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# NEWSLETTER

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## MU women will be honored during event

The Marshall University Office of Women's Programs will sponsor its annual Celebration of Women awards ceremony on Wednesday, March 31, at 1 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge, according to Dr. Donnalee Cockrille, interim associate dean of student activities at Marshall.

"I Am Every Woman" will be the theme for this year's program which will feature a presentation by writer and musician Kate Long.

A West Virginia native, Long is a professional writing

## *Nobel committee member to attend SOM activity*

More than 50 scientific presentations and talks by a member of the Nobel Prize Committee will highlight the sixth annual Research Day of the Marshall University School of Medicine.

Research Day activities, which are open to the public, will run from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday, March 9, at the Holiday Inn Gateway. Students, residents and faculty members will make 57 research and clinical case presentations throughout the day. There is no registration fee, but those who wish to attend the luncheon must pre-register by calling 696-7019.

Dr. Erling Norrby, an internationally renowned virologist who serves on the Nobel Prize Committee, will be the keynote speaker. He will discuss the selection process for the Nobel Prize in medicine.

In addition, he will present the Research Day Opening Lecture at 7 p.m. March 8 in Marshall's new Fine and Performing Arts Center at 1659 Fifth Ave. His topic will be "Immunization against HIV-2 and SIV in cynomolgus macaque monkeys." The lecture is free and open to the public.

Norrby, who is dean and professor of medicine at the Karolinska Institute School of Medicine, collaborates in research with Dr. Maurice Mufson, chairman of medicine at Marshall.

### **Special senate meeting set**

A special Marshall University Faculty Senate meeting will be held Thursday, March 11, at 4 p.m. in the lounge on the eighth floor of Smith Hall.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the proposed "Sexual Harassment Policy."

Dr. Edouard Piou, Marshall's affirmative action officer, will be present to address specific questions and concerns.

teacher and serves as writing coach for the Charleston Gazette. She also is a public radio commentator and an accomplished musician. Her album, "Pieces of Heart," features 12 original compositions.

Long presents numerous workshops on writing and music and is known for her interest and work with domestic violence benefits. She has received national awards for her writing, newspaper projects and video productions.

Several Marshall University students will receive scholarships and awards during the ceremony.

Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of outstanding contributions to community or university service, triumph over personal adversity, outstanding achievement related to academic interests, outstanding contributions to interracial and multicultural understanding and/or efforts to enhance gender equity.

Outstanding women leaders in Marshall University student organizations and outstanding young women from Tri-State area high schools also will be recognized.

The ceremony will be open to the public free of charge. To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Office of Women's Programs, 696-3112.

## UHSP meeting planned

High school journalism students from West Virginia, Ohio and Kentucky will meet at Marshall University Friday and Saturday, April 2-3, for the 1993 United High School Press Convention.

Journalism students and their instructors from approximately 40 high schools are expected to participate in the convention's workshops, meetings and awards competition, according to Debra Belluomini, a member of Marshall's journalism faculty and director of the convention.

She said more than 100 awards will be presented to high school newspaper, yearbook and broadcasting staffs at the 66th annual UHSP banquet on Saturday.

Sponsored by Marshall's W. Page Pitt School of Journalism and Mass Communications, the United High School Press Convention was established to improve and elevate the quality of scholastic journalism throughout West Virginia and the Tri-State area. It was founded by the school's first journalism professor, Page Pitt, in 1927.

"We hope to help student journalists and their advisers by sponsoring UHSP," said Belluomini. "Teachers need to know they have support in what they are doing. Through critiques of their publications, the workshops and other events, we want to help journalism teachers and publication staffs."

Paul Schweiger, adviser for the Spectrum, an award-

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# Meet-the-Scholars nominations sought

The Marshall University Meet-the-Scholars Program Committee is currently accepting nominations for the next award, according to Dr. Kenneth E. Guyer, chairman of the committee.

An ongoing project, the program is designed to bring distinguished Marshall faculty scholars together with citizens of the Tri-State region. It is meant to acquaint the community with the breadth and depth of academic expertise available on the Marshall campus.

The award is presented each semester to an outstanding Marshall scholar. The following procedures and criteria will be used by the program committee in selecting award recipients.

## I. General Guidelines:

Announcement of the schedule and criteria for selection will be published in the *Marshall University Newsletter*.

Nominations may be made in writing by any faculty member and are to be submitted to the Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs or the chairman of the program committee by the announced deadline. Members of the committee may also nominate.

Nominations should include the following credentials: **A current vita, brief statement of current research or artistic activity, and one supporting letter from another faculty member in the case of self-nomination.**

After nominations are submitted and the closing date for nominations has occurred, the committee will reduce the nominations to five, with no more than two people per college or school. The committee may elect in the final stages of deliberation to invite nominees to discuss informally their research or artistic activity.

The committee will then reduce the nominations to two people from whom the award recipient will be selected.

All nominees will be kept informed of their status as the deliberations proceed. Any member of the committee may be nominated for this award, but in the event this occurs, the member under consideration will not participate in the committee's deliberations for that semester.

## II. Specific Criteria:

The following criteria will be applied in the selection of the award recipient:

### A. General:

1. The criteria will be weighed in accordance with

the professional standards in the particular field.

2. During the course of its deliberations the committee may elect to consult with recognized experts in the nominee's field.

3. While teaching as a criterion will not be considered for this award, the percentage of time that the nominee spends teaching may be a relevant factor because time left for research/artistic activity may be affected.

4. While the committee will strive to adhere to its stated standards, it may have to consider other factors and exceptions as particular cases arise.

### B. Research Criteria:

Specific activities to be considered include: publications--peer-review papers, articles and books; regional, national and international meetings--invited papers and papers presented will carry the most weight, but the chairing of sessions and attendance also are worth noting; professional awards; patents; grants--dollar amounts will be weighed according to the field.

### C. Artistic Criteria:

Specific activities to be considered include: composition--literary, musical, choreographic, theatrical and visual arts; performance; directing or conducting; production; design.

Artistic criteria include: publications, exhibitions, performances, broadcasts, published reviews, public and professional recognition, juried competitions, professional awards, fellowships, grants and commissions (with the understanding that these may well be in smaller dollar amounts than those in the sciences).

**The deadline for nominations and applications for the fall award will be Friday, Oct. 23, 1992. Award recipients receive a special plaque and a \$1,000 cash award from the Marshall University Foundation to be presented at a special evening reception at a date to be announced.**

**All prospective applicants and nominees are reminded that the selection process may involve an interview to be conducted following nominations.**

**Persons who have already submitted nominations or applications should check with Dr. Guyer, concerning completeness of the written material.**

# Castleberry will direct unique choir

Dr. David H. Castleberry, director of choral activities at Marshall University, has been named choir director for the first World Scholar-Athlete Games which will be held June 20 through July 1 in Providence, R.I.

Ellen Miller, a spokeswoman for the games, said Castleberry was chosen from an extensive list of international choir directors and instructors.

The World-Scholar Athlete Games will feature 2,000

students from throughout the United States and up to 100 countries who will participate in activities such as basketball, volleyball, tennis, sailing, soccer, art, writing and singing.

Students selected to participate must be 16 to 19 years old and demonstrate academic excellence, proficiency in their chosen activity and leadership qualities.

All participants will take part in an extensive educational program designed to foster intense dialogue about five themes: the environment, world peace, substance abuse, ethics and international commerce.

In an effort to foster international communication, all teams at the games will be randomly selected and multinational.

The World Scholar-Athlete Games' Choir will feature 200 students from the United States and up to 50 countries. The choir will practice for two public performances, including the closing ceremonies at the Providence Civic Center.

Castleberry is an accomplished conductor, tenor and clinician. He received his bachelor's degree in church music from Furman University and his master's and doctoral degrees in conducting from the University of Texas at Austin.

He has toured nationally and internationally as a conductor and vocalist in a variety of works.

His recent credits include concerts at Lincoln Center, the Brooklyn Academy of Music and the Riverside Church, guest appearances with the West Village Chorale and collaborations with conductors Lukas Foss and John Rutter.

## Bailey to be honored

Dr. Nell C. Bailey, associate professor of education and special assistant to the president at Marshall University, will be awarded the Robert H. Shaffer Distinguished Alumna Award from the Department of Higher Education at Indiana University, according to Dr. George D. Kuh, professor of higher education at Indiana University.

The award will be presented to Bailey during the annual meeting of the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators which will be held this month in Boston, Mass.

In a letter informing Marshall University President J. Wade Gilley about the award, Kuh said, "Indiana University is privileged to include among its graduates an exemplary professional such as Dr. Bailey. You are, indeed, fortunate to have her as an integral member of the Marshall community."

Bailey joined the Marshall administration in 1980 as dean of students. She was named vice president and dean of student affairs in 1984 and served in that position until she decided to return to teaching this year.

A native of Salem, W.Va., she received her bachelor's degree from Salem College and her master's degree from Kent State University. She earned her doctorate in educational administration from Indiana University.

Prior to accepting a position at Marshall she held administrative and teaching assignments at Salem, Kent State, Indiana, Bethany College and Illinois State University.

## WVU waivers available

Application forms for West Virginia University summer tuition waivers are available in the Marshall University Graduate School Office, according to Dr. Leonard Deutsch, Graduate School dean.

Full-time faculty and staff members are eligible for waivers, with a maximum award of three hours per summer term or a total of six credit hours. All six credit hours may be taken in one session.

Persons interested in applying for waivers for both summer terms must submit separate forms for each session.

Applications will be due in the MU Graduate School Office by Wednesday, March 31.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Graduate School Office, 696-2816.

## UHSP convention will be held here April 2-3

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winning yearbook at Shaler Area High School in Pittsburgh, Pa., will be the keynote speaker for the banquet. Belluomini said the Spectrum has one of the most successful advertising campaigns in the nation.

Marshall's School of Journalism and Mass Communications will award a scholarship to an outstanding high school journalist and present a Macintosh computer to the school judged to be the most deserving on the basis of an essay contest.

The West Virginia Press Women also will recognize winners in five categories. First place winners in the five categories will be presented cash awards of \$25 and be given the opportunity to compete in a national competition.

On Friday students will attend critique sessions and tour Marshall's newspaper, radio and television facilities. Workshops and the banquet will be held Saturday.

To obtain further details about the convention contact Belluomini at Marshall University's School of Journalism and Mass Communications, 696-2736.

# Continuing education courses offered

Marshall University's Community and Technical College will sponsor 13 additional continuing education/community service courses during the remainder of the spring semester, according to Richard Hensley, director of continuing education at Marshall.

Hensley said classes, the first beginning March 15, will be diverse enough to appeal to a wide variety of needs and interests.

The schedule includes the following:

-**"Intermediate Computers"** on Mondays from April 12 through May 17, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in Northcott Hall Room 101, \$56.

-**"Intermediate Computers"** on Fridays from April 16 through May 21, 5:15 to 7:15 p.m. in Northcott Hall Room 101, \$56.

## Class can stop smoking

Marshall University's Office of Student Health Education Programs will sponsor "Fresh Start," a smoking cessation class developed by the American Cancer Society, beginning Monday, March 22, at 5 p.m. in Prichard Hall.

One-hour classes will be held on Mondays and Wednesdays for two weeks, according to Carla Lapelle, coordinator of Student Health Education Programs.

The course will be open to the public free of charge, however enrollment will be limited.

To register or obtain further details contact the Office of Student Health Education Programs at Marshall University, 696-4800.

## Professional athlete to make presentations

Greg Lloyd, an All-Pro football player for the Pittsburgh Steelers, will be the featured speaker for Marshall University's observance of National Drug Awareness Week, according to Kim Reece, area coordinator for residence services in Twin Towers East.

Lloyd will make an anti-drug presentation during a carnival celebrating "Drug Free Kids Night" on Wednesday, March 10, from 7 to 9 p.m. in W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center

Several activities will take place during the carnival and Marshall University student-athletes will participate in the event. Reece said all youth and parents in the Tri-State area are invited to take part in the carnival. She also urges all community youth organizations to attend.

Lloyd will lead a collegiate drug awareness discussion and make a presentation designed for Marshall students, faculty and staff and community residents following the carnival at 9:15 p.m. in the Henderson Center Arena. Marshall student-athletes and coaches also will attend the presentation which is open to the public free of charge.

The events are being sponsored by the Marshall University Department of Residence Services and the student organization, BACCHUS.

To obtain further details contact Reece at 696-3178.

-**"Intermediate Computers"** on Saturdays from April 24 through May 22, 9:15 to 11:45 a.m. in Northcott Hall Room 101, \$56.

-**"Intermediate WordPerfect"** on Tuesdays from April 13 through May 18, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in Corbly Hall Room 437, \$60.

-**"Intermediate WordPerfect"** on Fridays from April 16 through May 21, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in Corbly Hall Room 437, \$60.

-**"Advanced WordPerfect"** on Fridays from April 16 through May 21, 6:45 to 8:45 p.m. in Corbly Hall Room 439, \$60.

-**"Desktop Publishing I"** on Fridays from April 16 through May 21, 5:15 to 7:15 p.m. in Corbly Hall Room 438, \$60.

-**"D-Base"** on Thursdays from April 15 through May 27, 4:30 to 6:15 p.m. in Corbly Hall Room 437, \$56.

-**"Autocad I"** on Fridays from April 16 through May 21, 5:15 to 7:15 p.m. in Corbly Hall Room 439, \$60.

-**"Intermediate Lotus 1-2-3"** on Wednesdays from April 14 through May 26, 4:30 to 6:15 p.m. in Corbly Hall Room 437, \$60.

-**"Public Speaking"** on Mondays from March 15 through April 19, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., location to be announced, \$45.

-**"Basic Upholstery"** on Tuesdays from March 16 through May 4, 6 to 9 p.m. in Sorrell Annex, \$84.

-**"Eating Disorders/Nutrition"** on Saturday, March 27, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Community and Technical College Building, \$55.

There will be a 10 percent discount for persons enrolling in more than one course.

Enrollment will be limited. Continuing education units will be awarded for participation in the courses.

Hensley said the Continuing Education Office also can develop specialized programs in subjects such as computer skills, time management and total quality management for businesses and organizations.

To register or obtain further details about the programs contact the Marshall University Community and Technical College Division of Continuing Education, 696-3113.

## TIAA program scheduled

"It's Your Future," a financial review seminar, will be presented by TIAA-CREFF at Marshall University on Tuesday, March 9, in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge from 2 to 4 p.m.

The program will be repeated on March 9 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the Alumni Lounge and on Wednesday, March 10, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the Alumni Lounge.

The program will focus on the fine points of retirement planning and financial security and will be open to employee spouses, according to Judy Blevins of the MU Department of Human Resources.

Topics will include investing for retirement, inflation and taxes.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Department of Human Resources.

# Marshall faculty and staff achievements

LINDA S. HOLMES, director of alumni affairs, was elected secretary of the West Virginia Alumni Directors Association during the association's Feb. 24 meeting at the Charleston Civic Center. She also served as moderator on a panel titled "Working With Your Alumni Board."

Dr. STEVEN HATFIELD, professor of mathematics, attended the first annual Ohio MATYC Graphing Calculator Institute held Feb. 7-8 at Columbus (Ohio) State

## *Fraternity sponsoring jump-a-thon for funds*

Marshall University's Zeta Rho chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi will hold a trampoline "Jump-a-Thon" on Saturday, March 27, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at 1611 Fifth Ave.

Proceeds from the event will be equally divided between the Salvation Army and the chapter. The chapter will use its share of the proceeds to fund its trip to the national Alpha Kappa Psi convention.

Members currently are seeking donations for the Jump-a-Thon from businesses and individuals.

Alpha Kappa Psi is a professional business fraternity founded in 1904. Marshall's chapter was established in 1965 and currently has 20 members.

Marshall's Zeta Rho chapter has been named the best chapter in the nation three out of the last four years.

To obtain further details about the Jump-a-Thon or the fraternity contact Lisa Metheney, 696-6492 or 525-4825.

## 'Ju Dou' to be shown

The Marshall Artists Series will present the foreign film, "Ju Dou," on Sunday, March 7, at 3 p.m. at the Keith-Albee Theatre.

Directed by Zhang Yimou, who also directed "Red Sorghum," the film was banned by the post-Tiananmen Chinese government. This Academy Award nominee is the story of the owner of a rural cloth-dyeing factory, his wife and son.

Tickets will be \$5. Full-time Marshall students with valid identification and activity cards will be admitted free. Marshall faculty, staff and part-time students will be admitted for half-price. To obtain further details contact the Marshall Artists Series Office, 696-6656.

### **Letter of appreciation**

Dear Marshall Faculty and Staff:

We would like to express many thanks and much appreciation to all those who were so thoughtful and generous in our time of need when our home burned.

Words cannot express what your kindness has meant.

Sincerely,  
Leonard & Dorcas "Dee" Church

Community College.

Dr. RALPH E. OBERLY of the Department of Physics and Physical Science attended the winter meeting of the American Association of Physics Teachers held Jan. 2-8 in New Orleans. He presented an invited paper on "U.K. Modules vs. U.S. Courses: A Comparison of Physics Teaching in the Two Systems."

Dr. ROBERT DEUTSCH, academic accounting, had an article titled "Software Tools Document Internal Control Systems" published in the December 1992 issue of the Journal of Accountancy.

Dr. ROBERT P. ALEXANDER, distinguished professor of management, conducted a seminar on "Negotiation Techniques" for the 25th annual conference of the South-eastern Airport Management Association held Feb. 23 at Auburn University. The program was presented by Auburn's College of Engineering as part of the continuing Engineering Education Program.

Dr. HISHAM AL-HADDAD, assistant professor of computer science, participated as a speaker and session chair in the joint meeting of the Symposium on Applied Computing and Computer Science Conference held Feb. 14-18 at Indianapolis. AL-HADDAD presented a paper on "Dynamic Selection and Reuse of Implementation in the Object-Oriented Paradigm."

## MAS will present 'Shakespeare, Abridged'

The Reduced Shakespeare Company will perform "The Complete Shakespeare, Abridged" for the Marshall Artists Series on Friday, March 12, at 10:30 a.m. in the Keith-Albee Theatre.

The performance will be a shortened, comical look at all of Shakespeare's major works. Celeste Winters Nunley, MAS director, said the performance has been described as "all 37 of Shakespeare's plays as written by Reader's Digest, acted by Monty Python and performed at the speed of the minute waltz."

Tickets will be \$6. Public school children will be admitted for \$3. School children who cannot afford tickets will be admitted free. Marshall students with valid identification and activity cards and retired MU faculty and staff will be admitted free. Marshall faculty and staff and part-time MU students will be admitted for half-price.

## *Fellowships available*

Fellowships for college teachers and independent scholars are available through the National Endowment for the Humanities, according to Dr. Leonard Deutsch, dean of the Marshall University Graduate School.

The maximum stipend is \$30,000. The deadline for applications is May 1.

To obtain further details contact the Graduate School Office, Old Main Room 113.

# Safety conference scheduled April 1-2

"Current Trends in Safety" will be the theme for the 11th annual Marshall University Safety Conference which will be held Thursday and Friday, April 1-2, at the Radisson Hotel in Huntington.

The conference will feature several guest speakers and

## 'Concern' programs set

Marshall University's Office of Substance Abuse Education Programs will sponsor a series of discussions dealing with alcohol and drug abuse, eating disorders, domestic violence and other topics on Tuesdays beginning March 9, according to Sharla Meade, substance abuse coordinator at Marshall.

"Concern Series" programs will be held at 2:30 p.m. in Memorial Student Center Room 2W22. The programs will be open to the public free of charge.

The schedule includes:

- March 9--"Co-Dependency";
- March 23--"Women and Alcohol";
- March 30--"Eating Disorders";
- April 6--"Domestic Violence";
- April 13--"How to Help a Friend with a Problem";
- April 20--"Date Rape."

To obtain further details about the "Concern Series" contact Meade at Marshall University's Office of Substance Abuse Education Programs, 696-3315.

## Grant seeks researcher

The William T. Grant Foundation is seeking an institutional nomination of a junior faculty member doing research on the well-being and healthy development of children, adolescents and youth, according to Dr. Leonard Deutsch, dean of the MU Graduate School.

Faculty in the following fields may apply: anthropology, economics, education, history, pediatrics and sociology or interdisciplinary fields.

Awards of up to \$35,000 per year for five years are available to supplement salaries.

The application deadline is April 15. Applications will be screened and prioritized by the MU Research Committee.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Graduate School Office, Old Main Room 113.

## Fulbright information

Information pertaining to the 1994-95 Fulbright Scholars Program is available in the Academic Affairs Office, according to Dr. Sarah N. Denman, assistant vice president for academic affairs.

She said there is now a single deadline, Aug. 1, 1993, for all Fulbright lecturing and research awards.

Special programs such as Academic Administrators' awards and Fulbright chairs in Western Europe still have other deadlines.

To obtain further details contact Denman, 696-3007.

give safety professionals and students the opportunity to attend presentations by internationally known safety specialists, according to Dr. Keith Barenklau of Marshall's Safety Technology Program.

Dr. Dan Peterson, author and safety consultant, will be the keynote speaker. A resident of Phoenix, Ariz., Peterson is affiliated with the University of Arizona and Arizona State University at Tempe.

He has written more than a dozen books on industrial safety. Some of his books are used as textbooks at Marshall.

Marshall's Safety Technology Program grants graduate and undergraduate degrees in four areas of safety specialization. The program has four full-time faculty and several adjunct faculty members with students from several states and foreign countries.

To obtain further details about the Safety Conference contact the Marshall University Safety Technology Program Office, 696-4664.

## 'Roost' is a success

"When the Chickens Came Home to Roost," an award-winning play by Laurence Holder, was presented in conjunction with Marshall University's observance of Black History Month on Monday, Feb. 22, at the Joan C. Edwards Playhouse in the Fine and Performing Arts Center.

Depicting the pivotal confrontation between Elijah Muhammad (played by Thomas Martell Brimm) and Malcolm X (played by Renauld White), the play attracted approximately 500 students, faculty, staff members and area residents.

The performance, which was followed by a reception, was sponsored by the Division of Multicultural Affairs, the African American Students' Programs Office, Marshall Action for Peaceful Solutions (MAPS), Black United Students, the Department of Social Work and the Black Administrators, Faculty and Staff Organization.

Dr. Betty J. Cleckley, vice president for multicultural affairs, said many faculty, staff and students reaffirmed the value of organizations working together to bring such a timely event to campus.

"Representatives from the community expressed delight with the play," said Cleckley. "Among those attending the performance were senior citizens who received special invitations and elementary, junior high and high school students."

## Contest winner named

The winner of the monthly vending machine prize for February was David R. Webb, a senior from Kitts Hill, Ohio, according to Karen Kirtley of the Auxiliary Services Office.

Webb was the special spring break contest winner and received a \$600 travel gift certificate.