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Tenure: At their April meeting, the I.U. Trustees granted tenure to these IUSB faculty members:

Gregory R. Baur, Education
Charles D. Harrington, English
Romesh C. Mehra, Biology
Frederick J. Naffziger, Business and Economics
J. Vincent Peterson, Education
Patrick J. Ryan, Mathematics
Floyd D. Urbach, Education
Michael C. Washburn, Philosophy
Sandra Winicur, Biology

Promotions: The Trustees also approved the following promotions (all are from Assistant to Associate Professor):

Donald G. Cline, Business and Economics
Paul A. Joray, Business and Economics
Romesh C. Mehra, Biology
Michael C. Washburn, Philosophy
Sandra Winicur, Biology
Arthur D. Wolfe, Business and Economics

Sabbaticals: The Trustees granted the following sabbatical leaves in 1976/77:

Gregory R. Baur, Education, 2nd semester
John A. Cassidy, English, 1st semester
Robert W. Demaree, Jr., Music, 1st semester
J. Vincent Peterson, Education, 1st semester
Anne-Marie E. Poinsatte, French, 2nd semester
Earl J. Savage, Biology, 2nd semester
Jacob Sudermann, German, 1st semester
Michael C. Washburn, Philosophy, 2nd semester
Sandra Winicur, Biology, 1st semester

Graduate-Faculty Dinner-Dance: Tickets are still available from the Alumni Office for the 1976 graduate-faculty dinner-dance, to be held the evening of Saturday, May 8, in the Morris Inn at Notre Dame. Tickets at $6 per person can be ordered by calling Mrs. Barkley, 4381.

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Deadline for next Newsletter, 10 a.m., May 3, 1976

Academic Senate: Elections for next year's Academic Senate officers will be held at the May Senate meeting, 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 5, in N158.

Deadline: The next deadline for grant-in-aid of research applications is Monday. Forms are available in the Dean of Faculties' office, 4184.

Health Care Meeting: A public discussion of Health Maintenance Organizations will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the Northside Faculty Lounge. The discussion is part of a series of health care meetings being conducted by the Division of Public and Environmental Affairs and the Region 2 Comprehensive Health Planning Council.

Richard H. Bohn, executive director of the Metro-Health Plan in Indianapolis, will be guest speaker. The Plan is the first health maintenance organization (HMO) in the state; Bohn will explain how it works and how the HMO concept might be used in the South Bend area.

Criminal Justice Consortium: I.U. is one of 13 universities in the nation participating in the 1976 Speakers Consortium on Criminal Justice, to be held on this campus from 9 a.m. to noon Tuesday in N158.

Assistant Chief Constable H.V. D. Hallett of the Hampshire, England, Police Department, will speak at 10 a.m. on "Police Training and Recruiting in Great Britain." A question-and-answer session will follow. The seminar, conducted by the Division of Public and Environmental Affairs, is open to the public.

Latino Seminar: An I.U.-sponsored seminar on issues affecting Latinos in a society dominated by Anglo culture will be held at 4 p.m. Saturday at the United Auto Workers Local 5, 1426 S. Main St., South Bend.

The seminar is part of a series sponsored by the Office of Latino Affairs on the Bloomington campus to focus on the contributions of the Hispanic people to Indiana and the nation. Carmen Perez, Assistant Professor of Education in Bloomington, will speak on "Stereotypes, Myths and Other Misconceptions." The seminar is open to the public.

AAUP Meeting: There will be a meeting of the American Association of University Professors at noon today in N079. The agenda includes a report on the recent meeting with members of the I.U. Board of Trustees and selection of delegates for the annual meeting in Santa Barbara. The meeting is open to all faculty members; bring lunch.

SUVON Dial Tone: A recent technical change in the SUVON calling system has added a dial tone to all locations except Hammond, Vincennes, and independent institutions. When dialing Bloomington, for example, the dial tone comes on the line after the access digits 862 have been dialed. (Since the new dial tone sounds something like a continuous busy signal, it has caused some confusion.) When you hear the dial tone, you are free to continue dialing the remaining digits of the number being called.

Garage Sale: The IUSB Women's Club is planning a scholarship benefit garage sale Friday and Saturday, May 7 and 8, at the Nisenholz home, 1313 Oak Ridge Dr. Club members are seeking donations for the sale; suggested items include baked goods, plants, appliances, children's clothes. Donations can be dropped off from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, May 4 and 5. Anyone wanting to donate a large item to the sale can arrange for pickup this Friday and Saturday by calling Sybil Nisenholz at 233-6804. Receipts will be provided for tax deductions.

New Film: "Behavioral Group Council" (ESC 1402) has been added to the Bloomington Film Library on the recommendation of Gerald O. Dudley, Education.

Committee Minutes: Minutes of the Budget Committee's April 7 meeting with Cancellor Wolfson and the Committee's regular meeting on April 14 are appended to this Newsletter.

Faculty Activities: Christa-Maria Beardsley, German, will serve on a screening committee to choose a system-wide Director of Overseas Study. The committee meets today in Bloomington.

J. Kenneth Davidson, Sr., Sociology, has been named State Chairperson for Public Affairs, Indiana Affiliates of Planned Parenthood Association for 1976-77.

Glaister A. Elmer, Sociology, and his wife Evelyn, Associate Faculty, are authors of "An Ethological Approach to Social Problems," an article appearing in the March, 1976 issue of Countdown, a Canadian journal. Dr. G. Elmer will also present a paper and lead a topical session on "Conflict of Perspectives: Environmentalism vs. Ethology" at the annual meeting of the North Central Sociological Association in Louisville next month.

Thomas H. Gieske, Biology, has received a Learning Resources Grant to develop a course in endocrinology.

During a recent meeting in Bloomington for authors of an economic outlook published in Indiana Business Review, Paul A. Joray, Economics, taped two interviews on the South Bend economy with the I.U. News Service for distribution to local TV stations.

Thomas Joseph, Biology, will attend a two-week course in Medical Parasitology May 3-14 at the Center for Disease Control in Atlanta, Ga.

Larry F. McDaniel, Director of Financial Aid, presented aid information to parents at John Adams High School Tuesday, April 13.

Positions Available: The I.U. Labor Education and Research Center has two openings effective September 1 for Program Coordinators to develop and administer labor education programs in designated areas of the state.

Minimum educational requirement is a bachelor's degree in industrial relations, labor studies, or a related academic field. Appointment at faculty rank requires a master's degree. Previous experience in university labor education or in a labor organization is desirable. Salary negotiable; send resume by May 21 to D. W. Murphy, Director, 1207 E. 10th St., Bloomington.

Meetings and Events:

Wednesday (April 28)	--	Exams begin
Wednesday	--	Curriculum Committee meeting, 9 a.m., N072
Wednesday	--	Library Affairs Committee meeting, 9:30 a.m., Library Conference Room
Thursday (April 29)	--	Public meeting on "The Health Maintenance Organization," 7:30 p.m., Faculty Lounge
Thursday	--	Division of Music production: Rigoletto, opera by Giuseppe Verdi, 8:15 p.m., Northside Auditorium
Friday (April 30)	--	Classic Film Series: Lady in the Dark, 8 p.m., N113
Friday	--	Theatre IUSB presents: Hedda Gabler, a drama by Henrik Ibsen, 8:15 p.m., Little Theatre
Saturday (May 1)	--	Women's Club Spring Luncheon, 12:30 p.m., Blue and Gold Room, Morris Inn
Saturday	--	Latino Seminar: "Stereotypes, Myths and Other Misconceptions," 4 p.m., United Auto Workers Local 5, 1426 S. Main St., South Bend
Saturday	--	Rigoletto, 8:15 p.m., Northside Auditorium
Saturday	--	Hedda Gabler, 8:15 p.m., Little Theatre
Sunday (May 2)	--	Hedda Gabler, 2:15 p.m., Little Theatre
Tuesday (May 4)	--	Exams end
Tuesday	--	National Consortium for Criminal Justice Training, 9 a.m. to noon, N158
Wednesday (May 5)	--	Academic Senate elections, 10 a.m., N158
Wednesday	--	Budget Committee meeting, 1 p.m., N416

Budget Committee of the Academic Senate

Meeting with Chancellor Wolfson

The committee, responding to an invitation, met with the Chancellor in his office at 9:30 a.m. on April 7. The Chancellor:

1. summarized some of what has happened with respect to the budget since his report to the Academic Senate on March 10;

2. outlined the new positions - both facutly and administrative - for next year;

3. answered some questions by the committee.

1. Included in our total expenditure budget (of $7,130,000) from the general fund is $118,000, which is to be used for equity adjustments - to raise the minimal support for I.U. regional campuses closer to that of the other various public State campuses.

Moreover, the State will probably release Enrollment Contingincy Funds - probably $53,000 for IUSB - which, if we get it, we must spend by July 1. Possible uses of this money include library books and equipment.

2. The administration is proposing the appointment of a full time Personnel Officer, whose duties would include Personnel development and who would be in the Chancellor's office (as a general assistant) rather than the business office. They are also proposing an Assistant Coordinator of Evening Programs and a full time Director of Safety and Security (with Police and Fire Safety responsiblities). There will also be an additional position in either financial aids or admissions.

Arts and Sciences will get one net position. There will be a new Chairman of the Division of Education (starting in July). In Music, one member of the quartet will become full time, but this does not represent a new position since there was a vacancy pending. In SPEA, we will assume the cost of one already existing position. DGTS will get two new full time professional positions - are in Dietary Technology and one in Purdue Technical Programs.

3. P. Furlong: Do you expect any faculty reductions to the Departments?

C: Except for temporary reductions, no.

P. Furlong: This year's appropriations were on a formula basis, an across the-board percentage increase, and did not seem to be responsive to specific requirements.

C: This is essentially the case. IUSB got 12.2% and Bloomington get 3.7%. In the main, they don't seem to be looking at individual programs. However, the lock-step has been broken in that the Senate Budget Committee and the H.E.C. are now recognizing that the regional campuses do have gaps to close. Moreover, new programs are not, by in large, being funded anywhere in the State. Those presenting new programs are being told to shift their present resources.

(A discussion ensued concerning health, parahealth and engineering technology programs at IUSB.)

W. Starkweather: Who decided on the 12.2% and 3.7% figures?

C: The Legislature. However, because of increased student fee income, the actual operating budgets will probably be closer to 14% and 10 - 12% respectively.

W. Starkweather: Is the 4.9% figure (for personnel compensation) uniform campus by campus?

C: Yes.

The Chancellor closed by expressing his concern about getting faculty input into the budgetary process.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 11:00 a.m.

Respectively submitted;

R. Paul Beem

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Secretary

Academic Senate Budget Committee Meeting

April 14, 1976 1:00 - 2:10 P.M.

Present: Cline, Furlong, Haines, Starkweather, Beem

Absent: None

A. The committee discussed the concern expressed by the Chancellor at his meeting with the committee April 7 and reiterated at the April 14 meeting of the Academic Senate about the problem of effecting faculty input into the budgetary process. The committee agreed that while it was not appropriate nor logistically feasible for this committee to have effective responsibility toward the details of the budget, it could and should make occasional policy suggestions and recommendations. It was further agreed that the committee's function does not include its being a funnel through which requests should flow to the Chancellor, but instead does include its being an "advisor" in the preparation of the budget. In other words, we believe the Budget Committee should have the opportunity of supplying input in the rank ordering of such faculty requests.

It was pointed out that the Academic Senate Constitution mandates:

"The Budget Committee shall concern itself with matters of the budget and shall have the following specific responsibilities:

1) To assist the appropriate administrative officers in preparing IUSB's budget for the forthcoming biennium."

B. Mr. Romine replied to the questions of the committee as follows:

1. By order of the Trustees, ordinary maintenance of the parking lot must be paid for out of operating funds and not from parking fee revenue.

2. Faculty and staff pay $3 monthly for a parking sticker only for the duration of their appointments.

3. Reserved parking spaces cost the same as unreserved ones.

4. When current debts are paid (on parking lot improvements), we will ask the Trustees for appropriate adjustments (of parking fees).

The Chancellor responded to the committee's question concerning the method of arriving at the present allocation of concession income. He stated that the allocation issued from his office and that he welcomed faculty suggestions about the disposition of this income in the future.

C. The committee discussed the parking fee situtation. It was noted that there was no apparent need to pay off the debt so quickly, so that, in effect, present students are paying for future students' parking privileges. Hence,

we should ask the Trustees for a reduction in parking fees. The committee estimated that a $12/year faculty-staff and $3/semester student rate would generate ≥ $18,000/year, a sum adequate to amortize the present debt within six years. The committee knows of no present plans or requirements for capital improvements or major renovation (of parking lot), which are the only purposes for which present revenue (from parking fees) can be expended. Hence, the above schedule seems feasible.

Adjourned 2:10 P.M.

Respectively submitted;

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