: Five Years Since Maastricht"; call 777-3380 for more information.

Wed., Nov. 13 -- MEETING, Teaching with Writing Discussion Group, topic will be "Practical Pedagogy: Ideas for Effective Teaching with Writing"; call the WAC office at 777-36000 to register.

Wed., Nov. 13 -- WOMEN'S CENTER PROGRAM, "Negotiating Relationships: The Road

to Romance," discussion on how to nurture and strengthen your relationship with that special someone, Women's Center, 305 Hamline St., noon to 1 p.m.; everyone is invited to attend.

Thurs., Nov. 14 -- FACULTY SOFTWARE WORKSHOP, "PowerPoint II," Room 8, Sayre Hall, 9 a.m. to noon; call Lynn at 777-4150 to register.

Thurs., Nov. 14 -- COMPUTER CENTER INTERACTIVE VIDEO NETWORK (IVN) SESSION, "Claris HomePage," 130 Gamble Hall, 11 to 11:50 a.m.; contact Marlys Hanson at 777-3062 three days prior to the session if you plan to attend.

Thurs., Nov. 14 -- INTERACTIVE VIDEO SEMINAR, "Creating Prime Time Comedy: The Simpsons," Lecture Bowl, Memorial Union, 7:30 p.m.; free and open to the public; sponsored by the Northern Interscholastic Press Association at the UND School of Communication.

Thurs., Nov. 14 -- CONFLICT RESOLUTION SKILLS: Problem Solving and Negotiation, seminar offered by the UND Conflict Resolution Center, Grand Forks Holiday Inn, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; call 777-3664 or e-mail to: udcrc@badlands.nodak.edu for more information; seminar designed to teach participants a problem-solving process useful in a variety of negotiation settings including interpersonal relationships.

Thurs., Nov. 14 -- INSTRUCTIONAL CLASS, "Special Databases. Tools of the Trade. HaPI and the Virginia Henderson Library," presented by Barb Knight, Library of the Health Sciences, School of Medicine and Health Sciences, 12:05 to 12:55 p.m.; bring your own lunch.

Thurs., Nov. 14 -- LIVE, INTERACTIVE VIDEOCONFERENCE, "Recognition and Management of Drug-Resistant Streptococcus Pneumoniae (DRSP): Challenges Facing the Health Care System," Reed T. Keller Auditorium, Room 1350, School of Medicine and Health Sciences, broadcast from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. and 8 to 9 p.m.; call Linda in Biomedical Communications at 777-3206 for more information.

Thurs., Nov. 14 -- MEETING, University Curriculum Committee, 303 Twamley Hall, 3 p.m. to review the request from the Center for Aerospace Sciences to terminate the B.S. in Airway Sciences degree and associate majors in Aviation Maintenance Management and Electronic Systems.

Thurs., Nov. 14 -- CELEBRATING AMERICAN INDIAN CULTURE involving American Indian students, staff and faculty telling their stories; American Indian tacos will be provided, International Centre, 2908 University Ave., 7 p.m.

Thurs., Nov. 14 -- CONCERT, Jazz Ensemble, Memorial Union, 7:30 p.m.

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Fri., Nov. 15 -- NURSING MINI-SERIES SEMINAR, Carl Fox (Research and Program Development) will present "Grant Finding and Grant Writing," Room 201, College of Nursing Building, noon to 1 p.m.

Fri., Nov. 15 -- MATH COLLOQUIUM, Karen Britt (graduate student in Mathematics) will present her research on "The Twisted Product of Groups," 309 Witmer Hall, 3:30 p.m.; talk will discuss generalizations of the direct and semi-direct products of algebraic groups; refreshments will be served in the Mathematics Department Lounge (325 Witmer Hall) at 3 p.m.; everyone is welcome to attend.

Fri., Nov. 15 -- PRAIRIE FESTIVAL, Greater Grand Forks Symphony Orchestra featuring guest artist Naomi Welsh, Chester Fritz Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.; embrace our prairie heritage with works by Max Bruch, Jean Sibelius, and former UND music professor Paul Karvonen; the orchestra will premiere a work written by Dr. Karvonen while he taught at UND in the mid 1940s; the Opening Gala Reception follows the concert at the North Dakota Museum of Art (Call 777-3359 for ticket information).

Fri., Nov. 15 -- COUNSELING TOPIC COLLOQUIUM, "Lesbian Women's Strategies for Coming Out to Health Care Providers," presented by Sally Kennedy (Counseling), 316 Montgomery Hall, 3 to 4:30 p.m.

Fri., Nov. 15 -- RECEPTION in honor of Jean Altepeter who has worked as a Grants and Contracts officer in Budget and Grants Administration for seven years and has been with the University since 1982; Jean has accepted a new position as business manager at the Human Nutrition Research Center, Edna Twamley Room (404 Twamley Hall), 2 to 3:30 p.m.

Fri., Nov. 15 -- GREEN AND WHITE DAY, President Baker has approved wearing

jeans and UND colors (hockey, St. Cloud State University; women's basketball, University of Winnipeg; and men's basketball, University of Regina).

Fri., Nov. 15 -- SWIMMING AND DIVING, UND at South Dakota State University Dual (men's and women's), Brookings, S.D.

Fri., Nov. 15 -- VOLLEYBALL, UND at University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, Colo., 7:30 p.m.

Fri. and Sat., Nov. 15-16 -- HOCKEY, UND vs. St. Cloud State University, Ralph Engelstad Arena, 7:35 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 16 -- FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICER EXAMINATION (FSO), Room 114, Witmer Hall, 8 a.m.

Sat., Nov. 16 -- CHILDREN/FAMILY SERIES, "Sleeping Beauty," from the celebration of the birth of a new princess to the moment when the evil curse comes true; from the magic of a 100 year sleep to the kiss of the prince that awakens love, this is a fantastical tale for the entire family, Chester Fritz Auditorium, 2 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 16 -- BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S, UND vs. University of Winnipeg, Hyslop Sports Center, 6:30 p.m. (Exhibition).

Sat., Nov. 16 -- FOOTBALL, UND at St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, Minn., 1 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 16 -- VOLLEYBALL, UND at University of Nebraska at Omaha, Omaha, Neb., 6 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 16 -- WRESTLING, UND at Fargo Open, Fargo, N.D.

Sun., Nov. 17 -- CONCERT, Allegro and Varsity Bards, Josephine Campbell Recital Hall, Hughes Fine Arts Center, 2 and 4 p.m.

Sun., Nov. 17, through Sun., Jan. 5 -- ART EXHIBITION, solo exhibition of new work by Uruguayan artist, Ignacio Iturria, who won the Venice Biennale international juries' acquisition prize, and one of South America's most important living painters, North Dakota Museum of Art; feature articles on Iturria in October 1996 Art & Antiques and November 1995 ARTnews.

Mon., Nov. 18 -- DOCTORAL EXAM for Marielle Risse, a candidate for the Ph.D. degree with a major in English, 21 Montgomery Hall, 2 p.m.; members of the Graduate Faculty are invited to attend.

Mon., Nov. 18 -- PSYCHOLOGY COLLOQUIUM, Andrea Zevenbergen (Psychology) will present "Narrative Development in Socioeconomically Disadvantaged Preschoolers," Room 210, College of Nursing, noon; everyone is welcome.

Mon., Nov. 18 -- SEMINAR, "A Cellular Approach to Myocardial Repair," presented by Mark Soonpaa, assistant scientist, Krannert Institute of Cardiology, University of Indiana in Indianapolis, Frank Low Conference Room, B710 Medical Science Building, noon; sponsored by the Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology.

Mon., Nov. 18 -- WOMEN'S CENTER PROGRAM, "Women and Attractiveness," session will focus on becoming aware of our feelings toward other women and our own self image; we will work to develop an awareness of any competitive and other conditioned attitudes in ourselves toward other women, Women's Center, 305 Hamline St., noon to 1 p.m.; program restricted to women only.

Tues., Nov. 19 -- DOCTORAL EXAMINATION for Angela F. Koppang, a candidate for the Ph.D. degree with a major in Educational Administration, 208 Education Building, 3 p.m.; members of the Graduate Faculty are invited to attend.

Tues., Nov. 19 -- INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW BOARD deadline for clinical proposals (require subcommittee and full board review).

Tues., Nov. 19 -- FACULTY SOFTWARE WORKSHOP, "CorelDraw," Room 8, Sayre Hall, 9 a.m. to noon; call Lynn at 777-4150 to register.

Tues., Nov. 19 -- RECEPTION to honor new Campus Ministry Director, Frank Hutton, and to see the new facilities at 314 Cambridge St., Room 201, 4 to 5 p.m.

Tues., Nov. 19 -- THEOLOGY FOR LUNCH, "Technology: Does it Evoke or Revoke Community?"; Rev. Jim DeSmidt, Mendenhall Presbyterian Church of East Grand Forks, will describe the effect of technology on communities of faith and on families, Christus Rex Lutheran Campus Center, 3112 University Ave., noon; join us for hot homemade soup.

Tues., Nov. 19 -- THEATRE SERIES, "Grease," rock 'n' roll rules once more when leather jacket boy meets bobby socks girl in one of Broadway's longest running musicals, Chester Fritz Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.

Tues., Nov. 19 -- SPOKEN WORD PERFORMANCE, Mohammed Bilal, Lecture Bowl, Memorial Union, 8 p.m., sponsored by University Program Council.

Wed., Nov. 20 -- DOCTORAL EXAMINATION for Roger W. Sayre, a candidate for the Ph.D. degree with a major in Biology, 103 Starcher Hall, 11 a.m.; the oral examination will be preceded by a seminar at 9 a.m. in 225 Starcher Hall; members of the Graduate Faculty are invited to attend.

Wed., Nov. 20 -- FACULTY SOFTWARE WORKSHOP, "PageMaker," Room 8, Sayre Hall, 9 a.m. to noon; call Lynn at 777-4150 to register.

Wed., Nov. 20 -- WOMEN'S CENTER PROGRAM, "Martha Stewart and Me," Is Martha pushing women back into the kitchen or have we lost an appreciation for the tasks of providing a comfortable surrounding for our family and friends?; Women's Center, 305 Hamline St., noon to 1 p.m.; everyone is invited to attend.

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Thurs., Nov. 21 -- LAST DAY TO FILE PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF THESIS OR DISSERTATION IN THE GRADUATE SCHOOL.

Thurs., Nov. 21 -- COLLEGE-LEVEL EXAMINATION PROGRAM (CLEP), Room 312, O'Kelly Hall, 8:30 a.m.

Thurs., Nov. 21 -- MEETING, Underrepresented Student Recruitment Committee, 305 Twamley Hall, 9 to 10 a.m.

Thurs., Nov. 21 -- FREE DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE for UND employees and a member of their family, lower rehearsal room, Chester Fritz Auditorium, 6:30 to 10:30 p.m.; open to all UND employees who are authorized to drive state vehicles; call the Safety Office at 777-3341 to register.

Thurs., Nov. 21 -- STUDENT EMPLOYMENT WORKSHOP for student employment supervisors, 16-18 Swanson Hall, 9 to 11 a.m. and 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.; agenda will include such topics as hiring and supervision of students, minimum wage, availability of funding and completion of forms; call Dorothy at 777-4411 for more information; sponsored by the Student Financial Aid Office and Job Service North Dakota.

Thurs., Nov. 21 -- CELEBRATING GEOGRAPHY AWARENESS WEEK with an interactive forum facilitated by Doug Munski, professor of Geography; international foods will highlight this event, International Centre, 2908 University Ave., 7 p.m.

Thurs., Nov. 21 -- WOMEN'S CENTER PROGRAM, "Sexual Etiquette: A Game of Manners," purpose of this game is to increase awareness and empathy for our sexual partners and to better understand why we are often at odds with each other when it comes to the topic of sex, Women's Center, 305 Hamline St., noon to 1 p.m.; program restricted to women only.

Thurs., Nov. 21 -- PARENTING SERIES opens with a community meeting, Chester Fritz Auditorium, 7 to 9 p.m.; award-winning author Paula Statman will present "Raising Careful, Confident Kids in a Crazy World," discussing how to encourage good judgment and responsible behavior in your children; call 777-2663 for more information.

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