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International program established



Marshall University College of Business faculty members and students are about to become "globe-trotters" as a cooperative program between Marshall and Universitas Nebrisensis in Madrid, Spain, begins this summer. Marshall administrators and faculty members discussing the new program include, left to right, Dr. Edward G. Boehm Jr., vice president for institutional advancement; Dr. Chandra Akkihal, professor of economics and director of COB graduate programs; Dr. Steve J. Lahoda, associate dean of the College of Business; Dr. Clair W. Matz, director of the Center for International Studies, and Dr. Robert P. Alexander, dean of the College of Business.

Wildman receives award

Employees in Marshall University's library system have selected Kay Wildman, professor and music librarian, as the Marshall University Library Employee of the Year.

She was nominated for the honor by the music library staff and by Sara Staats, documents librarian.

In making the nomination, Ms. Staats said, "During her 15 years at Marshall University, Kay has chaired many committees and contributed substantively to the development of librarianship and is a highly respected representative for the library. She has a great sense of humor, a logical mind, thinks through issues carefully, guides others to sensible solutions to problems, has an ingrained integrity and is committed and conscientious."

Ms. Wildman received bachelor's and master's degrees from Emporia State University and a master's degree in library science from George Peabody College.

Prior to joining the Marshall staff in 1974, she served as a music consultant for Kansas City public schools and was an elementary school music teacher.

She has been a member of the Music Library Association, the West Virginia Library Association, the American Guild of Organists, the Presbyterian Association of Musicians, the Huntington Chamber Orchestra, and other professional and community organizations.

Marshall University's College of Business has established a working relationship with Universitas Nebrisensis in Madrid, Spain, which will allow professors and students at the two institutions to work and study at both schools.

Dr. Robert P. Alexander, dean of Marshall's College of Business, said the two universities entered into an articulation agreement wherein each school agreed to recognize the course work at the other institution.

The first exchange under the new agreement will allow two MU College of Business professors to conduct classes at Universitas Nebrisensis this summer. A group of graduate level business students also will attend classes at the Madrid institution this summer.

Dr. Manuel A. Villa of Universitas Nebrisensis visited Marshall's campus in the spring of 1989 to begin discussions on the articulation agreement. He and Dr. Chandra Akkihal, director of graduate programs in Marshall's College of Business, entered into a lengthy negotiation, which continued via correspondence after Villa returned to Spain.

"We closely examined the undergraduate curriculum at Universitas Nebrisensis and found their students to be exceptionally well qualified for entry into the M.B.A. program at Marshall," said Alexander. "They will of course have to meet English and graduate school admissions standards before they can be admitted."

Marshall professors will teach courses in economics and management in English for both American and Spanish students at Universitas Nebrisensis this summer. Spanish students who take the courses will be able to transfer their credits into Marshall's M.B.A. program when they arrive on campus.

"We were very impressed with Universitas Nebrisensis," Alexander said. "We think our ties with this
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Campaign goal exceeded

Marshall's River Cities United Way campaign exceeded its goal – by more than \$1,000. The total in contributions, as of Jan. 10, was \$46,019.34.

"We have more than doubled our giving level over two years ago," Dr. Jane C. Fotos, campus campaign coordinator said. "This was the first year for the Marshall campaign to have a task force. I think we're doing a better job now of getting the message to our employees."

Of 1,241 employees, 470 contributed. The average per capita gift was \$37.05.

The School of Nursing, with 77.3 percent participation, had the highest percentage of givers. Three units -- College of Business and Divisions of Finance and Administration
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Marshall's United Way goal exceeded

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-- more than tripled the total dollar amounts given by their divisions in 1988. The President's Office was the division with the largest per capita gift -- \$100.79.

Fifteen Marshall employees were "pacesetters," contributing \$500 or more. They are:

Nell Bailey, Student Affairs; James Bennett, Theodore P. Haddox Jr., Charles H. McKown, Gilbert Ratcliff Jr., and Joseph Werthammer, all School of Medicine; Edward G. "Ned" Boehm, Institutional Advancement; Betty Cleckley, Multicultural Affairs; Jane C. Fotos, School of Nursing; Alan B. Gould, Provost; Edward Grose, Administration; Herbert J. Karlet, Finance; Dale F. Nitzschke, President; Carole A. Vickers, College of Education, and F. David Wilkin, Community College.

The 30 "fair-share" givers -- those who gave or pledged .6 percent of annual salary up to \$20,000 or 1 percent of annual salary of \$20,000 or more -- are:

Michael Adkins and Jim Richendollar, both Computer Center; Raddar Atchley, Ned Boehm, Becky Hamsher and Susie Peyton, all Institutional Advancement; Larry Barnhill, Comptroller's Office; James Bennett, Family and Community Health; W. Blaker Bolling, Management; Camilla Brammer, Speech; Dallas Brozik, Finance & Business Law; Betty Cleckley, Multicultural Affairs; Greg Deaton, Autism Training Center; Sarah Denman, Community College; John E. "Jack" Dolin, Art Department; Queen Foreman, Affirmative Action/Human Resources; Jane C. Fotos, School of Nursing; Pat Garvin, Bursar's Office; Theodore P. Haddox Jr., Obstetrics/ Gynecology; Gwenyth Hood and Dolores Johnson, both English Department; Maudie Karickhoff, Specialized Allied Studies; Herbert J. Karlet, Finance; Suzanne McClelland and Charles H. McKown, both School of Medicine; Dale F. Nitzschke, President; Reta Roberts, Criminal Justice; John Stepp, Financial Aid Accounting; Carole A. Vickers, College of Education, and David Walker, Computer Science.

If anyone who qualifies as a pacesetter or a fair-share giver was inadvertently left off the lists, please call Dr. Fotos at the School of Nursing, extension 3352.

The breakdown of gifts, by divisions, follows:

President, \$2,721.37 total; 13 employees (48%) contributed; \$100.79 per capita.

Academic Affairs, \$2,281 total; 28 employees (32%); \$25.92 per capita.

Administration, \$4,106 total; 93 employees (34%); \$15.04 per capita.

Athletic Administration, \$1,515 total; 23 employees (74%); \$48.87 per capita.

College of Business, \$3,352.08 total; 28 employees (44%); \$53.21 per capita.

College of Education, \$2,780 total; 30 employees (25%); \$23.56 per capita.

College of Fine Arts, \$606 total; 10 employees (24%); \$14.43 per capita.

College of Liberal Arts, \$5,331.37 total; 64 employees (47%); \$39.49 per capita.

College of Science, \$2,277 total; 25 employees (34%); \$30.77 per capita.

Community College, \$1,604 total; 15 employees (44.1%); \$47.18 per capita.

Finance, \$2,711.50 total; 41 employees (57%); \$38.72 per capita.



Marshall's top administrators are all "pacesetters," having given \$500 or more to the River Cities United Way Campaign. From left, are: seated, Dr. Alan B. Gould, provost; Dr. Betty J. Cleckley, vice president for multicultural affairs; Dr. Nell Bailey, vice president for student affairs, and Dr. Edward G. "Ned" Boehm Jr., vice president for institutional advancement; standing, Dr. Dale F. Nitzschke, president; Dr. Edward Grose, vice president for administration; Herbert J. Karlet, vice president for finance; Dr. Charles H. McKown Jr., vice president, health sciences and dean of the School of Medicine, and Dr. Jane C. Fotos, associate professor of nursing and campus campaign coordinator.

Institutional Advancement, \$2,047; 17 employees (55%); \$66.03 per capita.

School of Medicine, \$8,250 total, 40 employees (22%); \$44.59 per capita.

School of Nursing, \$1,248 total; 17 employees (77%); \$56.63 per capita.

Student Affairs, \$1,659 total; 25 employees (56%); \$36.87 per capita.

Thirty-two retired faculty and staff gave a total of \$2,320.

Activities sponsored by the Student Government Association added \$1,210.02.

The Athletic Department also donated \$1 per each general admission ticket sold for the Austin Peay game on Jan. 6.

Fotos said it is never too late to give to the campus River Cities United Way campaign. "The agencies are always in need of funds. If you haven't made a commitment to the United Way and do wish to participate, please contact your division chairperson or call me on campus -- extension 3352."

Letter of appreciation

Dear Marshall Faculty and Staff:

The family of Charles Lloyd Sr. wish to thank you for your kind expressions of sympathy during our recent loss.

Sincerely,
Charles O. Lloyd II
Sandra Lloyd

Babb named Chemistry Dept. chairman

Dr. Daniel P. Babb, professor of chemistry and assistant dean of Marshall University's College of Science, has been named chairman of the university's Department of Chemistry, according to MU Provost Alan B. Gould.

A member of the Marshall faculty since 1972, Babb received his bachelor's degree from Mankato (Minn.) State College and his doctorate from the University of Idaho where he served as a research assistant.

Prior to joining the Marshall faculty, he served as an assistant professor at Kearney (Neb.) State College, a research scientist for the Anorganisch-Chemisches Institute at the University of Gottingen in Germany, as assistant professor and post doctoral fellow at the University of Idaho, and as visiting assistant professor at Virginia

Polytechnic Institute and State University. He served as a research chemist at the Naval Research Laboratory in Washington, D.C., in 1972.

Babb has written more than a dozen articles for professional publications and journals and has presented papers at several important meetings including the second European Symposium on Fluorine Chemistry, the 158th national meeting of the American Chemical Society, several American Chemical Society regional meetings, and the West Virginia Academy of Science.

He has been involved in various activities at Marshall and was named assistant dean of the College of Science in 1986.

Babb has served as a consultant for Union Carbide's Research and Development Department in South Charleston and annually makes several visits to area high schools to talk with students.

He is a member of the American Chemical Society, Sigma Xi, the American Association for the Advancement of Science and the American Association of University Professors.



Daniel Babb

Editor will be speaker for journalism banquet

James E. Casto, associate editor of the Huntington Herald-Dispatch, will be the keynote speaker for Marshall University's W. Page Pitt School of Journalism awards banquet on Friday, May 4, at 7 p.m. at the University Area Holiday Inn.

Approximately 20 students will be honored during the banquet for work in the fields of broadcast journalism, public relations, advertising and the print media, according to Dwight W. Jensen, acting director of the School of Journalism.

The school will honor outstanding students in each of its five major sequences and recognize students for excellence in writing and design.

Major awards to be presented include: the Marvin L. Stone Award for outstanding contributions as a college journalist; the Jeff Nathan Memorial Award for reporter of the year; the Virginia Lee Memorial Scholarship Award presented to an outstanding writer, and the Rookie of the Year Award presented to a first-year student in the School of Journalism.

Tickets for the banquet are available for \$10 at the Marshall University School of Journalism Office in Smith Hall.

Videoconference slated

A videoconference titled "Infusing Critical Thinking Into Four Year Colleges and Universities" will be held at Marshall University on Friday, May 11, from noon to 1 p.m. in the Shawkey Room in Memorial Student Center.

Five faculty development leaders from diverse colleges and universities will discuss the problem of infusing critical thinking into instruction, according to Dr. Rainey Duke, assistant provost at Marshall.

"Though four-year colleges and universities tend to draw students with higher test scores and grade point averages than those entering community colleges, it does not follow that those students have developed critical thinking skills and abilities adequate to university learning," said Dr. Duke.

To register for the videoconference or obtain further details contact the Marshall University Provost's Office, 696-5442.

Hanrahan gets grant

Dr. E.S. Hanrahan, dean of Marshall University's College of Science, has received a grant of \$7,015 through the Dwight Eisenhower Math and Science Education Act to support a project titled "Linking Computer Literacy with Science."

The project will provide for a five-week summer institute to familiarize junior high school science teachers with methods of collecting and processing data.

Toni Lynne DeVore, a science teacher at Washington Junior High School in Parkersburg, will be co-director of the project.

The Dwight Eisenhower Math and Science Education Act was established to help develop improved instruction in the fields of science and mathematics.

The summer institute will be held at Washington Junior High School in June or July, according to Hanrahan.

Excused absences . . .

Absences have been excused by the respective college deans for the following:

APRIL 19-21--Brett Shaw, Jerry Gargus, Brian Ginder, Jason Vinson, Bruce Boyer, Dwight Rose, John Halford, William Lippy, Dave Riedel, Debbie Dukes, Teresa Sisco.

APRIL 19-22--Julie Boggs, Patricia Boyles, Mark Dietsch, Kim Dotson, Thomas Jividen, Cindy Pancake, Jeff Porter, Christopher Sabo, Richard Thompson, Kimberly Timko.

APRIL 22-MAY 1--Andrea Nance, Shawn Powell, Cindy Stout, Kristy Stratton.

APRIL 22-MAY 6--Tim Dolin.

APRIL 23-30--Rhonda Yoho.

Marshall faculty/staff achievements

Dr. C. ROBERT BARNETT, professor in the Division of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, recently had an essay titled "Tickets To The Series" published in "The Old Ball Game," an anthology of original essays on baseball.

Dr. WILLIAM PALMER, associate professor of history, has contributed a review essay on "The Great Cat Massacre and Other Episodes in French Cultural History" by Robert Darnton to "Theory and Society." He also has had an article titled "David Riesman, Alexis de Tocqueville, and History" published in The Colby Library Quarterly (March 1990).

Dr. JOAN F. GILLILAND, professor of English, and LINDA STONESTREET, English graduate student, attended the Southeastern Renaissance Conference held March 30-31 at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Preceding the conference, they attended a symposium on "London 1590: A Cityscape" sponsored by the

Open house planned

Marshall University's College of Science will observe National Science and Technology Week with an open house on Friday, April 27, from 1 to 6 p.m. in the Science Building Annex.

Several demonstrations and activities will be held throughout the afternoon. Topics such as laser holography, super conductivity, nuclear magnetic resonance and computer modeling will be discussed and explained through experiments and displays.

Dr. E.S. Hanrahan, dean of the College of Science, said there should be something of interest for people of all ages, including a chemical magic show.

The activities will be open to the public free of charge. To obtain further details contact the Marshall University College of Science, 696-2372.

ASCR Committee meets

(The following summary of the April 20 meeting of the Marshall University Academic Standards and Curricula Review Committee was submitted by Jane Fotos.)

Linda Wilkinson presented the report of the March 26 meeting of the Curriculum Subcommittee. The motion was made, seconded and approved to accept the additions, deletions and changes as recommended.

Dr. David Woodward, chairman, volunteered to serve on the Task Force on Assessment as a representative of the ASCR Committee.

The College of Education requested a name change of the Division of Specialized Allied Studies to the Division of Human Development and Technology.

Concern about the use of "technology" without a modifier was expressed.

The motion was made to recommend a title change to Division of Human Development and Allied Technology. The motion was seconded and approved.

The next ASCR Committee meeting will be held May 4.

Institute for the Arts and Humanities at the University of North Carolina.

Dr. CRAIG MONROE, professor of speech, has been informed that his article, "Conflict Behaviors of Difficult Subordinates: Interactive Effects of Gender" has been accepted for publication in the fall 1990 edition of The Southern Communication Journal.

PATRICIA DEL NERO, reference librarian, MAJED KHADER, reference librarian, and MERRY BROWN, systems analyst, completed a daylong BIOSIS training course on March 13 at the University of Kentucky. BIOSIS is the world's largest abstracting and indexing service for biological and biomedical research.

DOROTHY MOORE, RON TITUS and MAJED KHADER, reference librarians, participated in an INSPEC database training session at the West Virginia Institute of Technology on March 15. INSPEC is an information service for physics, electronics and computing.

Dr. ROBERT BICKEL of the Educational Foundations Department is the co-author of a paper titled "Dropouts and Drivers Licenses: Educational Policy and the New Pragmatism." The paper was presented at the annual meeting of the Comparative and International Education Society held March 22-25 at Anaheim, Calif. His co-author was Sande Milton of Florida State University.

Dr. HAROLD T. MURPHY, professor and chairman of the Department of Modern Languages, and Dr. DOUGLAS ROBERTSON, assistant professor of Spanish, attended the spring meeting of the West Virginia Foreign Language Teachers' Association held April 6-7 at Bethany College. MURPHY gave a slide presentation titled "The Argentinian Gaucho: Cultural Antecedent of the American Cowboy." ROBERTSON read a paper titled "Foreign Languages in Marshall University's Blake Collection of Confederate History."

Dr. WILLIAM WHEELER, associate professor of surgery, recently had an article titled "Diverticular Disease of the Appendix" published in the March issue of the Southern Medical Journal.

MOHAMED YOUSSEF, assistant professor in the Management Department, had a paper titled "Utilization of Personal Computers in Business Schools" published in the proceedings of the 1990 Western Decision Sciences Institute Conference. The conference was held March 13-16 in Vancouver. He also served as chairman for a session and as a discussant for the International Academy of Management and Marketing meeting held March 28-April 2 in Dallas.

B. MICKI McANDREW HARMAN, instructor at the School of Nursing, has been elected to the board of directors of the American Association of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation headquartered in Middleton, Wis. She also has been informed that her paper titled "Relationship of Biophysical Activities and Perception of Dyspnea in Individuals with Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease" has been accepted for presentation at the 1990 World Conference on Lung Health which will be held in May in Boston.

Dr. WLODZIMIERZ OGRYCZAK, H. Paul Kizer Eminent Scholar in Computer and Information Sciences, recently had a paper titled "Dynamic Interactive Network Analysis System" published in the Lecture Notes in Economics and Mathematical Systems (Springer-Verlag).