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## Campus Calendar

### MUSIC

- Jan. 21 Music at Noon. Chamber Music Jazz. HU 119.  
Jan. 28 Music at Noon. Recital. HU 119.  
Feb. 4 Music at Noon. Recital HU 119.  
Feb. 4 FAU Wind Ensemble and PBJC Band. 8:30 p.m. UT. NC\*.  
Feb. 11 Music at Noon. Recital. HU 119.  
Feb. 18 Music at Noon. Recital. HU 119.

### FILMS

- Jan. 16 "Day for Night" 7:30 & 10 p.m. GCR. Non-students \$1.50.  
Jan. 19 "Jules and Jim" 8:30 p.m. GCR. NC.  
Jan. 23 "Mean Streets" 7:30 & 10 p.m. GCR. Non-students \$1.50.  
Jan. 26 "Shoot the Piano Player" 8:30 p.m. GCR. NC.  
Jan. 30 "Uptown Saturday Night" 7:30 & 10 p.m. GCR. Non-students \$1.50.  
Feb. 3 "The Loved One" 4 & 8:30 p.m. GCR. NC.  
Feb. 6 "Paper Chase" 7:30 & 10 p.m. GCR. Non-students \$1.50. Students 50 cents.  
Feb. 9 "The Wild Child" 8:30 p.m. UC Room 207. NC.  
Feb. 10 "The Pawnshop" 4 & 8:30 p.m. GCR. NC.  
Feb. 13 "Malcolm X" 7:30 & 10 p.m. GCR. Non-students \$1.50.  
Feb. 17 "Adam's Rib" 4 & 8:30 p.m. GCR. NC.

### SPECIAL EVENTS

- Jan. 15-Feb. 28 Art Show. "Pueblo Pottery Show - EXXON" Supplementary show on walls. Library Art Gallery.  
Jan. 22 "White Roots of Peace" Cultural experience with North American Indians. Lectures, crafts and teepee displays, films, photo exhibits. 8 a.m. to midnight. Minimal charge. GCR.  
Jan. 23 Commission on the Status of Women. ADM 132. Noon.

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## Announcements

### 'REPORTS' END THIS MONTH

The State University System's 13-city "Report to the People" tour comes to an end this month with a meeting in Panama City on Jan. 21 and in Pensacola the following day.

CHANCELLOR E. T. YORK and the nine university presidents will have visited most of the state's metropolitan areas by Jan. 22. Other forums held this month were in Fort Myers on Jan. 12 and in Sarasota on Jan. 13. Meetings in FAU's area, in West Palm Beach and Fort Lauderdale, were held in early December.

Faculty salaries were discussed at most of the meetings. The university officials said the most recent data available (1973-74) show that Florida ranked 24th among the 50 states (nearly \$1,000 below the national average) in average compensation paid to faculty members. This ranking has deteriorated since that time since salaries have been frozen since 1974.

The officials also discussed Florida's support of higher education, citing statistics which show that the state is outranked by most of the others. In per capita support Florida ranks 37th; in terms of support per \$1,000 in personal income, Florida ranks 40th; in use of tax potential for higher education, Florida ranks 45th.

All the "Reports" have attracted large audiences of civic leaders, legislators, university personnel, alumni and other interested citizens. The Board of Regents, Councils of Advisors and joint alumni sponsored the tour.

### WOMAN NAMED TO BOR

GOV. REUBIN ASKEW has named BETTY ANNE STATON, of Orlando, to the Board of Regents. She succeeds Regent D. BURKE KIBLER, whose term expired in December.

Mrs. Staton is a former state president of the League of Women Voters. She served on the Governor's Citizens Committee on Education from 1971-1973, and has been a long-time member of the PTA and other local school organizations. She campaigned for the 1971 corporate income tax and the 1972 judicial reform amendment to the State Constitution.

### FAU OVER-ENROLLMENT FUNDING EXCEEDS TURNBACK

The University's allocation of \$239,013 for over-realization of enrollment for the 1975-76 year exceeds by nearly \$2,000 the amount of the turnback which has been mandated as a result of the revenue shortfall the State has experienced during the current fiscal year. The turnback, as finally announced, is two percent of General Revenue Funds, or \$237,017.

President Creech, in a memorandum to all faculty and staff, said, "With our reallocation covering the funding rollback, the reserve funds set aside for this purpose when our current Operating Budget was put together remain intact. Therefore, if no additional General Revenue turnback is required, our reserves will be available for meeting needs within the University."

### LECTURE SERIES BEGINS

The 1976 Distinguished Lecture Series will open on Feb. 19 with an address by Professor JOHN HOPE FRANKLIN, chairman of the History Department at the University of Chicago; he will lecture in the University Center Gold Coast Room. The second lecture is scheduled for March 18. The series is underwritten by a grant from the Chastain Foundation.



## **Faculty and Staff in the News**

STEVEN SAVIA (asst. dir., Govt. Prog.) was a guest on the talk show "Gold Coast Forum" on radio station WWOX on Dec. 27. He and two fire department officials discussed fire service delivery and prevention in Boca Raton. On Jan. 29, he will address the 23rd annual Florida Fire Service Training Improvement Conference sponsored by the state fire marshal in Ocala. He will discuss "Fire Service and Education in Florida: Are They Compatible?"

DR. HARRY KERSEY (prof. Ed.) delivered papers at two major history conferences in November. "Private Societies and the Preservation of Seminole Tribal Integrity, 1899-1957" was read at the American Society for Ethnohistory, Gainesville. "Southeastern Indians Since the Removal Period: The Seminole Indians of Florida," was given as part of a symposium on Southeastern Indians since the removal period at a Southern Historical Association meeting in Washington, D.C. Dr. Kersey is chairman of the Boca Raton Historical Preservation Board, and was recently elected to the Board of Directors of the Florida Historical Society.

DR. ROBERT SLOAT (acting head, Excep. Child Ed.) and DR. PEGGY BURGESS (asst. prof. Ed.) served as consultants for the state "Right to Read" program at a workshop for teachers of mentally retarded who are educable in Ft. Lauderdale on Nov. 20 and 21. Dr. Sloat discussed the use of the WISC as an instrument for diagnosing the needs of the mentally retarded who are educable. Dr. Burgess discussed methods and materials for teaching reading to the mentally retarded who are educable.

DR. H. M. SMITH (asst. prof. Ed.) attended the Midwinter meeting of the American Library Association Jan. 18-22 in Chicago. She participated in the program planning of the Intellectual Freedom Committee, Children's Service Division. The program, an in-depth seminar on "Children's Literature: Sociological and Philosophical Implications," will be presented at the American Library Association's national meeting next July in Chicago.

DR. ROBERT SADOWSKI, communications professor currently on leave, has been named staff research assistant to the Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly of the U.S. Senate Judiciary Committee.

DR. ROBERT SCHWARZ (chmn., Phil.) addressed the Deerfield Philosophy Club on Jan. 7 on "What is Existentialism?"

## **ASSERTIVENESS TRAINING SLATED**

A two-day assertiveness training workshop will be held at the University Center from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. on Feb. 7 and 8. DR. CHARLOTTE TATRO, sociologist and director of the Institute for Women at FIU, will conduct the sessions, which will include short lectures, demonstrations, group discussions and participatory exercises.

The \$25 fee includes lunch both days. The workshop is sponsored by FAU's Commission on the Status of Women and Women's Information Services and Exchange (WISE) and the South Palm Beach County chapter of the National Organization of Women. For registration information, contact the Division of Continuing Education.

## **ANIMAL BEHAVIOR WORKSHOP**

A workshop on animal behavior therapy will begin at FAU on Monday, Jan. 26. The sessions, to be led by FAU psychology professors DR. CYNTHIA SCHEURER and DR. DAVID WOLGIN, will meet from 7 - 9 p.m. each Monday through March 1. For more information, call ext. 2391.

## **PHOTOGRAPHY COURSE OFFERED**

Creative photography, printing techniques and styles, photo displays and associated topics will be part of a four-credit weekend short course beginning Jan. 17. SYDNEY TAL-MASON will teach the course, which will meet on Saturdays from 9 a.m. - noon and 1-4:30 p.m. through Feb. 21. For more information, call ext. 2391.

## **UNIVERSITY SAVES \$15,000 DURING THE HOLIDAYS**

FAU's energy conservation program during the holidays resulted in savings of nearly \$15,000 in utility costs.

All employees were asked to take annual leave from Dec. 19 - Jan. 5, but on a voluntary basis. As a result, some buildings were closed completely, while others were open but not air conditioned.

## **THEATRE PRODUCTION SLATED**

The first Master of Fine Arts in Theatre thesis production with a student directing on the main stage will be presented Jan. 23-25 at the University Theatre. SONNY GOFF will direct a cast of 10 in Oscar Wilde's "The Importance of Being Earnest." Tickets are \$2 for adults and \$1 for children 12 and under. The Friday and Saturday performances will begin at 8:30 p.m. with a matinee at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday.

## **COMPUTER WORKSHOP PLANNED**

A workshop on "Computer Literacy for Executives" will be held at FAU on Jan. 17. The program will include "hands-on" sessions in which the participants will spend several hours operating University computers. For more information, call ext. 2782.

## **FAU SPONSORS BUILDING OFFICIALS CONFERENCE**

The 24th annual Conference for Building Officials will be conducted in Kissimmee Feb. 22 - 25 by the College of Business and Public Administration. The regulation of construction in the public interest, the administration and enforcement of an adequate building code and the maintenance of high standards of development will be covered in the sessions.

## **NEW TELEPHONE EXTENSIONS**

A new telephone extension for the West Palm Beach Center is 2950, which supplements extension 2997. The Ft. Lauderdale Center has three telephone lines: extensions 2994, 2996 and 2998.

## **Kudos to Donors**

Recent gifts to FAU include \$100 from MARTIN L. KONSKE to the Enrichment Fund in the College of Humanities; \$250 from MRS. EDITH A. GREGORY, of West Palm Beach, to the Pine Jog program and \$1,900 from BENJAMIN WEINBERG, of Miami Beach, to support the research of FAU chemistry professor DR. THEODORE BIEBER. MRS. HELEN M. O'LEARY, of Miami, has donated \$1,000 to the FAU Foundation. She becomes the first FAU alumna to pledge assistance at this level. Mrs. O'Leary also serves as a member of the Foundation.



Recent career service appointments include CHRISTINE W. BOVE (teller), LESLIE MONAS (cashier), HENRY ROEHNER (util. super.), ALAN LAZAR (acct. clk.), CAROLYN DRAYTON (custod. wrk.), JOHN FIORINI (equip. mech.).

Three faculty members had articles published in the same issue of the National Association of Secondary School Principals Bulletin recently. Earning bylines were DR. V. M. KERENSKY and DR. BENJAMIN McCLAIN of the Center for Community Education and DR. JAMES LOGSDON, College of Education.

Dr. V. M. Kerensky recently completed an extensive series of lectures on community education which included a regional community education workshop at Gulf Shores, Ala., the Governor's Colorado Centennial-Bicentennial Community School Conference in Colorado Springs, Colo., and the Eastern Michigan University Seminar Series in Ypsilanti, Mich. The center's staff also participated in the tenth annual National Community Education Association Convention in Cincinnati, Ohio. The eleventh annual convention is scheduled for December 1976 in Miami Beach; DR. DONALD MacKENZIE (asst. prof. Ed.) is program chairman.

DR. JOHN BLAKEMORE (acting dean, Sc.), noted expert on solar energy, addressed the Palm Beach Section of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Dec. 5, on an overview of long-term energy supply and demand.

A music-teaching-learning package "Mixed Meters for Minors" has been published by C. CLARK BELL (asst. prof. Ed.) in cooperation with DR. BILL PRINCE (asst. prof. Music). The original music, composed by Bell, is presented on records and tapes for use in elementary and middle school music education as well as in college methods classes.

DR. PATRICIA ANN SNYDER has been appointed assistant professor of chemistry. She is a specialist in molecular spectroscopy and biophysics, and most recently was a research associate at Oregon State University. She replaces DR. KENNETH SCHMITZ, who resigned.

DR. JAMES B. MONTGOMERY (prof. Acct.), president of the FAU chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, a national honorary society, attended the Eastern Regional Meeting at the University of Maryland on Nov. 28 and 29.

## Keeping Posted

### 'BLACK AWARENESS' DISPLAY SCHEDULED AT LIBRARY

"Black Awareness -- The Spirit of '76" will be the topic of the Library display for February. ARTHUR ROBERSON (asst. librarian) will coordinate the table display of articles, books and pictures honoring black heroes of the Revolution and the Civil War. The Black Student Union is cooperating in the gathering of material for the showing.

### EXAM DEADLINE APPROACHES

Feb. 27 is the deadline for applying to take foreign language proficiency examinations, to satisfy language requirements, in the winter quarter. Students must reapply if they were unable to take the exam in an earlier quarter. Applications should be submitted to HU 140.

### FIRE HAZARD

A candle left unattended in the Testing and Evaluation Office after hours on Dec. 19, apparently toppled over and smoldered for several hours. A telephone book, card file, several magazines and other papers were destroyed. University Safety Officer FRANK SZOMY said the fire would have spread further if the fans in the office had not been turned off. "We hope this incident will help people realize they should be extremely cautious about candles and matches," he said.

### EMPLOYEES GROUP TO MEET

The first meeting of the Career Service Employees Federation Union (CSEF) will be held on Saturday Jan. 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the Gold Coast Room of the University Center. Interim officers are LARRY PITTS, president; DON LEWIS, vice president; TOM OWENS, treasurer, and JAN SINGER, secretary.

### DIVORCE LAW WORKSHOP PLANNED

A workshop on "Divorce Laws in Florida" will be held from 9 a.m. - noon on Thursday, Jan. 29, at the Palm Beach Junior College Auditorium, 4200 Congress Ave., Lake Worth. Topics to be covered by a panel of lawyers will include alimony, the impact of The Equal Rights Amendment and custody rights. FAU's Commission on the Status of Women is serving as a sponsor, along with the Palm Beach County Bar Association and two chapters of the National Organization of Women.

### LEISURE ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED

Four new leisure activities have been scheduled to begin in January at the University Center. Eurhythmy Dance will be offered from 2:30 - 4 p.m. on Mondays; leather crafts from 7 - 8:30 p.m. on Mondays, Yoga from 6 - 7:30 p.m. and 7:30 - 9 p.m. on Wednesdays, and macrame from 7 - 8:30 p.m. on Thursdays. For more information, call ext. 2656.

### VETERANS AFFAIRS

RON POSTMA has been appointed coordinator for a new Veterans Affairs office located in ADM 12C. The program, aimed at helping student-veterans with certification and changes in benefits, is funded by HEW through the University. Telephone extensions are 2287-2288.

### CHAIRMANSHIPS ANNOUNCED

DR. JOHN O'SULLIVAN, associate professor of history, has been named chairman of the History Department for a three-year term. DR. WILLIAM COYLE and DR. ERNEST WEISER have been reappointed chairmen of the Departments of English and Languages and Linguistics, respectively.

### LEGISLATIVE CONTACT NAMED

Each of the nine universities has designated an individual to serve as a legislative contact during the 1976 session of the Legislature. FAU's designee is DR. JOHN M. DeGROVE, director of the FAU-FIU Joint Center for Urban and Environmental Problems.

### BANK HOSTS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Employees of the First Bank and Trust Co. of Boca Raton sponsored a Christmas party complete with gifts, refreshments and Santa Claus for children in FAU's T-10 project.

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FRED SCHUSTER (chmn. Mgmt.) delivered a paper last month on "Managing Human Resources as an Integral Part of Resource Management Systems" to the annual meeting of the Project Management Institute in San Francisco.

BILL McCRAY (admiss. couns.) attended the student-college interview program as an exhibitor on Dec. 12 and 13 in Atlanta. The program was sponsored by the National Scholarship Service and Fund for Negro Students.

DR. WILLY FEUERLEIN (chmn. Econ.) delivered the keynote address at a regional meeting of the U. S. Office of Education and the Association of Secondary School Principals on Dec. 11 in Atlanta. His topic was "New Dimensions in Education," with special emphasis on the international aspects.

DR. DAVID LEE (assoc. prof. Geog.), DR. RONALD SCHULTZ (asst. prof. Geog.) and DR. ROBERT J. TATA (chmn. Geog.) presented papers at the annual meeting of the Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers at Callaway Gardens, Ga.

DR. ROBERT SCHWARZ (prof. Phil.) was mentioned on three occasions in the Protocols of the "Documentary Archives of Austrian Resistance" for his historiographical contributions to the history of the Austrian resistance to the Nazi movement.

DR. TSUNG I. DOW (prof. Hist.) represented the Society for Asian and Comparative Philosophy, USA, at the 27th World Congress of Philosophy held in conjunction with the Golden Jubilee of the Indian Philosophical Congress in Delhi Dec. 28 - Jan. 3. He presented a paper "Can Human Nature be Changed Through the Education Process? A Confucian View." He also served on the panel "Man and Nature," of the International Society for Metaphysics.

DR. WILLIAM DORNE (prof. Excep. Child Ed.) has been invited by the School Board of Broward County to serve as an impartial fact-finder in cases involving due process. Parents of exceptional children who feel their children need an educational program outside of the public school program may ask for a review. If they appeal the decision of the review board, the fact-finder is invited to review the transcript and determine whether the school board has an appropriate educational program for the child.

DR. STANLEY DUNN (assoc. prof. O.E.) and HAROLD BURRIS-MEYER (prof. emeritus. TH.) attended a meeting of the Florida chapter of the Acoustical Society of America on Nov. 20 and 21 in Orlando. Dr. Dunn participated in a panel study on "Environmental Noise Pollution," while Burris-Meyer delivered a paper on "Sound in the Theatre."

DR. JAY S. MENDELL (visiting prof. B.A.) has been appointed consultant on strategic planning for the Florida Department of Education. He will conduct a seminar for the Commissioner of Education, RALPH TURLINGTON, on Feb. 25. Dr. Mendell and DR. W. LYNN TANNER of FIU wrote a paper "In Technology Assessment, Process is More Important Than Product," which appeared in the September 1975 issue of the Journal of the International Society for Technology Assessment.

WILLIAM N. WATKINS (chief photographer, Learn. Res.) delivered an illustrated lecture on "How to Prepare a Slide Show" at the Pine Jog Environmental Center on Dec. 10.

RICHARD N. SEIFERT (dir., TV Prod.) addressed the local chapter of the Society for Technical Communication at the IBM plant on Dec. 10. His topic was the Role of Learning Resources at FAU.

DR. EUGENE N. CRABB (chmn. Music) represented FAU on an admissions program panel discussion at the state convention of the Florida College Music Educators Association at Orlando on Jan. 9.

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**NEXT UPDATE DEADLINE  
FEBRUARY 6**

Calendar (cont'd.)

- Jan. 24 "The Saturday Night Special" ("The Amazing Rhythm Aces," Comedian Chris Rush, & Steve Smalley Band) UC outdoor stage. 8:30 p.m. Non-students \$2.50 advance, \$3.50 at door.
- Jan. 30-31 "Dan Wagoner and Dancers" Artists Series. 8:30 p.m. UT. \$5.
- Feb. 1-29 "Black Awareness - - The Spirit of '76" Library display.
- Feb. 8-14 "Black Awareness Week" Varied activities on campus.

**THEATRE**

- Jan. 23,24 "The Importance of Being Earnest" Oscar Wilde play. 8:30 p.m. UT. Adults \$2.
- Jan. 25 Matinee of above. 2:30 p.m.

**ADVANCE DATES**

- Theatre - Feb. 20, 21, 25, 26, 27, 28 "Picnic" William Inge play. \$3 adults, \$1.50 children 12 and under. UT. 8:30 p.m.
- Feb. 22 Matinee of above.
- Engineering Week: "American Ingenuity: 200 years of Engineering." Feb. 22-28. Campus.

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UC - University Center  
GCR - Gold Coast Room  
NC - No Charge  
NC\* - No Charge but ticket required.

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