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**Marshall University Closed Circuit Television Unit**

Marshall University's Closed Circuit Television unit has received authorization from the West Virginia Board of Regents to change its name to Instructional Television Services. The new identity becomes effective immediately, according to Dr. E. H. Gillmore, Marshall's ITS manager.

"The new name is much more descriptive of what we are and services we provide," said Gillmore, who has produced and directed most of the 8,000 instructional programs we present, a number of news, public affairs and entertainment programs.

"Virtually all the campus classroom buildings are wired for closed circuit television. ITS has the capability of transmitting up to six different programs simultaneously and in operation at once," said Gillmore, who has produced and directed most of the 8,000 instructional programs we present.

"I really want to encourage faculty members to take advantage of ITS services," Gillmore said. "I can be reached at extension 3150."

**CC offers course for secretarial certification**

The next course in a series of secretaries planning to take the Certified Professional Secretary Review Examination begins Nov. 3, according to Robert D. Lawhorn, director of Marshall's Business and Legal Secretarial Program.

The course, which will deal with financial analysis and business mathematics, will be held in Community College Room 136 from 9 a.m. to noon on eight Saturdays. The instructor will be Assistant Professor Patricia. Participants will be expected to C.P.S. termi-nology.

"To avoid conflicts with holidays," said Lawhorn, "classes will be held Nov. 3, Nov. 10, Nov. 17, Dec. 1, Dec. 8, Dec. 15, Jan. 5 and Jan. 12. Additional information or registration forms may contact Lawhorn at 696-3646.

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**Junior Television Programs**

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**Political science meets draws faculty, students**

Several Marshall political science people participated in the 13th Annual Meeting of the Political Science Association, held Oct. 18-19 at Harrisburg Prep.

Jean Lawson of Hurricane, now a graduate assistant in political science, received a Claudia Doris Award for the best undergraduate research paper. Done for honors, lasting a year under Dr. Troy V. Collins, JR., associate professor, Ms. Lawson's paper was on "Accidental Policy-Making and the Stability of Leadership." Dr. Richard B. Rossman, associate professor, presented a paper entitled "State Law and Federal: West Virginia's 1977 Application for Membership in the Context of Federalism." Rossman was also elected the Association vice president. The panel was well attended, and was also elected to the Association's executive council.

Dr. LaVair W. Maiz, JR., associate professor, an outgoing executive council member, served as a panel discussion chairman.

Four former political science graduate students presented papers. Kevin Clason and Marc Clason of Huntington, both now graduates, discussed with judicial policy-making. Vickie Shaffer of Huntington, now a planner at KYOVA Interstate Planning Commission, addressed questions of fiscal federalism. The topic was "The Future of the Interstate Planning Commission," an analysis with the Virginia Division of Legislative Service in Richmond, on the decline of the Byrd dynasty in Virginia politics.

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**WANTED: Ideas on lecture programs**

Do you have a suggestion for a lecture program relative to the particular needs of a college campus? Do you remember any particular lecture that was extremely useful to you?

If so, Nancy Hindsley, MU cultural events coordinator, would like to hear from you. Hindsley has been appointed to the editorial board of Talent Magazine, the publication of the International Platform Association.

The magazine is divided into six sections, which feature material on successful lecture programs on college campuses, their development and promotion.

Mrs. Hindsley and her colleagues on the editorial board, Sherry Giff of Johns Hopkins University, and Richard A. Montgomery of Lafayette College, will be publishing a page.

Mrs. Hindsley will be the page's contributing editor for the January issue, but needs the material no later than Nov. 11.

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**Michael Cornfeld wins award for best-in-show**

The Marshall University Art Department was well represented among the winners in the River Cities Second Annual Student Art Exhibition. The $1,000 Best-In-Show prize went to MICHAEL CORNFELD, associate professor of art, for his weaving entry entitled "Trip." JUNE KILGORE, Art Department chairman, received a $100 first place prize for an acrylic painting, "Tinder Pyramid." WILIAM F. BROWN, assistant professor of art, won a $100 merit award for a two-dimensional kinetic sculpture;

Two graduate students, Dena Duncan Watters and Steve Watts, both of Milton, also received merit awards for a handmade paper exhibit. Each piece was done by a different class member. Vickie Clason, who received a merit award for her painting exhibited at the day at First Baptist Church of Huntington, now an instructor in the Material Science Department, will be on display in the First Baptist Church of Huntington. The show, which will be held for students, is open to the public from 1 to 4 p.m. on Monday through Friday and from 4 to 7 p.m. on Monday and Friday.

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The Graduate Council has met on three occasions this semester. The following actions have been taken:

1. Approved a "Non-Degree Admissions Policy" which will facilitate admission of persons who merely desire to take courses.

2. Two additional options in the secondary education program were approved in the areas of middle childhood and gifted individual.

3. A Master of Education degree and a Certificate of Advanced Studies in the same area were approved. This is referred to as the "Graduate Outreach" program and is intended to provide professional development opportunities for in-service teachers and other non-traditional students.

4. Approved that the Master of Science in Information Technology be offered to all eligible students, including MBA candidates.

5. Changed existing regulations which prevent courses from being double counted. This change will also permit such usage if approved by the adviser and within the proper time frame.

The Council has noted that steps are being taken toward Marshall immersion in high technology and research. An Education Technology Program is in an Ed.D. program in Educational Administration.

A seminar theme is "Values Clarification." The program is geared to prepare men and women for leadership positions as physical education professionals, recreation leaders, and group resources leaders.

Dr. Simon Hayes, director of the College of Education, noted that Harless had planned to attend Marshall after graduating from Gilbert High School, but had not been able to afford it. Instead, he became a coal miner, later went into business for himself, and became extremely successful in business. "His success in his particular fields of endeavor and personal contributions to his respective communities are a tribute to his early years in Huntington," Hayes said. "He has been a graduate of the University of Marshall University and he has continued to support the university through the years."

In addition to quietly assisting many young people to obtain a college education, Buck Harless has directly helped other persons who work with people. "I have people who have written me, saying that their lives have been changed as a result of the help that I have given them," Harless said. "I have been touched by the way people have responded to my help."