MBA degree can be obtained on weekends

It is now possible for area professionals to complete the Master of Business Administration (MBA) program at the College of Business at Marshall University in two years by attending classes only on weekends.

Dean Calvin Kent has announced the establishment of a "Saturdays Only" MBA program. "This is an outstanding opportunity for area individuals to obtain an advanced business degree in a relatively short period of time without disruption of their jobs. There is nothing which compares to it anywhere near," Kent said.

Kent also noted that the cost is particularly attractive. Both in-state and out-of-state students pay the same amount which is approximately equal to the in-state tuition for the regular MBA.

The program consists of two curriculums. Individuals with satisfactory college backgrounds in business subjects will directly enter the "Saturdays Only" MBA program. The curriculum has been designed to meet the specific needs of working professionals and stresses direct application of what is being learned to the problems the candidate is facing in his/her job. The classes are taught as seminars and provide advanced instruction in all areas of business. Each class will run for five Saturdays from 8:30 a.m. until 5 p.m.

For those with a college degree but little or no college credit in business courses, there is the "jump start" program which will allow the candidate to complete all of the necessary prerequisite work in economics, accounting, finance, management, marketing and quantitative methods by enrolling in six specially designed Saturday courses.

Those completing the "jump start" curriculum will receive a Graduate Certificate in Business and be eligible for full admission to the MBA program. The first "jump start" course began on January 22.

"A candidate working part-time in our regular MBA program will need over three years to complete the program. The 'Saturday Only' program reduces that time by 50 percent and makes it more likely that candidates will complete their degrees," Kent stated.

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Task force formed to examine future of CTC

The future course of Marshall University's Community & Technical College will be examined in a study of the 18-year-old program this winter, according to MU President J. Wade Gilley.

Gilley announced the appointment of a nine-member task force to work with Community & Technical College Dean F. David Wilkin in reviewing the college's growth and planning its future. Frank P. Justice, executive director of Marshall's Research and Economic Development Center, will serve as chairman of the task force.

"The Community & Technical College has played a vital role in Marshall University's success over the last 18 years," Gilley said. "Today's changing world economy, with its strong emphasis on technology, provides even greater and more rewarding challenges for the college. We expect the task force to help us position the Community & Technical College to meet those demands."

Gilley said the task force will consider the college's mission and focus, potential new programs, location and facilities, costs, visibility, relationships with county and state vocational education (Continued on page 2)
Marshall Jazz Festival to celebrate 25th year

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Later that year, Daniels took a chance by spending $400 on a round-trip flight to Vienna to enter the International Competition for Modern Jazz organized by pianist Fredrick Gulda and sponsored by the City of Vienna. He won first prize for saxophone.

For the next few years, Daniels continued to play in the Jones-Lewis Orchestra which toured extensively in Europe. In 1968 a clarinet solo on one of the orchestra’s albums, “Live at the Village Vanguard,” garnered sufficient attention for Daniels to win Downbeat Magazine’s International Critics New Star on Clarinet Award.

Daniels began studying clarinet when he was 13 and received a master’s degree in clarinet from Julliard.

Jack Elliot, musical director of the New American Orchestra, was so impressed with Daniels that he commissioned Jorge Calandrelli to compose a major work for him. “Concerto for Jazz Clarinet and Orchestra” became the centerpiece of Daniels’ debut album, “Breakthrough,” recorded with the Philharmonia Orchestra of London.

Quincy Jones said, “Eddie’s debut album for GRP will become the benchmark to judge all future recordings blending the world of classical music and jazz.”

“Breakthrough” and Daniels’ next two albums, “To Bird With Love” and “Memos From Paradise,” all received Grammy Award nominations and “Memos” won a Grammy. He has released three additional albums and performed on several others.

Daniels has performed at jazz clubs and festivals throughout the country and also has performed classical music with the London Symphony, the Tokyo Symphony, the Polish Chamber Orchestra and others in concerts throughout the United States, Europe and Japan.

“We are very fortunate to have an artist like Eddie Daniels for our Jazz Festival,” said Bingham. “We also are fortunate that we were able to attract very high caliber musicians to serve as clinicians.”

Admission to festival events will be $5 on Thursday and Friday and $8 on Saturday. Marshall students with valid identification cards will be admitted free.

To obtain further details about the Jazz Festival contact the Marshall University Department of Music. 696-3117.

CTC task force formed

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programs and student credit transfer issues. It is to report its findings by April 1 of this year.

Dr. George B. Vaughan, professor of community college education at North Carolina State University and associate director of the Academy for Community College Leadership, Development, Innovation and Modeling (ACCLAIM), will serve as a consultant to the task force, Gilley said.

The Marshall Community College began operation in the fall of 1975 with 40 students and currently enrolls more than 1,600 in its programs. It serves hundreds of others through a variety of non-credit, continuing education courses each semester. Graduates of two-year programs earn associate degrees and many continue into third- and fourth-year programs at Marshall and other institutions.

Other members of the task force are Dr. Sarah Denman, associate vice president for academic affairs; Dr. Betty J. Jarrell, professor and chair, Business and Office Technology; Linda S. Wilkinson, associate professor and chair, Developmental and General Studies; Dr. Caroline A. Perkins, assistant professor, Classical Studies; Dr. William E. Walker, associate professor, Family and Community Health; Gerald McDonald, president, Huntington Area Development Council; David N. Harris, president, Basic Supply Co., and David Groves, director of vocational, technical and adult education for Cabell County.

MBA degree available

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"It will be positive for the economic development of the area. Those with technical and liberal arts backgrounds can obtain their MBA’s in a convenient way without leaving to do so."

This is a special off-campus program which is being sponsored by Bank One. Other regional firms have agreed to be underwriters for the program including BASF, Cabell Huntington Hospital, Hospice of Huntington, AKZO Chemical and Medscripts, Inc.

Kent noted that many of the available slots have already been taken by the underwriters. Those seeking admission to the program must make satisfactory scores on the Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT). Additional information is available from Dr. Chandra Akkihal, Director of the MBA program, 696-2613.

‘Beyond the Dream VI’ will be presented Feb. 2

“Beyond the Dream VI: A Celebration of Black History” will be presented at Marshall University on Wednesday, Feb. 2, from 1 to 3 p.m. in the Shawkey Room in Memorial Student Center.

The program, open to the public free of charge, will bring together national political figures, business leaders, political scientists, historians and educators to discuss the growing power of African-Americans and other minorities in politics and the critical role of politics in forging solutions to our social ills, according to Kenneth E. Blue, associate vice president for multicultural affairs at Marshall.

Three major topics will be discussed: “Current Political Power and Challenges,” “Profiles in Black Politics” and “Coalition Building.”

The program is being presented in conjunction with Marshall’s Celebration of Black History Month. To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Office of Multicultural and International Programs, 696-5430.
Award-winning documentary scheduled

"Black to the Promised Land," a unique documentary that tracks a bold and fascinating cross-cultural experiment, will be presented at Marshall University on Sunday, Feb. 6, at 7 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center.

The film follows 11 African-American teenagers and their Jewish teacher, Stewart Bialer, from their home in one of New York City's poorest neighborhoods to Kibbutz Lehavot Habashan at the foot of the Golan Heights in Israel where they spent three months working side by side with Israelis as members of the Kibbutz.

Kenneth E. Blue, associate vice president for multicultural affairs at Marshall, said, "The film is a fascinating study of the value of a diverse educational experience for disadvantaged youth and Kibbutz members. It is a powerful and moving portrayal of the importance of cross-cultural exchange."

He said the documentary, which was voted "Audience Favorite" at the 1992 San Francisco International Film Festival, examines the effects of this unusual experiment in alternative education as the students attempt to resume life in the inner-city.

Bialer and two of the students will discuss the film, the cross-cultural exchange and answer questions following the presentation which is open to the public free of charge. There will be a reception following the presentation.

"This documentary challenges the myths and stereotypes that have been fostered in both the African-American and Jewish communities," said Blue.

The program is being sponsored by Marshall's Office of Multicultural and International Programs and the Federated Jewish Charities of Huntington.

To obtain further details contact the Office of Multicultural and International Programs, 696-5430.

Architects win award

Two beautification projects at Marshall University have won an award for the landscape architects, R.J. Ankrom Associates of Vienna, W.Va.

MU Vice President for Administration K. Edward Grose, who directed the work for Marshall, was notified by the Ankrom company that it had received a merit award from the West Virginia Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects for its work on the Central Field and Old Main landscaping projects.

Central Field, located in the heart of Marshall's main campus, was upgraded from its former use as an intramural sports field with the addition of sidewalks, small plazas, trees and bushes, as well as new lighting.

The Old Main project included renovated walkways, new plazas, benches, replacement and addition of flowers, shrubs and bushes, improved lighting and a new brick wall outside Marshall's oldest structure with a concrete sign identifying the university.

"We're very pleased the Marshall projects were chosen for a well-deserved award," MU President J. Wade Gilley said. "At the same time, I'm particularly gratified by the outstanding initiative Vice President Grose has demonstrated in developing a whole series of projects designed to beautify our campus. The impact of his accomplishments will be felt for many years to come."

MU departments merged

The Department of History and the Department of Social Studies have officially merged into a single Department of History, according to Dr. Donna Spindel, chair of the Department of History.

The History Department has moved from Smith Hall and is now located on the first floor of Harris Hall. Telephone numbers for the History Department and the former Social Studies Department have not changed.

Quinlan funds available

Applications for the third round of Quinlan Faculty Travel funding are due in the Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs by Feb. 7.

Application forms are available in the Faculty Senate Office or the Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs.

Purchasing Office plans seminar and trade show

Marshall University's Purchasing Department will host a free seminar and trade show for minority and women business owners on Friday, Feb. 11, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Holiday Inn-Downtown University.

The purpose of the event is to encourage more minority and women owned businesses to sell their goods and services to the state of West Virginia and its colleges and universities, promote economic development and marketing opportunities for minority and women business owners and bring representatives of these businesses together with purchasing agents from the area's major corporations, public institutions and government agencies, according to Barbara Smentkowski of Marshall's Purchasing and Materials Management Office.

Presentations on how to increase sales to state and federal agencies and economic development programs available through Marshall's Research and Economic Development Center will begin at 10 a.m. A free luncheon at noon will be followed by a presentation by Dee Cook, a local entrepreneur and advocate for women.

During the afternoon session regional public and corporate purchasing agents will have the opportunity to evaluate goods and services offered by the minority and women owned businesses. Representatives of the businesses are encouraged to display company portfolios, product literature and samples.

To obtain further details contact Smentkowski at Marshall University's Office of Purchasing and Materials Management, 696-3157.
GMU professor gives $10,000 to MU

Are you listening Mr. Ripley?
Believe it or not. Marshall University has received a gift of $10,000--from a faculty member at another university.

Marshall Vice President for Institutional Advancement Edward G. “Ned” Boehm Jr. said the unsolicited gift was sent to the Marshall University Foundation, Inc. by Nobel Laureate James M. Buchanan, who teaches at George Mason University in Fairfax, Va.

“Dr. Buchanan designated the gift for a Presidential Lecture Series to bring distinguished scholars from all across the nation and the world to Marshall University,” Boehm said. He noted that Buchanan, who was awarded the Nobel Prize in Economics in 1986, made the contribution in honor of Dr. J. Wade Gilley, Marshall’s president since 1991.

While serving as senior vice president of George Mason, Gilley recruited Buchanan and six other senior economists with whom he was associated to GMU in 1983. Recently, Buchanan donated his Nobel Prize and his papers to a newly-constructed Buchanan Center on the George Mason campus.

Prior to joining George Mason, Buchanan had held distinguished professorships at the University of Virginia, UCLA and Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (VPI).

The quintessential faculty member, Buchanan is known for his lack of awe of university administrators. Boehm said, “so it’s quite an honor for him to designate $10,000 in recognition of President Gilley.”

Betty Tillman, Buchanan’s longtime assistant, said the contribution was made in respect for “what Wade Gilley is doing at Marshall.”

Center has funds for foreign seminars, books

Marshall University’s Center for International Studies has received funding for a series of International Faculty Development seminars to be held abroad in the summer and fall of 1994.

Anyone actively involved in teaching one or more courses with an international focus is eligible for the seminars. Stipends will cover room and board and most of the airfare.

To obtain a brochure or further details contact Dr. Carolyn Karr, 696-2962.

The center also has received funding for the purchase of library books that focus on Japan, China and Latin America. If you have book orders in those fields send them to Dr. Karr.

Reassigned time granted

Nine members of the Marshall University graduate faculty have been awarded reassigned time for the 1994 spring semester to pursue special research or creative arts projects, according to Dr. Leonard J. Deutsch, dean of the Graduate School.

An ad hoc committee of members from the Research and Graduate Committee awarded reassigned time to: Richard Badenhausen (English), Frank Gilliam (Biological Sciences), William Palmer (History), Judith Silver (Mathematics), Stan Sporny (Art), Jagan Valluri (Biological Sciences), John Van Kirk (English), David Walker (Computer Science), and William Wallace (Counseling).

The ad hoc committee consisted of Gregg Davis, chair (Economics), Kathleen Bledsoe (Library), David Castleberry (Music), Dan Evans (Biological Sciences), and Sue Linnenkohl (Home Economics).

Letter of appreciation

Dear Marshall Faculty and Staff:

I would like to thank my Marshall friends and family for your support and encouragement during my time at the university as a student and para-professional staff member.

Although I miss the many people that make my alma mater such a wonderful place. I love my new position as academic coordinator for the Student Support Services Program at Washington State Community College in Marietta, Ohio, and all is going well.

Marshall and the memories will always hold a special place in my heart. Thanks for everything.

Sincerely,

Denise Norris
First Delta Pi Epsilon chapter established

West Virginia's first chapter of Delta Pi Epsilon, a national honorary professional graduate research society in business education and office administration, has been established through Marshall University and will hold its first meeting and installation of officers on Saturday, Feb. 26, in Charleston.

Dr. Robert S. Kriebel, assistant professor of business education and office administration at Marshall, will serve as adviser for the organization.

Kriebel said, "Delta Pi Epsilon is open to all graduate students who have had graduate courses in business education or office administration. Persons who already are members of chapters in other states also can join the new West Virginia chapter by affiliation or membership transfer."

MU Alumni Association selling Old Main prints

The Marshall University Alumni Association will benefit from sales of a limited edition, signed and numbered watercolor print of the university's Old Main building by internationally renowned artist P. Buckley Moss.

Alumni Director Linda S. Holmes said advance orders are being taken now for prints that are scheduled to be released in early May 1994. Production scheduling prevents giving an exact release date at this time. Each person who has placed an order with the authorized dealers will receive notification of the exact release date as soon as the date is confirmed by the publishing company.

Prints will sell for $125 and may be ordered through either of two dealers: Designer Art & Framing of Ashland, Ky., 1-800-329-2962, or All Thru the House Collectibles and Gifts of Scott Depot, W.Va., 1-800-498-3745.

Moss is widely known in the U.S. for her work in watercolors, etching and silk-screen. She also exhibits regularly in Japan. Donations by Moss of her paintings and prints have raised more than $1.5 million for charities in the U.S. and for relief service in Africa. Assisting Moss in her charity work is the P. Buckley Moss Collectors' Society, with more than 40 chapters.

AFL-CIO sponsoring intern

The AFL-CIO's Labor Research Internship Program is open to students who will have completed at least one year of graduate work by June 1994, according to Dr. Leonard J. Deutsch, dean of the Marshall University Graduate School.

The internship is a one-year position in the Economic Research Department. It will begin July 1.

Responsibilities include economic research and statistical analysis in areas such as employment, foreign trade, taxation, labor legislation and collective bargaining. The salary will be $525 per week.

The application deadline will be March 1. To obtain further details contact the Marshall Graduate School Office, 113 Old Main.

Founded in 1936, Delta Pi Epsilon is a national honorary professional graduate society for men and women devoted to the advancement and professionalization of business education.

"Through its ideals of scholarship, leadership and cooperation, the society strives to make significant and unique contributions to professional growth and scholarly achievement in business education," said Kriebel.

Officers to be installed during the first meeting are:

John Mower of the Putnam County Technical Center, president; Debby Midkiff of Marshall University's Community and Technical College, vice president; Teresa Mann of the Huntington Junior College of Business, treasurer; Dora Waldeck of the Taylor County Technical Center, recording secretary; Sandy LaVoie of Sissonville High School, corresponding secretary, and Susan Lawrence of Hinton High School, historian.

Officers will be installed by Betty J. Brown of Ball State University, Muncie, Ind., national president of Delta Pi Epsilon, and Dr. Robert B. Mitchell, the society's executive director in Little Rock, Ark.

Persons interested in obtaining further details or joining the West Virginia chapter can contact Kriebel at Marshall University, 696-3075.

Trip to Columbus set

The Division of Continuing Education in Marshall University's Community and Technical College is sponsoring a trip to Columbus, Ohio, for a performance of "The Great Radio City Music Hall Spectacular" featuring The Rockettes and Susan Anton on Saturday, March 5.

A limited number of tickets are available for the trip which will include time to shop at the City Center Mall, according to Richard Hensley, director of continuing education at Marshall.

Tickets will be $65 which includes transportation, main floor seating for the 2 p.m. performance at the Palace Theater, a City Center Mall discount card and escorts.

"With its trademark Radio City style, the world-famous Rockettes, Susan Anton, singers, dancers, lavish sets and costumes, this should be a great show," said Hensley.

To order tickets or obtain further details contact the Division of Continuing Education at Marshall University's Community and Technical College, 696-3113.

Theatre opens new year

The Marshall University Theatre Department will present "The 1940s Radio Hour" Feb. 16, 17, 18 and 19 at 8 p.m. and Feb. 20 at 2 p.m. in the Joan C. Edwards Playhouse in the Fine and Performing Arts Center.

Written by Walton Jones with music by various artists, the play recreates a live broadcast of The Mutual Manhattan Variety Cavalcade from the Algonquin Room of the Hotel Astor. It features various tunes from the World War II era.

To obtain further details and ticket information contact the Marshall University Theatre Box Office, 696-2787.
Marshall faculty and staff achievements

Dr. KEITH E. BARENKLAU, director of the Safety Technology Program, will present a paper titled "Measurement of Ergonomic Program Success" at the International Symposium: Ergonomics which will be held June 24-25, 1994, in Las Vegas. BARENKLAU's abstract for the presentation was selected by the Peer Review Committee of the American Society of Safety Engineers on Nov. 23.

Dr. HOWARD R. D. GORDON, associate professor of adult and technical education, attended the American Vocational Association conference held Dec. 3-7 in Nashville, Tenn. He made two presentations for the Adult Vocational Education Association: "Houle's Typology--Time for Reconsideration" and "Motivational Orientations of Adult Education Graduates." He also chaired a research session for the American Vocational Education Research Association. The theme for the research session was "Scholarship on Alternative Research/Programming Strategies."

EARLE F. VANCE, grants officer for the Marshall University Research Corporation, participated in the national EPSCoR (Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research) Conference held recently in Rapid City, S.D., where he discussed national science policy with leaders in government, business and education from throughout the United States. The National Science Foundation established EPSCoR in 1979 to foster systematic and sustainable change in the capacities of universities in eligible states to support nationally competitive research and assure broad geographic distribution of research awards.

Dr. ROBERT KRIEBEL, assistant professor of business education and office administration, recently attended the annual convention of the American Vocational Association held in Nashville, Tenn. He assisted with the Delta Pi Epsilon programming section of the convention. KRIEBEL will be the faculty adviser to the new West Virginia Chapter of Delta Pi Epsilon to be installed in February. Delta Pi Epsilon is a national honorary professional graduate research society.

Dr. DONALD J. CANNON of the Pathology Department presented a paper titled "Role of the Laboratory in the Diagnosis and Therapy of Prostate Cancer" at the fall meeting of the Association of Clinical Scientists held in Toledo, Ohio. Dr. ERNEST M. WALKER, chair of the Department of Pathology, presented two papers at the same meeting: "Clinical Analysis of Selected Anticancer Drugs" and "Use and Toxicity of Cis-platin Compounds." Dr. HOWARD QUITTNER of the Pathology Department presented a workshop on "Total Automated Immunoassay for Multiple Tumor Markers" during the meeting.

Dr. MARJORIE KEATLEY, associate professor of business and office technology, and DENECIA MERRITT-DAMRON, assistant professor of business and office technology, attended the American Vocational Association's national convention held Dec. 2-6 in Nashville, Tenn.

ANESSA HAMILTON, coordinator of Greek affairs, and Dr. PAT BROWN, associate dean of student affairs in Marshall's School of Medicine, attended the National Interfraternity Conference and the Association of Fraternity Advisors held Dec. 1-5 in San Diego, Calif. HAMILTON was elected member at large Central Region of the National Panhelhelicnic Council and Diversity Committee representative to the American Fraternity Advisor's Association.

Dr. ROBERT P. ALEXANDER, distinguished professor of management, has been appointed staff photographer for the West Virginia Municipal League's newsletter, League Sites. He recently conducted a workshop on "Parliamentary Procedure Fundamentals" for the Friends of the Cabell County Public Library. ALEXANDER also was recently elected chair of the KYOVA Intenational Planning Commission which advises federal and state agencies on transportation (roads, etc.) plans in the area. He has had two peer reviewed papers accepted for presentation: one at the national meeting of the Academy of Business Administration in February 1994 and the other at the annual meeting of the Western Decision Sciences Institute in March 1994.

Dr. LEONARD J. DEUTSCH, dean of the Graduate School, gave a seminar on "Opportunities in Graduate Education" to the National Society of Black Engineers on Dec. 11 at the Cabell County Library.

Dr. BARBARA GUYER, director of the H.E.L.P. Program, and YVEA E. DUNCAN, coordinator of the Medical H.E.L.P. Program, presented a paper titled "The Dyslexic Medical Student and Physician: Prescription for Success" at a meeting of the International Orton Dyslexia Society held in November at New Orleans. GUYER also conducted a seminar for college students who attended the conference to discuss topics they wished to explore in more detail.


ROBERT BICKEL and LINDA LANGE of the Educational Foundations Department are co-authors of a paper titled "Opportunities, Costs and High School Completion in West Virginia." The paper has been accepted for presentation at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems being held Aug. 4-6 in Los Angeles.

Dr. PHILLIP PREY. Professor LAURA WYANT and Dr. HOWARD R.D. GORDON of the Adult and Technical Education Program attended a seminar held Jan. 12 in Charleston. "Using the Full Power of DOS" was the title of the program conducted by Dunn & Bradshaw Business Education Services of New York.

Dr. MICHAEL P. CASTELLANI, associate professor of chemistry, had a paper titled "Equilibrium Constants for Homolysis of Metal-Metal Bonded Organometallic Dimers in Cyclohexane Solution. Reaction of the (MeCp)Mo(CO)3 Radical with the Nitroxide Radical Trap TM10" published in the December issue of Organometallics (1993, 12, 5000-5004).

Office needs envelopes

The Oral History of Appalachia Office is in need of large campus envelopes. Persons or offices that have a surplus of large campus envelopes that can be donated to the Oral History of Appalachia program can contact Gina Kates, Smith Hall Room 778E, or call 696-6799.