

IUSB NEWSLETTER

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1. Degree Programs: IUSB has been empowered to grant degrees in French, mathematics, and speech and theatre. The new degree areas bring to 14 the number of Bachelor of Arts degrees available in the IUSB Department of Arts and Sciences.

2. Board of Trustees: J. Gus Liebenow, professor of political science at Indiana University and associate dean for research and advanced studies, was named acting vice-president and dean for academic affairs last Friday by the IU Board of Trustees.

His appointment followed a request by Joseph R. Hartley to be relieved of the vice-presidency in order to return to teaching and research in the IU School of Business.

A search and screening committee will be named to fill the office of the vice-president.

In other actions at their February meeting in Bloomington, the Trustees:

--Approved an increase in room and board rates, averaging about five per cent for all IU housing units, to become effective next fall; the increase was made necessary by increased operating costs.

--Approved the concept of an offer by the American Fletcher Corp. of Indianapolis to build a \$5 million, multi-purpose building, including an adjoining 600-car garage, for the IUPUI campus. The Trustees authorized the IU administration "to complete the necessary negotiations so that the final proposal can be reviewed by the IUPUI Board of Advisors at their March meeting and be presented to this Board for final action at the March meeting in Indianapolis." Carl Gray, a member of the Board of Trustees, told the board that the AFC proposal is "very much in compliance with the intent of the board's August resolution which authorized the university to lease land to outside interests who would be interested in investing in facilities needed by the University but for which the University might not have the necessary funds." The proposed building would provide ground-level space for service-type commercial shops; the four upper floors are designed for office facilities.

3. Pegora: Theatre IU at South Bend will open its annual children's play, Pegora the Witch, at 7:30 p.m. Friday in the IUSB theatre. Additional public performances are scheduled for 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, and again on March 11 and 12. Special performances for schoolchildren from South Bend Model Cities areas will be given at 12:45 p.m. on March 6, 8, and 10.

The IUSB Theatre Department collaborates with Kappa, Kappa, Kappa Sorority of South Bend in the annual children's production. Income is used for IUSB scholarships and local charities.

4. Sculpture Show: An exhibition of sculpture by Harold R. Langland, Fine Arts, will open Sunday at the South Bend Art Center, 121 N. Lafayette Blvd.

The Center is open from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday. Weekday hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m. Tuesdays through Fridays, and 9 to 5 Saturdays.

5. IU Credit Union Meeting: Harold W. Sherman, manager of the Indiana University Employees Federal Credit Union, will be on the IUSB campus next Wednesday (March 8) to make a presentation to all interested faculty and staff members.

The meeting will precede the Academic Senate meeting, running from 9 to 9:30 a.m. in N17. The services of the IU Credit Union, and the ways in which they are extended to regional campus employees, will be explained.

6. Chemistry Seminar Speakers: Two guest speakers are scheduled for Chemistry Seminar C302 talks next week. The lectures will be open to members of the university community as space allows.

On Tuesday, March 7, Dr. Keith R. Stamm, assistant professor of Journalism at IU-Bloomington, will discuss "Public Understanding of Science."

On Friday, March 10, Dr. William G. Kessel, professor of Chemistry at Indiana State University, will offer some answers to the question "Whither Chemical Education?"

7. Culloden: The IUSB History Department is sponsoring a showing of the film "Culloden," based on the final battle in the Scottish rebellion against the English in 1745, at 8:15 p.m. Monday, March 6, in N121. No admission charge.

8. Lecture on Zambia: Dr. James R. Hooker, professor of African History at Michigan State University (on leave), will speak on "The Zambian Search for a Socialist Society" at 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 7, in N20. The talk is sponsored by the IUSB Political Science Department.

Dr. Hooker has been teaching and writing on East Africa for more than a decade. He has served as a consultant to the House of

Representatives subcommittee on Africa, and is an associate editor of the African Studies Review. The author of Black Revolutionary, he is currently serving as a faculty associate of the American Universities Field Staff.

9. Language and Ecology: Heinz Engelbrecht, a mechanical engineer associated with Lurgi of Frankfurt, Germany, and a consultant in air pollution control to Wheelabrator-Frye, will discuss "Language and Ecology" at 7:15 p.m. Wednesday, March 8, in N18. He is one of the speakers in Student Government's "Language and Science Lecture Series."
10. Faculty Activities: Two IUSB faculty members have articles in the December/January issue of the Indiana Business Review. Dr. Thomas A. DeCoster, Economics, is the author of "Indiana Tax Topics." Dr. John E. Peck, Economics, is the author of "An Analysis of the Distribution of State Funds for Public Schools to Local Units of Government."

Dr. Richard L. Gottwald, Psychology, is co-author of a report on "Effects of focusing strategy on speeded classification with grouping, filtering, and condensation tasks" in the February edition of Perception and Psychophysics, Vol. 11, No. 2.

Matthew Zivich, Fine Arts, has had two recent acrylic paintings accepted for exhibition in the 1972 37th annual Tri-Kappa Regional Artists Exhibition at the Fort Wayne Museum of Art. The show will run from March 5 to April 15. The paintings are entitled "Stadium" and "A Bolt from the Blue." Judges for the exhibit were Richard Warrum, of the Indianapolis Museum of Art, and Carroll Cassill, of the Cleveland Art Institute.

11. Meetings and Events:

- Wednesday -- Civilisation Film Series: "The Fallacies of Hope,"  
(Mar. 1) 4 and 7:30 p.m., N118
- Wednesday -- March meeting of Alliance Francaise: guest speaker,  
Dr. Anne-Marie Poinatte, 8 p.m., faculty lounge
- Friday -- Theatre-IU at South Bend presents: "Pegora-The  
(Mar. 3) Witch," 7:30 p.m., IUSB Theatre
- Friday -- Student Government Film Series: "Rachel, Rachel,"  
9 p.m., N126
- Saturday -- "Pegora," 2 and 4 p.m., IUSB Theatre  
(Mar. 4)

- Saturday (Mar. 4) -- Dr. Thomas Troeger, Director, South Bend Center for Medical Education, and two medical students discuss medical education on "IUSB Forum," 5 p.m., WSBT-TV, Channel 22
- Sunday (Mar. 5) -- "Pegora," 2 and 4 p.m., IUSB Theatre
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